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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending May 4, 1895:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$1,386,471 68
City Treasury.....	3,078,274 31
Total.....	\$5,064,745 99
<i>Bonds and Stock Issued.</i>	
Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$991,626 17
Three and one-quarter per cent. Bonds.....	1,600,000 00
Three per cent. Stock.....	118,015 00
Total.....	\$2,709,641 17
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$2,154 19
The Common Council—	
Salaries—Common Council.....	7,121 44
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$776 66
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	12 00
Revenue Bond Fund—Comptroller of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments.....	1,283 27
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	2,083 33
Salaries—Finance Department.....	18,635 03
Interest on the City Debt.....	22,790 29
State Taxes and Common Schools for the State.....	19,959 03
The Aqueduct Commission—	
Additional Water Fund.....	500,000 00
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	12,674 23
Salaries—Counsel to Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	\$1,314 21
Salaries—Law Department.....	416 66
Prosecuting Delinquents—Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	12,044 34
The Department of Public Works—	
Additional Water Fund—City of New York.....	158 50
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	13,933 71
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	5,017 99
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues—Maintenance.....	2,880 74
Bridge over Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	72 00
Bridge over Harlem River at First Avenue and Willis Avenue.....	2,032 31
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge Road.....	513 66
Bronx River Works—Repairs and Maintenance.....	26 25
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	219 15
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	290 50
Croton Water Fund.....	29 20
Free Floating Baths.....	12,112 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	4,032 90
Laying Croton Pipes.....	21 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	39,009 71
Public Building—Seventh District Police Court.....	292 47
Public Building—Seventh District Police Court.....	1,071 23
Public Building—Seventh District Police Court.....	24 00

<i>The Department of Public Works—</i>	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	\$764 95
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Storm-cocks, etc.....	3,252 44
Repairing and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	3,831 45
Restoring and Repaving Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,720 62
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance and Sprinkling.....	822 99
Salaries—Consulting Engineer on Pavements.....	416 66
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	22,124 36
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,808 00
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	7,914 25
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	49 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	6,995 60
Water-main Fund.....	621 50
Total.....	\$118,264 94
<i>The Department of Public Parks—</i>	
American Museum of Natural History—Completion of Addition.....	20,910 00
Aquarium.....	723 51
Castle Garden at Battery Park, etc.....	259 77
Central Park—Construction of Entrance, West 90th Street.....	15 00
Central Park, Construction of and Improvement of North-west Corner.....	142 50
Corlears Hook Park, Improvement and Construction of.....	214 29
East River Park, Improvement of.....	158 89
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance.....	709 30
Improvement and Maintenance of Parks in 23d and 24th Wards.....	1,410 93
Improvement of Parks and Parkway, Chapter 11, Laws of 1894.....	603 81
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	44,351 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Equipment, etc.....	290 00
Morningside Park—Construction of, etc.....	108 11
Parks outside of 23d and 24th Wards—Improvement and Maintenance of.....	264 12
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	1,500 22
Riverside Park, Construction of Van Cortlandt Park—Parade Ground, Improved portion.....	118 68
The Department of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards—	
Bronx River Bridges.....	3 96
Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	71,787 09

<i>The Department of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards—</i>	
Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	\$5,956 17
Public Building for 23d and 24th Wards—Crotona Park.....	48 00
Restoring and Repaving Special Fund—23d and 24th Wards.....	152 80
Salaries—Office of Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	1,708 31
Sewers and Drains—23d and 24th Wards.....	556 36
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	9,492 74
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—23d and 24th Wards.....	710 57
Total.....	\$18,649 45
<i>The Department of Public Charities and Correction—</i>	
Public Charities and Correction.....	84,532 05
<i>The Health Department—</i>	
For Bacteriological Laboratory.....	\$1,391 66
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	35 00
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	400 00
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	1,088 08
Health Fund—Payment to Board of Police.....	5,083 06
Hospital Fund—Salaries.....	18,617 16
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	85 43
Revenue Bond Fund—Health Department.....	1,626 17
Total.....	28,327 16
<i>The Police Department—</i>	
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	1,529 17
<i>The Department of Street Cleaning—</i>	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	55,625 00
<i>The Fire Department—</i>	
Fire Department—Bureau of Buildings Fund.....	\$522 50
Fire Department Fund.....	141,719 14
Fire Department Fund—For Sies, Buildings and Telegraph System.....	31,730 79
Total.....	174,002 43
<i>The Department of Buildings—</i>	
Department of Buildings—Contingencies and Emergencies.....	3 00
Department of Buildings—Salaries.....	13,453 32
Total.....	13,456 32
<i>The Department of Taxes and Assessments—</i>	
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	1,733 33
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	9,826 62
Total.....	11,559 95
<i>The Department of Docks—</i>	
Dock Fund.....	24,888 32
<i>The Board of Education—</i>	
College of the City of New York.....	\$11,062 92
Public Instruction.....	27,639 00
School-house Fund.....	3,995 00
The Normal College.....	8,665 92
Total.....	51,332 84
<i>The Board of Excise—</i>	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	9,826 78

<i>Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—</i>	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	\$1,407 50
Publication of the City Record.....	18,541 57
Municipal Service Examining Boards—	
Civil Service—City of New York.....	1,737 76
The Coroners—	
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	3,722 49
The Commissioners of Accounts—	
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	2,644 97
The Sheriff—	
Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, Horseshoeing, etc.....	\$54 00
Salaries—County Jail.....	1,200 85
Salaries—Sheriff's Office.....	8,700 99
Total.....	9,964 84
<i>The Register—</i>	
Salaries—Register's Office.....	10,833 29
<i>The Judiciary—</i>	
Salaries—City Courts.....	\$22,108 05
Salaries—Judiciary.....	94,895 03
Charitable Institutions—	
St. John's Guild.....	15,000 00
<i>Miscellaneous Purposes—</i>	
Additional Public Parks Fund.....	\$70,595 50
Armory Fund.....	14,552 57
Armories and Drill Rooms—	
Rents.....	687 50
Armories and Drill-rooms—	
Wages of Armories, Engineers, Janitors, Laborers, etc.....	5,350 00
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	874 98
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	250 00
Board of Street Opening and Improvements.....	150 00
Bureau of Licenses.....	1,120 83
Change of Grade Damage Commission, 23d and 24th Wards.....	1,228 33
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge.....	5,447 83
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	2,852 54
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	85 00
For the Preservation of Public Records.....	3,615 78
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	300,184 11
Park Avenue Improvement above 160th Street.....	50,000 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	147 92
Rents.....	30,427 16
Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Office.....	560 65
Revenue Bond Fund—For Judgments.....	72 06
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments (Salary of the Recorder).....	83 33
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (Salary of the Recorder).....	83 33
Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	450 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	21 95
Total.....	\$1,912,187 32

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 4, 1895.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
14638	Apr. 16, 1895	Public Works (Bond)	Patrick McInerney	Walter J. Ford	\$200 00	Constructing receiving-basins on northwest corner of 150th st. and on southwest corner of 151st st. and Convent ave.....	Estimate
14639	" 23, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	Joseph J. Haiduvén	A. D. Knapp	5,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging, and laying crosswalks in Teller ave., from Railroad ave., West, to 164th st.....	Estimate
14640	" 25, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	P. J. McIntyre	J. L. Ely	1,600 00	Furnishing and delivering clothing, viz.: 3,766 2/3 yards of material for men's winter suits and for women's ulsters.....	2,880 75
14641	" 30, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	Thomas Johnston	F. M. Bacon, Jr.	4,000 00	Sewer and appurtenances in Pelham ave., from existing sewer in Webster ave. to Lorillard pl.....	8,658 25
14642	May 1, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Bond)	E. J. McLaughlin	Thomas J. Byrne	495 00	Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances on northeast and northwest corners of Tremont ave. and Bathgate ave., and on northeast corner of Tremont ave. and Vanderbilt ave., East.....	495 00
14643	Apr. 25, "	Fire Department.....	John Moonan	John A. Antony	5,000 00	Furnishing and delivering forage, viz.: 500,000 pounds of hay, 100,000 pounds of straw, 5,000 bags of oats and 1,600 bags of bran.....	9,900 00
14644	" 29, "	Public Works.....	James J. Levins	Joseph A. Flynn	7,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging 189th st., from Amsterdam to Wadsworth ave.....	11,178 50

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, Etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Charles P. Curtis and ors., trustees.....	\$93,569 03	Certified copy of mandamus directing Comptroller to pay Awards Nos. 34 and 36, in matter of College pl. widening, etc.....	Hays & Greenbaum.
" ..	James V. D. Card, as substituted trustee, etc.....	76,652 51	Certified copy mandamus directing Comptroller to pay Award No. 43, in matter of College pl. widening, etc.....	Ormiston & Dorsett.
" ..	Peter McAleer.....	91 63	Transcript of judgment.....	F. Bien.
" ..	William L. Cole and ano.....	133 00	Summons and complaint. For repairs alleged to have been made to a wagon belonging to Fire Department, in October, 1894.....	Langbein Bros. & Langbein.
Com. Pleas	Ephraim Berlowitz.....	10,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries.....	Gruber & Bonynge.
Supreme..	Euphemia A. Hawes, exrx., etc., Michael Conroy and Annie Conroy.....	5,210 63	Certified copy order directing payment of certain awards for damage in proceeding for acquiring title to Cauldwell ave., from Boston road to East 163d st., etc.....	B. E. V. McCarty
" ..	The Star Company.....	1,781 40	Transcript of judgment.....	W. Shillaber.
Com. Pleas	Joseph Lefkowitz.....	36 00	Summons and complaint. For salary as Inspector of Election in 13th Election District of 19th Assembly District, Election 1894.....	Grossman & Vorhaus.
Supreme..	Henry P. De Graaf.....	3,384 69	Certified copy order directing payment of award in matter of opening Marcher ave., from Jerome ave. to Featherbed la.....	T. H. Baldwin.
" ..	Adolph M. Bendheim.....	971 75	Certified copy order directing payment of award made for Damage No. 1, in matter of opening Marcher ave., from Jerome ave. to Featherbed la.....	"
" ..	Catharine T. Smith and ors.....	2,959 35	Notice and transcript of judgment.....	J. F. Kavanagh.
" ..	In matter of acquiring title to lands on south side of 138th st., between Cypress and St. Ann's aves., for Fire Department.....		Notice of motion to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.....	F. M. Scott, Corporation Counsel.
" ..	In matter of acquiring title to land for Sedgwick and Ogden avenues approach to Macomb's Dam Bridge.....	2,112 99	Certified copies of orders confirming report and taxing costs of Commissioners in said matter.....	F. M. Scott, Corporation Counsel.

Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Apr. 29	Elizabeth Brady.....	\$5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	E. G. Davis.
" 29	Thomas Pearsall Campbell and others.....	20,733 60	For award made for Damage Map No. 1, in matter of Jerome ave. approach to Macomb's Dam Bridge.....	T. S. Bassford.
" 29	John Finnerty.....	119 97	For amount claimed to be due for salary as an employee in Department Street Cleaning (for overtime and Sunday's work) during year 1894.....	

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
May 1	Antoinette Platt.....	\$15,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	Epstein Bros.
" 1	Edward E. Kinney.....	200 00	For salary claimed to be due as Inspector in Bureau of License, from March 1 to May 1, 1895.....	J. G. Boyd.
" 1	Thomas J. McFall.....	14 51	For balance of salary claimed to be due as employee in the Commissioner of Accounts, in January, 1895.....	S. Berrick.
" 3	Hedwig Van Billig.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	C. Golzier.
" 3	Joseph Fleming.....	5,000 00	"	A. P. Wagener.
" 3	William C. Huson.....	1,328 70	For furnishing transcripts of minutes of trials in Court of Oyer and Terminer in December, 1894, and February and March, 1895.....	

Statement of the City Debt as Represented in Bonds and Stocks Outstanding April 30, 1895.

CLASSIFICATION OF BONDED DEBT.		OUTSTANDING DEC. 31, 1894.	OUTSTANDING MARCH 31, 1895.	OUTSTANDING APRIL 30, 1895.
<i>Funded Debt.</i>				
1.	Payable from Sinking Fund, under ordinances of Common Council.....	\$4,267,200 00	\$4,267,200 00	\$4,267,200 00
2.	Payable from Sinking Fund, under provisions of chapter 383, section 6, Laws of 1878, and section 176, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00
3.	Payable from Sinking Fund, under provisions of chapter 383, section 8, Laws of 1878, and section 192, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 178, Laws of 1889.....	59,283,892 98	62,893,618 28	64,550,828 62
4.	Payable from Sinking Fund, under provisions of chapter 79, Laws of 1880.....	9,808,100 00	9,810,100 00	9,810,100 00
5.	Payable from Sinking Fund, under provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884.....	31,637,500 00	32,151,000 00	32,183,000 00
6.	Payable from Taxation, under provisions of chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	445,000 00	445,000 00	445,000 00
7.	Payable from Taxation, under several statutes authorizing their issue.....	49,745,346 05	49,740,846 05	49,740,846 05
8.	Bonds issued for Local Improvements after June 9, 1880.....	8,598,042 29	8,801,793 81	8,801,793 81
9.	Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	506,000 00	494,500 00	493,000 00
Total Funded Debt.....		\$173,991,081 32	\$178,304,058 14	\$179,931,768 48
1.	Deduct Sinking Funds for Redemption of Debt (investments and cash).....	69,912,260 51	70,567,238 69	70,931,039 05
Net Funded Debt.....		\$104,078,820 81	\$107,736,819 45	\$109,000,729 43
<i>Temporary Debt—Revenue Bonds.</i>				
1.	Issued under special laws.....	\$591,433 81	\$692,589 60	\$771,918 48
2.	" in anticipation of Taxes of 1894.....	1,107,000 00	600,000 00	100,000 00
3.	" " " 1895.....		4,382,600 00	8,582,600 00
Total Revenue Bonds.....		\$1,699,033 81	\$5,675,189 60	\$9,454,518 48
Cash—				
City Treasury Account.....				\$2,838,375 92
Sinking Fund for Redemption of City Debt.....				127,474 28

Milk—Found to be watered.....	11
“ Found to be skimmed.....	9
“ Found to be skimmed and watered.....	6
“ Found to be normal.....	2
Croton water—Complete sanitary analysis (see below).....	1
Material—Found to contain opium.....	5
Well water—Contaminated.....	1
Ale—Found to contain excess of yeast.....	1

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.

Total number of dead animals removed from streets	626
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Executive Action.

The 890 deaths represent a death-rate of 25.07, against 22.93 for the previous week and 22.80 for the corresponding week of 1894.

By order of the Board, EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

Latitude $40^{\circ} 45' 58''$ N. Longitude $73^{\circ} 57' 58''$ W. Height of Instruments above the ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending May 11, 1895.

Barometer.

Mean for the week	29.97± inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., May 6th.....	30.24± "
Minimum " at 12 P. M., May 11th.....	29.55± "
Range "684 "

Thermometers.

	Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week.....	71.2 degrees		67.6 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P.M., 10th.....	90	"	79
Minimum " at 6 A.M., 6th.....	56	"	53
Range ".....	34	"	24

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the steam launch "Isabel," belonging to the Department of Street Cleaning, and now lying at Woolf's Electrozone Works, Ravenswood, L. I., will be sold by Public Auction at that place on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M. The launch may be seen at any time by applying to the Superintendent of Final Disposition, at Stable "A," 17th Street and Avenue C. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Terms of sale: The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of the sale, or the steam launch will be resold. Purchasers will be required to remove the launch from the Electrozone Works within five days after the sale.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL OUTSTANDING permits granted by this Department under chapter 697 of the Laws of 1894, for the occupancy of portions of the streets at night time and on Sundays and legal holidays, by unlicensed trucks, wagons or other vehicles will be revoked, said revocation to take effect on June 1, 1895.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to revoke any or all of said permits before June 1, 1895.

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.

CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

TO CONTRACTORS.
PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

ICE.
3,200 tons (more or less) prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered at Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and Hart's Island, in quantities as required, during the year 1895, and at Central Islip in car-loads of about 20 tons each. The weight to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name a uniform price per ton of 2,000 pounds for the entire quantity of Ice required, all of which shall be delivered at the different points named free of expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Also about 750 tons (more or less) of prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered as required at the several hospitals, prisons, etc., under charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, from Gouverneur Hospital, in Gouverneur Slip, to Fifth District Prison, East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. About one-half of the said 750 tons are to be delivered at Bellevue Hospital and the Morgue, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street. Bidders to name a uniform price per 100 pounds for the entire 750 tons (more or less) that may be required.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, May 23, 1895. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1892.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be 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.

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 11, 1895.

HENRY H. PORTER, President, JOHN P. FAURE, Commissioner, ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

NEW YORK, MAY 11, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED
FOR GENERAL REPAIRS TO STEAMER "THOMAS S. BRENNAN."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, May 23, 1895, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for General Repairs to Steamer 'Thomas S. Brennan,'" and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1892.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office, No. 66 Third Avenue; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; JOHN P. FAURE and ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 499.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE HARLEM river will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour before 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 Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows:

Mud dredging, not to exceed 15,000 cubic yards.

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Forty-first street, on the Harlem river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1895.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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. Dated NEW YORK, April 18, 1895.

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, JAMES J. PHELAN, EDWIN EINHORN, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 500.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING NORTH OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates. The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

Mud dredging, not to exceed 100,000 cubic yards.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between West Thirty-fourth and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, on the North river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1895.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof, has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, JAMES J. PHELAN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 18, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 501.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 600 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING about 600 Tons of Anthracite Coal 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 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars. The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 600 tons.

It is expected that about 500 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

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.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed delivery of materials, 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 per ton, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,240 pounds avoirdupois.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 200 tons, at such times and places and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 1st day of September, 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, per ton, for furnishing and delivering coal, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

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

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

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

and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, JAMES J. PHELAN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 18, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 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, May 22, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, from 190th street to the Harlem river.
- No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 4TH AVENUE (East side), between 33d and 34th streets.
- No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 67TH STREET, from West End avenue to the Hudson river wall.
- No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 90TH STREET, from 1st avenue to the East river.
- No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 112TH STREET, from 7th to 8th avenue.
- No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 115TH STREET, from Morningside Park, East, to Manhattan avenue.
- No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CONVENT AVENUE, from 146th to 149th street.
- No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 65TH STREET, from First avenue to Avenue A.
- No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 96TH STREET, from Park to 5th avenue.
- No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 103D STREET, from Park to Madison avenue.
- No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF COLUMBUS (or Convent) AVENUE, from 126th to 127th street.
- No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 132D STREET, from 12th avenue to the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.
- No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 136TH STREET, from 5th avenue to the Harlem river (so far as the same is and is not within the limits of grants of land under water).
- No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 138TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.
- No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 142D STREET, from the Boulevard to New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.
- No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 160TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.
- No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 165TH STREET, from Amsterdam to Edgecombe avenue.
- No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 166TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.
- No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 170TH STREET, from Amsterdam to 11th avenue.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other

person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 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 No. 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 4, 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 Thursday, May 16, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

- No. 1. FOR COMPLETING THE WORK OF REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from the south side of Thirty-fourth street to the Circle at Fifty-ninth street (except the space in and between the railroad tracks), under contract dated May 28, 1890, made with the Matt. Taylor Paving Company.
- No. 2. FOR COMPLETING THE WORK OF REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from Thirteenth to Thirty-fourth street (except the space in and between the railroad tracks), under contract dated June 30, 1890, made with the Matt. Taylor Paving Company.
- No. 3. FOR FURNISHING TWO HUNDRED BOULEVARD LAMPS AND FIFTEEN HUNDRED ADDITIONAL GLOBES.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes

in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms Nos. 1 and 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 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 M., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

- No. 1. FOR ERECTING A SUITABLE IRON FENCE ON THE RETAINING-WALL ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, from 130th street to Convent avenue.
- No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN COLUMBUS AVENUE at 75th street.
- No. 3. FOR SEWERS IN 79TH STREET (both sides), between West End avenue and Boulevard.
- No. 4. FOR SEWER IN 5TH AVENUE, between 17th and 18th streets.
- No. 5. FOR SEWER IN 105TH STREET, between Boulevard and West End avenue.
- No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING AND ERECTING A CONVEYOR, WITH THE NECESSARY TUNNEL, TOWER, HOUSING, PIER, ENGINES, SCALES AND APPURTENANCES, TO CONVEY COAL FROM BOAT IN HARLEM RIVER TO AND STORE SAME IN COALHOUSE OF THE NEW HIGH SERVICE WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms Nos. 5, 9 and 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, May 9, 1895.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS TO STEAMBOAT "FRANKLIN EDSON," OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS to Steamboat "Franklin Edson," of the Health Department, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of the 21st day of May, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for repairs to Steamboat 'Franklin Edson,' of the Health Department, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$6,000.

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation or the Health Department may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use 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. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Contract and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, New York.

CHARLES G. WILSON, CYRUS EDSON, M. D., ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE ROOSEVELT, Commissioners.

DAMAGE COM., 23D, 24TH 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. 38 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, May 7, 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FIVE (5) Horses (registered numbers 413, 463, 322, 635 and 798), will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, at 12 o'clock P. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirtieth street.

O. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.

COLLEGE OF CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX, Chairman; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.
SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with two thousand four hundred tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until one o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of May, 1895.

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

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of each size of Coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provision of the contract:

"And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to 'increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent., without compensation to the said party of the first part, other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement.'"

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interest.

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

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board, WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk. New York, April 29, 1895.

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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Eighteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 27, 1895, for Connecting Primary School No. 29 with the Fire-alarm System of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which cables of Fire Department are now placed, etc.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman, WILLIAM HOFFMANN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 13, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 4 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 24, 1895, for Connecting Grammar School No. 16 with the Fire-alarm System of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which cables of the Fire Department are now placed, etc.

THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Chairman, ARTHUR H. KENNEDY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 24, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 93.

ROBERT E. STEEL, Chairman, ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 24, 1895, for furnishing the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New School Building for Grammar School No. 66, at Kingsbridge.

ELMER A. ALLEN, Chairman, THEODORE E. THOMSON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 20, 42, 75 and Primary School No. 1.

LOUIS HAUT, Chairman, PATRICK CARROLL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895, for supplying School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47; also for Repairs at Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47.

ARTHUR G. SEDGWICK, WALDO H. RICHARDSON, RICHARD VAN COTT, J. A. HARDENBERGH, Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 42.

LOUIS HAUT, Chairman, PATRICK CARROLL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 26.

CHAS. F. BAUERDORF, Chairman, PATRICK COLLINS, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 14.

ROBERT STURGIS, Chairman, PAYSON MERRILL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 20, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 8 and 38.

C. F. SULING, Chairman, JOHN ALLAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, May 6, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Second Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 17, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Primary School No. 34.

W. E. CONKLIN, Chairman, C. F. NAETHING, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Second Ward.

Dated New York, May 4, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 12:30 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 17, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Primary School No. 14.

HERMANN BOLTE, Chairman, JOHN B. SHEA, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Dated New York, May 4, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 17, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 15, 22, 36 and 71.

GEORGE MUNDORFF, Chairman, SAMUEL D. LEVY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 4, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 17, 1895, for connecting Grammar School No. 71, with fire-alarm system of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which the cables of the Fire Department are now placed, to the respective school buildings.

GEORGE MUNDORFF, Chairman, SAMUEL D. LEVY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 4, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 17, 1895, for connecting Grammar School No. 79, Nos. 38 to 42 First street; also Primary School No. 26, No. 536 East Twelfth street, near Avenue B, with the fire-alarm system of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which the cables of the Fire Department are now placed, to the respective school buildings.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman, HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 3, 1895.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 16, 1895, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 26, 32, 33 and 48, and Primary School No. 27.

CHAS. F. BAUERDORF, Chairman, PATRICK COLLINS, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated New York, May 3, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 16, 1895, for supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 87, on northeast corner Seventh street and Amsterdam avenue.

JACQUES H. HERTS, Chairman, RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, May 3, 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 Tuesday, May 14, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 37, 39, 46, 68, 72, 83, 86, 89, 93 and Primary School No. 3.

ROBERT E. STEEL, Chairman, ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, May 1, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, for sup-

plying New School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 16 and 41.

WM. C. SMITH, THOS. FITZPATRICK, L. J. McNAMARA, ARTHUR H. KENNEDY, Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, May 1, 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 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 PUBLIC PARKS.

NEW YORK, May 9, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned works, 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, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895:

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE WALK SURROUNDING THE CONSERVATORY POND IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WESTERLY SIDEWALK OF RIVERSIDE AVENUE, FROM 72D TO 120TH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

No. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.
19,700 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base.

7,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base, including rubble-stone foundation.

The time allowed for the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS, and the penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY. The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.
30,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base.

The time for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS, and the penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY. The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The 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 for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, 64th st. and 5th ave., Central Park.

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

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK. May 9, 1895. Public notice is hereby given that open competitive examinations for the position below-mentioned will be held on the dates specified, at 10 o'clock A. M.:

May 14. SUPERVISING ENGINEER, Charities and Correction.

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX, Chairman; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.

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 4926, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging 105th st., from the Boulevard to Riverside ave.

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 105th st., from the Boulevard to Riverside ave., 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 14th day of June, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, May 14, 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 4927, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbings southeast corner of 108th st. and 2d ave., extending about 100 feet on the street and 130 feet on the avenue.

List 4929. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of 101st st., between 2d and 3d aves., and on the south side of 100th st., beginning 225 feet west of 2d ave., and extending 50 feet west.

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. Block 1679, Ward Nos. 4 and 49 to 52, inclusive, in the 12th Ward.

No. 2. South side of 101st st., between 2d and 3d aves., on Block 1650, Ward Nos. 29 to 44, inclusive, in the 12th Ward.

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 10th day of June, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, May 10, 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 4579, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging and laying crosswalks in 169th street, from Franklin avenue to 167th street.

List 4701, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging and building retaining-walls in 149th street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Morris avenue.

List 4922, No. 3. Sewers and appurtenances in Union street, between Lind avenue and (Nelson avenue) 543 1/2 feet southeasterly therefrom.

List 4923, No. 4. Sewers in Lexington avenue, between 99th and 103d streets, and in 102d street, between 3d and Lexington avenues.

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 169th street, from Franklin avenue to 167th street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of 149th street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Union street, from Anderson to Lind avenue; also property bounded by Devoe and Birch streets, Anderson and Lind avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from 99th to 103d street; also north side of 99th street, from Lexington to Park avenue, and both sides of 102d street, extending about 75 feet easterly from Lexington 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 4th day of June, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, May 4, 1895.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges, lands under water and uplands necessary to be taken for the improvement of that part of the water-front of the said city on the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms Nos. 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, and on or before the 1st day of June, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of June, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 7, 1895.
G. E. MOTT, MOSES G. BYERS, SAMUEL W. MILBANK, Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park south to Boston road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of April, 1895; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Room No. 1, fourth floor, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of June, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.
EUGENE A. PHILBIN, C. A. HELFER, JULIAN B. SHOPE, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road 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 pro-

ceeding, 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 8th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 8th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 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 East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, East, to the westerly line of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from the westerly line of Third avenue to the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, East, and westerly by the westerly line of Vanderbilt avenue, East, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out as such area is shown upon our benefit maps 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 20th day of June, 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, May 6, 1895.
FREDERICK J. DIETER, Chairman, SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT, PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to NAEGLE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge road to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

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 7th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 7th day of June, 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.: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Kingsbridge road distant southerly about 775 feet from the intersection of the centre line of Naegle avenue with the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; running thence easterly and at right angles with Kingsbridge road 125 feet; thence running northerly and parallel with Kingsbridge road to a point distant about 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Hillside street; thence running southeasterly, and for a part of the way parallel with Hillside street, to the westerly side of 11th avenue; thence along the westerly side of 11th avenue to a point distant southerly about 240 feet from the southerly side of Naegle avenue; thence running northeasterly and parallel with Naegle avenue to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the westerly side of Dyckman street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Dyckman street to the Harlem river; thence at right angles with Dyckman street to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Dyckman street; thence northwesterly and parallel with Dyckman street to a point distant about 240 feet southerly from the southerly side of Naegle avenue; thence northeasterly and parallel with Naegle avenue to a point 150 feet northeasterly from the easterly side of Academy street; thence southerly and at right angles to the line last mentioned to the intersection of the northerly side of 202d street and the easterly side of 10th avenue; thence along the northerly side of 202d street 100 feet; thence northerly and parallel with 10th avenue to the southerly side of 208th street; thence westerly along the southerly side of 208th street to the intersection of 208th street with the southerly side of Post avenue; thence along the southerly side of Post avenue to the westerly side of Dyckman street, distant northerly 310 feet from the intersection of the westerly side of Dyckman street with the northerly side of Naegle avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Dyckman street to a point in the middle of the block between Sherman and Naegle avenues; thence southwesterly and along the middle of said block to a point distant 150 feet easterly from the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly and parallel to Kingsbridge road to a point distant 262 1/2 feet northerly from the northerly side of Naegle avenue; thence westerly, and at right angles to Kingsbridge road to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence across Kingsbridge road to the west side thereof, at a point distant along the side thereof about 680 feet from the intersection of the centre line of Naegle avenue produced with the westerly side of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly and at right angles to the Kingsbridge road 125 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the Kingsbridge road to the first-mentioned line produced; thence easterly and at right angles to the Kingsbridge road to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon the 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 20th day of June, 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, May 3, 1895.
PETER B. OLNEY, Chairman, SAMUEL DINKEL-SPIEL, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of, in and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between Bethune street and Bank streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1 and chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York (Rooms 312 and 313), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the westerly side of WEST STREET, between Watts street and Canal (formerly Hoboken) street, running one hundred and twenty-five feet northerly from the northerly line of Watts street, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Watts street and Canal (formerly Hoboken) street, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York (Rooms 312 and 313), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.
HUGH R. GARDEN, EUGENE A. PHILBIN, THOMAS J. NEALIS, Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to SHERMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, 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 said 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 7th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 10 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, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1, fourth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 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.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; on the east by the westerly side of Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and thence by the westerly side of Morris avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and distant 400 feet southerly from southerly side thereof, and westerly by the easterly side of Sheridan avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown on 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 20th day of June, 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, May 3, 1895.
PETER B. OLNEY, Chairman, SAMUEL DINKEL-SPIEL, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of, in and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between Bethune street and Bank streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1 and chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York (Rooms 312 and 313), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of May, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER,
WILBUR LARREMORE,
LAWRENCE GODKIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of, in and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York (Rooms 312 and 313), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 15, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of May, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 22, 1895.

FREDERICK SMYTH, PETER B. OLNEY, C. C. CUYLER, Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to 117TH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside avenue, in the 12th Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 7, 1895.

CLIFFORD W. HARTBRIDGE, PETER MCINTYRE, APPLETON L. CLARK, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of, in and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 15, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of May, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the P. M. noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other

time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 22, 1895.

PETER B. OLNEY, A. B. BOARDMAN, C. C. BALDWIN, Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of, in and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York on the North river, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.

FRED'K SMYTH,
C. C. CUYLER,
B. PERKINS,
Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the westerly side of WEST STREET, beginning at the southerly line of Perry street, and extending southerly one hundred feet, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 15, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of May, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 10, 1895.

CHARLES W. GOULD,
CHAS. H. GRIFFEN,
W. G. LYON,
Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands on the southerly side of EAST TWELFTH STREET, between University place and Fifth avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 151 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act in relation to building sites for the Fire Department of the City of New York," and all other statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter.

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

thereto belonging, on the southerly side of East Twelfth street, between University place and Fifth avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894; said property having been duly selected by said Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of East Twelfth street, distant one hundred and eight feet and eleven inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of University place with the southerly side of East Twelfth street, and running thence southerly one hundred feet and eight inches; thence westerly and parallel with the southerly side of East Twelfth street twenty-two feet; thence northerly one hundred feet and ten inches to the southerly side of East Twelfth street; and thence easterly along the southerly side of East Twelfth street twenty-four feet and six inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT,

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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 20th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock, P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of May, 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 and County of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 2,098 feet 2 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly line of the Boulevard, measured along the easterly line of the Boulevard, to a point on the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 2,622 feet 10 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, measured along the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from the Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Fort Washington Depot road, extending from Kingsbridge road to the Boulevard, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1892, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 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, April 8, 1895.

JOHN JEROLLOMAN, Chairman.

G. M. SPEIR,

WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 11th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 11th day of June, 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 a line drawn parallel with East 165th street, and distant northerly about 405 feet, from the northerly side thereof; easterly by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Sheridan avenue; southerly by the northerly line of East 163d

street, and the prolongation easterly of said line from the westerly line of Mott avenue, to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Sheridan avenue, and westerly by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Jerome avenue, excepting from said area, all the streets, avenues, and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out 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 28th day of June, 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, May 11, 1895.

JAMES A. LAMB, Chairman, JOHN H. SPELLMAN, DANIEL SHERRY, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CROTONA PARK, SOUTH (although not yet named by proper authority), from Fulton avenue to Prospect avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 30th day of April, 1895; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Room No. 1, fourth floor, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 3d day of June, 1895, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.

MONTAGUE LESSLER, CHARLES D. BURRILL, PHILIP E. REVILLE, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Thirty-fourth street and the centre line of the block between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 17, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of May, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.

ALBERT B. BOARDMAN,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
CHAS. H. WEBB,
Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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