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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 27, 1892, }
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. John H. V. Arnold, President;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan,
Vice-President,
Nicholas T. Brown,
William Clancy,
James A. Cowie,
Bartholomew Donovan,
Peter J. Dooling,
Cornelius Flynn,
Horatio S. Harris,
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Joseph Martin,
Abraham Mead,
Rollin M. Morgan,
George B. Morris,
William H. Murphy,
Patrick J. O'Beirne,
David J. Roche,
Frank Rogers,

Patrick J. Ryder,
Henry L. School,
William H. Schott,
Charles Smith,
Charles J. Smith,
William Tait,
Whitfield Van Cott,
Jacob C. Wund.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Railroads, to which was referred the application heretofore presented to the Common Council of the City of New York by the Union Railway Company of New York City, for consent to the extension, construction, maintenance and operation of branches and extensions of its present railroad through, along and upon the surface of streets, avenues and highways in the City of New York, north of the Harlem river, respectfully

REPORT:

That on the 23d day of December, 1892, pursuant to notice published according to law, a hearing was had on such application, at which all persons desirous of being heard were heard.

That your Committee is of opinion that the construction and operation of such branches and extensions as proposed will furnish much needed facilities for travel and will be of great value generally to the people of the city by adding to the taxable value of the property along the route of said branches and extensions.

Your Committee therefore respectfully recommends the adoption of the following resolutions: Whereas, On the 6th of December, 1892, an application in writing was made to the Common Council of the City of New York by the Union Railway Company of New York City, for consent to the extension, construction, maintenance and operation of branches and extensions of its present railroad upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways of said city, designated in the application of said company as the route or routes of said extensions and branches;

Whereas, The said Common Council caused public notice of such application and of the time and place where the same would be first considered to be given by publication for at least fourteen days in two daily newspapers in New York City, which papers were designated for the purpose by the Mayor of said city;

Whereas, After public notice given as aforesaid and a public hearing in pursuance thereof duly had, whereat all persons so desiring were given an opportunity to be heard, and were heard, such application has been duly considered by the same Common Council.

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York be and it hereby is given to the said Union Railway Company of New York City to the extension, construction, maintenance and operation upon the conditions hereinafter set forth, of extensions or branches of their railroad upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways of the City of New York.

Through and along Exterior avenue, as the same now is or may hereafter be laid out, from its junction with Third avenue to its junction at Eighth avenue.

From the southern terminus of the Madison Avenue Bridge through and along Madison avenue to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Through and along One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street in a westerly direction, from its junction with Madison avenue to Eighth avenue.

Also along the bridge across the Harlem river, from Third avenue to Second avenue, and along Second avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Through and along One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street in a westerly direction to Fourth avenue.

Through and along Fourth avenue from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Also through and along One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth avenue to Madison avenue.

From the easterly terminal of what is now known as Washington Bridge, through and along Boscobel avenue to Jerome avenue.

Through and along Broadway in a northerly direction, from its intersection with Kingsbridge road to the northerly city line.

Further Resolved, That the conditions upon which the said consent is hereby given are as follows:

First—That the provisions of chapter 565 of the Laws of 1890, and the amendments thereof, in so far as the same are not inconsistent with the provisions of chapter 340 of the Laws of 1892, shall be complied with.

Second—That the President and Treasurer of the said Union Railway Company of New York City shall annually make a verified statement to the Comptroller of the City of New York on or before the first day of September, in each year, of the gross amount of its receipts for the year ending June 30, next preceding, and also a detailed account of its daily earnings during that period, and the books of said company shall be open to inspection and examination by said Comptroller, or his duly appointed agent, for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report as to its gross earnings, and may take proofs in relation thereto. Whenever such earnings shall, during any period of six months, exceed an average of one thousand seven hundred dollars per day, then and in that event the said company shall thereafter annually, on the first day of December, pay into the Treasury of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund of said City a sum equaling in the aggregate, one per cent. of gross earnings, and an additional payment of one per cent. of such gross earnings shall be made by said company in like manner for each multiple of one thousand seven hundred dollars per day of such average gross earnings. The gross receipts of all the lines of road owned by the said company, whether operated by said company or by lessees thereof or any portion thereof, shall be deemed gross earnings of said company within the meaning of this section. The payment of the percentage of gross receipts herein provided for shall be in lieu of all other percentages which any of the roads consolidating and forming the said Union Railway Company of New York City may therefore be liable to pay on its receipts.

Third—In the construction of said extensions or branches the equipment, material and work employed shall be of the best quality and character, and the cars thereon shall be run as often as the convenience of the public may require.

Fourth—That the said railway company and any person or corporation using the track, or any part of the tracks extended, constructed or laid out under or pursuant to the consent, shall comply with all reasonable ordinances or regulations which the local authorities having charge of the aforesaid extensions or branches shall make as to the rate of speed and removal of ice and snow, and shall not charge any passenger more than five cents from or to any point on the branches or extensions hereinbefore described within the present limits of the City of New York, nor from or to any point on said route or routes operated by said company or under its control and connecting with the route hereinabove described, to or from any point on said route, or any route, extension or branch operated by said company or under its control and connecting with the route hereinbefore described within the present limits of the City of New York.

Fifth—That the cars to be used on such branches or extensions to the construction of which this consent is given may be operated by any motive power other than locomotive steam power.

ROLLIN M. MORGAN,
NICHOLAS T. BROWN,
HORATIO S. HARRIS,
WILLIAM H. MURPHY,
ANDREW A. NOONAN,
JACOB C. WUND,

Committee
on
Railroads.

Alderman O'Beirne moved that the report and resolution be amended by adding after the words "locomotive steam power," the following:

"And this consent is given upon the further and absolute condition that nothing therein shall be construed as a consent, grant or permission to use the motive power designated and known as the Trolley system, and that no motive power operated by means of electricity through an overhead wire shall be used."

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Cowie, Morris, O'Beirne, and Van Cott—4.

Negative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Clancy, Donovan, Dooling, Flynn, Harris, Martin, Mead, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, School, Schott, Charles Smith, C. J. Smith, Tait, and Wund—21.

And the President declared the amendment lost.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Clancy, Donovan, Dooling, Flynn, Harris, Martin, Mead, Morgan, Murphy, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, School, Schott, Charles Smith, C. J. Smith, Tait, and Wund—21.

Negative—Aldermen Cowie, Morris, O'Beirne, and Van Cott—4.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices respectfully

REPORT

for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectfully reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz.:

Edward A. Byrne.
John J. Tindale.
August C. Hassey.
Martin Mass.
Solomon Kohn.
Michael J. Murray.
John H. Roberts.
George B. Stone.
William H. Kipp.
Philip F. Olwell.
Washington H. Hettler.
James W. Brinck.

John Quinn.
John F. McKenna.
Daniel Daly.
Dennis A. Spellissy.
George H. Fahrbach.
Eugene F. McCormack.
Joshua Kantrowitz.
Julius C. Hoffman.
John B. Mulvihill.
James M. More.
Charles M. Riddle.

Albert C. Lorey.
Julius Levy.
Herman Fromme.
Henry L. Davenport.
John J. Lenton.
John G. Wiegold.
John Keenan.
Michael K. McCarten.
David N. Neuberger.
Joseph F. Arnold.
Ambrose O. McCall.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places of those whose names appear opposite and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

Edward V. Brophy, in place of.....	Morris Barnett.
Abraham D. Levy, ".....	Emanuel Blumensteil.
William A. Crolius, ".....	Alfred R. Bunnell.
James J. Dollard, ".....	Thomas F. Casey.
Eugene F. Callahan, ".....	James H. Driscoll.
John H. Townsend, ".....	David W. Dobson.
James Hamilton, ".....	George H. Finck.
Edward Giroux, ".....	Charles L. Gott.
John Kenny, ".....	August J. Gloistein.
Leopold Moschowitz, ".....	Marie Gill.
Stephen R. James, ".....	Patrick A. Haverty.
Thomas McCabe, ".....	Edward A. Isaacs.
Herbert Barry, ".....	H. P. C. Johnston.
Charles Breimeir, ".....	Ellen G. Kelly.
Thomas F. Carney, ".....	Wauhope Lynn.
Christian W. Chalmers, ".....	David N. Carvalho.
James J. Bird, ".....	Charles J. McGuinness.
Joseph Hunold, ".....	James C. McEachen.
Henry Vettel, ".....	Fred. H. Michaelis.
Otto Pullich, ".....	Louis Morris.
David J. Daly, ".....	Joel M. Marx.
J. Baldwin Hands, ".....	Joseph Mathews.
William H. Hornidge, ".....	Lorenz S. Palmer.
William Crosby, ".....	George A. Roll.
Benjamin W. Barlow, ".....	George H. Rudolph.
Charles Forst, ".....	Sylvester Sigler.
Charles M. Loub, ".....	F. W. Salmonson.
John F. Cherry, ".....	Benjamin Stein.
Charles A. Baxter, ".....	William D. Udell.
Herman Feusterer, ".....	Robert L. Wooley.
Thomas F. McLaughlin, ".....	Walter F. Lanigan.
Joseph McNevin, ".....	Charlton M. Lewis.
Joseph Batt, ".....	Jessie Howell.
Henry Hirschfield, ".....	John H. Halliday.
Mitchell L. Erlanger, ".....	Henry R. McCready.
Melville H. Regensberger, ".....	S. Lobenthal.
Nicholas Lester Mullen, ".....	John J. Meehan.
George Simon, ".....	John Wieking.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed but failed to qualify, viz.:

Charles Auffarth, in place of.....	Charles Auffarth.
Daniel E. Finn, ".....	Daniel E. Finn.
Theodore L. Hemmingway, in place of.....	Theodore L. Hemmingway.
Frederick Hughes, ".....	Isidore Koplik.
Thomas Lewis, ".....	Thomas Lewis.
Charles O. Mass, ".....	Charles O. Mass.
Theodore A. Meyer, ".....	Theodore A. Meyer.
Henry Osborne, ".....	Henry Osborne.
Aaron Schwarz, ".....	Aaron Schwarz.
George E. Weller, ".....	Robert J. Treacy.
Guy Van Amringe, ".....	Guy Van Amringe.
Philip Wassung, ".....	Philip Wassung.
Manuel H. Elkins, ".....	Emilon P. Frame.

Resolved, That Louis H. Bader, George N. Leventritt and Israel M. Schamplain be and they are hereby severally appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places of Adam Pregoner, Moses Levi and Ralph Nathan, who have severally resigned.

Resolved, That Henry J. Faulhaber be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of J. Ridgeway Tiers, deceased.

PATRICK J. O'BEIRNE, } Committee
WILLIAM TAIT, } on
PATRICK J. RYDER, } Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Clancy, Cowie, Donovan, Dooling, Flynn, Harris, Martin, Mead, Morgan, Morris, Murphy, O'Beirne, Roche, Rogers, Ryder, School, Schott, Charles Smith, C. J. Smith, Tait, Van Cott, and Wund—25.

INVITATION.

The President laid before the Board an invitation from the Ancient Order of Hibernians to attend the forty-first annual ball of that Order, to be held at Tammany Hall on Tuesday, December 27, 1892.

On motion, the invitation was accepted, and the paper was ordered on file.

PROTEST.

No. 58 CENTRE STREET, NEW YORK, December 20, 1892.

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

GENTLEMEN—I have been instructed, by the Brotherhood of Stationary Engineers, to most respectfully enter our protest against any franchise or permission being granted to the "New York Power Company" giving them authority or permission to open up any of the streets or avenues of this city for the purpose of laying pipes for the transmission of steam or water for power purposes.

As citizens of New York, our experience in Broadway, Third avenue and the Bowery for the last few years, leads us to believe that it would have cost less, considering the length of time these thoroughfares have been practically closed and the rental value of the property, to have built an underground railway at once with suitable provision for electric light and telegraph wires, gas, sewers, etc., which would have permanently disposed of the annoyance of continually tearing up these avenues.

We also believe that, but for the pipes of the New York Steam Power Company in Broadway, an underground railway would long ago have been an accomplished fact; as, aside from the opposition on the part of this company, the continual danger from explosions of the pipes would manifestly have rendered any underground traffic out of the question.

For these and many other good and sufficient reasons that we will be glad to furnish if necessary, we earnestly pray that your Honorable Body will refuse to grant the "New York Power Company" any such franchise.

Very respectfully, yours, on behalf of the Brotherhood of Stationary Engineers.

R. O. SMITH.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Colwell Lead Company to lay a two (2) inch iron pipe for conducting steam from No. 65 to No. 66 Centre street, said pipe to be laid two (2) feet below the surface of the street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the City as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Colwell Lead Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the laying of said pipe, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman O'Beirne—

Whereas, The Legislature of this State has conferred upon the Aldermen of this city the right to perform the marriage ceremony; and

Whereas, This right is one that is not, and never has been, acceptable to, nor exercised by, a very large majority of its members, and neither adds dignity to the office nor solemnity to the ceremony; and

Whereas, This large city, so plentifully supplied with clergymen, affords every opportunity for those anxious to enter the matrimonial state;

Resolved, That the Legislature be and is hereby respectfully petitioned to relieve the Aldermen of this city of this most unwelcome burden; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to send a copy of these preambles and resolutions to every member of the Legislature of 1893, when it convenes.

Alderman Brown moved as an amendment that the resolutions be laid on the table.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet on Thursday, December 29, 1892, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That Joseph M. Cristalli, No. 239 Elizabeth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That Charles E. McGinnis, of No. 127 Broome street, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Charles Smith—

Resolved, That Joseph L. Start, No. 382 Grand street, and Moses Cohen, No. 41 Canal street, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman C. J. Smith—

Resolved, That William H. Ferd, No. 28 Union Square, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Excise Board:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXCISE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 54 BOND STREET,
NEW YORK, December 22, 1892.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Excise of this city heretofore granted and issued to Edward Ferrero, as a saloon keeper, a license to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk on or off the licensed premises, which premises are situate and known as Lenox Lyceum, No. 52 East Fifty-ninth street. The license above mentioned expires on the 22d day of December, 1893, and the said Edward Ferrero has applied to the said Board of Excise for a renewal of an additional license permitting the aforesaid licensed premises to remain open between the hours of one and five o'clock in the morning, and has complied with the requirements of the Excise Law in respect thereto.

And, it appearing that public necessity requires the granting of such additional license, the Board of Excise has granted the same, to expire on the 22d day of December, 1893, and has fixed the fee at the rate of \$100 for one year, or a proportionately less amount for a term less than one year, but the amount of such fee shall not be less than \$30.

The said additional license will be issued upon receiving said fee, provided the action of said Board of Excise in respect thereto be approved by your Honorable Body.

Herewith is transmitted the application and bond for said additional license. It is requested that they be returned to the Board of Excise, with notice of your action upon such application, as the said papers are required to be filed in the office of the Board of Excise.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH KOCH,

President of the Board of Excise of the City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Excise.

(At this point the Vice-President took the chair.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman O'Beirne called up G. O. 691, being a preamble and resolution, as follows:

Whereas, The North and East River Railroad Company has failed or refused to pay the rental or percentage of gross earnings agreed upon;

Resolved, That application be made to the Supreme Court, pursuant to section 93 of the Railroad Law, for judgment declaring the consent and right to operate and use the railroad operated or used by the said company forfeited, and authorizing the sale again of the same in the manner prescribed by said statute; and it is further

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he hereby is requested to take proceedings to obtain said judgment.

Alderman Brown moved that the preamble and resolution be amended by striking out after the word "forfeited" the words "and authorizing the sale again of the same in the manner prescribed by said statute."

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

Which was decided in the negative.

And the Vice-President declared the amendment lost.

The Vice-President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Cowie, Mead, Morris, O'Beirne, Ryder, School, Schott, Charles Smith, C. J. Smith, Tait, and Van Cott—12.

Negative—Aldermen Brown, Donovan, Dooling, Flynn, Harris, Martin, Murphy, Roche, and Wund—9.

Excused—Alderman Morgan—1.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman O'Beirne moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Thursday, December 29, 1892, at 1 o'clock P. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 24, 1892.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York for the week ending Saturday, December 24, 1892:

Examinations.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
Joseph P. Faney	414 Second avenue	Bar-tender	Passed.
James L. Murray	207 Eighth avenue	Clerk	"
Jeremiah Buckley	322 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street	Plumber	"
James Ryan	343 East Forty-first street	Driver	Rejected.
Wesley J. Smith	328 West Eleventh street	Iceman	Passed.
Henry J. Darbacher	607 East Ninth street	Pocket-book maker	"
Edward Tierney	705 Eighth avenue	Machinist	Rejected.
James P. Kelly	7 Cottage place	Porter	Passed.
Otis Bishop	435 West Thirty-fifth street	Clerk	"
Patrick Kennedy	{ One Hundred and Fortieth street and Amsterdam avenue }	Guard	"
Henry Velje	158 East One Hundred and Tenth street	Gripman	Rejected.
James J. McVea	450 West Thirty-first street	Carpenter	Passed.
Peter Kuntz	6 Columbia street	Bookbinder	"
John Doyle	133 Monroe street	Driver	"
John J. Muller	169 East Houston street	Clerk	Rejected.
Terence P. Quigley	341 Tenth avenue	Oysterman	"
James J. Maher	514 West Twenty-seventh street	Gasfitter	Passed.
Lawrence Lyons	514 West Twenty-sixth street	Clerk	"
Fred Nagengast	2 Lawrence street	Bottler	"
Louis Wancura	172 East Fourth street	Musician	"
Thomas C. Scott	68 Varick street	Shipping Clerk	Rejected.
Joseph T. Talasco	1371 First avenue	Cigarmaker	Passed.
Thomas P. Cannon	76 Third avenue	Porter	Rejected.
John F. Condon	317 East Forty-second street	Messenger	Passed.
John Kiernan	401 East Sixtieth street	Driver	"
Patrick Drum	Blackwell's Island	Fireman	"

Appointment Examined.

John J. Gilligan	154 West Fifty-second street	Watchman	Passed.
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WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
THURSDAY, December 22, 1892, 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller; John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held December 21, 1892, were read and approved.

A copy of an application of the Harlem River Bridge Commission to the Supreme Court for an order to show cause why a mandamus should not issue directing this Board to make provision, before the completion of the Final Estimate for the year 1893, for expenses of the said Commission incurred and to be incurred during the years 1892 and 1893, was received and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

The Board proceeded to the consideration of the Final Estimate for the year 1893.

The estimate for the Department of Street Cleaning was taken up for consideration.

Thomas S. Brennan, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Professor Charles F. Chandler, Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works, and William J. Lyon, City Auditor, appeared and made statements in explanation thereof.

J. Van Dyck Card, representing the West End Association, Charles Buck and Cyrus Clark appeared and requested the removal of the dump from the foot of West Seventy-ninth street.

On motion, the further consideration of the estimate for the Department of Street Cleaning was postponed until Tuesday, December 27, 1892.

On motion, the Board took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board reassembled at 2 o'clock P. M.
Present—All the members.

The consideration of the Final Estimate was continued.

The estimate for the Fire Department was taken up for consideration.

H. D. Purroy, President of the Fire Department, appeared and made a statement in explanation thereof.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of six thousand dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation to Fire Department for 1892, entitled:

"For Salaries—	
"Headquarters Pay-roll"	\$1,800 00
"Salary of Inspector of Sappers and Miners"	2,000 00
"Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll"	800 00
"Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll"	800 00
"Telegraph Force Pay-roll"	600 00

—the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation to said Fire Department for 1892, entitled "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The estimates for the Supreme Court and County Clerk's Office were taken up and considered.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on December 23, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
FRIDAY, December 23, 1892, 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—Hugh J. Grant, the Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller; John H. V. Arnold, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held December 22, 1892, were read and approved.

The Board proceeded to the consideration of the Final Estimate for the year 1893.

The estimate for the Board of Education was taken up for consideration.

W. Lummis, C. L. Holt, Robert Maclay, A. L. Sanger, Mrs. Williams, Charles Strauss, I. A. Hopper, Charles C. Wehrum and J. W. Gerard, Commissioners of Education, appeared and made statements in explanation thereof.

On motion, the Board took a recess until 2.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board reassembled at 2.45 o'clock P. M.

Present—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.
Absent—The President of the Board of Aldermen.

The consideration of the estimate for the Board of Education was resumed.

The estimate for the Law Department was taken up and considered.

The Comptroller, to whom was referred the application of the Fire Department for a transfer of \$18,000 to the account of "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," presented the following report:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 23, 1892.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—In compliance with your direction I have made an examination at the Headquarters of the Fire Department of the appropriation for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc." (exclusive of the sum of \$73,000 allowed therein for repairs and alterations to buildings), and beg to report the following as the result of information obtained from the Secretary and Bookkeeper of said Department, viz.:

Appropriation.....	\$307,000 00
Less amount transferred to Department of Buildings.....	3,666 34
	\$303,333 66
Requisitions drawn on Finance Department to December 22, 1892.....	288,060 30

Leaving a balance of.....	\$15,273 36
Add transfer made December 22, 1892.....	6,000 00
	\$21,273 36

Liabilities—	
Balance on contracts.....	\$13,570 85
Rent.....	1,215 00
Bills on hand.....	2,057 13
	\$16,842 98
Telegraph force.....	\$600 00
Contingencies.....	1,500 00
Gas.....	1,400 00
Horseshoeing.....	2,500 00
	6,000 00
	\$22,842 98

Estimated reduction by action of Fire Commissioners, December 22, 1892:

Telegraph force.....	\$525 00
Gas.....	700 00
Horseshoeing.....	1,250 00
	2,475 00
	\$20,367 98

SUMMARY.

Balance of appropriation, including transfer of \$6,000.....	\$21,273 36
Liability as reduced by Commissioners.....	20,367 98

Balance.....	\$905 38
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Liability, exclusive of reduction by Commissioners.....	\$22,842 98
Balance of appropriation, including transfer of \$6,000.....	21,273 36

Deficiency.....	\$1,569 62
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In addition to above, I am informed that the following items are required, but that the same have not been ordered or contracted for:

Damages to fire-boat "Havemeyer" (boat laid up), estimated at.....	\$2,500 00
Eight horses to take the place of twelve killed or disabled.....	2,400 00
General supplies, estimated at.....	1,200 00
Supplies for machine, paint, harness and hose shops, estimated at.....	3,000 00
Telegraph supplies, etc., estimated at.....	2,000 00

Total.....	\$11,100 00
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Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, First Assistant Bookkeeper.

Ordered on file.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 23, 1892.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At the meeting of this Board, held on the 20th instant, a request was presented from the Counsel to the Corporation for a transfer of \$200 from the salaries of the clerks and employees in the Public Administrator's Office for this year to the Contingent Account in the same office, and \$17.96 from the same account to the Salary Account in the Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. The matter was referred to the Comptroller.

These transfers are in the nature of an adjustment of two accounts at the end of the year; and I offer adoption the following resolution to authorize the transfers, as requested.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Law Department for the year 1892, entitled "Salaries—Law Department—Salaries of Clerks and Employees for the Bureau of the Public Administrator," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said department for the said year entitled "Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office," which is insufficient for the uses and objects thereof; and

Resolved, That the sum of seventeen dollars and ninety-six cents (\$17.96) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Law Department for the year 1892, entitled "Salaries—Law Department—Salaries of Clerks and Employees for the Bureau of the Public Administrator," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said department for the said year entitled "Salaries—Law Department—For Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, Employees and Subordinates, Corporation Counsel's Office," which is insufficient for the uses thereof.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday, December 27, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND
CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, DECEMBER 5 TO 10, 1892.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending December 3, 1892: Males, 39; females, 1. On file.

List of 40 prisoners to be discharged from December 10 to 17, 1892. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From the Comptroller—Notifying this Board that the new public building, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place, will be ready for occupancy on January 1, 1893, and the Department is then authorized to assume charge of that portion set apart as a prison. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 3, 1892, \$19. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending December 3, 1892, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From Penitentiary—Report of prisoners confined in dark cells for violation of rules during November, 1892. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to December 3, 1892. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 8 patients admitted, 3 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending December 3, 1892. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending December 3, 1892. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 18 patients admitted, 5 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending December 3, 1892. On file.

From District Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 3, 1892, \$101. On file.

Contract Awarded.

The Hospital Supply Company—For repairs and additions to wash-house, Bellevue Hospital, for \$1,329.50.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, be directed to transfer fifty prisoners to Hart's Island on Tuesday, December 6, to do the work of unloading barges of street sweepings sent there by the Department of Street Cleaning, and that the Warden of Branch Workhouse make the necessary requisitions for their care.

Adopted.

Resolved, That all the bids received for repairs to steamer "Minnahanonck" be and are hereby rejected, as the balance to the credit of the steamboat account is not sufficient to allow the lowest bid to be accepted.

Adopted.

Resolved, That the bids for walls and gates at Bellevue Hospital be rejected, as the lowest bid exceeds the amount appropriated for the aforesaid work. The Architect is hereby notified to modify the plans and specifications so as to bring the same within the amount appropriated.

Adopted.

Appointed.

- Dec. 1. Busey Murphy, Cook, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 1. Harry Watz, Helper, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary, \$96 per annum.
 " 1. John Donovan, Helper, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary, \$96 per annum.
 " 3. John Edwards, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
 " 3. Martin O'Connor, Apothecary, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$500 per annum.
 " 3. Bryan McSweeney, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 5. William F. Maher, Visitor, Out-door Poor Bureau. Salary, \$2.50 per diem.
 " 5. Philip McDermott, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 5. Bridget McCormick, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
 " 6. S. Newitter, Visitor, Out-door Poor Bureau. Salary, \$2.50 per diem.
 " 7. Patrick Donaghy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 7. John Vorkes, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 7. Maggie Shunck, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$180 per annum.

Reappointed.

- " 5. Daniel Hickey, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 7. James Clark, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 8. Edward C. Kellogg, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Resigned.

- Dec. 1. Lawrence Howard, Helper, Gouverneur Hospital.
 " 1. Kate Bennett, Cook, Bellevue Hospital.
 " 5. Bridget McCormick, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 6. Lizzie Barker, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 6. Kate M. Shine, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 8. Frederick D. Hatton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

Salary Increased.

- Dec. 1. N. L. Drake, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, from \$400 to \$500 per annum.
 " 1. J. W. Marshall, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, from \$300 to \$400 per annum.

- Dec. 1. Patrick Collins, Aloysius J. Clarke, Thomas Cannon, Peter J. Finnerty, Michael Duffy, Thomas Dunn, Frederick H. Haley, Cornelius E. O'Sullivan, James O'Brien, Joseph E. Plattfoot, Michael Curren, Alfred Carter, James Clarke, Patrick McGrath, John Noon, Michael J. Quinn, Judson E. Rogers, Adolph Zaduk, Daniel Sullivan, Michael Salmon, Michael Coakley, Richard Blanchfield, Cornelius Flynn, John W. Elmes, Matthew M. Kelly, Thomas Maginn, Joseph P. O'Donnell, Edward O'Gorman, John F. Parry, Michael Lowry, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, from \$300 to \$360 per annum, each.
- " 1. Mary Geany, Margaret Scanlon, Mary O'Beirne, Margaret M. Healy, Ellen O'Mahoney, Agnes Johnson, Mary Butler, Mary Gillick, Kate Gray, Margaret Gilleran, Mary Davis, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island, from \$216 to \$240 per annum.
- " 1. Charles O'Connor, Messenger, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island, \$60 to \$120 per annum.
- " 1. Patrick J. Quinn, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, \$360 to \$420 per annum.
- Transferred.*
- Dec. 1. Robert J. McFarlane, Attendant to Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary increased from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
- " 1. John Cook, Attendant to Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary increased from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
- Dismissed.*
- Dec. 2. John Deignan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
- " 3. Mary Donoghue, Nurse, City Hospital.
- " 3. William A. Rodda, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.
- " 4. Lizzie F. Smith, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
- G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW, NEW YORK, Dec. 21, 1892.

At a meeting of the Board of Taxes and Assessments, held this day, Daniel Harper was appointed to the position of an Assistant Janitor in this Department, with salary at the rate of \$50 per month, to take effect this day and continue during the pleasure of the Board.

By order of the Board,
FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
—, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, CHARLES G. F. WAHLE.

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

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

COMMON COUNCIL.
Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9); JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); WM. H. BURKE, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN H. MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN J. RYAN, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16).

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
Comptroller's Office.
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.
Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.
Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN A. SULLIVAN, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; —, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
No money received after 2 P. M.

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

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

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

Office of the Public Administrator.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Public Administrator.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JOHN McCLEAVE and JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KEE, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Headquarters.
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; S. HOWLAND ROBINS and ANTHONY EICKHOFF, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.
Central Office open at all hours.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
PAUL DANA, President; ALBERT GALLUP, ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN and NATHAN STRAUS, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner; WILLIAM DALTON, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; EDWARD CAHILL, CHARLES E. WENDT and PATRICK M. HAVERTY; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.
East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.
Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney; EDWARD T. FLYNN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; JOHN J. MCGRATH, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.
No. 27 Chambers street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, JOHN B. SHEA, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.
New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.15 o'clock A. M.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. LOUIS C. BRUNS, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. JAMES DUNPHY, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. WILLIAM H. CORSA, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 36 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JOHN DUANE, Jr., Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues open to close of business.
SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice. PHILIP AHERN, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to the close of business.
JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. SYLVESTER E. NOLAN, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays.
JOHN JEROLAMON, Justice. CARSON G. ARCHIBALD, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
JOSEPH F. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.15 A. M.

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

WILLIAM G. MCCREA, Justice, WM. H. GERMAINE, Clerk.

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth

street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.
JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

POLICE COURTS.
Judges—PATRICK G. DUFFY, JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. RYAN, SOLON B. SMITH, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL F. MCMAHON, EDWARD HOGAN, CHARLES N. TANTOR, CLARENCE W. MEADE, PATRICK DIVVER, THOMAS F. GRADY, JOHN R. VOORHIS, ANDREW J. WHITE.

GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tomb, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING INTERVAL AVENUE, TWENTY-THIRD WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT, DECEMBER 7, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all owners of property and persons affected by the assessment, in the matter of acquiring title to INTERVAL AVENUE, from the SOUTHERN BOULEVARD to WILKINS PLACE, in the TWENTY-THIRD WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, which assessment was confirmed by the Supreme Court December 7, 1892, and entered on the 8th day of December, 1892, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 7, 1893, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 13, 1892. }

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 2, 1892.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1892, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1893, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1892, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1893, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the third day of October, 1892, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1892 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 28, 1892.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY AND CERTAIN BOOKS AND BINDING FOR THE USE OF COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

TO STATIONERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Stationery, Paper, Ink, Pens, Pencils, Penholders, Rubber Bands, etc., and certain Books and Binding—will be received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, Room No. 2, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the 10th day of January, 1893, at or about which time said estimates will be publicly opened and read in the office of the Mayor.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Stationery," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his

sureties for 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 upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, 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 after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be One Thousand Dollars.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimate will be 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, and no estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the preliminary 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 Supervisor of the City Record, 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 Supervisor 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.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

A separate contract will be made with the lowest bidder for each and every class of Stationery involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, and the Board of City Record expressly reserve the right to make a contract with the lowest bidder on any class involving the expenditure of a lesser sum.

The Stationery is to be put up in packages according to schedules to be furnished to the contractors by the Supervisor of the City Record, and according to the most approved methods followed in the stationery trade for the preservation of goods. The contractors must complete the delivery of the goods at the office of the City Record within twenty days from the execution of the contracts.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantities and kinds of Stationery, reference must be had to the specifications copies of which may be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record, or may be seen in the Department of Public Works, where they are on file with certain samples. When the description of an article is not complete in the specifications, and no sample is on file in the Department of Public Works, the contractor must supply an article in every respect like that in use in the Department making the requisition.

HUGH J. GRANT,

Mayor;

WILLIAM H. CLARK,

Counsel to the Corporation;

THOMAS F. GILROY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

W. J. K. KENNY,

Supervisor of the City Record.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles:
400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
80,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
4,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,600 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, January 11, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the

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

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

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

HENRY D. PURROY,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A
sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, January 11, 1893, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR RE-REGULATING AND REGRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ILLUMINATING GAS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC MARKETS, ARMORIES, BUILDINGS AND OFFICES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 1893, TO DECEMBER 31, 1893, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 at Rooms 5 and 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A
sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Thursday, December 29, 1892, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN SOUTH STREET, between Fulton and Wall streets, WITH CURVES IN WALL STREET, MAIDEN LANE AND BURLING SLIP, AND CURVES TO OUTLET SEWER.

No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTING SEWERS IN BURLING SLIP, between South and Water streets; IN WALL STREET, between South and Pearl streets, AND IN FRONT STREET, at Burling Slip and Wall street, AND OUTLET SEWER THROUGH PIER (OLD) 20, EAST RIVER.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1889.

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT
act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty containing covenants requiring the grantees and their successors to pave, repave, keep in repair or maintain such streets, shall be in need of repairs, pavement or repavement, the Common Council may, by ordinance, require the same to be paved, repaved or repaired, and the expense thereof to be assessed on the property benefited; and whenever the owner of a lot so assessed shall have paid the assessment levied for such paving, repaving or repairing, such payment shall release and discharge such owner from any and every covenant and obligation as to paving, repaving and repairing, contained in the water grant under which the premises are held, and no further assessment shall be imposed on such lot for paving, repaving or repairing such street or avenue, unless it shall be petitioned for by a majority of the owners of the property (who shall also be the owners of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act:

When notice, as above described, is given to the Commissioner of Public Works, the owner of the lot or lots therein described, and his heirs and assigns, are forever released from all obligation under the grant in

respect to paving, repaving or repairing the street in front of or adjacent to said lot or lots, except one assessment for such paving, repaving or repairs, as the Common Council may, by ordinance, direct to be made thereafter.

No street or avenue within the limits of such grants can be paved, repaved or repaired until said work is authorized by ordinance of the Common Council, and when the owners of such lots desire their streets to be paved, repaved or repaired, they should state their desire and make their application to the Board of Aldermen and not to the Commissioner of Public Works, who has no authority in the matter until directed by ordinance of the Common Council to proceed with the pavement, repavement or repairs.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 28, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1893.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, during the year ending December 31, 1893,
FRESH FISH, ETC.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, January 7, 1893. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1893," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it is awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. And the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS**.

See General Conditions of Bidding Below.

Dated New York, December 27, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR THE YEAR 1893.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Poultry for the year ending December 31, 1893, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, January 7, 1893. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for the year 1893," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS**.

See General Conditions of Bidding Below.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING.

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 Fresh Fish, Poultry, etc., by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or that 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 estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 27, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 19, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), 14,000 Barrels Extra Wheat Flour, Nos. 1 and 2, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, December 30, 1892, said flour to be delivered in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels (1,000 barrels fortnightly), one-half of each quality, and all to be delivered as required during the first six months of the year 1893, to be delivered in barrels only, viz.:
7,000 barrels like sample No. 1.
7,000 barrels like sample No. 2.

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

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

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

Dated New York, December 27, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries and other Supplies, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, December 30, 1892.

36,400 pounds Butter, in tubs of about 60 pounds each, net, to be of uniform color, pure, entirely sweet and of clear flavor.
6,400 pounds Dried Apples.
9,800 pounds Barley, No. 3, price to include packages.
15,500 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
1,820 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
2,600 pounds Wheaten Grits.
10,500 pounds Hominy.
1,130 pounds Macaroni, in the usual boxes as imported.
14,000 pounds Oatmeal.
600 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.
4,900 pounds Prunes.
19,000 pounds Rice.
38,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
9,200 pounds Coffee Sugar.
5,100 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.
7,900 pounds Granulated Sugar.
1,600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40 pound boxes.
7,550 pounds Oolong Tea, in half chests, free from all admixture, in original package as imported.
165 barrels Soda Biscuit.
2,000 gallons Syrup.
5,000 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh and candled at the time of delivery, to be furnished in cases of the usual size.

124 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured, and to average not less than five pounds each, to be delivered as required, in boxes of four quintals each.
2,150 barrels White Potatoes, to be good, sound and of fair size, to weigh 175 pounds net per barrel; packages to be returned.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Provisions, etc."

with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

Dated New York, December 19, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING.

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR TWELVE HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1893.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING twelve hundred (1,000) tons of (2,240 pounds each) White Ash Coal, as required, during the year 1893, and in accordance with the specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 29, 1892. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,200 Tons White Ash Coal," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the

bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS**.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

Dated New York, December 17, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1893.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING all the Meats required for the year 1893, to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday, December 29, 1892. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1893," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it is awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000)**.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

Dated New York, December 17, 1892.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (45,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1893.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Department of Public Charities and Correction, during the year 1893, as may be required and in accordance with the specifications,

FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (45,000) TONS (2,240 POUNDS EACH) OF WHITE ASH COAL, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 29, 1892. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 45,000 Tons White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000) DOLLARS**.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING.

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 amounts of the Meat or Coal by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 17, 1892.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 16, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.
Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following hospital supplies, viz:

I.—Articles to be delivered in instalments as required during the year 1893.

4,000 gallons, more or less, of two-stamp copper distilled PURE RYE WHISKEY, to be delivered in the City of New York, free of all charges, to this Department, in lots of not less than five barrels at a time, as may be required. The whiskey to be not less than TWO years old from the date of the warehouse entry stamp, and to be consigned by Bill of Lading to the Department of Public Charities and Correction. Upon arrival of each shipment in the City of New York, it shall be gauged at the dock or depot at the expense of the contractor, who shall then cause it to be at once carted direct to the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital. The gauger's certificate in all cases to be attached to the bill. Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on distilled spirits during the year 1893 shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

350,000 yards, more or less, of BLEACHED ABSORBENT HOSPITAL GAUZE, equal to sample exhibited in 100-yard pieces, in bales or boxes containing not more than 2,500 yards. To be delivered in instalments as required.

14,000 pounds, more or less, of purified ABSORBENT COTTON, equal to sample exhibited, in one-pound packages, packed in solid wooden boxes, containing 50 pounds. To be delivered in instalments as required.

7,500 pounds, more or less, of ABSORBENT LINT, equal to sample exhibited, in one-pound packages, packed in solid wooden boxes, containing 50 pounds. To be delivered in instalments as required.

II.—Articles to be delivered at once, or as soon as required, after the contract is awarded.

6,500 pounds pure, colorless (white) MEDICINAL CARBOLIC ACID, not below the grade, known as 38 degrees, and corresponding in all other respects with the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in one-pound unlettered, round flint bottles provided with red "Carbolic Acid" and "Poison" labels, and packed in boxes containing 50 pounds.

5,000 pounds of pure MEDICINAL GLYCERIN, of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in five-gallon "Banker's 1890" boxed cans.

5,000 pounds, more or less, of genuine "Contis" imported WHITE CASTILE SOAP, in original boxes, weight to be determined on delivery, and a Public Weigher's certificate, showing also the tare as determined by ten boxes, to be attached to the bill.

3,000 ounces SULPHATE OF QUININE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, to be delivered in 100-ounce cans, original packages of the manufacturer.

1,100 ounces PHENACETIN (Bayer's), in original one-ounce packages.

500 pounds pure CHLOROFORM, U. S. Pharm., in one-pound bottles, packed in boxes containing 50 pounds.

500 pounds pure CHLOROFORM, U. S. Pharm., in ten-pound tin cans, packed in boxes containing 50 pounds.

350 pounds pure white SALICYLATE OF SODIUM, U. S. Pharmacopoeia, yielding a colorless solution with distilled water, in one-pound cartons in boxes holding 50 pounds.

150 pounds pure white SALICYLIC ACID, U. S. Pharmacopoeia, in one-pound cartons, in boxes holding 25 pounds.

125 ounces SULPHATE OF MORPHINE, U. S. Pharmacopoeia, in 1/2-ounce vials, original packages of the manufacturer.

36 barrels prime pure imported NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL, in original packages.
505 gross of best quality green PRESCRIPTION VIALS AND BOTTLES, to be equal to samples exhibited. The vials and bottles to be securely packed in hay, in well-closed spruce packing boxes, suitable for shipment. The style, sizes and quantities required are as follows:

(a) Round Shoulder, Boston Style (green), Narrow Mouth.
85 gross 1 ounce, 5 gross in a box.
175 " 2 ounces, 5 " "
120 " 4 " 4 " "
90 " 8 " 2 " "
10 " 16 " 1 " "
10 " 32 " 1/2 " "

(b) Union Oval (green), Narrow Mouth.
10 gross 16 ounces, 1 gross in a box.
5 " 32 " 1/2 " "
1,395 gross Extra Long, Strictly XX TAPER CORKS, in the following numbers and quantities, all to be delivered in bags holding 5 gross of a size, properly marked.
220 gross No. 2, 220 gross No. 3, 250 gross No. 4, 20 gross No. 5, 200 gross No. 6, 200 gross No. 7, 75 gross No. 8.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 28, 1892. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the Hospital Supplies must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR VIENNA BREAD.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING this Department with best quality Vienna Bread during the year of 1893, will be received at the office of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 28, 1892. The quantity of bread required will approximate 200 loaves daily, and shall weigh not less than one and one-half pounds each, and is to be delivered at Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and to the institutions under charge of the Department as directed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 16, 1892.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Presbyterian Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown eyes, hair and moustache. Had on blue serge coat, pants and vest, white shirt, brown cardigan jacket, white cotton undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white woolen socks, black felt hat.

Unknown man, from foot of Grand street, East river, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray eyes and hair; full beard. Had on black coat and vest, brown and gray striped pants, blue and white striped shirt, gray cotton undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, brown cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from No. 193 Washington street, aged about 37 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair and eyes; brown moustache mixed with gray. Had on brown overcoat, brown and black sack coat, brown vest and pants, white woolen undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, laced shoes, black Derby hat.

Unknown man from St. Vincent's Hospital, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark brown hair mixed with gray; gray eyes, brown moustache and beard. Had on black overcoat, black coat and vest, dark pants, white cotton nightshirt, gray socks, buckled shoes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, December 19, 1892.

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

December 28, COMPLAINT AND CORRESPONDING CLERK, Department of Street Cleaning.
December 28, PILE DRIVING ENGINEER.
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Auditing Committee of the Board of Education, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, December 29, 1892, for Material and Labor for Fitting up Offices for the use of the Superintendent of School Buildings on the premises No. 166 Elm street.

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

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

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

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

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

MILES M. O'BRIEN,
Chairman.

Dated New York, December 16, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, December 19, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

1,200,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Oats, to be bright, clean and sweet, and full weight.
450,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.
90,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
15,000 pounds Bran.
1,000 pounds Coarse Salt.
3,000 pounds Rock Salt.
2,500 pounds Oil Meal.

—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Room 180, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., December 31, 1892, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department Stables, "A," "B," "C," "D," "E" and "F," in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. of Hay, Straw, Oats, Bran, Coarse Salt, Rock Salt and Oil Meal.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or

affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of four hundred (\$400) 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 of the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 432.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIERS AT FOOT OF WEST FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, WEST FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, WEST FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET AND WEST FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE above-named places, on the 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 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1892.

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 Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.	
At Pier foot of West Fifty-fifth street	17,000 cubic yards.
At Pier foot of West Fifty-sixth street	10,900 "
At Pier foot of West Fifty-seventh street (south side)	6,300 "
At Pier foot of West Fifty-eighth street (north side)	11,000 "
Total	45,200 cubic yards.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received: 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of February, 1893, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,

EDWIN A. POST,

JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated NEW YORK, December 15, 1892.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 21, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Friday, January 6, 1893:

No. 1. FOR BOILERS, WATER AND DRAINAGE PIPES FOR THE AQUARIUM IN THE CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING, IN BATTERY PARK.

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

No. 3. FOR THE ERECTION OF A PORTABLE SKATE HOUSE IN CENTRAL PARK.

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

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

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

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

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

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

55,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

3,500 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, eighty pounds to the bag.

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

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

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

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).

Sixty-sixth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).

Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).

One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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

The amount of security required is TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire works to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the works and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefore, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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, upon 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 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 section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

PAUL DANA,
ALBERT GALLUP,
NATHAN STRAUS,
A. E. TAPPEN,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
December 14, 1892.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of Public Parks will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, on Wednesday, December 28, 1892, at half-past ten o'clock A. M., give a hearing to all parties interested in the proposed extension, under the provisions of chapter 332, Laws of 1892, of the railway in and through Transverse Road No. 3, crossing the Central Park at or near Eighty-fifth street, and all such parties desiring to be heard are requested to be present at that time.

By order of the Board of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, December 16, 1892.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 222 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 1 o'clock P. M., on Friday, December 30, 1892, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Alexander avenue to Willis avenue, AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGE-WAY OF AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN SAID STREET, from Alexander avenue to Brook avenue.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from existing sewer in Webster avenue to Third avenue, WITH BRANCHES IN THIRD AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES ON BOTH SIDES OF WENDOVER AVENUE, from Webster avenue to Third avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN COURTLAND AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

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

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

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

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

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

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 21, 1892.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction on Friday, January 6, 1893, at ten o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1891.

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.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a special meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's office, on Wednesday, December 28, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated NEW YORK, December 24, 1892.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 4007, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings south side of One Hundred and Fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

List 4019, No. 2. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues.

List 4020, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue.

List 4021, No. 4. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Eighty-ninth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 4022, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding sidewalks in front of Nos. 86 and 88 Vandam street.

List 4023, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging north side of West Seventy-second street, extending from the easterly curb line of West End avenue easterly about 130 feet.

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

No. 1. South side of One Hundred and Fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 2. North side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, on Block 600, Ward Nos. 9 to 17, inclusive.

No. 3. North side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue.

No. 4. North side of Eighty-ninth street, east of Riverside Drive, on Block 1245, Ward Nos. 10 and 21.

No. 5. Nos. 86 and 88 Vandam street, known as Ward Nos. 2274 and 2275.

No. 6. Block 207, Ward No. 1.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 30th day of January, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 28, 1892.

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

List 4006, No. 1. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Lenox avenue.

List 4010, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street from First to Second avenue.

List 4015, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Seventy-fifth street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 4024, No. 4. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Ninety-seventh street and West End avenue.

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

No. 1. West side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, extending westerly from Lenox avenue, about 340 feet.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, from First to Second avenue.

No. 3. South side of Seventy-fifth street, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 4. Block bounded by Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, Boulevard and West End avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 26th day of January, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 24, 1892.

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

List 3930, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 3942, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Webster and Washington avenues, and in Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth street and the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward lines.

List 3951, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and First street, from Third to Lexington avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 3994, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 4004, No. 5. Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of Park in Broadway, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets.

List 4005, No. 6. Sewer in Park avenue, east side, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, connecting with present sewer in Park avenue, east side, north of Ninety-sixth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Webster to Washington avenue, and both sides of Vanderbilt street to Wendover avenue; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-first street; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-first street to Wendover avenue; both sides of Fulton avenue, from Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward line to Wendover avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Franklin avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Third to Lexington avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Park in Broadway, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets.

No. 6. East side of Park avenue, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-sixth streets, and the lot situated on the northeast corner of Ninety-sixth street and Park avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 18th day of January, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 17, 1892.

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 the northerly side of THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Twentieth 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, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in this city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 4th day of January, 1893, at eleven 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 at the chambers in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 20, 1892.
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JOHN H. JUDGE,
NATHAN FERNBACHER,
Commissioners.

T. MITCHELL TYNG, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CEDAR PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Eagle avenue to Union avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in the said city, on Tuesday, January 3, 1893, at three o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1893, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 19, 1892.
GEORGE P. WEBSTER,
J. RHINELANDER DILLON,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Convent avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1892, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 16, 1892.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
ROBERT M. VAN ARSDALE,
PATRICK FOX,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening and extension of a new avenue to be known as ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, extending from Academy place, near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, to Convent avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fortieth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1892, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges

and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 15, 1892.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
ROBERT M. VAN ARSDALE,
PATRICK FOX,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1892, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 15, 1892.
WILLIAM A. DUER,
WILLIAM H. WILLIS,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal of lands in North Salem, Westchester County.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the First Separate Report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed herein on the 18th day of January, 1890, which report was filed in Westchester County Clerk's office on November 25, 1892, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District at the Court house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on January 14, 1893, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, December 14, 1892.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Iryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Convent avenue to Amsterdam 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 January, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose, by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Forty-second street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, on March 7, 1888, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively, entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying-out and forming the same, but benefited thereby and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5 of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York (Room No. 31), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (December 15, 1892).

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

Dated New York, December 15, 1892.
LEMOUEL H. ARNOLD, JR.,
WILLIAM B. ANDERSON,
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening and extension of a new avenue, to be known as ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, extending from Academy place, near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street to Convent avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fortieth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in the said city, on Tuesday, December 27, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore

filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1892, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 13, 1892.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
ROBERT M. VAN ARSDALE,
PATRICK FOX,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring certain pieces or parcels of land, and the title thereto, wherever the same have not been heretofore acquired for the use of the public, for the purposes of sewerage and drainage, pursuant to section 327 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 423 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 31 of the Laws of 1892, between the easterly termination of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 24th day of January, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited by us with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 23d day of January, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz:—Northerly by an irregular broken line beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Kingsbridge road with the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and running thence generally in an easterly direction to the high-water line of the Harlem river; easterly by the high-water line of the Harlem river; southerly by an irregular broken line, beginning at a point in the high-water line of the Harlem river, where the centre line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, if prolonged, would intersect said high-water line; running thence westerly to a point 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue and about 75 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, and westerly by an irregular broken line, beginning at said last-mentioned point and running thence generally in a northerly direction to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 12, 1892.
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, JR.,
Chairman,
OLIVER B. STOUT,
HENRY HUGHES,
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 at MOUNT HOPE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 11, on the third floor of the building, No. 58 William street, in the said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 22d day of December, 1892, 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 at the Chambers in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1892, 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, December 8, 1892.
RANDOLPH HURRY,
THOMAS C. DUNHAM,
MATTHEW CHALMERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN C. LOY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Audubon avenue and Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 10th day of January, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 10th day of January, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 18th day of January, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street; easterly by the westerly line of Audubon avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and One Hundred and Ninetieth street, and westerly by the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 2d day of February, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of 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, December 7, 1892.

EZEKIEL R. THOMPSON, JR.,
Chairman,
JACOB BLUMENTHAL,
JOSEPH L. MCKEON,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tenth avenue and Edgecombe avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said Court, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the fourth day of January, 1893, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Edward Purcell, now deceased.

Dated New York, December 12, 1892.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, Room 4, in said city, on or before the 16th day of January, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 16th day of January, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 14th day of January, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northerly by the prolongation easterly of the southerly line of Macomb street, from Bailey avenue to the centre line of the block between Boston avenue and Heath avenue, and the centre line of the block between Boston avenue and Heath avenue; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Boston avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Boston avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue extending from Bailey avenue to Nathalie avenue and the prolongation of said centre line from Nathalie avenue to the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Boston avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Bailey avenue and the centre line of the block between Boston avenue and Heath avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof,

or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 2, 1892.
SAMUEL W. MILBANK, Chairman,
JOHN CONNELLY,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of CATHEDRAL PARKWAY, by widening and enlarging One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh avenue and Riverside Park, so as to conveniently connect thereby, and by appropriate entrances in connection therewith, Central Park, Morningside Park and Riverside Park, in the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, passed April 28, 1891.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1892, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 14, 1892.

EUGENE S. IVES,
ROBERT MACLAY,
JOHN CONNELLY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 11th day of January, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 11th day of January, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of January, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the division line between the land now or late of John Ewen and the land now or late of Sisters of Charity, which said line is distant about 860 feet northerly of the northerly line of Morrison street; easterly by the westerly line of the Suyten Duyvil Parkway and its prolongation for a distance of about 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of Kappock street; southerly by a line parallel with and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Kappock street; and westerly by a line parallel with and distant 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Independence avenue and the prolongations of said line for a distance of about 145 feet southerly of the southerly line of Kappock street and for a distance of about 840 feet northerly of the northerly line of Morrison street; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 30, 1892.
GEORGE P. WEBSTER, Chairman,
JAMES F. HORAN,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of June, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Thirty-second street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, by and under authority of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act relative to improvements touching the laying out of streets and roads in the City of New York, and for other purposes," passed April 3, 1897, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, April 1, 1891, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the

benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of them, 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (November 25, 1892).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1892, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, November 25, 1892.

THOMAS F. DONNELLY,
HERMANN BOLTE,
EMANUEL PERLS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

WE, JACOB LORILLARD, VERNON H. Brown and David James King, the Commissioners heretofore and prior to the first day of May, 1890, appointed in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 487 of the Laws of 1885, hereby give public notice that we shall, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, apply to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the Chambers of the Court, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of January, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested persons, being residents of the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken and acquired in fee for the purposes specified in chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890.

The real estate sought to be taken and acquired as aforesaid is located in the City and County of New York, and is laid out, indicated and shown on a map made in triplicate and certified by us on the 28th day of May, 1890, showing all the pieces and parcels of land in the City of New York, between the Tenth avenue and the Harlem river and a line parallel to and one hundred and fifty feet north of the Washington Bridge, and the northerly line of the lands heretofore acquired for and used in connection with High Bridge, which had not been heretofore acquired by the City of New York, one of which said maps was filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the sixth day of June, 1890, and is numbered one hundred and eighty-six; one of which said maps was filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, and the third of which we have retained.

All the pieces and parcels of land and real estate included within the general description above contained in and to which an estate in fee is sought to be taken and acquired as aforesaid, are shown by the following statement of the boundaries of the several pieces and by the numbers of the parcels to be taken and acquired, as designated on the said triplicate map, to wit:

First—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by land heretofore acquired by the City of New York, easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said City of New York and the piece next hereinafter bounded, and northerly by the last mentioned piece and land heretofore acquired by the said city, within which boundaries are included Parcels numbered 1 and 2 on said map.

Second—A piece bounded westerly, easterly and southerly by the piece above bounded and land heretofore acquired by the said city, and northerly by the piece next hereinafter bounded, within which boundaries are included Parcels numbered 3 and 4 on said map.

Third—A piece bounded southerly by the piece last above bounded, westerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the piece next hereinafter bounded, northerly by another piece heretofore bounded, and easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, within which boundaries are included Parcels numbered 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 on said map.

Fourth—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, easterly by the piece last above bounded and northerly by the piece next hereinafter bounded, within which boundaries are included Parcel numbered 11 on said map.

Fifth—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by the two pieces last above bounded, and northerly and easterly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, within which boundaries are included Parcel numbered 21 on said map.

Sixth—A piece bounded westerly and northerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city, and easterly and southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the Harlem river, within which boundaries are included Parcels numbered 5, 8, 9, 10, 18, 20 and 22 on said map.

Seventh—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, northerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and occupied by the Washington Bridge, and easterly and southerly by land heretofore acquired by the said city and the Harlem river, within which boundaries are included Parcel numbered 23 on said map.

Eighth—A piece bounded westerly by the Tenth avenue, southerly by the northerly line of land heretofore acquired by the said city and occupied by the Washington Bridge, northerly by a line one hundred and fifty feet from and parallel to the last mentioned line, and easterly by the Harlem river, within which boundaries are included Parcels numbered 24, 25 and 26 on said map.

Dated New York, November 23, 1892.

JACOB LORILLARD,
VERNON H. BROWN,
DAVID JAMES KING,
Commissioners.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CEDAR PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Eagle avenue to Union avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 25th day of December, 1892, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 25th day of December, 1892, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 16th day of December, 1892.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Westchester avenue, where the centre line of the blocks between Cedar place and Denman place intersects said northerly line of Westchester avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of Cedar place to a point distant 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Eagle avenue; thence southerly and parallel with the westerly line of Eagle avenue to its intersection of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Cedar place; thence easterly and parallel with the southerly line of Cedar place to a point distant about 115 feet easterly of the easterly line of Union avenue; thence northerly and at right angles with the last mentioned course to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1892, 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 4, 1892.
GEORGE P. WEBSTER, Chairman,
J. RHINELANDER DILLON,
WILLIAM H. MARSTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a new street, to be known as CLAREMONT PLACE, between Claremont avenue and Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of April, 1891, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as Claremont place, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works on the 9th day of December, 1890, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation on the 9th day of December, 1890, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (November 25, 1892).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1892, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, November 25, 1892.
EZEKIEL R. THOMPSON, JR.,
SIDNEY HARRIS, JR.,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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