

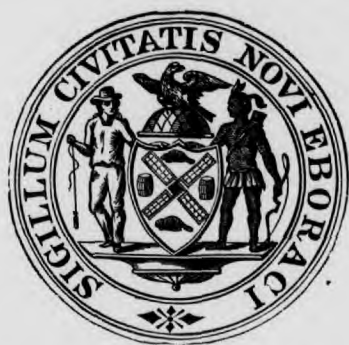
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Report for the Quarter ending September 30, 1894.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
October 1, 1894.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor:

SIR—Complying with the provisions of section 49 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Parks hereby submits the following statement of its transactions during the three months ending September 30, 1894:

During this quarter the confirmation of the proceeding for acquiring title to the property for Mulberry Bend Park has added another park to the City's system. Until such time as the Department is in position to proceed with the improvement of this new park land the buildings now standing thereon have been turned over to the custody of the Comptroller for the collection of rentals, etc.

Plans, with technical description of lands proposed to be taken for a small park at Avenue St. Nicholas, Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, have been prepared and transmitted to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, with a suggestion as to the area of assessment.

During the quarter the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has been requested to make the following transfers for the purposes named:

Four thousand dollars from the appropriation for the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the Aquarium to the appropriation for Cleaning the Central Park Lakes.

Fifteen hundred dollars from the same appropriation to the appropriation for Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, etc.

The same Board has also been asked to authorize the issue of bonds to the amount of \$64,982, under chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 13, Laws of 1892, for the purpose of completing the new Macomb's Dam Bridge and its approaches; and also bonds for \$24,000, under chapter 444, Laws of 1889, for surfacing the sidewalks on the easterly and westerly sides of Morningside Park. Under chapters 45 and 511 of the Laws of 1894, providing for the improvement of Cathedral Parkway and Corlears Hook Park, respectively, the issue of bonds to the amount of \$2,000, under each law, has been asked, for the purpose of surveys, plans and estimates for the work.

Request has also been made for the transfer of the sum of \$10,000 from the expenditure authorized under chapter 11, Laws of 1894, for repaving Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, to the appropriation for Macomb's Dam Road, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue—removal of rock.

The consent of the Department has been given to the erection of a projecting window on the dwelling of Helen T. Barney, No. 1 Park avenue.

An offer of Mr. H. H. Topakyan, to present to the City, for erection in one of the parks, the building used for the Imperial Persian Exhibit at the World's Fair, at Chicago, has been accepted.

The privilege of dumping 12,000 yards of earth filling, where required, on Riverside Park, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, has been given to John J. Hopper. Mr. Hopper was the highest of six bidders and pays \$855 for the privilege.

In view of the unprotected condition of Crotona Park, after dark, the Gas Commission has been requested to provide for lighting Franklin avenue from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

A statue of Bertel Thorvaldsen, presented to the City by Danish residents, has been erected near the Sixth avenue entrance to Central Park. It was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies on the 18th of November.

An estimate of the amount of money required to carry on the business of the Department during the year 1895 has been prepared and forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Board of Aldermen. The aggregate amount of the several appropriations asked or is \$1,347,955.

The arrangement of summer concerts, inaugurated during the previous quarter has been continued throughout this quarter, with which the season for music in the parks will close. There have been one or more concerts each day in some one of the several parks where concerts are given, and the large attendance is continued evidence of the popularity of this one of the park attractions. This season a number of additional concerts have been given in the new parks, north of Harlem river, where the attendance also shows appreciation by the people of that section.

At Castle Garden the fitting up of the Aquarium has been steadily advanced, the work during this quarter has consisted chiefly in constructing the slate tanks on the gallery floor, putting in the hard rubber piping and arranging the drainage system for the tanks. Plans have been made for tiling the floor and also for painting. Necessary changes in the filtering system have been studied out and made accordingly.

On the Harlem River Driveway the work of construction has been steadily progressed. A contract for building a tunnel and drain under the driveway, and an elevator tower and appurtenances west of the driveway, at High Bridge, has been made and the work commenced.

The contracts for the two sections of the driveway have been modified by supplemental contracts covering the additional work necessitated by the construction of two sidewalks as required by the law.

The work accomplished during the quarter will be shown by the following tabulation:

	Excavation, all Kinds, Cubic Yards.	Filling, Cubic Yards.	Dredging, Cubic Yards.	Rock Excavation Below Water, Cubic Yards.	Crib-bulkhead, Cubic Feet.	Rosendale Cement Concrete, Cubic Yards.	Portland Cement Concrete, Cubic Yards.	Broken Range Masonry, Rosendale, Cubic Yards.	Broken Range Masonry, Portland, Cubic Yards.
<i>One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street to High Bridge.</i>									
Total to September 30, 1894.....	34,000	39,000	345,000	2,400	1,580,000	1,630	580	12,500	230
Previously reported	15,700	6,600	270,000	1,400	700,000	1,620	50	7,980	120
Done this quarter	18,300	32,400	75,000	1,000	880,000	10	530	4,520	110

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<i>High Bridge to Dyckman Street.</i>									
Total to September 30, 1894.....	25,250	26,450	215,250	773,750
Previously reported	6,500	7,200	41,200
Done this quarter	18,750	19,250	174,050	773,750
Total for both sections for this quarter	37,050	51,650	249,050	1,000	1,653,750	10	530	4,520	110

	Rip-rap, Cubic Yards.	18-inch Pipe Culverts, Linear Feet.	Piles, Linear Feet.	Timber as Sheeting, Feet, B. M.	Rock Excavation Below Water in Cofferdams, Cubic Yards.	Cobble-stone Filling, Cubic Yards.	Rubble Masonry, Rosendale, Cubic Yards.	Rubble Masonry, Portland, Cubic Yards.	Borrowed Filling, Cubic Yards.
<i>One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street to High Bridge.</i>									
Total to September 30, 1894.....	350	120	83,000	40,000	490	1,300	360	1,800	17,000
Previously reported .....	....	120	1,700	....	....	....	....	....	....
Done this quarter	350	....	81,300	40,000	490	1,300	360	1,800	17,000
<i>High Bridge to Dyckman Street.</i>									
Total to September 30, 1894.....	....	....	3,500	....	....	....	....	....	....
Previously reported .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Done this quarter .....	....	....	3,500	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total or both sections for this quarter	350	....	84,800	40,000	490	1,300	360	1,800	17,000

Contracts have been entered by the Department, as follows:

1. For erecting a tool-house and sheds in the Central Park. Telfer & Rennie, contractors; A. McMillan and Thomas Martin, sureties. Amount, \$12,300.
2. Building tunnel and drain under public driveway and elevator tower, etc., west of driveway at High Bridge. James R. F. Kelly, contractor; American Surety Company and William E. Keyes, sureties. Amount, \$17,144.
3. For railing, lamp-posts and lamps for approaches to New Macomb's Dam Bridge. Valentine Cook & Son, contractors; Evan Thomas and Thomas Allen, sureties. Amount, \$10,513.70.
4. For regulating, grading and improving the easterly portion of the Parade Ground. Collins & Gillis, contractors; Charles Jones and H. G. Cooper, sureties. Amount (estimated), \$45,975.
5. Building a Women's Cottage on Riverside Park at Seventy-ninth street. John J. Cashman, contractor; Edward Marvin and Isaac J. Stillings, sureties. Amount, \$54.83.
6. Constructing roadway, walks, bridge, etc., for entrance to Central Park at West Ninetieth street. P. J. Moran, contractor; Anton Liebler and Fred. W. Turner, sureties. Amount (estimated), \$14,197.90.
7. For hard rubber piping, fixtures, valves, etc., for slate tanks for the Aquarium. The Knickerbocker Company, contractors; American Surety Company and William E. Keyes, sureties. Amount, \$3,997.50.
8. For materials for surfacing walks in Central Park with rock asphalt. Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, contractors; Howard Carroll and William Hoffman, sureties. Amount, \$23,095.
9. For drainage, pipes, etc., for slate tanks for the Aquarium in Castle Garden. James J. Donovan, contractor; Joseph F. Smith and Morris Jacoby, sureties. Amount, \$1,594.
10. Furnishing and delivering screened gravel. Brown & Fleming, contractors; Michael Regan and Thomas Smith, sureties. Amount, \$8,480.
11. Furnishing and delivering materials for surfacing walks with rock asphalt pavement. The Neufchatel Asphalt Company (Limited), contractors; Frederick Buse and Thomas Cunningham, sureties. Amount, \$36,309.25.
12. Furnishing and delivering broken stone and sand for asphalt walks. Brown & Fleming, contractors; Edmund Dwyer and Thomas Regan, sureties. Amount, \$5,713.50.

MAINTAINING THE PARKS.

The gardening force has been engaged in the care and cultivation of the several flower beds and the watering of the shrubs, trees and plants.

Cleaning the park drives and caring for them, mowing the lawns, cleaning walks has been an item in the work of maintenance. Owing to the extreme dry, hot weather considerable attention had to be given to the watering of the lawns and the recently sodded borders. This was necessary throughout all the parks.

The cottages were kept open, in charge of Attendants, twelve hours daily, and many of the small parks downtown until 10 P. M.

The lawns of Central and Mt. Morris Parks were kept open daily for the use of those holding permits to play the games allowed.

The park concert season continued through this quarter, a concert being given at some point in the parks daily.

The construction work under way on Central Park was continued; the work on the walk entrance at Eighty-fifth street and Fifth avenue and the walk connecting the East Drive and the Ramble being completed.

The work of resurfacing the walks of Central Park was continued in the section south of Seventy-ninth street. The walks bounding Manhattan Square on Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets and a walk leading from the Museum of Natural History to the elevated railroad station at Eighty-first street, were constructed, including foundation, asphalt, etc. In the interior of the square a large force of men was engaged in excavating for and laying drain-pipe and in grading lawns and laying foundations of walks.

At Riverside and Morningside the maintenance and construction work has gone forward. At Riverside, west of the wall, considerable brush was grubbed out and burned, many of the hollows were filled and graded and stone foundation of walks laid. At Morningside Park considerable filling and grading was done, as well as sodding on the slopes and banks.

The mechanical force of the Department has been engaged in the general repairs of buildings, rolling stock, settees, signs, etc., and the care and operation of the Harlem river bridges.

The force at the Eighty-fifth Street Stables has been engaged in the care of the horses and wagons, etc., located at that point.

PROGRESS OF CONSTRUCTION WORK.

CENTRAL PARK.

The cleaning and concreting of the "Pond," near Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, commenced in 1893, was fully completed in August, and the water has again been turned on. It is thought that this treatment of the "Pond" will be an effectual solution of the question of its sanitary condition which for many years has been the subject of complaint. The work done during this quarter consisted of 1,000 cubic yards of concrete.

The improvement of the grounds adjoining the Art Museum has been completed; the part remaining to be done this quarter was the pavement of the walks.

The erection of a tool house and sheds has been put under contract and the work was commenced August 15th, the foundation part is now in progress.

Construction of Roadway, Walks, Bridges, etc., for Entrance at Ninetieth Street, Eighth Avenue and Central Park.

This work was placed under contract August 3, and the work commenced on August 27, and the excavations and foundations for bridges are in progress.

EXTENSION OF EAST RIVER PARK.

The work done during the quarter has been: The completion of the substructure of walk on Eighty-seventh street; shaping and finishing ground with mould and sod, south of Eighty-h street, and laying pipe sewer from Eighty-ninth street sewer to ladies' toilet rooms.

RIVERSIDE PARK.

Retaining Wall on Westerly Side between Seventy-ninth and Ninety-sixth Streets.

This work is being done by contract and is still in progress. The quantities of work done during the quarter are:

157 cubic yards foundation masonry.
675 cubic yards wall masonry.
85 lineal feet, "18 inch," sewer pipe laid.

Women's Cottage on Riverside Park, at Seventy-ninth Street.

This work was commenced by contract on August 22, and the foundations, walls and iron beams, etc., are in place; about 40 per cent. of the work has been done.

PARADE GROUNDS ON VAN CORTLANDT PARK.

The completion of the regulating, grading and improving the easterly portion of the Parade Grounds was placed under contract on August 1, and work was commenced on the 8th of August. The quantities of work done are:

500 cubic yards earth excavation.
37,000 cubic yards filling furnished in place.

NEW BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AT ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND OGDEN AND SEDGWICK AVENUES APPROACH.

The work done upon the Bridge has been on the iron and steel superstructure, paving, etc., and on the approach upon the foundations and masonry. The amounts expended during the quarter are:

On the bridge.....	\$58,574 24
On the approach.....	10,895 00
	<hr/> \$69,469 24

WORK DONE UNDER CHAPTER II, LAWS OF 1894.

The following-named improvements were prosecuted and completed during the quarter, viz.:

1. Walk connecting Seventy-ninth street, Fifth avenue with Ramble.
2. Walk entrance, Fifth avenue and Eighty-fifth street.
3. Widening Bridle road, One Hundred and Third street, East drive, to Ninety third street, West drive.

IMPROVEMENTS PROSECUTED DURING A PORTION OF THE QUARTER UNTIL THE AMOUNT APPROPRIATED WAS EXPENDED.

1. Riverside Park, Seventy-ninth to Ninety-sixth street; work suspended September 1.
2. Riverside Park, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets; work suspended September 30.
3. Cathedral Parkway, Seventh to Riverside avenue; work suspended September 15.

THE FOLLOWING IMPROVEMENTS HAVE BEEN PROSECUTED DURING THE QUARTER AND ARE STILL IN PROGRESS.

1. Central Park, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and Second street, between Fifth avenue and East drive.
2. Central Park, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street.
3. Manhattan Square, walks, drainage, west side American Museum of Natural History.
4. Morningside Park, north of One Hundred and Twentieth street, and completing walks south of One Hundred and Twentieth street.
5. Morningside Park, sidewalks bounding said park, laying water pipes.
6. Macomb's Dam road, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, removal of rock to grade.
7. Transverse Road No. 4.
8. Riverside avenue, covering with asphalt the westerly walk from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

THE NEW PARKS AND PARKWAYS.

VAN CORTLANDT PARK.

Aside from the improvement of the parade ground, 5,800 lineal feet of roadway have been repaired, 6,000 feet of new roadway completed, and 4,000 feet of new roads are now in progress; five wells have been filled up and the lake and dam cared for.

ST. MARY'S PARK.

In this park 8,200 lineal feet of roads and paths have been repaired and cleaned, 800 lineal feet of roads rebuilt, 24 feet of retaining wall built, 420 feet of sewer pipe laid, two catch basins 8 x 8 feet built and connected, one outhouse removed to a new site and the old filled up.

CLAREMONT PARK.

4,700 lineal feet of roads and paths have been graded and 1,500 lineal feet of paths trimmed; ten dead trees have been removed.

CROTONA PARK.

500 lineal feet of roads have been rebuilt.

CEDAR PARKS.

In this park 1,400 lineal feet of paths have been graded, 600 lineal feet of roads repaired, 10 acres of brush cut and cleared up, ten dead trees have been removed and 100 lineal feet of drain built.

FULTON AVENUE PARK.

36 lineal feet of stone steps have been placed in position and 200 feet of iron railing erected; 400 feet of new paths have been laid out, graded, and 400 feet of old paths repaired.

MOSHOLU PARKWAY.

2,600 lineal feet of roadway have been completed.

BRONX PARK (WEST).

On the old Boston road, 2,100 lineal feet of macadamizing has been done and the same length of sidewalks built, 2,800 lineal feet of stone culverts have been built and 400 cubic yards of rock excavated.

The roadways, ditches and trenches on this park have been repaired and cleaned, also Bronx river dams and 260 feet of retaining walls.

PELHAM BAY PARK.

The work in this locality comprises: repairs to 4,000 lineal feet of roadway, refilling of wash-outs, reopening of culverts, putting in croton water pipes, replanking and otherwise repairing bridges, and the care and guarding of property generally.

THE MENAGERIE.

The donations during the quarter numbered 40, and were as follows:

- July 3. 1 alligator, donated by Mr. Griswold.
" 8. 2 canaries, donated by Mr. Hennessy.
" 12. 1 owl, donated by Mr. Helmeier.
" 16. 1 alligator, donated by Mr. Adler.
" 19. 1 alligator, donated by Mr. Larreniver.
" 20. 1 fox, donated by Mr. Leliman.
" 21. 1 ocelot, donated by Mr. Bentell.
" 24. 3 opossums, donated by Mr. Gunther.

- July 26. 2 doves, donated by Mr. Foss.
" 28. 8 doves, donated by Mr. Sperzel.
Aug. 7. 1 dove, donated by Mr. Irwin.
" 8. 1 rabbit, donated by Mr. Schattentfels.
" 13. 1 rabbit, donated by Mr. Lelis.
" 21. 1 monkey, donated by Mr. Pruig.
" 21. 3 owls, donated by Mr. Malley.
" 21. 1 rabbit, donated by Mr. Bruchbas.
" 25. 1 hawk, donated by Mr. Canuichael.
Sept. 1. 1 marmoset, donated by Miss Bragular & Co.
" 1. 1 parakeet, donated Mr. Koehler.
" 3. 1 woodpecker, donated by Mr. Roehrl.
" 11. 1 fox, donated by Broadway Theatre.
" 15. 1 raccoon, donated by Mr. Jantzer.
" 15. 1 alligator, donated by Mrs. Clark.
" 22. 1 fox, donated by Mrs. Ryan.
" 22. 1 gull, donated by Mrs. Hanser.
" 26. 1 civet cat, donated by Mr. Hammond.
" 29. 1 black bear, donated by Mr. Hoyt.

There were 7 births during the quarter, as follows:

- July 2. 1 fallow deer.
" 2. 2 red deers.
" 4. 1 wapiti.
Aug. 24. 1 axis deer.
Sept. 14. 1 axis deer.
" 15. 1 axis deer.

The following animals and birds were deposited by their owners for exhibition purposes:

- July 6. 1 owl, deposited by Captain Mewiman.
" 11. 1 monkey, deposited by Mr. Schuyler.
" 22. 1 eagle, deposited by Mr. Burns.
Aug. 15. 1 coat, deposited by Mr. Hauptner.
Sept. 10. 2 kin kajous, deposited by Mr. Carner.
" 10. 1 monkey, deposited by Mrs. Herbelin.

The collection was added to by purchase, as follows:

- July 25. 2 cassowaries.

During the quarter the following work has been in progress and is now completed: Erecting new fences inclosing cattle paddocks, painting elephant, deer, monkey and lion houses and repairing pheasant house.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY.

Monthly tables have been printed for distribution to home and foreign observatories and libraries; weekly reports have been issued to the CITY RECORD and the newspapers; weekly and hourly reports to the Health Department, and meteorological information has been supplied to the Law Department and the courts.

The following tables give an abstract of the mean, the maximum and minimum readings from the various self-recording instruments in this observatory for the third quarter of 1894, and also comparisons with the observations for the same quarter for the past twenty-five years taken at this observatory:

BAROMETER (Reduced to Freezing).

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	29.983	29.961
Mean for 2 P. M.....	29.955	29.935
Mean for 9 P. M.....	29.963	29.948
Mean for quarter.....	29.963	29.946
Maximum for quarter at 10 A. M., Sept. 13.....	30.466	30.500 9 A. M., Sept. 7, 1888.
Minimum for quarter at 4 A. M., Sept. 20.....	29.578	29.108 2 A. M., Sept. 23, 1885.

WIND.

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Prevailing direction.....	SW	NW
Velocity for quarter (in miles).....	11,097	11,786
Maximum for day (in miles), Sept. 30.....	289	470 Aug. 14, 1873.
Maximum force of wind (in pounds) during the quarter at 5 P. M., Sept. 30.....	13½	29 3.50 P. M., July 3, 1892.

THERMOMETER (Fahrenheit) IN SHADE.

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	66.5	66.8
Mean for 2 P. M.....	76.9	76.3
Mean for 9 P. M.....	71.4	70.7
Mean for quarter.....	71.45	71.05
Maximum for quarter at 5 P. M., July 29.....	96.	101. 3 P. M., Sept. 7, 1881.
Minimum for quarter at 5 A. M., Sept. 26.....	43.	39. 6.15 A. M., Sept. 21, 1871.

THERMOMETER (Wet Bulb, Fahrenheit) IN SHADE.

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	64.	62.6
Mean for 2 P. M.....	69.1	67.5
Mean for 9 P. M.....	67.3	66.1
Mean for quarter.....	66.70	65.30
Maximum for quarter at 2 P. M., July 28.....	83.	87. 2 P. M., July 26, 1892.
Minimum for quarter at 5 A. M., Sept. 26.....	41.	36. 7 A. M., Sept. 30, 1888.

SUN THERMOMETER (Fahrenheit).

	For Quarter.	For 17 Years.
Possible hours of sunshine.....	1,211	1,207
Actual hours of sunshine.....	743	747
Number of days in which no clouds passed over the sun.....	11	12

RELATIVE HUMIDITY (Saturation, 100).

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	65	77
Mean for 2 P. M.....	66	61
Mean for 9 P. M.....	79	76
Mean for quarter.....	76	71

ELASTIC FORCE OF AQUEOUS VAPOR (Inch of Mercury).

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Mean for 7 A. M.....	.575	.529
Mean for 2 P. M.....	.625	.568
Mean for 9 P. M.....	.626	.598
Mean for quarter.....	.608	.566

RAIN AND SNOW.

	For Quarter.	For 25 Years.
Number of days in which rain and snow descended.....	25	31
Duration.....	4 3 10 D. H. M.	7 3 30 D. H. M.
Depth of water in inches.....	12.06	13.21
Depth of snow in inches.....	.....	.....

OZONE.

	For Quarter.	For 16 Years.
Mean for quarter.....	1.14	1.30

PARK POLICE.

The force consists of—

Captain.....	1
Surgeon.....	1
Sergeants.....	9
Roundsmen.....	14
Mounted Roundsmen.....	3
Patrolmen.....	230
Doormen.....	9
Stablemen.....	4
Laborers.....	10
Blacksmiths.....	2
Ambulance Driver.....	1
Mounted Patrolmen.....	24

Of this number 6 Sergeants, 9 Roundsmen (2 of whom are mounted), 128 Patrolmen, 4 Doormen, 6 Laborers, 2 Blacksmiths, 20 Mounted Patrolmen and the Ambulance Driver perform duty in the Central Park.

1 Sergeant, 3 Roundsmen, 16 Patrolmen, 4 Mounted Patrolmen and 3 Doormen perform duty at Riverside Park.

1 Sergeant, 3 Roundsmen, 62 Patrolmen and 3 Laborers, acting as Doormen, perform duty on the small parks south of the Harlem river, as follows:

High Bridge Park.....	1
Mount Morris Park.....	4
Morningside Park.....	5
East River Park.....	4
Bryant Park.....	4
Madison Square Park.....	3
Union Square Park.....	4
Stuyvesant Square Park.....	3
Tompkins Square Park.....	4
Washington Square Park.....	8
City Hall.....	6
Battery Park.....	7
Jackson Square Park.....	6
Abingdon Square Park.....	1
Duane Street Park.....	1
Christopher Street Park.....	1
Canal Street Park.....	1
Jeanette Park.....	1
Rutgers Park.....	1

Total..... 62

1 Sergeant, 2 Roundsmen, 1 Doorman, 2 Laborers and 22 Patrolmen perform duty on the New Parks north of the Harlem river, as follows:

Pelham Bay Park.....	5
Van Cortlandt Park.....	5
Bronx Park.....	5
Crotona Park.....	2
Claremont Park.....	2
St. Mary's Park.....	2
Cedar Park.....	1

Total..... 22

ARRESTS.

During the quarter there were 459 persons arrested in the various parks, 365 males and 94 females, and were disposed of as follows:

Fined.....	137
Discharged.....	183
Committed.....	101
Sent to State Prison.....	1
Sent to Elmira Reformatory.....	1
Department of Charities and Correction.....	10
Sent to Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	4
Died in hospital.....	1
Sent to Penitentiary.....	4
Sent to House of Good Shepherd.....	1
Held in bail for trial.....	16

Total..... 459

48 lost children, 30 boys and 18 girls, were restored to their parents or taken to Police Headquarters during the quarter.

49 articles of lost property were found on the parks, which were subject to reclamation and sold if not claimed.

49 accidents occurred on the parks and 17 collisions on the drives.

44 runaways occurred on the parks, 22 were caught by Mounted Officers, 13 were caught by Officers on foot, 5 were stopped by drivers, 3 escaped from the park and 1 was killed.

5 horses, 9 horses and wagons, 9 wagons, 2 teams and wagons and 1 bicycle were taken to the Park Stables during the quarter.

130 persons, sick or injured, were cared for by the Police.

19 cows, 8 horses and 1 donkey were impounded by the Park Policemen in the Fordham Pound, and 2 cows, 14 horses and 1 dog were impounded in the Park Stables.

6 dead bodies were found during the quarter, 2 men in Bronx Park, 2 infants in Riverside Park, 1 man in Manhattan Square and 1 infant in the Battery Park.

2 persons were rescued from drowning in the parks during the quarter, both by citizens.

4 Patrolmen were appointed, 1 Roundsmen promoted to Sergeant, and 2 Patrolmen were dismissed.

14 suicides occurred during the quarter, 12 in Central Park, 1 in Riverside Park, and 1 in Bryant Park.

2 officers were injured during the quarter.

1 founding was found and brought to Police Headquarters.

6 fires occurred in the various parks during the quarter, principally confined to the dry grass.

2 officers (patrolmen) were retired from duty on the force and placed on the Park Police Pension roll.

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

For four-in-hand coach to enter park.....	1
" display of fireworks at One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street Park.....	1
" piling paving stones, etc., at parks.....	3
" base-ball in New Parks.....	5
" foot-ball in New Parks.....	3
" tennis in New Parks.....	4
" holding religious service at Paradise Park.....	4
" mass meeting of Central Labor Federation at Union Square.....	1
" Edison Electric-light Company to open street.....	3
" East River Gas-light Company to open street.....	2
" Consolidated Gas-light Company to open street.....	7
" examining and collecting botanical specimens.....	1
" passing through Park after hours.....	1
" mooring boat "Nina" at Battery Basin.....	1
" Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company to attach wires to tool-house.....	1
" connecting sewer for Department of Public Works on Morningside avenue.....	1
" removing and replacing weighing machine structure on south side of Mail street.....	1
" camping in Pelham Bay Park.....	2
" Empire City Subway Company to open streets.....	2
" Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company to open streets.....	1
" milk wagon stand.....	1
" refinishing "Graydon" fountain.....	1
" painting boats at Battery.....	1
" Harlem Electric-light Company to erect poles in East River Park.....	1
" Volunteer Firemen to pass through City Hall.....	1
" attach guy ropes to trees in Washington Park.....	2
" placing boiler on street.....	2
" Five Points Mission to use music stand in Paradise Park.....	1
" removing dead tree.....	1
" erecting guy posts.....	1
" Fire Department to use ash receptacle at Battery Park.....	1
" Brush Electric Illuminating Company to replace post.....	1
" Knights of Labor to hold a mass meeting in Union Square.....	1
" Church Temperance Society to stand lunch wagon at Thirty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.....	1
" to dry manila hemp at Corlears Hook.....	1
" United Italian Societies to assemble in Washington Square.....	1
" delivering mould.....	1
" Salvation Army meeting in Union Square.....	1
" repairing Bartow House, Pelham Park.....	1
" lawn tennis in Central Park.....	165
" photographing.....	228
" sketching.....	49
" croquet.....	399
" velocipedes and tricycles.....	247

For cricket.....	11
" lacrosse.....	2
" storing miniature yachts at Conservatory Lake.....	36
" entering parks with delivery wagons.....	37
" gathering autumn leaves.....	682
" picnics.....	75
" placing building materials on street.....	9
" crossing sidewalk with teams.....	2
" opening streets for sewer and water connections.....	9
" constructing vaults.....	4

Bills amounting to..... \$731,444 91
Pay-rolls amounting to..... 358,181 48

—have been audited and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

Cash to the amount of \$18,480.68, received by the Department from various sources during the period covered by this report, has been deposited in the City Treasury.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by LOUIS HANNEMAN, Corporation Attorney, for the Month of February, 1895, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 14, Article II., Chapter IV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1880; and of Sections 56 and 216 of Chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

DATE.	WHAT FOR.	JUDGMENTS.	PENALTIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
1895.					
Feb. 1..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	\$6 00	\$2 13	\$8 13
" 1..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Sigmund Pascall and Baruth Nacht.....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00
" 2..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	18 00	7 13	25 13
" 2..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. William Starr and John Lally.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
" 4..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	10 00	10 00	20 00
" 5..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	29 00	9 63	38 63
" 5..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. William Wach.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
" 6..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
" 6..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Julius Mendel and Joseph Stark.....	.....	5 00	2 50	7 50
" 7..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
" 8..	".....	.....	3 00	2 50	5 50
" 9..	".....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00
" 9..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Sarah McDonald, et al.....	.....	12 00	.....	12 00
" 11..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	9 00	2 13	11 13
" 11..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Max Bergman and Richard Bergman.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
" 12..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	6 00	5 00	11 00
" 12..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
" 13..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	18 00	12 50	30 50
" 14..	".....	.....	22 50	10 00	32 50
" 15..	".....	.....	9 00	2 50	11 50
" 16..	".....	.....	6 00	.....	6 00
" 18..	".....	.....	12 00	2 50	14 50
" 19..	".....	.....	9 00	7 13	16 13
" 20..	".....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00
" 21..	".....	.....	18 00	4 63	22 63
" 21..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Julius Mendel and Joseph Stark.....	.....	14 00	.....	14 00
" 23..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	17 00	2 13	19 13
" 23..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
" 25..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	211 67	.....	2 50	214 17
" 26..	".....	.....	3 00	2 50	5 50
" 27..	".....	.....	6 00	5 00	11 00
" 27..	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
" 28..	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	6 00	5 00	11 00
" 4..	In the matter of Inspector of Weights.....	.....	1 23	2 00	3 23
Total amount collected.....					\$815 82
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Sigmund Pascall and Baruth Nacht.....					\$3 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. William Starr and John Lally.....					40 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. William Wach.....					20 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Julius Mendel and Joseph Stark.....					10 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Sarah McDonald et al.....					12 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Max Bergman and Richard Bergman.....					10 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
Amount paid over to William Blake, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction vs. Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
Amount paid over to Michael Skelly, Inspector of Weights, etc., in the case of The Mayor, etc., vs. Solomon L. Brooks.....					1 23
Disbursements.....					76 70
Balance due the City.....					\$468 88

LOUIS HANNEMAN, Corporation Attorney.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Mayor's Office, at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, February 11, 1895.

Present—William L. Strong, Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller; Joseph J. O'Donohue, Chamberlain, and William M. K. Olcott, Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held on February 6, 1895, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered the following preamble and resolution, exempting certain City bonds from taxation:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has heretofore, and at the times hereinbelow mentioned, adopted certain resolutions authorizing the issue of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York for the following purposes, namely:

February 13, 1894. "Consolidated Stock"—For repaving streets and avenues, pursuant to chapter 35 of the Laws of 1892.

March 29, 1892, June 1, 1893, June 27, 1893, and May 22, 1894. "Consolidated Stock"—For the construction of Macomb's Dam Bridge, pursuant to chapter 207 of the Laws of 1890, and chapter 13 of the Laws of 1892.

October 10, 1893, December 28, 1893, and October 12, 1894. "Consolidated Stock"—For repaving Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, pursuant to chapter 305 of the Laws of 1892, and chapter 150 of the Laws of 1894.

December 11, 1893, and May 22, 1894. "Consolidated Stock"—For Sedgwick and Ogden Avenue Approaches to New Macomb's Dam Bridge, pursuant to chapter 207 of the Laws of 1890, and chapter 319 of the Laws of 1893.

June 27, 1893, and November 15, 1893. "Consolidated Stock"—For the construction of an Aquarium at Castle Garden, pursuant to chapter 28 of the Laws of 1892, and chapter 254 of the Laws of 1893.

March 9, 1893, and October 3, 1894. "Consolidated Stock"—For the Construction of a Bridge across the Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge, pursuant to chapter 232 of the Laws of 1892, and chapter 48 of the Laws of 1894; and

Whereas, a portion of said Consolidated Stock so authorized still remains unissued, and it is deemed advisable for the interest of the City to dispose of the whole or a part of said stock still remaining unissued, in open market, upon sealed proposals, after due advertisement pursuant to law, and to exempt the said stock from local taxation; therefore, be it

Resolved, That so much of the Consolidated Stock of the City of New York authorized to be issued as hereinabove stated, as may be issued subsequent to the passage of this resolution, be, and the same is hereby exempted from taxation by the City and County of New York, pursuant to an ordinance of the Common Council approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller offered the following preamble and resolution to authorize the issue of \$500,000 Dock Bonds:

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners of Docks adopted a resolution on August 2, 1894, requesting this Board to direct the Comptroller to prepare and issue Dock Bonds of the City of New York to the amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000) for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks;

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and issue, from time to time, as may be desired, for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks, bearing interest at a rate of interest not exceeding three and one-half per cent. per annum, Dock Bonds of the City of New York to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, under a resolution adopted August 2, 1894, by the Commissioners of Docks, making requisition for the issue of said bonds to the amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000); and

Resolved, That the said Dock Bonds of the City of New York, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, be and are hereby exempted from taxation by the City and County of New York, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and an ordinance of the Common Council approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880.

Which were unanimously adopted.

The following application was received from the Union Ferry Company:

UNION FERRY COMPANY OF NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., February 7, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—This Company respectfully asks consent to sub-let the north end of the Fulton Ferry-house, foot of Fulton street, New York City, to be used as a drug store. A diagram of the room is herewith inclosed. The lease of the Mayor, Commonalty, etc., of the City of New York, to this Company, dated December 7, 1893, on page 22, provides that the Comptroller may grant such consent.

Very respectfully,

MATTHEW BUNKER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The following letter was received from Mr. Silas Downing, and others, relative to renewal of lease of premises on One Hundred and Twentieth street, for the Harlem Hospital:

VANDERPOEL, CUMING & GOODWIN,
No. 2 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1895.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller of the City of New York, No. 280 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—The lease of the premises hired by the City from us since 1886, situated on One Hundred and Twentieth street, and occupied by the Department of Charities and Correction for the Harlem Hospital, expired on the first day of February last; the same having been renewed, with some necessary modifications, from year to year since February 1, 1891, at \$5,000 a year.

On December 10 last we notified the City by letter through our counsel, James R. Cuming, to the President of the Department of Charities and Correction, that if a renewal of the lease was desired we could not continue it at that rate, and that if it was desired for a continued term we would renew for a single year for \$6,500, or for five years at \$6,000.

As representing the financial interests of the City, we now write to you to ascertain whether the City desires it for one year, at \$6,500, or intends retaining it for five years, at \$6,000, that we may prepare the proper memorandum of renewal. We remain,

Very respectfully, yours,

SILAS DOWNING,
HENRY C. COLLINS,
GRACE COLLINS,
By J. R. CUMING, Counsel.

On motion of the Comptroller, the Commissioners of Charities and Correction were requested to report to this Board whether or not they can find any other suitable place for the location of this Hospital.

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for lease of premises No. 120 East Thirty-second street:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1895.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, Chairman Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—I hereby ask permission to hire the premises at No. 120 East Thirty-second street, including one of the tenement floors above, at a rental of \$1,500 per annum, as a stable for the horses used by the officers of this Department.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE E. WARING, JR., Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Comptroller submitted the following report of Engineer McLean, of the Finance Department:

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 11, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—I have examined the premises No. 120 East Thirty-second street, a portion of which the Commissioner of Street Cleaning desires to rent as a stable for the horses used by the officers of his department.

The stable and premises are almost direct counterparts of the premises reported upon February 5, 1895, except that the stable has ten instead of nine stalls, and a box stall, and the cement floor of the stable part is covered with wood flooring.

The tax valuation of the property is \$15,000—the same as the other, the market value at 60 per cent.—\$25,000.

The Commissioner does not state for what period he desires to rent the premises, but, for any period, I would consider the rent of \$1,500 per annum reasonable for the stable part and one story of the tenement part.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Discussion followed, participated in by all the members of the Board.

Whereupon the Chamberlain offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 705 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 368 of the Laws of 1894, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning be and hereby is authorized to enter into a lease with Susan W. Bryan, of the first, second and fourth floors of the premises No. 120 East Thirty-second street, for the term beginning February 13, 1895, and ending on May 1, 1898, at a yearly rental of fifteen hundred dollars, the City to make all internal repairs and to pay the Croton water charges; and the Counsel to the Corporation is requested to prepare the said lease and indorse it with his approval as to form.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller submitted the following report of Engineer McLean, of the Finance Department, in relation to the sale of the lease of premises on Barren Island belonging to the City:

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 11, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The tax valuation on the Barren Island property, belonging to the City, for the year 1893 was \$9,000, and the tax paid by the City for that year \$220.86.

This whole property was leased to Thomas F. White on the 26th of April, 1884, for ten years, at a rental of \$410 per annum.

The tax valuation in 1888 was \$2,600, and the tax and expenses \$44.

In view of the rise in value of the property and the increase of taxes, I think the City should receive a rent of at least \$1,000 per annum for it on a new lease.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

On motion of the Mayor, the matter was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following report, and a resolution to authorize the leasing of part of the old Harlem Market Square property, Twelfth Ward:

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 11, 1895.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The lease of certain city property, forming a part of the old Harlem Market Square, which was sold April 25, 1890, to Brian G. Hughes for the term of five years, from May 1, 1890, at an annual rental of eight thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$8,325) per annum, expires May 1, 1895.

The resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under which this sale was effected, appraised the rental value and upset price of this property at six hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$685) per month.

I offer for the consideration of the Board the following resolution, authorizing the Comptroller to sell the lease of this property for a further term of five years, from May 1, 1895, at public auction, to the highest bidder, under similar conditions of sale, and at an upset price equal to the present rental, viz., \$693.75 per month.

Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to take measures for leasing, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for a term of five years, from May 1, 1895, the premises on the old Harlem Market Square belonging to the City, excepting the plot of land on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place, known as Ward Nos. 41, 42, 43 and 44, which is reserved and set apart for the Police and Civil Courts in that district (the property to be leased being the same as that now leased by the City to Brian G. Hughes) and upon the following

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The rent shall be paid monthly in advance, and the highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and two months' rent, or one-sixth of the amount of the bid made by him, at the time and place of the sale.

The amount so paid shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen (15) days after the sale, and the Comptroller is authorized in his discretion to resell the premises bid off by any person failing to comply with this condition of the sale, and the person so failing to comply shall be liable for any deficiency or loss that may result to the City from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid will be accepted from 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 as provided by law.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions and a provision for the surrender of the premises if required for public purposes, on three months' notice.

All repairs shall be made at the expense of the lessee, and he shall pay Croton water rents.

The lessee will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent monthly, and the fulfillment of the covenants of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid.

The rental value and upset price at the sale of the lease at public auction is hereby appraised and fixed at six hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventy-five cents (\$693.75) per month.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Chamberlain offered the following:

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed by the Mayor to examine and report upon the securities held as investments by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Mayor appointed the Recorder and the Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, as such Committee.

Adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Secretary.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Comptroller's Office, at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, February 25, 1895.

Present—William L. Strong, Mayor; John W. Goff, Recorder; Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller; Joseph J. O'Donohue, Chamberlain, and William M. K. Olcott, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen.

The reading of the minutes of the meeting held on February 11, 1895, was dispensed with.

The Board met for the purpose of opening the proposals received for furnishing materials and performing work in the erection of a public building in Crotona Park, near Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, under authority of chapter 248, Laws of 1894, and in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on February 6, 1895, approving the plans, advertisement, etc.

On motion, the bid of V. J. Hedden & Sons was received, the representative of the firm stating to the Board that he had offered it within the prescribed time.

The bids were then opened by the Comptroller, in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the names of the bidders, and the amount of each bid, were announced by the Mayor, as follows:

BIDS.	SHEET METAL MAIN CORNICE.	TERRA-COTTA MAIN CORNICE.
Dawson & Archer	\$74,890 00	\$79,459 00
James M. Giblin	74,000 00	77,750 00
P. Gallagher	76,141 00	81,321 00
Probst Construction Company	58,375 00	62,375 00
P. & J. Schaeffler	68,194 00	72,544 00
John H. Deeves	68,116 00	70,871 00
Thomas Dwyer	70,132 00	74,632 00
Horatio Watson	66,000 00	70,250 00
John F. Johnson	84,000 00	87,000 00
Timothy Mahony	65,517 00	71,152 00
James D. Murphy	67,300 00	70,480 00
P. K. Lantry	65,568 00	68,568 00
John Weber & Co.	67,644 00	70,273 00
James O'Toole	58,225 00	63,225 00
James B. Smith	79,997 00	85,375 00
V. J. Hedden & Son	62,800 00	67,217 00

On motion of the Recorder, the Board went into executive session for the purpose of examining the bids and determining as to the material to be used in the cornices.

The bids were then examined and compared by the members of the Board.

Whereupon the Recorder moved that all the bids be rejected, and that the work be readvertised, the proposals to be opened on Monday, March 11, 1895, at 12 o'clock M. Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Comptroller was authorized to return to the bidders the amounts of their security deposits.

On motion of the Chamberlain, the Board adopted terra-cotta for the cornices of the building instead of sheet-iron.

The Comptroller called attention to the additional changes and furnishings required for certain rooms in the New Criminal Court Building.

The Comptroller then moved that the matter be referred to the Recorder for examination and report.

Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Thursday, February 28, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M. at the Mayor's office.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 26th day of February, 1895.
Present—Commissioners Martin, Murray, Kerwin and Andrews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon John H. Dorn, thirty days, half-pay, sick, extension.
Captain Patrick H. Pickett, Nineteenth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
Inspector Williams—On complaint of S. Brothers, M. D., of an alleged assault on a Hebrew.
Copy to Mayor.
Captain Slevin, Fourth Precinct—On complaint of James G. Cooper, of obstructions at No. 99 Nassau street. Copy to Mayor.
Sergeant Walsh, Fourth Precinct—On complaint of F. W. Crane, of snow in Gold street and no gutters open. Copy to be forwarded.
Captain Smith, Eighteenth Precinct—On complaint of Louis Kraemer, of annoyance by disorderly boys. Copy to be forwarded.
Captain Pickett, Nineteenth Precinct—On complaint of "neighbors," concerning alleged gambling-house No. 111 West Twenty-fifth street. Copy to the Mayor.
Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Charles G. Cook, Asbury Park, N. J., as to whereabouts of Stephen H. Ward. Copy to be forwarded.
Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry as to Maria Metairy. Copy to be forwarded.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Maurice Reid, Fourteenth Precinct.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Arthur Vliet, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
Death of Captain Edward Slevin, Fourth Precinct, at — P. M., 22d instant.
Death of Patrolman Michael Barrett, Eighteenth Precinct, at — A. M., 10th instant.
Death of Patrolman James Little, Ninth Precinct, at — A. M., 20th instant.
Death of Patrolman Christopher Rabbeitt, Twenty-first Precinct, at — A. M., 24th instant.

Matters Laid Over.

Patrolman Michael Grey, Twenty-sixth Precinct—Application for retirement.
Patrolman Matthew Hogan, Twenty-sixth Precinct—Application for retirement.
Health Department—Requesting that full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman John Watson, Sanitary Company; also that two vacancies be filled.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Henry Hahn, at Sulzer's Harlem Casino, February 25. Fee, \$25.
Ernest Sulzer, at Sulzer's Harlem Casino, March 2. Fee, \$25.
A. H. Curley, at Murray Hill Lyceum, February 23. Fee, \$25.
Josef Rosenzweig, at Lenox Lyceum, March 2. Fee, \$25.
F. L. Drescher, at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 2. Fee, \$25.
Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, March 2. Fee, \$25.
Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, March 2. Fee, \$25.
Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, February 23. Fee, \$25.
Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, February 26. Fee, \$25.
Jacob Levy, at New Irving Hall, March 2. Fee, \$25.
Morris Bernstein, at New Irving Hall, March 8. Fee, \$25.
Samuel D. Rich, at New York Mannerchor Hall, March 9. Fee, \$25.
Harris Krause, at Tammany Hall, March 8. Fee, \$25.
Morris Cohen, at Tammany Hall, March 10. Fee, \$25.
Carmine Sanna, at Tammany Hall, February 26. Fee, \$25.
Theo. Krause, at Turn Hall, February 23. Fee, \$25.
John Knatz, at Turn Hall, February 25. Fee, \$25.
Adolph Popper, at Bohemian Hall, February 25. Fee, \$25.

Applications for Civil Service Examination Referred to the Superintendent for Report.

Sergeant Edward Byrnes, Seventeenth Precinct.
Charles O. Sheldon, Thirty-fourth Precinct.
Orville A. Todd, Central Office.
Roundsmen Charles J. Fahey, Twelfth Precinct.

Applications and Communications Ordered on File.

Josephine Shaw Lowell—Acknowledging receipt of statistics.
William Thompson, Secretary Brotherhood Painters and Decorators—Copy of resolution relative to former Treasurer, John W. Hodges.

Patrolmen George Haas, John Sweeny, Edward Flood and Peter Duncan, Thirty-third Precinct—For remission of fine.

Department of Docks—Acknowledging receipt of communication relative to request of Lloyd I. Seaman & Co. to dump snow along water-front.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Acknowledging receipt of communications of February 19 and 20, with inclosures.

W. P. Hazen, Chief Secret Service, Washington, D. C.—Acknowledging receipt of claim of H. W. Robertson, United States Consul at Hamburg.

Counsel to the Corporation—Opinion relative to advancement from grade to grade of members of Police force, under chapter 741, Laws of 1894.

W. G. McLaughlin, Editor of "Metropolis"—Commending Patrolman John J. Boyle, Thirtieth Precinct.

Sergeant John Hatton, Thirtieth Precinct—For Civil Service examination.

Committee on Repairs and Supplies—Reporting that contract has been made with W. B. Hoyt to inspect gas-meters, in accordance with resolution; also that telegraph connection has been made between the Isaac T. Hopper Home, No. 110 Second avenue, and Fourteenth Precinct Station-house, without expense to this Department.

Lehman Will—for appointment as Doorman.

Communication from the Property Clerk—Inclosing papers relative to disposition of \$112.98, taken from John O'Connell, arrested and convicted of robbery at Erie, Pa., and claimed by Mr. Slocum, the party robbed; also by James W. McLaughlin, holding an assignment from John O'Connell, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

Counsel to the Corporation—Relative to return in case of Michael Linehan.

Counsel to Corporation—Relative to writs in cases of the People ex rel. Richard Burk, Dennis Keating, A. W. Rehage and Edgar F. Douglass.

George Walton Green—Asking sample ballots, Ninth Assembly District.

Anna M. Jackson—Asking statistics of arrests for 1894.

W. W. Osborne, Savannah, Ga.—Relative to appointment on Police force.

J. H. McBride—Asking qualifications for appointment of Police force.

Communication from the Common Council—Resolution, relative to removal of transparencies from lamp-posts, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works, this Department having no jurisdiction.

Commissioner Andrews offered the following:

Resolved, I. That the three Police Inspection Districts, into which the City of New York is now divided, be and are hereby abolished.

II. That all reports and communications heretofore made to the Inspectors in charge of the several districts be hereafter made directly to the Superintendent of Police, or to such other officers as he may from time to time designate.

III. Inspectors of Police will at once report to the Superintendent for such duty upon his staff as he may from time to time determine.

IV. The Superintendent is hereby authorized to assign to duty at the Central Department one Inspector or Captain of Police in the daytime, and one Inspector or Captain of Police in the night-time, to receive reports and returns from precincts, to hear complaints from citizens of violations of law, or of dereliction of duty upon the part of members of the Police force, and to perform such other Police duty as may be required of them by the Superintendent.

V. All rules and regulations of the Police Department inconsistent with the foregoing resolutions are hereby repealed.

Resolved, I. That the Superintendent of Police is hereby authorized and empowered to make all assignments to duty of members of the Police force, subject to the rules and regulations now in force and to such other rules and regulations as the Board of Police may from time to time establish. For this purpose the Superintendent of Police is authorized to make such transfers, assignments and reassignments as the best interest of the service may from time to time require.

II. In making assignments to duty, or changes thereof, the Superintendent will be governed solely with a view of promoting the discipline and efficiency of the Police force. He will recognize and reward long and faithful service, and endeavor to establish the principle that real merit and a faithful performance of duty as officers and gentlemen are the only means of securing advancement in this Department.

III.—The Superintendent will report immediately to the Board of Police all changes or assignments made pursuant to this resolution, stating the duty from which the officer has been relieved and that to which he has been assigned.

IV.—All rules and regulations of the Police Department inconsistent with the foregoing resolution are hereby repealed.

The above resolutions were laid over and copy to be forwarded to each Commissioner.

Communications Referred to Superintendent for Report.

From the Mayor—Inclosing complaints, etc., viz.: Mrs. Ellen Surtees, Wichita, Kan., Margaret Supple, No. 408 Jackson avenue, Jersey City; M. Greenburg and others; Mrs. J. W. Corbett, Chicago, Ill.; T. B. Tillis, Waldo, Fla.

From the Mayor—Notice of license granted to John J. McDonald, Gaiety Museum, No. 130 Bowery.

Commissioner Street Cleaning—Inclosing complaints of N. S. Prentice, of boys snowballing in West Fifty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues; L. Bender, that gutters are not opened in front of premises Nos. 633 and 639 Fifth avenue.

Board of Excise—License revoked, premises No. 142 East Fourteenth street.

Common Council—Resolution requesting Board of Police to detail an officer at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.

Harvey E. Fisk, President Riverside Association, No. 259 West Sixty-ninth street—Asking detail of an officer every afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Marie Berry—Inquiry as to George W. Berry.

U. P. Rossiter, District Attorney, Erie, Pa.—Commending Patrolman Peter Nugent, Thirty-fourth Precinct for report as to meritorious conduct.

Captain Eakins, Fifteenth Precinct—As to arrest of Patrolman George Issing. Superintendent to prefer charges.

Patrolman John Farrell, Twenty-third Precinct, and Patrolman Thomas Donohue, Thirty-third Precinct, for full pay while sick. For further report.

F. M. Davis—Superintendent Central Park Apartment Buildings—Asking appointment of John Armstrong as Special Patrolman.

Henry Storch, Germania Assembly Rooms—Asking appointment of John Steinmal as Special Patrolman.

John R. Hegeman, Jr., for Special Patrolman, by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the communication from E. J. Atkinson, Secretary Memorial Committee, G. A. R., calling attention to the provisions of the amended Constitution, and the recent promotion of Patrolman Patrick H. McGirr (who is not a veteran) to be a Roundsman, while John Buckley, a Patrolman of the Thirty-second Precinct (who is a veteran, and was placed upon the eligible list), was not promoted, be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, for opinion whether, in the assignment of Patrolmen to duty as Roundsmen (such officers being at any time liable to be remanded to patrol duty), the Board of Police are required to give preference to Patrolmen who are honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Army and Navy of the United States in the late Civil War, and also whether such preference must be given in all cases of promotion in the Police Department.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted February 1, 1895, requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the Board of Police to lease certain designated places, to be used for purposes of stables for patrol wagons, be and is hereby amended, so that the places designated for the Thirtieth Precinct shall read, "south side of Manhattan street, between Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street," instead of "corner One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and St. Nicholas avenue"—all aye.

Resolved, That Thomas J. Kain, late Clerk to Commissioner Sheehan, be and hereby is appointed temporarily Clerk to Commissioner Andrews, at a salary of one thousand seven hundred dollars per year, to date from February 14, 1895, and to continue until further orders—all aye.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine Doorman James Gaffney, Twenty-fifth Precinct, and report as to his physical condition, with a view to retirement.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to report on the case of Patrolman William Cahill, Twenty-fourth Precinct, with a view to having the matter referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

John L. Sands.

Mark Burns.

Edward Bottenus.

David Shay.

Joseph Cormak.

James N. Flanagan.

John J. Egan.

John Henderson.

James Roche.

Frank Carroll.

Terrence W. McGowan.

Nicholas Deslefaun.

Albert J. Manner.

Seth E. Powell.

Arthur J. McCann.

William Rinker.

Joseph Cuddihy.

James J. Boyhan.

James Flanagan.

Henry Klomburg.

John F. Rigney.

Charles Bassine.

Winfield S. Ball.

David Buchanan.

Robert J. Wardiof.

Peter A. Muller.

John B. Grey.

John E. Paye.

James F. Delamater.

William A. Richards.

George F. Bryant.

Harold Euston.

John O'Keefe.

Henry C. Derr.
Bernard Potter.
Edward Engel.
Thomas H. Miller.
John Lawlor.

Patrolman Thomas Malone, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Louis Rott, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
August Schneider, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John Lake, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Thomas F. Lott, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
William Duggan, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Alphonse Rhaume, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel J. Griffin, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Robert Redmond, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John H. Cook, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Edward H. Taylor, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Ernest N. Corwin, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John J. Wimmer, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John J. Wimmer, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John J. Wimmer, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Peter J. Klein, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one and one-half day's pay.
Thomas J. Gunson, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
George Weiss, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Edward Lammers, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John M. Purcell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William J. McGlone, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Dennis Minogire, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Edward Doyle, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Michael C. Donohue, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Thomas J. Smith, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John E. Leonard, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
James Everett, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Michael McKenna, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Xavier M. Kayser, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Louis G. McCord, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William McGuinness, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
William McGuinness, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Peter Kain, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Peter Kain, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Philip Schmidt, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William Mulcahy, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John Shields, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Patrick Barry, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Lozelle Young, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Philip Havey, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Peter F. Kane, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Thomas F. Nugent, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
William F. Dorrian, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Henry Chapman, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Charles H. Stromberg, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
William Cleary, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
Henry Bolte, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
Abram Campbell, First Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
Philip F. Gleason, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Philip F. Gleason, First Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
Michael F. O'Neill, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick J. Kane, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John Hennessey, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Henry W. Schaefer, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Charles J. Muller, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Thomas F. Dooley, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick McGowan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick McGowan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John Hodge, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John Hodge, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Joseph E. Burke, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
James B. Foley, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
James B. Foley, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Thomas Fitzpatrick, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
James Fallon, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
James Walsh, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Corwin, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Corwin, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Thomas J. White, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William Ahrens, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John E. Scott, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John E. Scott, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
John H. Conran, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Andrew G. Murphy, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Bernard McLaughlin, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Charles Rink, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Michael F. Barnes, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John Drennan, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Thomas R. Wadsley, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
David N. Wilbur, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one and one-half day's pay.
Michael Quinn, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
William Hickson, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William Williamson, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's day.
John F. Storms, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Edward F. Fitzgerald, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Keeshan, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
Joseph Peters, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Terrence McGovern, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John J. Killilea, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one and one-half day's pay.
Thomas J. Reilly, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Charles B. Von Gerichten, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Samuel Grinthal, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Ruben R. Huntington, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William J. Sanford, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Charles Woodicka, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
John J. Nebill, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
Michael H. Malone, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Sullivan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Sullivan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Daniel Sullivan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Richard M. Bell, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
George Lair, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Vincent J. Dowling, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick Feeney, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Francis McCarrick, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Charles M. Donovan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick Curran, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Michael Mitchell, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
William D. Tabell, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
James Haugh, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John D. Taylor, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Patrick H. Cash, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Samuel J. Pelton, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Jeremiah S. Levy, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
William C. Scholes, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
John H. Shea, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Edward Doyle, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
Andrew Byrnes, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
Andrew Byrnes, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John J. Mahoney, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John J. Kane, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
John A. Maxwell, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Michael Hickey, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Cornelius F. Cronin, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Patrick J. Lynch, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
Francis J. Murphy, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
Thomas F. Skelly, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

Patrolman George Bissert, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " George C. Cruise, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Louis Grey, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Curran, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.
 " Edward Smyth, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 " John F. Gilligan, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Henry K. Van Etten, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Mack Donnelly, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John F. Flanagan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Daniel Sullivan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 " William Cullen, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Patrick J. Joyce, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John O'Brien, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 " Thomas F. Reilly, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Quinn, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Patrick J. Wynne, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Thomas W. Conway, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John Vaughan, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John J. Caulfield, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Robert Quinn, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John F. Hussey, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Thomas G. Millen, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " James Goggins, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " James Goggins, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Michael J. Kavanagh, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John J. Nevins, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John J. Nevins, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Theodore Hynicka, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 " Thomas McGarry, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Myles Doran, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Frank Krumpf, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Patrick Mullen, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Patrick Kent, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Theobald Thom, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Patrick Feeney, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Felix McGorry, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " Charles Wodicka, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.
 " William Cleary, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 1st day of March, 1895.
 Present—Commissioners Martin, Kerwin and Andrews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Edward W. Taylor, Twenty-fourth Precinct, three days, if pay is released.
 " William Irons, Twenty-first Precinct, thirty days, half pay, sick.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
 Sergeant Harley, Central Office, relative to George W. Berry, missing.
 The Chief Clerk presented a report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and force for the quarter ending December 31, 1894. Which was approved and ordered to be forwarded to the Mayor.
 Report of the Superintendent inclosing \$1,735 mask ball fees, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

John Specht, at Concordia Assembly Rooms, March 9.
 E. Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, March 26.
 E. Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, March 23.
 E. Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, March 16.
 E. Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, March 9.
 E. Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, March 2.
 Charles L. Wendell, at Wendell's Assembly Rooms, March 18.
 Charles L. Wendell, at Wendell's Assembly Rooms, March 11.
 Charles L. Wendell, at Wendell's Assembly Rooms, March 9.
 Charles L. Wendell, at Wendell's Assembly Rooms, March 4.
 Henry J. Appel, Jr., at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 23.
 Henry J. Appel, Jr., at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 11.
 Henry J. Appel, Jr., at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 5.
 Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, March 6.
 Otto Benzein, at Apollo Hall, March 9.
 Carl Schraeder, at Beethoven Hall, March 30.
 Carl Schraeder, at Beethoven Hall, March 23.
 Carl Schraeder, at Beethoven Hall, March 2.
 John McCaig, at Caledonian Hall, March 15.
 William Samuels, at Everett Hall, March 15.
 Ike Feinman, at Everett Hall, March 8.
 Theodore Krause, at New York Turn Verein Hall, March 2.
 Joseph Lederer, at Renwick Hall, March 7.
 Application of Roundsman Edward S. Walling, Twenty-third Precinct, for full pay while sick, was denied.

Applications for Pension Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Maria McCauley, widow of Neil McCauley, late Pensioner.
 Abbie Barrett, widow of Michael Barrett, late Patrolman.

Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Patrolman Peter E. James, Fourteenth Precinct.
 " Patrick McEvers, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 " Henry Haag, Twenty-second Precinct.

Applications and Communications Ordered on File.

Patrolman William McGinnis, Twenty-ninth Precinct—For promotion.
 John McGrath (veteran)—For appointment as Doorman.
 From the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of communication of January 14, and inclosing copy of amended ordinance, sections 271, 272, article 28, chapter 8, transferring supervision of use of snow plows by surface railroad companies from Police Department to Department of Street Cleaning.
 From the Mayor—Inclosing communication from Mrs. Eleanor V. Hatton, relative to detail of officers at crossing Broadway and Thirty-fourth street (see resolution).
 Counsel to the Corporation—Opinion relative to grading of Patrolmen appointed during the year 1894.
 American Ball Nozzle Company—Invitation to exhibition to be given in Roosevelt Building on 2d instant. Accepted.
 Communication from S. A. Baxter, No. 145 West Forty-fourth street (to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning), relative to condition of sidewalks in West Forty-fourth street near Broadway, in front of old armory, was referred to the Health Department.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Communication from Mrs. Marian P. Cole, relative to Advertisers' Clipping Bureau, No. 100 West Twenty-seventh street.
 Common Council—Amending article 28, chapter 8 of the City Ordinances, by striking out the words, "Commissioners of Police," and inserting in lieu thereof "Commissioner of Street Cleaning."
 H. Hirsch—Complaint of occupants of No. 17 First avenue.
 Board of Excise—Licenses revoked, viz.: Albert J. Gaiser, No. 109 West Houston street; James H. Wallace, No. 184 Third avenue.
 Inspector McLaughlin—As to arrest of Detective Sergeant Charles Jacobs and Detective Officer Charles J. McManus.
 Patrolman William Carroll, Twenty-first Precinct—For full pay while sick.
 Communication from George W. Leiserson, relative to license or permission for private fancy dress or masquerade ball given by subscription, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Transfers, etc.

Patrolman Selig Whiteman, from Fifteenth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.
 " Thomas F. Gilhooly, from Twenty-third Precinct to Fourth Precinct.
 " George P. Malone, Third Precinct, remand to patrol.
 " Charles Hessen, Third Precinct, remand to patrol.
 " William Kennell, from Detective Bureau to Third Precinct—detail at Mayor's office.
 Details by Superintendent under Rule 32. Filed.

Special Patrolmen Appointed.

John Armstrong, for Central Park Apartment Building.
 John R. Hegeman, Jr., for Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

On report of Inspector McAvo, it was

Resolved, That two posts be established at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street, south side crossing, from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M., and night post from 6 P. M. to midnight; and that the Superintendent be directed to detail officers for such duty—one to patrol the east side and the other the west side, from the sidewalk to the intersection of Broadway and Sixth avenue.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine Patrolman Frank J. Borst, Twenty-fourth Precinct, and report as to his physical condition, with a view to retirement.

Resolved, That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be and is hereby respectfully requested whether, under the provisions of the amended constitution, the Board of Police is required to give preference to persons who are honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Army and Navy of the United States in the late Civil War, in the appointment of Doormen of Police; and also whether such preference must be given in the employment of any person in the Police Department whose compensation does not exceed four dollars per day.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to the following officers—all aye:

Patrolman John Farrell, Twenty-third Precinct, from January 15 to February 18, 1895.

Doorman Charles E. Whittington, Twenty-seventh Precinct, from February 12 to February 25, 1895.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to John N. Outwater the sum of fifty dollars for services as Accountant, November 6, 1894—all aye.

The Chairman of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies submitted the following estimates for repairs, etc., to Station-houses:

Second Precinct—Hugh Nesbitt.....	\$480 00
Seventh Precinct—Hugh Nesbitt.....	295 00
Twenty-first Precinct—Hugh Nesbitt.....	90 00
Second Precinct—M. Breen.....	700 00
Seventh Precinct—M. Breen.....	450 00
Twenty-first Precinct—M. Breen.....	85 00
Second Precinct—C. R. Terwilliger.....	899 50
Seventh Precinct—C. R. Terwilliger.....	544 00
Twenty-first Precinct—C. R. Terwilliger.....	143 50
Twenty-first Precinct—P. F. O'Mahony.....	900 00
Twenty-first Precinct—P. F. O'Mahony (1st floor).....	225 00

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies be authorized to award the contract to Hugh Nesbitt for the Second Precinct, for the sum of four hundred and eighty dollars, and for the Seventh Precinct for the sum of two hundred and ninety-five dollars; and to M. Breen for the Twenty-first Precinct for the sum of eighty-five dollars, they being the lowest bidders.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Joseph E. Surre, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Frank J. Borst, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " James Lawler, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Edward Walsh, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 " John H. Torbush, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " Henry Bolte, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " John J. McGreevy, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Richard Meany, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Barry, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " William L. Brown, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Kelly, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John H. Shea, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John H. Shea, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 " Charles Hildenbrand, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 " Gustav Gelderman, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " John Sowerly, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 " William Cull, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 5th day of March, 1895.
 Present—Commissioners Martin, Kerwin and Andrews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Inspector Alexander S. Williams, twenty days, with pay, vacation.
 George Hopcroft, Clerk, twenty days, with pay, sick.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
 Captain Pickett, Nineteenth Precinct—On communication from Marion P. Cole, relative to the Advertising Clipping Bureau.
 Captain Meakin, Thirty-fourth Precinct—Relative to arrest of John O'Connell by Patrolman Peter Nugent.
 Captain Siebert, Thirteenth Precinct—On complaint of L. Bender, of gutters not cleaned from Nos. 633 to 639 Fifth street.
 Captain Haughey, Twenty-second Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Prentice, of uncleared condition of Fifty-fourth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
 Captain Delany, Ninth Precinct—On complaint of Ella M. Sauer, No. 251 West Thirteenth street, of annoyance by boys.
 Captain Gallagher, Twenty-fourth Precinct—On application of Harvey E. Fisk, for detail of an officer at No. 259 West Sixty-ninth street.
 Captain Price, Eighth Precinct and Sergeant Westervelt, Fifth Precinct—Relative to arrest of Patrolman Rhody J. Kennedy, on charge of felonious assault, and his subsequent discharge.
 Board of Surgeons—Disabilities for February, 1895.
 Board of Surgeons—On examination of Patrolman Frank J. Borst, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
 Board of Examiners—Eligible list for Roundsmen.
 James Moore—Bureau of Clothing and Equipment, for February, 1895.
 Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Charles Heffernan, Thirty-third Precinct.
 Death of Patrolman Edward Hagan, Third Court, on 2d instant.
 Death of Roundsman Charles McCann, Third Precinct, on 5th instant.
 Report of the Board of Surgeons on condition of Doorman James Gaffney, Twenty-fifth Precinct, was referred to Commissioner Murray.
 Report of the Board of Surgeons on disability of Patrolman William Cahill, Twenty-fourth Precinct, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion.
 Report of James H. Butler, Inspector of Construction of Patrol Wagons, March 1, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Leo Klopman, at Murray Hill Lyceum, March 9.
 Charles Bimberg, at Everett Hall, March 10.
 K. H. Sarasohn, at Tammany Hall, March 6.
 Henry Koch, at Urbach's Hall, March 11.
 S. L. Terhune, at Lyric Hall, March 8.
 Application of Roundsman Matthew Campbell, Seventeenth Precinct, for Civil Service examination, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

F. L. Wellman—Asking copy of proceedings of Board of Police in the Civil Service cases (Devlin and others).
 E. J. Atkinson—Relative to promotion of a Patrolman who is not a veteran.
 William Hauf—Relative to cloth for Police uniforms.
 Communication from the Pasteur Institute, submitting bill for treatment of Patrolmen John Kearney and Rudolph Neuschaffer, \$200 each, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Applications and Communications Ordered on File.

Patrolman Patrick F. Gilmartin, Thirty-fifth Precinct—For promotion.
L. H. Schwab, Rector St. Mary's Church, Manhattanville—Asking that the detail of Patrolman Thomas Collins at the Sheltering Arms be continued.
Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Inclosing complaints, etc., viz.: Asking character, etc., of Martin Wittschen, No. 137 Bowery; Nathan Mynsky, as to Block's Hall, No. 70 East Fourth street; F. C. Bender, Sr., asking whereabouts of F. C. Bender, Jr.; A. Mercier, asking whereabouts of Alice Ermenieux; James A. Brown, Carabella, Fla.

A. Jaynet, London, Eng.—Relative to an alleged swindler, known as Count d'Aulby.
Rev. John T. Wilds, Rector of Presbyterian Church, corner Broome and Ridge streets—Complaint of annoyance by men and boys, and interference with worship on Sunday.

"Reformer"—Relative to pool-room in Trenton Hotel, Washington and Cortlandt streets.
Patrolman Thomas O'Neill, Twelfth Precinct—Report of a fire January 2, 1895, at No. 25 Pitt street, and of his conduct in saving life.

Communication from the Mayor, asking that census be taken of the population of the City of New York, in accordance with request of the Board of Health, was referred to the Superintendent to make the necessary Police arrangements to have such census taken by Election Districts.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of fifty-seven dollars and fourteen cents, to enable the Treasurer to pay James H. Butler for inspecting work of construction of twelve patrol wagons, for account of the year 1894, as per appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for said year; and that the Treasurer be directed to pay the same on receipt of the money from the Comptroller—all aye.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of fifty-four dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1894, account entitled "Police Station-houses, Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to and Repairs," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1894, entitled "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department, etc.," which is insufficient, to enable the Treasurer of this Department to pay the following bills rendered for payment, the money for said transfer being in the custody of this Department; and that the Treasurer be directed to pay the same on receipt of notice of such transfer—all aye.

John N. Outwater, services as Accountant, November 6, 1894..... \$50 00
Harry White, expenses, carfares, 1894..... 4 00

Resolved that full pay while sick be granted to the following officers—all aye.

Patrolman Thomas J. Donohue, Thirty-third Precinct, from November 20, 1894, to February 12, 1895.

" William A. Barnecott, Thirty-fourth Precinct, from January 25 to March 1, 1895.
" John Watson, Sanitary Company, from February 15 to , 1895.

Transfers, etc.

Sergeant Daniel Moynihan, from Thirty-first Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.

Patrolman Thomas Wade, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Seventeenth Precinct, at crossing, Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.

" William F. Gallagher, from Nineteenth Precinct to Seventeenth Precinct, at crossing, Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.

" Michael O'Connell, Nineteenth Precinct, remanded to patrol.

Roundsman Patrick J. Walsh, Eighteenth Precinct, detailed as Acting Sergeant temporarily.

" James Campbell, First Court, detailed as Acting Sergeant temporarily.

Details by the Superintendent under Rule 32. Filed.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine the following, and report as to their physical condition, with a view to retirement:

Patrolman James McCarthy, Twelfth Precinct.

" James T. Brady, Fifth Court.

Doorman Andrew Fitzpatrick, Tenth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

Samuel Gastner. Andrew W. Zwisher. William A. Wells.

Frank Wetters. John Garry. Nicholas Morris.

William J. Ford. Peter Rudolph. Joseph W. McLean.

Charles H. Dietsch. Daniel M. O'Connell. John W. Cross.

Richard M. Fitzgerald. Elroy I. Quick. Patrick Joyce.

John Lyons. John Leidig. Martin J. Mulligan.

Harry Pfeiffer. William H. Taylor. Thomas M. Sheehan.

Albert Keller. Louis Lackey. Peter Sylvester.

Edward J. Jantzen. Herman A. Sievers. George McCarthy.

Louis Wyart. John Heim. Rudolph Unger.

Joseph F. Dore. John J. Fitzhenry. Patrick Carney.

George H. Jantzen. Charles Berthold. James Troy.

Michael Sheehy. Arthur D. Mabie.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1895.

The Hons. William L. Strong, Mayor; Francis M. Scott, Counsel to the Corporation, and William Brookfield, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

The minutes of the meetings of February 11 and 19 were read and approved.

Requisitions were laid before the Board, and were acted on as follows:

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
		<i>By Department of Public Works.</i>	
	Feb. 14, 1895	50 copies contract for iron fence on east side of St. Nicholas terrace.....	Allowed.
		50 copies estimate for iron fence on east side of St. Nicholas terrace.....	"
		50 envelopes.....	"
	" 20, "	50 copies contract for regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.....	"
		50 envelopes.....	"
		<i>By Department of Street Cleaning.</i>	
	" 15, "	1,000 blank cards.....	"
	" 20, "	2 boxes (200 sheets) Underwood's semi-carbon, 8 by 12 inches.....	"
	" 21, "	5,000 Sweepers' pay-rolls.....	"
		2,500 orders on City Paymaster.....	"
		120 section time-books.....	"
		120 section time-books.....	"
		<i>By Finance Department.</i>	
	" 13, "	1,100 Paymaster's checks.....	"
	" 14, "	500 slips of advertisement for bonds.....	"
		<i>By Commissioner of Street Improvements.</i>	
	" 6, "	50 copies contract for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.....	"
		50 envelopes.....	"
		25 posters.....	"

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
	Feb. 6, 1895	50 copies contract for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.....	"
		50 envelopes.....	"
		25 posters.....	"
	" 11, "	50 copies contract for regulating, etc., Giles street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating, etc., Giles street.....	"
		50 envelopes.....	"
		25 posters.....	"
		<i>By the Sheriff.</i>	
	" 8, "	1,000 order of arrest blanks.....	"
		500 executions against the person.....	"
	" 11, "	2,750 executions against the person (250 for each District Court)	Laid over.
		<i>By Department of Taxes and Assessments.</i>	
	" 19, "	1 box (100 sheets) Carter's carbon paper.....	Allowed.
		3 Carter's ideal purple copying ribbons.....	"
		<i>By Commissioner of Accounts.</i>	
	" 26, "	2 Underwood's black record ribbons.....	"
		<i>By the Register.</i>	
	" 14, "	1 standard time stamp.....	Not allowed.

The Supervisor of the City Record explained that the blank cards asked for by the Street Cleaning Department were needed to carry out a new method of keeping the time of Clerks, and that the pay-rolls, etc., were required because those called for by the annual requisition of the department, and purchased by contract, had been used for paying, keeping the time, etc., of the large special force employed to remove the snow from the streets. The requisitions from the Sheriff for order-of-arrest blanks and executions, the Supervisor said, were to carry out a new system of returns. The requisition of February 11 was laid over and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation the following resolution was adopted by a concurrent vote of the three officers:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure, by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the requisitions allowed, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

The Supervisor of the City Record read a letter from Alvin J. Walsh, Chairman of the Committee on Printing of the Brooklyn Board of Aldermen, asking for information about the cost of the CITY RECORD. He also read an answer, which he was directed to send to Mr. Walsh.

A communication from the Civil Service Board, dated February 20, requesting that, if the letter-heads of the Board were not yet lithographed, the "copy" should be changed by substituting the names of the new Commissioners for those of the old ones, and indicating that the offices of the Board were in the "Municipal Building" instead of the "New Criminal Court Building," was read. The Supervisor of the City Record said that the letter-heads were completed, and were delivered to him on February 20, so that the "copy" could not be changed. The Counsel to the Corporation said also that to designate the "New Criminal Court Building" as the "Municipal Building" would be incorrect, as it was in contemplation to erect an edifice, to accommodate certain departments, which was to be known as the "Municipal Building." The Supervisor was directed to apprise the Civil Service Board of the facts.

A request from the New York Historical Society for bound volumes of the CITY RECORD from 1885 to the present date, to complete its files, was granted.

Bills were approved as follows: "New York Times," \$35.20 (advertising notice to "Stationers and Paper Dealers"); M. B. Brown, \$525.86 (for printing index to and binding the CITY RECORD, 1893—Voucher 418), and \$453.83 (for printing index to and binding the CITY RECORD for 1893—Voucher 419).

Pay-rolls were approved as follows: W. H. Hettler, \$100 (Voucher 410); Louis F. Gaffney, \$116.66 (Voucher 411); John McMahon, \$100 (Voucher 412); Henry J. Groggin, \$100 (Voucher 413); Joseph Fehr, \$100 (Voucher 414); John F. Morris, \$100 (Voucher 415); CITY RECORD office, \$741.65 (Voucher 416); Robert McManus, William H. Levett and Peter Leatham, \$21 each (Vouchers 404, 405 and 406), and \$17.50 each (Vouchers 407, 408 and 409).

Adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The Committee on Railroads will hold a public hearing on Thursday, March 14, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider petition of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company.

The Committee on Streets will hold a meeting on Monday, March 11, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall. The following matters will be considered:

"Resolution rescinding resolution passed December 11, 1894, regulating and grading Twelfth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, introduced by Alderman Woodward.

"Resolution permitting Gertrude R. Waldo to keep bay windows on southeast corner of Seventy-second street and Madison avenue, introduced by Alderman Hall.

"Resolution permitting Peter Kelly to erect and keep stand for the sale of newspapers and fruit in front of premises No. 155 Centre street, introduced by Alderman Brown.

"Resolution permitting George F. Lilienthal to erect an iron winding-stairs from sidewalk to the first story on premises No. 166 Maiden lane, introduced by Alderman Kennefick."

The Committee on Markets will hold a public hearing on Monday, March 11, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, for further consideration of resolution affecting Essex Market.

The Committee on Law Department will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 13, at 1.30 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider petition of storekeepers to remove hack stand in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Eighth avenue.

The Committee on Rules will meet on Saturday, March 9, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall.

The Committee on Legislation will hold a meeting on Saturday, March 9, at 12 o'clock M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall.

WM. H. TEN EYCK,
Clerk Common Council.

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, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor. JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD H. HEALY, First Marshal.
JOHN J. BRENNAN, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. LEHMAIER and SETH S. TERRY.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER; H. W. CANNON, GEORGE WALTON GREEN, and THE MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN JEROLMAN, President Board of Aldermen.
WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner; CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9);
COLUMBUS O. JOHNSON, 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); JOHN C. GRAHAM, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 12); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); WILLIAM HENKEL, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Second Auditor.

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, 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.
DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, 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.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Bureau of Street Openings.

Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation, in charge.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES H. MURRAY, AVERY D. ANDREWS and MICHAEL KERWIN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.
CHARLES H. F. NOX, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, S. HOWLAND ROBBINS and O. H. LA GRANGE, Commissioners; CARL LUSSEN, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDER, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph. Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the President of the Police Board, ex officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER of the Port, ex officio, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
DAVID H. KING, Jr., President; JAMES A. ROOSEVELT, AUGUSTUS D. JULLIARD and GEORGE G. HAVEN, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JOHN WHALEN and JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Commissioners; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

No. 1262 Broadway.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, JACOB HESS, and AMOS J. CUMMINGS, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, from Franklin to White street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE E. WARING, Jr., Commissioner; CHARLES K. MOORE, Deputy Commissioner.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, EDWIN L. GODKIN, E. RANDOLPH ROBINSON and C. W. WATSON, Members of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer; JOHN FOORD, Examiner.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, and the COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman; EDWARD CAHILL, PATRICK M. HAVERTY and HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Assessors; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH MURRAY, President; CHARLES H. WOODMAN and JULIUS HARBURGER, Commissioners; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN, Sheriff; HENRY H. SHERMAN, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until two o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, March 20, 1895:

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 10,000 CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENED GRAVEL, OF THE QUALITY KNOWN AS ROA HOOK GRAVEL, WHERE REQUIRED, ON THE CENTRAL PARK AND RIVERSIDE PARK AND AVENUE.

The amount of security required will be TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The price 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 which 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 proposal and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

DAVID H. KING, JR.,
GEO. G. HAVEN,
JAMES A. ROOSEVELT,
A. D. JULLIARD,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held at this office at 10 o'clock A. M. on the dates specified:

March 11. VETERINARIAN.
March 13. ASSISTANT PHYSICIAN, Charities and Correction.
March 14. INSPECTOR OF SEWERS.
March 15. MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN.
March 15. ROUNDSMAN, Dock Department.
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, March 7, 1895.

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. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, March 20, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, WHERE REQUIRED, BROKEN TRAP-ROCK STONE, ALONG CERTAIN ROADS, AVENUES AND STREETS IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, WHERE REQUIRED, BROKEN TOMKINS COVE BLUE STONE, ALONG CERTAIN ROADS, AVENUES AND STREETS IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN TRINITY AVENUE, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from the existing sewer at the west house-line of Franklin avenue to the summit east, with branch in Franklin avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to the summit north.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREETS, between the existing sewer in Walnut avenue and Locust avenue.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ST. JOSEPH'S STREET, between Bungay street and Timpson place.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF PERMITS FOR THE TEMPORARY OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC STREETS BY LICENSED VEHICLES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHAPTER 697, Laws of 1894, authorizes the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to grant permits for the temporary occupancy of portions of the streets and public places in the City of New York, from 4 P. M. until 8 A. M., and on Sundays and legal holidays only, by unlicensed licensed trucks or other unlicensed licensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abutting property upon the condition that the owners of trucks or vehicles for which such permits are issued shall keep the street clean under and around said trucks or vehicles, and subject to such other rules and conditions as the said Commissioner may from time to time prescribe, which permits the said Commissioner may at any time revoke.

Such permits will not be granted for either side of a street contiguous to a public building of the City and County of New York, or a church, school-house, hospital, asylum or other incorporated benevolent institution, or a licensed place of amusement, or for the following-named streets and public places:

Bowery, Broadway, Carmine street, Catharine street, Chambers street, Christopher street, College place, Cortlandt street, Desbrosses street, Essex street, Exchange place, Fulton street, Hester street, Hudson street, Liberty street, Nassau street, New street, Park Row, Varick street, Wall street, West Broadway.

Second avenue (East Houston street to Twenty-third street), Third avenue (Bowery to Harlem river, Harlem river to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street), Fourth avenue (Sixth street to Forty-second street), Fifth avenue (Washington place to Fifty-ninth street), Sixth avenue (all), Seventh avenue (Forty-second street to Fifty-ninth street), Eighth avenue (Hudson street to Fifty-ninth street), Lexington avenue (all), Madison avenue (all), Fourteenth street (First avenue to Eighth avenue), Twenty-third street (all), Thirty-fourth street (East river to Tenth avenue), Forty-second street (Second avenue to Ninth avenue), Fifty-ninth street (First avenue to Tenth avenue), One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street (Third avenue to Ninth avenue).

Or for any streets under the control of the Department of Parks, Docks and Public Works, except upon the consent of the heads of those Departments.

All existing permits for the occupancy by unlicensed vehicles of any of the streets or portions of streets or places enumerated above are hereby revoked.

All unlicensed wagons, trucks or other vehicles standing in the streets or public places, other than those for which permits have been issued and which are in compliance with the conditions of the same will be seized and removed to the Corporation Yards of the Department of Street Cleaning, in pursuance of the provisions of the law.

Applications for permits as above must be made at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the basement of the New Criminal Court-house, corner of Centre and Franklin streets. Entrance on Centre street.

GEORGE E. WARING, JR.,
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 Criminal Court Building.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

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, March 20, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING AND BUILDING PONTOONS FOR THE FREE FLOATING BATHS, REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE ROOFS, AND PAINTING FIFTEEN FREE FLOATING BATHS, AND REPAIRING AND FURNISHING SIGNAL LAMPS, AND REPAIRING PUMPS AND HOPPERS.

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 enclosed 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 14, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1895.

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 p. m., on Thursday, March 14, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

- No. 1. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN SIXTH STREET, between East river and Avenue D.
- No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN ELM STREET, between Catharine lane and Leonard street, and in LEONARD STREET, between Elm street and Broadway.
- No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN COLUMBUS AVENUE, at Seventy-fifth street.
- No. 4. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, between East river and East End avenue, WITH OUTLET UNDER PIER.
- No. 5. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, between Riverside and West End avenues.
- No. 6. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-NINTH STREET, between Riverside and West End avenues.
- No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, between Riverside and West End avenues.
- No. 8. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, West.
- No. 9. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, between Convent avenue and St. Nicholas Terrace.
- No. 10. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, west side, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.
- No. 11. FOR SEWERS IN CATHEDRAL PARKWAY, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues.
- No. 12. FOR SEWER IN CATHEDRAL PARKWAY, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues.
- No. 13. FOR FURNISHING 200 BOULEVARD LAMPS AND 1,500 ADDITIONAL GLOBES.
- No. 14. FOR FURNISHING 600 CAST-IRON LAMP-POSTS.
- No. 15. FOR FURNISHING 1,500 STREET-LAMPS.
- No. 16. FOR FURNISHING 6,500 GLASS STREET-SIGNS.
- No. 17. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH 2,000 TONS OF WASHED GRAVEL.

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.

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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 1, 9 and 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1895.

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 p. m., on Wednesday, March 13, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

- No. 1. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH FOUR THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND NINETY (4,990) GROSS TONS, 2,240 pounds to a ton, OF BEST WHITE ASH LEHIGH AND WILKESBARRE COAL, as per specifications annexed, and TEN (10) TONS OF INCE HALL CANNEL COAL.

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 Room 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

WM. BROOKFIELD,
Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK REQUIRED FOR PUTTING IN AND MAINTAINING AN ELECTRICAL TIME SERVICE, CONSISTING OF A MASTER CLOCK, AND A SERIES OF SECONDARY CLOCKS, WITH BATTERY, AND NECESSARY WIRINGS AND CONNECTIONS, IN THE COURTS AND OFFICES IN THE NEW CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE, ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, NEW YORK CITY, AS ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND AT A MEETING HELD OCTOBER 24, 1894.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, March 13, 1895, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by, and in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

N. B.—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.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all parties interested.

Each 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, 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 shall 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 the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be determined by the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done, bidders are referred to the plans and specifications. The plans may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Thom, Wilson & Scharschmidt, No. 1267 Broadway.

The entire work to be completed within NINETY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the whole work complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the plans and specifications and form of agreement.

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. 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 amount of security required is FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500).

Blank forms of estimates and further information, if desired, can be obtained on application at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway.

The form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor;
JOHN W. GORFF, Recorder;
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller;
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain;
WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT,
Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen;
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
NEW YORK, February 26, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF A PUBLIC BUILDING IN CROTONA PARK, NEAR THIRD AVENUE, IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 248, LAWS OF 1894.

Bids for the entire work, only will be received. Each bid will give two prices for the entire work, viz.: One for the building with sheet metal main cornice, and one for the building with terra cotta main cornice, as described in the specifications.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock, p. m., Monday, March 11, 1895, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by, and in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

N. B.—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.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person 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 shall 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 the contract and stated in the proposals over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be determined by the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done, bidders are referred to the plans and specifications. The plans may be seen at the office of the Architect, Mr. George B. Post, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, New York City.

The entire work to be completed within ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The damages to be paid by the contractor or contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

Bidders will state in writing and also in figures, a price for the whole work complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the plans and specifications and form of agreement.

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. 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 amount of security required is FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Blank forms of estimates, and further information, if desired, also the form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

NEW YORK, February 25, 1895.
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor;
JOHN W. GORFF, Recorder;
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller;
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain;
WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT,
Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen;
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 567 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.

Dated New York, September 10, 1894.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of George E. Waring, Jr., Commissioner of Street Cleaning of the City of New York, for the sale of carts, trucks and other property removed from the public streets.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT George E. Waring, Jr., Commissioner of Street Cleaning in the City of New York, pursuant to a final order made and issued by Hon. Wauhope Lynn, Justice of the District Court for the First Judicial District of the City of New York, will sell at public auction, on the 12th day of March, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Corporation Yard, situated at West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and the North river, all the trucks, carts, wagons, sleighs and gigs seized and removed from the public streets in the City of New York, as provided for by chapter 697 of the Laws of 1894.

Dated New York, March 4, 1895.
GEORGE E. WARING, Jr.,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock a. m., on Friday, March 15, 1895, for supplying Furniture for New School Building on northeast corner of First avenue and Ninth street.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,
HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward,
Dated New York, March 2, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock p. m., on Friday, March 15, 1895, for erecting

a New School Building on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and Madison avenue.
ROBERT E. STEEL, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, March 2, 1895.
No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 497.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING
PIER, NEW 15, NORTH RIVER, NEAR THE
FOOT OF VESSEY STREET.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER, NEW 15, North river, near the foot of Vessey street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1895.

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 Seventeen Hundred Dollars.

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

1. Labor and materials for taking up and removing about 8,806 square feet of 3" and about 20,732 square feet of 4" sheathing from the deck of the pier.
2. It is not expected that the yellow pine deck of the pier will require any repairs, but if upon the removal of the old sheathing repairs are shown to be necessary, they will be made by the contractor without extra charge, and the yellow pine timber for the same will be furnished by the Department of Docks to the contractor free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereafter specified, and the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the pier at his own expense and risk.

Feet, B. M.,
measured in
the work.

3. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10", about..... 118,152
4. 8" Cut Spikes, about..... 9,000 pounds.
5. Painting Heads of all Fenders, Fender-piles and Spring-piles.
6. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Joining, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and furnishing the materials for Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and labor of every description.
7. Labor of removing so much old material from Pier, new 15, North river, near the foot of Vessey street, as is to be removed under this contract, and of removing all the old material from the premises.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the execution of the contract, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 30th day of April, 1895, 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 for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the

contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause in the performing of the work thereunder.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is required 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 his 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 both surety and otherwise*; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, February 11, 1895.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1895.

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

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 3799, No. 1. Regulating and grading Brook avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point 487 feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-second street, together with the approaches thereto.
- List 4790, No. 2. Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, Vanderbilt avenue, East, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the Twenty-third Ward line; setting curbstones on the westerly side of the avenue and laying crosswalks.
- List 4791, No. 3. Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks in Railroad avenue, East, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street.
- List 4799, No. 4. Paving Seventy-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. Both sides of Brook avenue, from a point distant about 487 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of One Hundred and

Sixty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues, including both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to half the distance to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, north, to the Twenty-third Ward line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Railroad avenue, East, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 8th day of April, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

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 4753, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to a point 200 feet north of house-line of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street.
- List 4754, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Vanderbilt avenue, East, from the line of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards to Wendover avenue.
- List 4828, No. 3. Alteration and improvement to sewers in First avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Seventy-ninth streets; in Seventy-eighth street, between First and Third avenues, and to curves in First avenue, at Seventy-seventh street, and Seventy-eighth street at Second avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. Both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to a point about 375 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Wendover avenue; both sides of Washington avenue, from Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Wendover avenue; both sides of Crotona place, from Julia street to One Hundred and Seventy-first street; both sides of Fulton avenue, from Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line to Wendover avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Fulton avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets, from Third to First avenue; both sides of First avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Second avenue, from Seventy-sixth to Seventy-ninth street, and east side of Third avenue, from a point about 100 feet south of Seventy-seventh street to Seventy-ninth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their 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 5th day of April, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1895.

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 4813, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues.
- List 4815, No. 2. Flagging and curbing north side of Fifty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- List 4816, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings east side of Madison avenue, commencing at Eighty-sixth street and extending south about 60 feet.
- List 4819, No. 4. Fencing vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.
- List 4820, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the north and south sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
- List 4835, No. 6. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northeast and northwest corners of Fifty-second street and Second avenue.
- List 4851, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Trinity avenue, between Clifton and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues, on Block 721, Ward Numbers 14 and 15.
No. 2. North side of Fifty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, on Block 186, Ward Numbers 24 to 27, inclusive.
No. 3. East side of Madison avenue, extending about 100 feet south of Eighty-sixth street.
No. 4. South side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues, on Block 953, Ward Numbers 39, 40, 44 and 45.
No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Block 843, Ward Numbers 36, 37 and 38, and Block 844, Ward Numbers 7, 8, 18, 19, 20, 26, 27, 28 and 29.
No. 6. Block bounded by Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, First and Second avenues; also north side of Fifty-second street, from Second to Third avenue, and west side of Second avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.
No. 7. Both sides of Trinity avenue, from Clifton street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their 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 4th day of April, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1895.

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 4825, No. 1. Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between East River and Avenue A.
- List 4829, No. 2. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, west side, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets.
- List 4831, No. 3. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Allen and Stanton streets.
- List 4832, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Orchard and Stanton streets.
- List 4833, No. 5. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Twenty-first street and Avenue A.
- List 4834, No. 6. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the north side of Madison street, west of Market street.
- List 4840, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Robbins avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and Dater streets.
- List 4841, No. 8. Sewer and appurtenances in Vanderbilt avenue, East, from a point 200 feet north of the north house-line of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.
- List 4842, No. 9. Sewer and appurtenance in Franklin avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets.
- List 4843, No. 10. Sewer and appurtenances in Brown place, between Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
- List 4851, No. 11. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Fifty-seventh street and Sixth avenue.
- List 4852, No. 12. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Twenty-third street and Tenth avenue.
- List 4863, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Fifteenth street and Avenue A.
- List 4864, No. 14. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Broadway and Fifty-seventh street.
- List 4865, No. 15. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northwest corners of Fifty-first and Fifty-fourth streets and Second avenue.
- List 4866, No. 16. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the northeast corners of Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets and Second avenue.

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

- No. 1. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to the East river, and extending to half the block.
- No. 2. West side of Fifth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street, south side of Fifty-sixth street and both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.
- No. 3. Block bounded by Rivington and Stanton streets, Allen and Eldridge streets; also north side of Stanton street, from Eldridge to Allen street, and west side of Allen street, extending 250 feet north of Stanton street.
- No. 4. Blocks bounded by Rivington and Houston streets, Orchard and Allen streets.
- No. 5. Block bounded by Avenue A and Avenue B, Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.
- No. 6. West side of Market street, from Madison to Henry street.
- No. 7. Both sides of Robbins avenue, from Dater street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.
- No. 8. Both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from a point distant 200 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.
- No. 9. Both sides of Franklin avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.
- No. 10. Both sides of Brown place, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.
- No. 11. East side of Sixth avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, and north side of Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.
- No. 12. West side of Tenth avenue, extending 100 feet north and south of Twenty-third street, and both sides of Twenty-third street, extending about 130 feet west of Tenth avenue.
- No. 13. Both sides of Fifteenth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, and west side of Avenue A and east side of First avenue, from Fourteenth to Fifteenth street.
- No. 14. North side of Fifty-seventh street, from Broadway to Seventh avenue, and east side of Broadway, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street.
- No. 15. Block bounded by Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, Second and Third avenues, and west side of Second avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street.
- No. 16. East side of Second avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-ninth street; also north side of Fifty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue; also both sides of Fifty-seventh street, extending about 300 feet east of Second avenue, and both sides of Fifty-eighth street, extending about 360 feet east of Second 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 29th day of March, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
EDWARD CAHILL,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1895.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING

STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 215 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for opening and acquiring title to the following street in the

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

KAPPOCK STREET, from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Johnson avenue; confirmed January 28, 1895; entered February 11, 1895. Area of assessment: All the houses and lots of ground, pieces and parcels of land and vacant lots, lying within the following boundary, viz.: Beginning at a point on the north side of Sidney street one hundred (100) feet west of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway; running thence north-

easterly, about three hundred and twenty-five (325) feet, on a line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil Parkway and one hundred (100) feet westerly therefrom; thence easterly, on a line parallel with Sidney street, about one thousand (1,000) feet, to a point about one hundred (100) feet east of old Troy street; thence in a southerly direction, on a line parallel with old Troy street, to the northerly side of Sidney street; thence along the northerly side of Sidney street to a point about one hundred and eighty (180) feet east of the northeasterly corner of Sidney street and old Berrian street; thence southwesterly about six hundred (600) feet, on a line parallel with old Berrian street and about one hundred and eighty (180) feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly about three hundred (300) feet, on a curved line running parallel to Johnson avenue and distant one hundred feet southerly and westerly therefrom; thence northeasterly, on a straight line, to the northeast corner of Johnson avenue and old Westchester avenue; thence along the easterly side of old Westchester avenue, about three hundred and twenty-five (325) feet; thence diagonally across old Westchester avenue, to a point on the westerly side thereof, about sixty (60) feet south of the southwest corner of old Westchester avenue and Warren avenue; thence northerly to a point on the westerly side of Warren avenue about two hundred and seventy (270) feet north of old Westchester avenue; thence westerly about five hundred (500) feet; thence on a straight line, in a northeasterly direction, about eight hundred and fifty (850) feet to the point of place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." 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 97 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 97 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 April 12, 1895, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 26, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1895.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1895, are open and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April, 1895.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law. Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when between 10 A. M. and 12 M., at this office, by

EDWARD P. BARKER,
JOHN W. HALEN,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room 1), in said city, on the 21st day of March, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days, in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of March, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 9, 1895.
ROLLIN M. MORGAN, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Rider avenue to the Southern Boulevard, 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 25th day of March, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within

the ten week days next after the said 25th day of March, 1895, 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 all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row in the said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment or benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from the easterly line of Rider avenue to the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; easterly by the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to the easterly line of Rider avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Rider avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 13th day of April, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 5, 1895.
JAMES H. SOUTHWORTH, Chairman,
THEODORE E. SMITH,
THOMAS C. DUNHAM,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, 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. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 21st day of March, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 21st day of March, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of March, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eightieth street and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from the easterly line of Kingsbridge road to the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eightieth street and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road, and westerly by the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of April, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, February 9, 1895.
ROBERT L. LUCE, Chairman,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
H. W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the County Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 13th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situate in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, Westchester County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, dated December 18, 1894, signed and certified by Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and George W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York; map of lands in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of New York City in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map was filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 21st day of February, 1895, and a copy or duplicate thereof is now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at No. 31 Chambers street in said city.

The following is a description of the real estate sought to be taken or in which an interest is sought to be acquired: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of

real estate in said towns which taken together constitute two tracts, of which the following are the external boundary lines:

All those several and various lots, pieces and parcels of land and real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, situate in the towns aforesaid, and which taken together form two tracts included within the following external boundary lines:

FIRST PIECE.
Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., at the northwesterly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 51 degrees 45 minutes west 760.00 feet; thence (2) north 89 degrees 23 minutes west, crossing Tomahawk street, 1,450.00 feet; thence (3) north 8 degrees 25 minutes east 339.80 feet; thence (4) north 71 degrees 00 minutes east 230.00 feet; thence (5) north 13 degrees 31 minutes west 1,009.90 feet; thence (6) north 43 degrees 31 minutes west 474.95 feet; thence (7) north 54 degrees 56 minutes west 624.90 feet; thence (8) north 76 degrees 56 minutes west 599.26 feet; the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (9) north 57 degrees 12 minutes west crossing said right of way 116.13 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (10) still north 57 degrees 12 minutes west 211.21 feet; thence (11) north 3 degrees 57 minutes west 675.00 feet; thence (12) north 3 degrees 28 minutes east 1,180.00 feet; thence (13) north 29 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 960.00 feet; thence (14) north 39 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds west 590.00 feet; thence (15) north 58 degrees 42 minutes 30 seconds west 476.70 feet to the easterly line of Mahopac avenue; thence (16) north 9 degrees 36 minutes west crossing said avenue 188.25 feet to the westerly line of said avenue; thence (17) north 00 degrees 19 minutes east along the westerly line of said avenue 477.50 feet; thence (18) south 88 degrees 23 minutes west 77.82 feet; thence (19) north 13 degrees 03 minutes west 1,006.60 feet; thence (20) north 41 degrees 30 minutes west crossing the road leading to Peekskill 950.23 feet; thence (21) north 6 degrees 33 minutes east 1,474.37 feet to the county line between Westchester and Putnam; thence along said county line 22 north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 311.95 feet to a point in the centre of the Muscoot river on said county line; thence still along said county line (23) north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 338.25 feet; thence (24) south 9 degrees 22 minutes west 971.65 feet; thence (25) south 4 degrees 53 minutes east, crossing the road leading to Peekskill, 809.16 feet; thence (26) south 36 degrees 17 minutes east 675.60 feet; thence (27) south 21 degrees 48 minutes east 934.26 feet; thence (28) south 7 degrees 18 minutes east 825.00 feet; thence (29) south 34 degrees 12 minutes east 981.78 feet; thence (30) south 87 degrees 21 minutes east, crossing Mahopac avenue, 337.38 feet; thence (31) south 31 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds east 748.40 feet; thence (32) south 6 degrees 10 minutes west 925.00 feet; thence (33) south 4 degrees 41 minutes east 1,000.00 feet; thence (34) south 59 degrees 26 minutes east 750.00 feet; thence (35) south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 152.57 feet to the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (36) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 100.94 feet to the easterly line of said right of way; thence (37) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 310.13 feet; thence (38) south 42 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds east 313.65 feet; thence (39) south 25 degrees 8 minutes 30 seconds east 750.00 feet; thence (40) south 00 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds east 690.00 feet; thence (41) south 34 degrees 43 minutes 30 seconds east 523.00 feet; thence (42) south 68 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds east 647.63 feet to the westerly line of the land taken for Reservoir "A"; thence along the land taken for Reservoir "A" the twelve following courses: (43) north 4 degrees 28 minutes east 151.15 feet; thence (44) north 66 degrees 34 minutes west 476.20 feet; thence (45) north 34 degrees 48 minutes west 497.72 feet; thence (46) north 12 degrees 39 minutes east 187.40 feet; thence (47) south 56 degrees 40 minutes east 49.80 feet to the centre of the Muscoot river; thence (48) still south 86 degrees 40 minutes east 30.23 feet; thence (49) south 14 degrees 25 minutes east 160.30 feet; thence (50) south 84 degrees 00 minutes east 89.52 feet; thence (51) north 78 degrees 13 minutes east, crossing Tomahawk street, 354.70 feet; thence (52) south 76 degrees 00 minutes east 434.66 feet; thence (53) north 52 degrees 30 minutes east 668.00 feet; thence (54) north 6 degrees 54 minutes east 249.60 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing one hundred and ninety-three and four hundred and ten one-thousandths (193,410) acres.

SECOND PIECE.
Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., on the southerly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 1 degree 46 minutes east 444.64 feet; thence (2) south 75 degrees 01 minute 30 seconds west 1,039.60 feet; thence (3) north 84 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds west 466.08 feet; thence (4) north 2 degrees 03 minutes 30 seconds west 581.25 feet; thence (5) north 77 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 548.40 feet; thence (6) north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 154.43 feet to the southerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (7) still north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east, crossing said road, 187.67 feet; thence (8) north 60 degrees 34 minutes west 490.52 feet; thence (9) south 52 degrees 22 minutes west 85.18 feet to the centre line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (10) south 00 degrees 46 minutes west 30.50 feet to the southerly line of said road; thence (11) south 53 degrees 44 minutes west along the southerly line of said road 228.32 feet; thence (12) south 88 degrees 59 minutes west 499.47 feet; thence (13) north 79 degrees 21 minutes west 367.25 feet; thence (14) north 83 degrees 48 minutes west 369.24 feet; thence (15) north 7 degrees 35 minutes east 1,111.70 feet; thence (16) south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 255.60 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (17) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 101.07 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (18) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 330.84 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to West Somers; (the town line between Somers and Yorktown; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (19) south 00 degrees 37 minutes west 237.12 feet; thence (20) south 5 degrees 14 minutes east 119.45 feet; thence (21) south 2 degrees 36 minutes west 535.56 feet; thence (22) south 1 degree 06 minutes west 124.02 feet; thence (23) south 1 degree 10 minutes east 190.75 feet to the northwesterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (24) south 40 degrees 12 minutes west along the northwesterly line of said right of way 1,051.52 feet; thence (25) south 12 degrees 02 minutes east 1,021.77 feet to the southeasterly line of said right of way; thence (26) still south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 583.23 feet to the town-line between Somers and Yorktown; thence (27) north 55 degrees 59 minutes east 667.44 feet; thence (28) south 71 degrees 11 minutes east 691.78 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (29) south 73 degrees 01 minute east 1,046.32 feet; thence (30) south 25 degrees 29 minutes west 431.10 feet; thence (31) north 82 degrees 16 minutes west 489.24 feet; thence (32) south 5 degrees 54 minutes west 230.05 feet; thence (33) north 80 degrees 32 minutes west 344.45 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (34) south 1 degree 27 minutes 30 seconds west along the easterly line of said road 496.00 feet; thence (35) north 81 degrees 00 minutes east 1,031.52 feet; thence (36) north 56 degrees 30 minutes east 608.35 feet; thence (37) south 89 degrees 32 minutes east 597.66 feet; thence (38) south 89 degrees 59 minutes east 556.38 feet; thence (39) south 62 degrees 42 minutes east 652.60 feet; thence (40) south 10 degrees 47 minutes east 546.67 feet; thence (41) south 74 degrees 28 minutes east 556.60 feet; thence (42) south 12 degrees 14 minutes east 1,875.05 feet; thence (43) south 48 degrees 01 minute east 712.60 feet; thence (44) south 37 degrees 24 minutes east 697.07 feet; thence (45) south 1 degree 41 minutes east 593.88 feet; thence (46) south 69 degrees 45 minutes east 291.44 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (47) still south 69 degrees 45 minutes east, crossing said road, 558.16 feet; thence (48) north 26 degrees 27 minutes east 280.00 feet; thence (49) south 57 degrees 14 minutes east 787.00 feet; thence (50) south 59 degrees 15 minutes east 509.15 feet; thence (51) north 82 degrees 21 minutes east 707.85 feet; thence (52) north 3 degrees 09 minutes west 222.79 feet; thence (53) south 87 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds

west 94.54 feet; thence (54) south 77 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds west 107.58 feet; thence (55) north 25 degrees 25 minutes west, crossing the Muscoot river, 130.90 feet; thence (56) north 69 degrees 15 minutes east 43.87 feet; thence (57) north 8 degrees 28 minutes east 268.20 feet; thence (58) north 82 degrees 24 minutes west 547.54 feet; thence (59) north 56 degrees 01 minute west 1,628.26 feet; thence (60) north 00 degrees 16 minutes west 771.04 feet; thence (61) north 28 degrees 01 minute west 237.41 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (62) still north 28 degrees 01 minute west, crossing said road, 143.80 feet; thence (63) north 61 degrees 31 minutes west 943.17 feet; thence (64) north 14 degrees 47 minutes west 509.00 feet; thence (65) north 35 degrees 28 minutes east 413.20 feet; thence (66) north 9 degrees 56 minutes west 1,469.60 feet; thence (67) north 61 degrees 54 minutes east 145.53 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (68) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 98.00 feet; thence (69) north 28 degrees 18 minutes west 206.60 feet; thence (70) north 20 degrees 23 minutes west 298.55 feet; thence (71) north 29 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds west 40.31 feet; thence (72) north 18 degrees 57 minutes west 314.86 feet; thence (73) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 240.12 feet; thence (74) north 1 degree 46 minutes west 240.12 feet; thence (75) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 315.00 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing two hundred and seventy-six and five hundred and fifty-two one-thousandths (276,552) acres.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee except those parcels designated as Nos. 7, 17, 37, included within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

The following interest or estate will be acquired in the parcels shown on the map inclosed within the green lines, viz.:

Each and all of said parcels shall be subjected to and made to comply with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health of the State of New York, as adopted March 15, 1889, and amended August 25, 1893, a copy of which said rules and regulations is attached to said map.

The compliance with such rules and regulations will be made a condition running with the title to the said property, and such rules and regulations shall be carried out and maintained under the direction, inspection and supervision, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

In all cases where streets or highways are acquired they will be left open for public travel forever, and no change be made in length, width or grade of same.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the Register of said County, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken or affected.

Dated February 26, 1895.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Office and P. O. Address
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title in fee to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, including upland and land under water or rights therein, fronting upon Riverside Park, in the City of New York, as for a part or extension of the Riverside Park, and for public docks, wharves or commercial purposes, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 152 of the Laws of 1894.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1894, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 27th day of November, 1894, Commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of ascertaining and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 152 of the Laws of 1894, as for a part or extension of the Riverside Park and for public docks, wharves or commercial purposes, proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, including upland and land under water, or rights therein not now owned or the title to which is not vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, or the State of New York within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated by said act for the aforesaid purposes, namely:

All those pieces or parcels of land, including land under water and upland, fronting upon Riverside Park, in the City of New York, bounded southerly by the southerly side of Seventy-second street, if extended westerly; northerly by the southerly side of One Hundred and twenty-ninth street, if extended westerly; easterly by the westerly line of the route or roadway of the Hudson River Railway Company as laid down on the map of said route or roadway, filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on or about the 22d day of September, 1847, and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, laid out by the Commissioners of Central Park, and established by chapter 288 of the Laws of 1868, including the lands under water or rights therein, if any exist, in any party or person, westerly of said bulkhead-line as the same may have been heretofore granted by the State or the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, between Seventy-second and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

All parties and persons, owners, lessees or other persons interested in the real estate above described and to be taken for the purpose of the extension of Riverside Park or for public docks, wharves or commercial purposes or any part thereof, or affected by the proceedings had under or authorized by said act, chapter 152 of the Laws of 1894, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof in support thereof as the said owner or claimant may desire, within sixty days after the date of this notice (January 9, 1895), at our office, No. 166 Broadway in the City of New York, which office is also the office of Edward V. Loew, one of said Commissioners.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of March, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

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

Dated New York, January 9, 1895.
CHARLES L. GUY,
EDWARD V. LOEW,
JOHN H. COSTER,
Commissioners.

JAMES R. TORRANCE, Clerk.

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