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### BOARD OF ALDERMEN. STATED MEETING.

THURSDAY, November 7, 1895, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in Room 16, City Hall.

#### PRESENT:

Hon. John Jeroloman, President.

John P. Windolph, Vice-President, Aldermen Nicholas T. Brown, William E. Burke, Thomas M. Campbell, William Clancy, Thomas Dwyer, Elias Goodman, Frank J. Goodwin, Joseph T. Hackett, Benjamin E. Hall, Jeremiah Kennefick, Francis J. Lantry, Frederick L. Marshall, Robert Muh, John J. Murphy, Andrew A. Noonan, John T. Oakley, John J. O'Brien, William M. K. Olcott, Charles A. Parker, Rufus R. Randall, Andrew Robinson, Joseph Schilling, Henry L. School, William Tait, Frederick A. Ware, Charles Wines, Collin H. Woodward, Jacob C. Wund.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolutions in favor of granting permits for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed applications be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolutions be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to place and keep stands, within the stoop-lines in various parts of the city, for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water, at the locations respectively set opposite their names, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NO. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, October 29, 1895.  
To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions of section 1 of an ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water, approved October 3, 1888, I herewith transmit all applications received by me to sell the articles named, not yet referred to the Committee on Law Department, as provided in said ordinance, during the month of October, 1895, which applications are as follows:

Giovanni De Stefano, 32½ Desbrosses street.	First Assembly District.	Beatson J. Bell, 3 Vesey street.
B. J. Korb, 23 Harrison street.		Samuel W. Wiley, 233 Washington street.
Charles C. Pearsall, 19 Fulton street.	Second Assembly District.	
Samuel Blumkin, 390 Broome street.	Third Assembly District.	
Julius Ginsburg, 141 Monroe street.	Fourth Assembly District.	Moses Minski, 161 Madison street.
F. De Majo, 257 Delancey street.	Fifth Assembly District.	
Abraham Morgenlander, 157 Ridge street.	Sixth Assembly District.	
John Vene, 133 East Houston street.	Seventh Assembly District.	Max Heimlich, 2 Avenue B.
Herbert C. Shear, 100 West Thirteenth street.	Eighth Assembly District.	
William M. Hendrickson, 340 Bleecker street.	Ninth Assembly District.	
Wolf Brogin, 270 Ninth avenue.	Tenth Assembly District.	O. L. Allen, 363 Seventh avenue.
James Neary, southwest corner Lexington avenue and Twenty-third street.	Eleventh Assembly District.	Filippo Bombace, 501-505 Second avenue.
Joseph P. Ahearn, 516 Tenth avenue.	Twelfth Assembly District.	
Otto Stegemann, 398 East Fifty-first street.	Thirteenth Assembly District.	
James M. Sterling, 137 Amsterdam avenue.	Fourteenth Assembly District.	Samuel Heinrich, 895 Eighth avenue.
Hugo Lahnstein, 244 and 246 Columbus avenue.	Fifteenth Assembly District.	Henry J. Ohlckers, 403 Amsterdam avenue.
George C. Germain, 784 Columbus avenue.	Sixteenth Assembly District.	Ferdinand Sabel, 407 Amsterdam avenue.
Frederick Rieger, 940 Columbus avenue.	Seventeenth Assembly District.	Henry Eitzen, 469 Amsterdam avenue.
Frederick Vagts, 434 Amsterdam avenue.	Eighteenth Assembly District.	
Giovanni Astarita, 1666 Avenue A.	Nineteenth Assembly District.	
Alexander Monaco, 1812 Third avenue.	Twentieth Assembly District.	
Louis Mongier, 301 East One Hundred and Eleventh st.	Twenty-first Assembly District.	Santo Reda, 2190 First avenue.
Rosaro Romano, 329 East One Hundred and Fifteenth st.	Twenty-second Assembly District.	Eugene Fuchs, 151 East One Hundred and Ninth street.
Joseph Leamans, 2922 Eighth avenue.	Twenty-third Assembly District.	Mina Leamans, 2920 Eighth avenue.

WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk of the Common Council.

FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND, RUFUS R. RANDALL, BENJAMIN E. HALL, Committee on Law Department.

(G. O. 564.)

Alderman Noonan moved as an amendment that the stands embraced in the Second, Fourth, Thirteenth and Nineteenth Assembly Districts be excepted from the report and laid over.

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Lantry called up G. O. 504, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Amsterdam to Riverside avenue, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

In connection herewith Alderman Lantry offered the following:

Resolved, That G. O. 504, calling for the regulating and grading of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside avenue, be corrected and amended so as to read as follows:

"That One Hundred and Eleventh street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width."

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution and ordinance as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Noonan, Olcott, Parker, Robinson, Schilling, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—26.

#### REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of repealing the ordinance adopted September 17, and approved September 23, 1895, entitled "An ordinance for the better security of life and property in the City of New York," respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the ordinance be amended by submitting the following:

Resolved, That the ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the better security of life and property in the City of New York," adopted September 17, 1895, and approved September 23, 1895, be amended by striking out the word "three" in front of the word "stories" and inserting the word "five" in place thereof. They therefore recommend that the said resolution as amended be adopted.

FREDERICK A. WARE, BENJAMIN E. HALL, JACOB C. WUND, Committee on Law Department.

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

The Committee on Railroads, to which was referred the joint application of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, for the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York to the construction, maintenance and operation of the extensions or branches of the existing roads and routes of said two first-named companies, and the connection and union thereof at a point not over one-half mile from their respective lines or routes, upon One Hundred and Ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Columbus avenue, and the establishment thereby of a new road for public travel, in or upon the surface of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan avenue, One Hun-

dred and Ninth street, Amsterdam avenue, and other streets to the Fort Lee Ferry, as particularly described in the petition of the said companies, and in the proposed resolutions submitted herewith, do hereby respectfully

#### REPORT:

That before acting upon the petition and application aforesaid, public notice thereof was given, and of the time and place when and where it would be first considered, which notice was published daily, for at least fourteen days, in two of the daily newspapers published in the City of New York, and which were designated by the Mayor of the said city for such purpose, to wit, the "Commercial Advertiser" and in the "Mail and Express."

That pursuant to such notice a public hearing was had thereon, whereat all persons desiring an opportunity to be heard were heard, and none having appeared in opposition to the application, and such application having been duly considered by the Common Council,

Your Committee, after such hearing of the facts and an investigation of the evidence presented to them, are of the opinion that the construction and operation of the railroad connection and union of the roads and routes of said companies would be a great advantage to the public, as it will furnish a new route for public travel across the city.

The applicant, the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, which is also the lessee or operator of the road of the other petitioner, controls and operates the existing railroads on One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan, Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, and by means of connections applied for will be enabled to operate a through line of cars in the streets and highways mentioned, over a new route for public travel, so as to make a connection between a point on the East river at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and the Fort Lee Ferry at One Hundred and Thirtieth street and the North river.

Such company will also be enabled to furnish transportation north and south by means of its lines on Amsterdam, Columbus and Lexington avenues, reaching the more important business centres of the city by means of the Broadway cable line, and will be enabled to furnish a complete means of transportation from the westerly side of the city, which will be used in connection with cars operated over the extension referred to herein.

Whereas, The Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company have heretofore and by petition bearing date May 20, 1895, made application in writing to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission to be granted to the construction, maintenance and operation of extensions or branches of the said first two named companies in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Columbus avenue and Amsterdam avenue, and to the maintenance and operation of the connection to be formed by the construction of the said extensions or branches of the said two companies, as a new continuous route for public travel; and

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of New York caused public notice of such application by said railroad companies, and of the time and place when the same would be first considered, to be given by publication for at least fourteen days prior to the hearing in two daily newspapers published in the City of New York, to wit, in the "Commercial Advertiser" and in the "Mail and Express," which papers were lawfully designated for that purpose by his Honor the Mayor of the City of New York; and

Whereas, After public notice given as aforesaid, and at a public hearing held pursuant thereto, at the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen in the City Hall in the City of New York, whereat all persons so desiring were given an opportunity to be heard, and no one having appeared in opposition, and such application has been first duly considered; and

Whereas, It is apparent from the proofs and evidence submitted by the said companies that they desire to connect their said two surface railroad routes at a point which is not over one-half mile from the respective lines or routes of the said companies owning lines or routes on Amsterdam and Columbus avenues, and intend to establish by the construction of said union and connection a new route for public travel, and the said petitioners have consented to operate such connection as a part of a continuous route for one fare, and it further appearing that such connection cannot be operated as an independent railroad without inconvenience to the public, but that it is to the public advantage that the same should be operated as a continuous line or route with the existing railroads; it is therefore

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York be and it hereby is given

1. To the construction, maintenance and operation of a street surface railroad as a branch or extension of the railroad of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company as follows: Connecting with the company's existing road in or upon Amsterdam avenue, at or near One Hundred and Ninth street, by suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence easterly with a single track in or upon One Hundred and Ninth street four hundred and fifty (450) feet or thereabouts, to the middle of the block, to connect at such point with an extension or branch of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company.

2. To the construction, maintenance and operation of a street surface railroad as a branch or extension of the railroad of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company as follows: Connecting with the company's existing road in or upon Columbus avenue, at or near One Hundred and Ninth street, with suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence westerly, with a single track, in or upon One Hundred and Ninth street, four hundred and fifty (450) feet or thereabouts, to the middle of the block, and connecting at such point with a branch or extension of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company.

3. To the maintenance and operation of the connection to be formed by the construction of the said extensions or branches of the said two companies as a new continuous route for public travel.

4. That the said companies and each of them be and they hereby are authorized to construct, maintain and operate such necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, cross-overs and suitable stands as shall be necessary for the convenient working of the said connection, and for the accommodation of the cars to be run over the same.

Resolved, also, That the conditions upon which, and not otherwise, the consent is given shall be and are as follows:

First—That this consent is also given upon the condition that the corporations owning or using the petitioners' railroads shall operate such connection as a part of a continuous route for one fare.

Second—That this consent is also given upon the condition that such extensions or branches shall be operated by cable-power or by an underground current of electricity, or by any other power which is now or may at any time hereafter lawfully be used on either of the roads connected thereby, excluding always, however, the operation by locomotive steam-power or by the overhead trolley system of electric traction.

Third—That this consent is also given upon the condition that the said corporations hereinbefore named shall pay into the Treasury of the City of New York, to the credit of the Sinking Fund thereof, annually on November first of each year, the percentages provided for extensions or branches in section 95 of the Railroad Law, for the purposes, at the times, in the manner and upon the conditions set forth in such section.

Resolved, further, That the consent of the said Common Council to said petition is hereby given upon the further stipulation that the said applicant condition as follows:

1st. That the material to be used in the construction of said branches to be of the best possible character, and the plans of street construction, turn-tables and turnouts to be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of this city.

2d. That the cars shall be run upon said extensions at least as frequently as required by the ordinances of the City of New York, and that at all intersecting points along the entire route of the roads of said applicants, and any road now or hereafter owned or controlled by said companies, transfers shall be issued and given to passengers for a continuous ride upon said roads intersecting for one fare of five cents.

3d. The applicants shall at all times keep the street between the tracks of its entire route, and two feet beyond the rail on each side, clean and free and clear from dirt and snow; the said dirt and snow to be removed by said company within such period of time as may be required by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning; and if not so removed and carried to the dumps, the same may be taken away by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, the expense involved to be charged to the railroad company and collected by the Comptroller in the manner by which moneys due the City are collected under the law.

4th. That the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, for the purpose of removing snow, shall be permitted to use the tracks of the railroad companies along the entire line of their roads, with connections, between the hours of one o'clock A. M. and five o'clock A. M., using on said roads proper vehicles, running on said tracks to points along the line, or to the end of the routes, if deemed necessary, such use of tracks not to interfere, however, with the operation of the cars of the said railroad companies, on the schedule of time for the running of cars, the said vehicles to be so constructed as to be readily removed from the tracks at any point, whenever it is necessary to do so, in order to avoid any and all detention of cars along the line of the companies' routes. It is also stipulated and agreed that the privilege of using the tracks, as conditioned in this section, shall only apply to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, so that if at any time contract be made with private parties to remove the snow from the streets the contractor or contractors shall not be per-



mitted to use the tracks as aforesaid, except by special arrangement with and consent by the railroad company.

5th. That the said companies shall pave the streets along its entire route, between the rails of their tracks and two feet in width outside of the tracks, to conform in all respects to the character of the pavement laid down on said street or streets, and keep the same in proper condition and repair, and if not so done, the Commissioner of Public Works to have it done at the expense of the said railroad companies, the amount to be collected by the Comptroller under due process of law.

6th. That the said railroad companies shall apply to each car a proper fender and wheel-guard conformable to such laws and ordinances as may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

7th. That all cars of said railroad companies shall be properly and sufficiently heated and lighted.

8th. That all laws now in force and all ordinances now in force and not inconsistent with any existing law and any ordinance which may be hereafter adopted affecting the surface railroads operated in this city, shall be binding and strictly complied with by said companies, and also Article IV. of the Railroad Law. A failure to comply with any condition of this consent for a period of twenty days after notice from the Common Council requiring said companies to comply therewith shall render this consent forfeitable and the same may be declared forfeited in an action instituted for such purpose by the Corporation Counsel at request of the Common Council.

CHARLES A. PARKER, ELIAS GOODMAN, FREDERICK L. MARSHALL, BENJAMIN E. HALL, Committee on Railroads.

To the Common Council of the City of New York:

The petition of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company respectfully shows to your Honorable Body:

1. That your petitioners are severally street surface railroad corporations, organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York, and own street railroads in the City of New York, and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company is the lessee of the said Ninth Avenue Railroad Company and operates its railroad, as well as that of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company.

2. That your petitioners, the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company and the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, have made and filed in each of the offices in which their certificates of incorporation are filed, to wit, in the office of the Secretary of State and in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, a statement of the names and description of the streets, roads and highways in or upon which it is proposed to construct, maintain and operate the branches or extensions herein applied for.

3. That your petitioners desire to unite the road of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company upon Amsterdam avenue with that of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company upon Columbus avenue, in One Hundred and Ninth street, at a point in said street not over one-half mile from the respective lines or routes of the said two corporations, and that said connection or union is to be formed by the construction, maintenance and operation of a branch or extension of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, as follows:

Connecting with the company's existing road in or upon Amsterdam avenue, at or near One Hundred and Ninth street, by suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence easterly with a single track in or upon One Hundred and Ninth street, four hundred and fifty feet or thereabouts to the centre of the block, to connect at such point with a branch or extension of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company; and also by the construction, maintenance and operation of a branch or extension of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, as follows:

Connecting with the company's existing road in or upon Columbus avenue, at or near One Hundred and Ninth street, by suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence westerly with a single track in or upon One Hundred and Ninth street, four hundred and fifty feet or thereabouts to the centre line of the block, to connect at such point with a branch or extension of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company.

4. That by the construction of such connection and union, your petitioners will be enabled to unite their respective street surface railroad routes at a point in One Hundred and Ninth street, which is less than one-half mile from the respective lines or routes of the said two companies, and establish by the construction of such connection a new route for public travel, and have agreed and do hereby consent to operate such connection as a part of a continuous route for one fare.

That your petitioners will be enabled to transport passengers between their lines on Amsterdam avenue to the Harlem river at One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, and to the East river at One Hundred and Sixteenth street, and thereby establish a new connection which cannot be operated as an independent railroad without inconvenience to the public, but one which it is to the public advantage should be operated as a continuous line or route with the existing railroads of your petitioners respectively.

5. That such connection is to be operated by horse-power or by cable-power, or by an underground current of electricity or by any other power which is now or may at any time hereafter lawfully be used on either of the routes connected thereby.

6. That it is necessary for your petitioners to obtain the consent of your Honorable Body in order to authorize it to construct the said proposed branch or extension.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that your Honorable Body grant its consent to the construction, maintenance and operation of the said proposed branch or extension, and to the operation of the connection to be formed by such branches or extensions, as a new continuous line or route for public travel with the existing railroads of your petitioners.

Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1895.

[SEAL] THE NINTH AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY, by GEORGE LAW, President.

[SEAL] COLUMBUS AND NINTH AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY, by H. H. VREELAND, Vice-President.

[SEAL] METROPOLITAN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY, by H. H. VREELAND, President.

Alderman Brown moved that the further reading of the report be dispensed with and that it be referred back to the Committee on Railroads for further consideration.

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

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Goodwin moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to Senator-elect Louis Munzinger.

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

#### REPORTS AGAIN RESUMED.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court to furnish premises allotted to them at Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the authority asked for should be granted. They therefore recommend that the said annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the rooms in the building on the corner of Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue, set apart for the use and occupation of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the First Department and the Justices thereof, be thoroughly fitted up and furnished at an expense not to exceed ten thousand dollars, to be charged to the appropriation for account of "Revenue Bond Fund—For preparing and fitting up rooms for Appellate Division, Supreme Court," without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor, the work to be done and supplies furnished under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works in a manner satisfactory to the Presiding Justice or the Justices of said Court and subject to his or their approval, the said sum being the amount appropriated therefor by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the twenty-sixth day of September, 1895.

WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, FREDERICK L. MARSHALL, JOHN P. WINDOLPH, FRANK J. GOODWIN, ROBERT MUH, Committee on Finance.

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

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—27.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred a duplicate copy of the Provisional Estimate of the Register's Office for carrying on the work of that Department for 1896, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they have adopted the annexed resolution, and so report. Whereas, A duplicate copy of the Departmental Estimate for the Register's Office of the City and County of New York, has been referred to this Committee for its action; and

Whereas, It is represented to this Committee that the Commissioners of Accounts claim that the amount asked for in said Departmental Estimate is unnecessarily large; therefore

Resolved, That, while this Committee recommends the greatest possible economy in the final estimates for all departments, it does not advocate the cutting down by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the Final Estimate for said Register's Office to an extent which would hamper the work of said Department.

WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, FREDERICK L. MARSHALL, FRANK J. GOODWIN, ROBERT MUH, JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor: CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, November 7, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—In view of the approaching celebration of Manhattan Day at the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., on the 25th instant, and of the desire so generally shown by our citizens to make that occasion one worthy of the metropolis, I would request that the Board of Aldermen, representing the City of New York as its legislative body, should be represented there, and it is to be hoped that some action will be taken by your Honorable Body looking to that end.

As you are aware, I have appointed a Committee of Arrangements in reference to the matter, with whom a committee from the Board might confer in order that there may be harmony of action between you.

I remain yours very truly,  
W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

In connection herewith Alderman Olcott offered the following:

Whereas, A committee has been appointed by his Honor the Mayor to properly represent the City of New York at the Atlanta Exposition on Manhattan Day, November 25, 1895; and Whereas, The Mayor has requested the Common Council to co-operate with said committee; be it

Resolved, That a Committee of Seven, of which the President shall be Chairman, be appointed by this Board to co-operate with said Citizens' Committee.

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

And the President subsequently appointed as such Committee Aldermen Olcott, Brown, Windolph, Oakley, Hall, and Noonan.

#### REPORTS AGAIN RESUMED.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred duplicates of provisional estimates of various City departments, for carrying on the work of said departments for 1896, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, inasmuch as these are matters before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and with regard to which this Committee has no specific recommendations to make, they ask to be discharged from further consideration of the matters, and ask that the papers be placed on file. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance be and they are hereby discharged from further consideration of the following duplicates of provisional estimates of various City departments for carrying on the work of said departments for 1896, and that the said duplicates be placed on file:

Departmental Estimate of the Eleventh Judicial District Court.  
Departmental Estimate of the Ninth Judicial District Court.  
Estimate for the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society Orphan Asylum.  
Departmental Estimate of the Fourth Judicial District Court.  
Departmental Estimate of First Brigade Headquarters.  
Departmental Estimate of First Signal Corps.  
Departmental Estimate of Fifth Judicial District Court.  
Estimate of New York Medical College and Hospital for Women.  
Estimate of Court of General Sessions.  
Estimate of Health Department.  
Estimate of Sheriff's Office.  
Estimate of District Attorney's Office.  
Estimate of Commissioner of Jurors.  
Estimate of Board of Education.  
Estimate of Department of Public Works.  
Estimate of Commissioners of Accounts.  
Estimate relative to School Tax, in Seventh District, Towns of Patterson and Kent.  
Estimate of Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.  
Estimate of Department of Taxes and Assessments.  
Estimate of Police Department.  
Estimate of Fire Department.  
Estimate of Department of Public Parks.  
Estimate of Trustees of Normal College.  
Estimate of Office of Counsel to the Corporation.  
Estimate of Surrogates' Court.  
Estimate of Board of Coroners.  
Estimate of Board of City Record.  
Estimate of Department of Buildings.  
Estimate of Public Administrator.  
Estimate of Finance Department.  
Estimate of Board of Assessors.  
Communication from Police Department, resolution amending estimates.  
Estimate of Board of City Magistrates.  
Communication relative to increase in the force of Police Surgeons.

WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, FREDERICK L. MARSHALL, ROBERT MUH, JOHN P. WINDOLPH, FRANK J. GOODWIN, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Provisional Estimates of the Common Council for 1896, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed estimates are proper. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to make, as a final appropriation for carrying on the work of the Common Council for the year 1896, the amounts asked for in the Provisional Estimates presented by the Clerk of the Common Council.

WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, FREDERICK L. MARSHALL, FRANK J. GOODWIN, ROBERT MUH, JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

In pursuance of the requirements contained in section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment herewith submits the Provisional Estimate for the year 1896, with their reasons for it in detail. Respectfully,

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

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

#### PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE

of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit: for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said City and County, and of the annexed territory, which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to be raised by tax to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable during the said year, not otherwise provided for; also the amount to be raised for the supply of water by tax annually, which, with the accumulations of interest thereon, will be sufficient to redeem the stocks and bonds issued, as provided by section II. of article VIII. of the Constitution of the State of New York, as amended in 1884, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York, as follows:

#### PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE FOR 1896.

##### THE MAYORALTY.

Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office:		
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$10,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks and Subordinates, and Contingencies.....	16,000 00	\$26,000 00

Bureau of Licenses—Mayor's Office:		
Salaries.....	\$12,550 00	
Contingencies.....	250 00	12,800 00

##### THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies.....	\$2,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	500 00
Salaries—Common Council:	
President of the Board of Aldermen (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$3,000 00
Thirty Aldermen, at \$2,000 each per annum (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 74, Laws of 1884; chapter 292, Laws of 1887, and chapters 397 and 408, Laws of 1892).....	60,000 00



## Salaries—Common Council:

Clerks and Officers, Board of Aldermen (section 79, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):	
Clerk.....	\$5,000 00
Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00
Special Assistant Clerk.....	2,100 00
Five Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
Four Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	4,000 00
One Librarian.....	1,000 00
One Sergeant-at-Arms.....	900 00
Two Messengers, at \$900 each.....	1,800 00

\$23,300 00

\$36,300 00

\$88,800 00

## THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Cleaning Markets.....	\$40,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office, including Expert Services.....	12,500 00
Salaries—Finance Department:	
Salary of the Comptroller (section 52, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees, including \$2,500 for salary of Engineer on Pavements and Pavement Work.....	220,000 00
Expenses of Temporary Clerks in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.....	8,000 00
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office (section 165, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	238,900 00
	25,000 00

316,400 00

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

INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT (INCLUDING INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY), ON BONDS AND STOCKS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1895, EXCLUSIVE OF FUNDED DEBT HELD BY THE SINKING FUND.

RATE PER CENT.	TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	WHEN DUE.	PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTAL INTEREST.
3	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1899	\$500,000 00	\$15,000 00	
3	Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1914	200,000 00	6,000 00	\$21,000 00
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	5,000,000 00	\$150,000 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1905	5,000,000 00	150,000 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1904	1,500,000 00	52,500 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1907	8,200,000 00	246,000 00	
3	Additional Water Stock.....	1912	250,000 00	7,500 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	100,000 00	3,000 00	
3 1/2	Additional Water Stock.....	1913-1933	300,000 00	10,500 00	619,500 00
3	Additional Water Stock for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply.....	1914	391,500 00	.....	11,745 00
3	Armory Bonds.....	1904	200,000 00	\$6,000 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1907	250,000 00	7,500 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1909	442,000 00	13,260 00	
3	Armory Bonds.....	1914	270,500 00	8,115 00	34,875 00
3 1/2	Assessment Bonds.....	1899	\$250,000 00	\$8,750 00	
3 1/2	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park) Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street.....	1899	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park) Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street.....	1901	200,000 00	6,000 00	29,750 00
7	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1903	336,600 00	\$23,562 00	
6	Assessment Fund Stock.....	1910	535,600 00	32,136 00	55,698 00
5	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	359,800 00	\$17,990 00	
6	Central Park Fund Stock.....	1898	273,000 00	16,380 00	34,370 00
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1901	266,500 00	\$15,990 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1903	100,000 00	6,000 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1904	100,000 00	6,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1901	200,000 00	14,000 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1902	465,000 00	32,550 00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1903	446,000 00	31,220 00	105,760 00
5	City Improvement Stock (Consolidated) Stock.....	1896-1926	238,000 00	\$11,900 00	
6	City Improvement Stock (Consolidated) Stock.....	1896-1926	445,000 00	26,700 00	38,600 00
6	Consolidated Stock—City Improvement Stock.....	1896	820,000 00	\$49,200 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1896	1,564,000 00	93,840 00	143,040 00
6	Consolidated Stock—County.....	1901	8,885,500 00	\$533,130 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1901	4,252,500 00	255,150 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—Dock.....	1901	1,000,000 00	60,000 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	1902	862,000 00	51,720 00	900,000 00
5	Consolidated Stock—City.....	1908-1928	6,900,000 00	.....	345,000 00
4	Consolidated Stock—City (F).....	1896-1916	300,000 00	\$15,000 00	112,000 00
5	Consolidated Stock—City (G).....	1897	31,000 00	1,550 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City (D).....	1896-1926	1,436,000 00	86,160 00	
6	Consolidated Stock—City (E).....	1896-1916	120,000 00	7,200 00	109,910 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1907	900,000 00	\$27,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1908	350,000 00	10,500 00	
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge).....	1910	178,300 00	5,349 00	42,849 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue).....	1920	400,000 00	.....	12,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal).....	1920	80,000 00	.....	2,400 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street).....	1920	100,000 00	.....	3,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue Approaches to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Bridge).....	1920	73,000 00	.....	2,190 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1910	1,000,000 00	\$30,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1913	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1920	200,000 00	6,000 00	66,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Third Avenue, in Twenty-third Ward).....	1920	50,000 00	.....	1,500 00
3	Consolidated Stock—Purchase of Ward's Island, etc.....	1913	672,409 72	.....	20,172 29
2 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (New Parks, etc.).....	1909-1929	9,357,000 00	.....	233,925 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Corlears Hook Park).....	1913	1,370,421 00	\$47,964 74	
3	Consolidated Stock (Corlears Hook Park).....	1914	124,500 00	3,735 00	51,699 74
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Driveway).....	1920	800,000 00	.....	24,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Castle Garden and Aquarium).....	1920	70,000 00	.....	2,100 00
3	Consolidated Stock (East Wing, American Museum of Natural History).....	1920	225,000 00	.....	6,750 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, New York City and Pelham Park).....	1920	310,000 00	.....	9,300 00
3	Consolidated Stock (City Improvement Stock).....	1915	778,772 36	.....	23,363 17
3	Consolidated Stock (Mulberry Bend Park).....	1924	1,584,371 00	.....	47,531 13
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Building, Crotona Park).....	1914	60,000 00	.....	1,800 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Fire Department Bonds).....	1914	108,015 00	.....	3,240 45
3	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park and Drive).....	1914	190,000 00	.....	5,700 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1914	50,000 00	.....	1,500 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Seventh District Police and Eleventh Judicial District Courts).....	1920	199,000 00	.....	5,970 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds).....	1925	60,000 00	.....	1,800 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Fire Hydrant Stock).....	1925	50,000 00	.....	1,500 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (B).....	1896	3,377,500 00	\$236,425 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—City (C).....	1896	2,947,200 00	206,304 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—County (A).....	1896	805,500 00	56,385 00	
7	Consolidated Stock—County (B).....	1896	874,700 00	61,220 00	560,343 00
3	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1906	173,000 00	\$8,650 00	
6	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1900	284,000 00	17,040 00	
7	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1900	2,184,000 00	152,880 00	178,570 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1914	355,000 00	\$10,650 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1917	500,000 00	15,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1918	500,000 00	15,000 00	

RATE PER CENT.	TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	WHEN DUE.	PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTAL INTEREST.
3	Dock Bonds.....	1919	\$1,000,000 00	\$30,000 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1920	1,050,000 00	31,500 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1921	1,250,000 00	37,500 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1922	20,000 00	600 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1923	865,000 00	25,950 00	
3	Dock Bonds.....	1924	1,125,000 00	33,750 00	
3 1/2	Dock Bonds.....	1925	660,000 00	19,800 00	
3 1/2	Dock Bonds.....	1915	1,150,000 00	40,250 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1924	500,000 00	17,500 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1908	169,200 00	8,460 00	
5	Dock Bonds.....	1909	200,000 00	10,000 00	
6	Dock Bonds.....	1905	744,000 00	44,640 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1901	500,000 00	35,000 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1902	750,000 00	52,500 00	
7	Dock Bonds.....	1904	348,800 00	24,416 00	\$467,516 00
7	Market Stock.....	1897	40,000 00	.....	2,800 00
5	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock.....	1896-1926	500,000 00	\$25,000 00	
5	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock.....	1900-1926	1,000,000 00	50,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated) Stock.....	1896-1926	500,000 00	30,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds.....	1905	248,000 00	14,880 00	119,880 00
5	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5.....	1898	150,000 00	\$7,500 00	
6	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5.....	1896	40,200 00	2,412 00	9,912 00
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 331, Laws of 1892, and Chapter 33, Laws of 1893).....	1896	1,300 00	\$39 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and Chapter 752, Laws of 1894).....	1896	44,002 53	1,320 08	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 542, Laws of 1892).....	1896	8,500 00	255 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 535, Laws of 1893).....	1896	79,432 47	2,382 97	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 536, Laws of 1893).....	1896	18,000 00	540 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 566, Laws of 1887, and Chapter 275, Laws of 1892).....	1896	1,649 62	49 49	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 548, Laws of 1894).....	1896	39,859 65	1,195 79	
3	Revenue Bonds (Section 159, Consolidation Act of 1882).....	1896	412,000 00	12,360 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 135, Laws of 1895).....	1896	2,290 40	68 71	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 180, Laws of 1895).....	1896	7,000 00	210 00	
3	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 173, Laws of 1885, and Chapter 222, Laws of 1888).....	1896	150,000 00	4,500 00	22,921 04
3	School-house Bonds.....	1897	950,000 00	\$28,500 00	
3	School-house Bonds.....	1908	3,575,945 29	107,278 36	
3	School-house Bonds.....	1911	897,205 72	26,916 17	
3 1/2	School-house Bonds.....	1912	542,553 60	18,989 38	
3	School-house Bonds.....	1913	754,560 75	22,636 82	
3	School-house Bonds.....	1914	652,814 77	19,584 44	223,905 17
3	Sanitary Improvement School-house Bonds.....	1914	45,871 00	.....	1,376 13
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3.....	1896	301,600 00	\$21,112 00	
7	Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3.....	1897	193,200 00	13,524 00	34,636 00
	Interest on indebtedness of annexed territory of Westchester County: Town of West Farms.....		390,500 00	\$26,950 00	
	Town of Morrisania.....		99,500 00	6,930 00	33,880 00
	Additional amount required to keep a sufficient sum of money on deposit with Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London (in pursuance of agreement), for the payment of such coupons of the City and County of New York as may be presented to them.....				15,000 00
	Total.....				\$4,802,278 12

ESTIMATED AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR INTEREST IN 1896, ON STOCKS AND BONDS TO BE ISSUED IN 1895, AFTER AUGUST 31, AND IN 1896.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS AND ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE AUTHORIZING THEIR ISSUE.	PURPOSES OF AUTHORIZATION.	LIMIT.	Estimated Amount required to be issued during remainder of 1895 and in 1896.	Estimated Amount required for interest in 1896, average 6 months, at 3 per cent. per annum.
Additional Croton Water Stock (Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water.....	\$1,000,000 00 annually..	\$500,000 00	\$7,500 00
Additional Water Stock (for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply) (Chaps. 189 and 515, Laws of 1893).....	To provide for the sanitary protection of the water supply.....	\$500,000 00 annually..	500,000 00	7,500 00
Assessment Bonds (Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To pay for street improvements.....	Unlimited..	1,000,000 00	15,000 00
Dock Bonds (Sec. 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	To build docks, piers, etc.	\$3,000,000 00 annually..	3,000,000 00	45,000 00
Additional Water Stock (Chap. 490, Laws of 1883).....	For new reservoirs, dams, New Aqueduct, etc.....	Unlimited..	4,000,000 00	60,000 00
School-house Bonds (Chap. 282, Laws of 1893, Chap. 459, Laws of 1894, and Chap. 88, Laws of 1895).....	For the purchase of new school sites and for the erection and furnishing of new school buildings.....	\$5,634,986 43	3,000,000 00	45,000 02
Armory Bonds (Chap. 299, Laws of 1883) and amendments thereto.....	For the purchase of land and the erection and furnishing of armories.....	Cost of same	250,000 00	3,750 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 475, Laws of 1895).....	For repaving streets and avenues.....	\$1,000,000 00 annually..	1,000,000 00	15,000 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 225, Laws of 1895).....	For west wing addition to American Museum of Natural History.....	\$500,000 00	250,000 00	3,750 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 249, Laws of 1890).....	For the Washington Bridge Park.....	Cost of same	640,000 00	9,600 00
Consolidated Stock of the City of New York (Chap. 575, Laws of 1887).....	For the improvement of Central Park and Riverside Park.....	\$87,500 00	87,500 00	1,312 50
Bonds and Stocks authorized by law, other than those above mentioned, including Bond for the Erection of Buildings, for Purchase of Sites for Small Parks, for Bridges over the Harlem River at Third Avenue, and at First Avenue, for the Jerome Avenue Approach to the new Macomb's Dam Bridge, for Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for Police Department Sites and Buildings, for the New Site and Building for the College of the City of New York, for an Extension to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, for Brooklyn Bridge Improvements, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Public Schools, for Battery Park Aquarium, for Park and Parkway Improvements, for Construction of the Speedway, for Paving Avenue A, and for New Plant for Department of Street Cleaning.....			\$7,500,000 00	\$112,500 00
Less interest on the amount of the above-described Stock and Bonds, which, it is estimated, will be purchased by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the interest on which will be payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt," as provided by section 1, chapter 176, Laws of 1889—\$1,000,000 for six months, at three per cent. per annum.....				15,000 00
Total.....				310,912 50

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



INTEREST ON REVENUE BONDS OF 1896.			
On say, \$20,000,000 of Bonds of 1896			\$275,000 00
FOR REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.			
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and chapter 752, Laws of 1894, payable on or after November 1, 1896		\$44,002 53	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 331, Laws of 1892, and chapter 33, Laws of 1893, payable on or after November 1, 1896		1,300 00	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 173, Laws of 1885, and chapter 222, Laws of 1888, payable on or after November 1, 1896		150,000 00	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 535, Laws of 1893, payable on or after November 1, 1896		79,432 47	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 542, Laws of 1892, payable November 1, 1896		8,500 00	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 536, Laws of 1892, payable on or after November 1, 1896		18,000 00	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 566, Laws of 1887, and chapter 275, Laws of 1892, payable on or after November 1, 1896		1,649 62	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of section 159, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, payable on or after November 1, 1896		412,000 00	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 546, Laws of 1893, payable on or after November 1, 1896		39,859 65	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 135, Laws of 1895, payable on or after November 1, 1896		2,290 40	
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 130, Laws of 1895, payable on or after November 1, 1896		7,000 00	
For Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County (chapter 329, Laws of 1894):			
Seven per cent. Bonds of the Town of West Farms		\$12,000 00	
Seven per cent. Bonds of the Town of Morrisania		2,000 00	
		14,000 00	

FOR INSTALLMENTS PAYABLE IN 1896.  
For amount to be raised by tax, annually, sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, to redeem the stock payable from taxation, issued after December 31, 1884, pursuant to section 11 of the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of New York, adopted at the general election held November 4, 1884 (as shown in a detailed statement).....

FOR THE STATE.			
State Taxes and Common Schools for the State:			
For Schools, $\frac{1}{100}$ mill, per chapter 808, Laws of 1895		\$1,857,373 25	
For State Care of Insane, $\frac{1}{100}$ mill, per chapter 693, Laws of 1895		1,975,928 99	
For General Purposes, $\frac{1}{100}$ mill, per chapter 808, Laws of 1895		1,857,373 25	
For Canals, $\frac{1}{100}$ mill, per chapters 202 and 808, Laws of 1895		711,334 43	

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

DATE OF LEASE.	NAMES OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1893. Mar. 15	Henry Hilton	Commissioners of Accounts	Rooms Nos. 114 and 115, Stewart Building	May 1, 1896.	\$81,500 00	\$40,750 00
		Commissioners of Jurors	Rooms Nos. 127 and 128, Stewart Building			
		Finance Department	1st floor of Stewart Building			
		Receiver of Taxes	Rooms "O," "P," "J," "OO," "PP," Stewart Building			
		Department of Taxes and Assessments	Rooms "D," "E," "F," "G," "H," "I," "K," and "DD," etc., Stewart Building			
		Department of Taxes and Assessments	Room "R," Stewart Building	May 1, 1896.	1,500 00	500 00
		Finance Department	Arrears, 1895			50 64
			Rooms Nos. 2 and 42, Stewart Building	May 1, 1896.	1,300 00	500 00
			For Arrears, 1895			750 00
			If renewed, estimated			750 00
1893. Jan. 4	George Peabody Wetmore	Department of Public Works	No. 31 Chambers st.	May 1, 1896.	12,000 00	12,000 00
1893. May 27	New Yorker Staats Zeitung	Counsel to the Corporation	2d and 3d floors and part of 4th floor, Staats Zeitung Building	May 1, 1896.	16,000 00	8,000 00
			If renewed, estimated			8,000 00
1889. Feb. 13	Mary A. Schanck, ex'x of Daniel S. Schanck, deceased.	Board of Assessors	1st loft, No. 27 Chambers street	May 1, 1897.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1891. Apr. 13	Edwin Einstein	4th District Civil Court	N. E. corner of 2d avenue and 1st st.	May 1, 1896.	2,750 00	1,375 00
1894. Apr. 30	"	4th District Civil Court	If renewed, estimated			1,375 00
			Additional room	May 1, 1896.	1,250 00	625 00
						625 00
1891. May 1	The Demilt Dispensary	6th District Civil Court	If renewed, estimated 2d story, 2d avenue and 23d street	May 1, 1895.	1,700 00	850 00
			If renewed, estimated			850 00
1894. Apr. 28	George J. Gould, Edwin Gould, Helen M. Gould and Howard Gould, executors and trustees of Jay Gould, deceased.	8th District Civil Court	Grand Opera House, Room 7, 2d floor, etc.	May 1, 1899.	3,500 00	
1894. Dec. 31	New York Turn Verein, Bloomingdale	11th District Civil Court	Light, heating, etc. 2d story of Manhattan Hall, 8th avenue, near 54th st.	Jan. 1, 1896.	3,500 00	3,662 00
			If renewed, estimated			3,500 00
1891. Aug. 18	Murray Hill Bank, assignee of Moritz Bauer	6th District Police and 10th District Civil Courts	S. W. corner 3d avenue and 158th st.	May 1, 1896.	2,600 00	1,300 00
			If renewed, estimated			1,300 00
1891. Jan. 1	Joseph Spears	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Main offices)	2622 Third avenue	Jan. 1, 1896.	2,700 00	
			If renewed			2,700 00
	Mott Haven Co.	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Yard)	143d street and College avenue	May 1, 1896.	900 00	450 00
			If renewed, estimated			450 00
1892. May 23	Henry Muller	Commissioner of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Branch office)	141st street and Alexander avenue	May 1, 1896.	1,080 00	540 00
			If renewed, estimated			540 00

For allowance to the Recorder for office rent.....

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

DATE OF LEASE.	NAMES OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENTAL.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR.
1895. Apr. 13	John L. Melcher and Chas. G. Stevens, ex'rs of the estate of Paran Stevens, deceased	9th Regiment.	26th street, between 7th and 8th avenues	May 1, 1896.	\$15,000 00	\$7,500 00
			If renewed, estimated			7,500 00
1894. Mar. 21	Katharina Schmuck	1st Battery	Nos. 334 to 340 West 44th street	May 1, 1896.	2,750 00	1,375 00
			If renewed, estimated			1,375 00

Judgments—For payment of judgments recovered against the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, not otherwise provided for.....

Real Estate, Expenses of.....

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....

## THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department:		
General Contingencies	\$20,000 00	
Contingent Counsel Fees, including \$10,000 for existing deficiencies for Special Counsel	35,000 00	\$55,000 00
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office		150 00

Salaries—Law Department:  
(Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.)  
Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation.....

Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, Employees and Subordinates.....

(Bureau of the Corporation Attorney.)  
Salary of the Corporation Attorney.....

Salaries of Assistants, Clerks and Janitor.....

Salary of Process Clerk.....

Salaries of three Process Servers, at \$1,200 each per annum.....

(Bureau of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.)

Salary of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.....

Salaries of Clerks.....

For Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes and for Service of Process, Postage, etc.....

For Salary of the Counsel to the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (chapter 331, Laws of 1893), including \$1,200 for salary of a Clerk.....

## BUREAU OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Salaries—Bureau of the Public Administrator:		
Public Administrator	\$4,000 00	
Assistant Public Administrator	2,400 00	
Chief Clerk	2,200 00	
Second Clerk	1,800 00	
Agent	1,000 00	
Law Assistant	1,000 00	
Stenographer	600 00	
Contingencies		\$13,000 00

## THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....

Repairs to Fence, etc., around Old Reservoir in Central Park.....

Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....

Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....

Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....

Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....

Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....

Free Floating Baths.....

Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....

Laying Croton Pipes (chapter 381, Laws of 1879; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs.....

Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....

Public Drinking-fountains.....

Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, including rents for Corporation Yards.....

Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....

Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....

Repeating Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875; section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....

Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....

Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....

Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....

Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, including New Criminal Court-house, and including Directories.....

Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....

Salaries—Department of Public Works:

To pay entirely the salaries of all Officers, Engineers, Superintendents, Clerks, and all other salaried employees of the Department.....

Salaries of Engineers, Clerks, Inspectors and Measurers, in the Bureau of the Water Register, engaged in the supervision and management of the distributing system and the water-meter system.....

For Salaries chargeable to—

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....

Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....

Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....

Free Floating Baths.....

Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....

Laying Croton Pipes.....

Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....

Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....

Repeating Streets and Avenues.....

Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....

Sewerage System.....

Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....

Supplying Water to Shipping and for Building Purposes.....

Surveys, Maps, etc., for Street Openings and New Streets.....

Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....

Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal, Maintenance of.....

Outside Pipe Vault at High Bridge Engine-House.....

New Brick Building at Pipe Yard, Twenty-fourth street, East River.....

Repairs of Eighth Avenue Pavement.....

Public Urinals—Erection and Maintenance.....

Salary of Consulting Engineer on Pavements and Pavement Work.....

Soldiers' Monument in Calvary Cemetery.....

## THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:

Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Secretary, and Clerical Force in the Office of the Commissioners; the Superintendent of Parks, and Clerks in his Office; the Engineer of Construction; the Meteorologist; the Entomologist, and Director of Menagerie:

President.....

Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer, Clerks, etc.....

Police:

Salaries of Captain, Sergeants, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Doormen, Special Keepers, and wages of all persons employed in the Police Stables.....

For Supplies and Repairs.....

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Water Supply for Irrigation, Construction and Repairs—For General Maintenance of all the Park System, exclusive of Parks north of the Harlem river.....

Zoological Department—For the increase and the keeping, preservation, additions to, and exhibitions of the collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including repairs to buildings used for that purpose.....

Maintenance of Museums:

For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collection in the American Museum of Natural History, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....

For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collection in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....

Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem river, including Surveying and Monumenting.....

Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....

Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance—General Maintenance and Repairs.....

Telephonic Service—For Maintaining Telephonic Service for the Department.....

Surveys, Maps and Plans—For Making Surveys and Maps for Laying-out Parks or Places, for use of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement and Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.....

Aquarium—For the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the Aquarium at Castle Garden, including Aquarist, Assistant Aquarists, Laborers, Cleaners, Attendants, Engineers, Firemen, Watchmen, Gas, Food for Fishes and Contingencies.....

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

Salaries—Office of Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—To pay entirely the Salaries of the Commissioner, his Deputy and the Clerical Force in his Office.....

Telephonic Services and Contingencies.....

Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For the Maintenance and Government of Streets, Roads and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including supplies, salaries and wages of all persons employed on the work, and including sprinkling main thoroughfares, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....

Bronx River and other Bridges—Repairing and Maintenance of.....

Cromwell's Creek Bridge—Repairing and Maintenance.....



Bridges Crossing the New York and Harlem Railroad Depression, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For maintaining, repairing, replanking, repainting, etc.	\$5,000 00
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For the rebuilding, cleaning and repairing of sewers and drains, and for the construction of temporary drains, as ordered by the Health Department.	40,000 00
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For Surveying, Laying-out and Monumenting the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including salaries and wages of all persons employed on the work, and for making surveys and maps for the opening of streets and avenues for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment; for making maps for acquiring right of way for building drains, and for advertising notices.	45,500 00
Monumenting avenues and streets (chapter 545, Laws of 1890, and chapter 443, Laws of 1893).	21,450 00
Surveying, Laying-out and Making Topographical Survey and Map of new part of Twenty-fourth Ward.	40,000 00
Copying Records—White Plains.	1,500 00
Lithographing and Printing—Final Maps and Profiles.	5,000 00
Preliminary Surveys, and the Preparation of Plans, Specifications, etc.	25,000 00
Making Rock Soundings, Borings, etc., including purchase and repair of Surveying Instruments, Apparatus, etc., and also including Sounding and Boring Machinery—Appliances for tools and apparatus, carts, etc.	10,000 00
Purchase of Paving Block, Testing Machine, etc.	1,050 00
Standard Bench Marks.	3,000 00
	\$633,000 00

## THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Department of Public Charities:	
For Salaries for all but Insane Asylums.	
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For Supplies for all but Insane Asylums.	
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Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus, including Baths	
Poor Adult Blind.	
Distribution of Coal to Out-door Poor.	
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc., and Support of Out-door Poor.	1,750,000 00
Rents for Harlem and Fordham Hospitals; Gouverneur Hospital Stables, and Water for Hart's Island.	
Donations to G. A. R. Veterans.	
Expenses of Newly Annexed District.	
Contingencies.	

## THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Department of Correction:	
For Salaries, including \$7,500 for Salary of Commissioner.	\$163,382 00
For Supplies.	244,100 00
For Repairs to Buildings.	25,000 00
For Donations to Discharged Prisoners—For money, clothing and mileage to be furnished prisoners on their discharge from the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, as required by chapter 471, Laws of 1879.	4,900 00
(The entire sum paid out under this statute is refunded to the City of New York by the State at the close of each fiscal year, September 30.)	
For Transportation, Maintenance and Expenses of Insane Criminals at Matteawan, N. Y., in accordance with chapter 289, Laws of 1884; also for Transportation and Maintenance of the Insane in other State Institutions, in accordance with section 296, chapter 410, Laws of 1892.	800 00
Contingencies.	600 00
	438,782 00

## THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund—For the following purposes and amounts, respectively:	
For Salaries—	
Commissioners.	
Secretary's Office.	
Attorney and Counsel's Office.	
Sanitary Bureau (Sanitary Superintendent's Office).	
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Contagious Diseases).	
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection).	\$257,690 00
Sanitary Bureau (Division of Vital Statistics).	
Hospitals (Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island; Willard Parker Hospital, foot of East Sixteenth street; Reception Hospital, foot of East Sixteenth street, and steamboat "Franklin Edson").	
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.	2,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.	11,800 00
Health Fund—For Disinfection.	22,500 00
Health Fund—For Payment to the Board of Police for the Services of one Sergeant of Police, two Roundsmen and forty-seven Patrolmen, detailed for the enforcement of the provisions of section 296 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, chapter 84, Laws of 1887, and chapter 188, Laws of 1889, and chapter 567, Laws of 1895.	70,800 00
For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.	25,000 00
Rents—Health Department—For premises in which to propagate vaccine virus (small-pox) and for premises in which to maintain an Ambulance and Disinfecting Station, as well as for the issuing of burial permits in the Annexed District.	3,100 00
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island, and foot of East Sixteenth street, and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases (sections 549, 550 and 551, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	54,978 00
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines (chapter 247, Laws of 1883).	8,000 00
For Bacteriological Laboratory—For Producing and Using Diphtheria Anti-toxine (sections 48, 59, 533, 553, 581, and chapter 165, Laws of 1895).	30,500 00
Hospital Fund—For Construction of pipe trenches, manhole-boxes, manholes, pipe-work, valves, pipe covering, etc., at North Brother Island.	5,500 00
Hospital Fund—For Watchman's Time Detector at North Brother Island.	500 00
Hospital Fund—For one Naphtha Launch, 10-horse power.	2,850 00
For New Disinfecting Apparatus, including new chamber for the disinfection of household furniture, merchandise, etc., including steam connections, fittings, etc., at East Sixteenth street.	5,000 00
	498,918 00

## THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Chief of Police, Deputy Chief, Inspectors, Sergeants, Captains, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Doormen, Detective Sergeants and Provisional Employment, as follows:	
For salaries of Commissioners of Police.	\$20,000 00
For salary of Chief of Police.	6,000 00
For salary of Deputy Chief of Police.	5,000 00
For salaries of 5 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each.	17,500 00
For salaries of 15 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,750 each.	41,250 00
For salaries of 39 Captains of Police, at \$2,000 each.	78,000 00
For salaries of 172 Sergeants of Police, at \$1,500 each.	258,000 00
For salaries of 180 Roundsmen of Police, at \$1,500 each.	270,000 00
For salaries of 3,537 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000, \$1,150, \$1,250, \$1,300, and \$1,400 each.	\$4,601,450 00
For salaries of 84 Doormen of Police, at \$1,000 each.	84,000 00
For salaries of 40 Detective Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each.	80,000 00
For salaries of 100 Patrolmen of Police (increase of force).	75,000 00
	\$5,655,200 00
(The salaries of 1 Sergeant, 2 Roundsmen and 47 Patrolmen having been provided for in the appropriation made to the Health Department.)	
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc., as follows:	
For salaries of Chief Clerk, First and Second Deputy Clerks, Deputies, Stenographers, Treasurer's Bookkeeper, Clerk to Chief of Police, Property Clerk, etc.	\$58,200 00
For salaries of Secretary of Civil Service Board, Chief Examiner, Clerk and Stenographer and Typewriter.	6,400 00
For salaries of Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones, Telegraph and Telephone Operators, Linemen and Batteryman.	19,600 00
For salaries of Janitor, Matron, Messengers, Cleaners and Laborers at Central Department, Cleaner at Thirty-seventh Precinct, Hostlers for Mounted Police, Employees on Steamboat and Matrons of Police.	46,940 00
	131,140 00
Supplies for Police (not including salaries or wages).	90,000 00
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting up, Additions to and Repairs of Station-houses, Stables, House of Detention, Central Department and Steamboat "Patrol," also for drafting plans and specifications and superintendence of construction and repairs of station-houses, prisons and stables.	35,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, including meals furnished to prisoners and destitute lodgers, directories, ice, rent of telephones, expenses of criminal process, investigation and trial of charges against police officers, apprehension and arrest of criminals, and expenses of erecting reviewing stands and furnishing music for the annual parade of the Police Department.	20,000 00
Patrol wagons, horses, harness and subsistence.	7,188 00
Three steam launches.	6,000 00
Police signal system.	100 00
Police Station-houses—Rents:	
A. H. Green, executor and trustee of W. B. Ogden, Thirty-first Precinct.	\$1,800 00
Robert and Ogden Golet, Seventeenth Precinct.	2,000 00
Joseph H. Godwin, Thirty-fifth Precinct.	2,000 00
Christopher Cunningham, additional accommodations for Thirty-third Precinct.	950 00
William Henderson, Westchester, sleeping accommodations for Roundsmen and Patrolmen, \$50 per month.	600 00
Fleischman & Sherwood, Westchester, stabling accommodations for horses.	600 00
Volunteer Fire Department, at Wakefield, rooms and cells used as office and sleeping apartments.	800 00
Ann Weaver, City Island, accommodations for officers.	180 00
	8,930 00
	\$5,953,558 00

## THE BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Election Expenses:	
For Compensation of Inspectors, Poll Clerks and Ballot Clerks.	\$278,400 00
For Rent of Polling Places, including \$100 for construction of Portable Booths, construction of new Ballot Booths, fitting up Polling Places, new Ballot-boxes, carting Ballot-boxes and Voting Booths, Stationery, Maps and Printing.	95,600 00
Printing Official Ballots.	40,000 00
Contingencies, including \$100 for refreshments for Clerks on Election night.	1,000 00
Compensation of Clerks to Board of County Canvassers.	2,000 00
	\$417,000 00
Salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.	\$4,000 00
Salary of the Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Elections.	2,000 00
	6,000 00
Advertising Election Districts, Polling Places, and the Official Canvass; for advertising election notices by the Clerk of the Common Council; and for advertising election notices by the Sheriff.	40,000 00
For Advertising List of Nominations by the Police Commissioners, pursuant to section 61, chapter 680, Laws of 1892.	11,500 00
	\$474,500 00

## THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning:	
Administration.	\$210,700 00
Sweeping.	1,200,700 00
Carting.	800,000 00
Final Disposition of Material, including Cremation or Utilization.	375,000 00
Rents and Contingencies, including repairs of stables and gas.	80,000 00
Removal of Snow and Ice.	40,000 00
New Stock, Plant.	10,000 00
	2,715,700 00

## THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund:	
For Salaries, viz.:	
Headquarters Pay-roll.	\$57,494 00
Chief of Department and Assistants Pay-roll.	60,500 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll—For pay of Foreman, Assistant Foreman, Engineers and Fireman of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboats, and of the Ununiformed Firemen on probation.	1,713,300 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.	20,100 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.	9,700 00
Bureau of Fire-alarm and Electrical Appliances Pay-roll.	56,000 00
Repair Shops Pay-roll.	61,643 00
Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.	13,316 00
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.	700 00
	\$1,992,253 00
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.—For New Apparatus, Horses, Rents, Hose, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for.	342,300 00
	2,334,553 00

## THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Department of Buildings:	
Salaries—To Pay entirely the Salaries of the Superintendent, First and Second Deputies, Attorney to the Department and Assistants, Chief Clerk, Clerks, Inspectors, Stenographers and Typewriters, Messengers, and all other Employees of the Department.	\$285,800 00
Rents.	8,500 00
Board of Examiners' Fees.	5,200 00
Fees in Serving Summonses.	1,200 00
Contingencies and Emergencies.	10,000 00
	310,700 00

## THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.	\$2,750 00
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments:	
Salaries of the Commissioners.	\$22,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Deputies and Employees.	116,970 00
	138,970 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors:	
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks.	20,800 00
	162,520 00

## THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction:	
(Salaries, Wages, etc.)	
For Salaries of Teachers in Grammar and Primary Schools.	\$3,728,327 00
For Salaries of Janitors in Grammar and Primary Schools.	278,075 00
For Salaries of Teachers and Janitors in Evening Schools.	177,000 00
For Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other employees of the Board of Education.	49,700 00
For Salaries of City Superintendent and Assistants.	52,124 97
For Enforcement of the Act, Chapter 671, Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to provide for the Compulsory Education of Children"—Salaries of Attendance Officers.	22,600 00
For Salaries of Clerks of the Boards of School Trustees.	3,000 00
For Support of the Nautical School—Wages, current expenses, repairs, etc.	31,810 00
Rents, Supplies, Temporary School Buildings, etc.)	
For Rents of School Premises and Premises No. 160 Elm street for an Annex to the Hall of the Board of Education, and for Erection of Temporary School Buildings.	66,370 00
For Fuel for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.	104,032 50
For Gas and other methods of lighting for all the Schools and the Hall of the Board of Education.	42,000 00
For Supplies, Books, Maps, Slates, Stationery, etc., for use of all the Schools.	234,271 00
For Libraries, per Acts of the Legislature.	15,214 24
(Incidental Expenses.)	
For Incidental Expenses of the Board of Education.	22,500 00
For Incidental Expenses of the Evening Schools.	1,500 00
(General Repair Fund.)	
For Incidental Expenses of Ward Schools—Repairs.	67,507 00
For Buildings—Contingent Fund.	57,800 00
For Sanitary Work, Changes and Repairs of.	140,651 00
For Repairs to Buildings.	207,318 00
For Heating and Ventilating Apparatus, Changes and Repairs of.	39,434 00
For Special Alterations to Janitors' Apartments.	60,000 00
For Placing Fire-alarm Telegraph Wires in the Subways.	14,400 00
For Furniture and Repairs of.	37,544 00
For Pianos and Repairs of.	2,000 00
(Miscellaneous.)	
For Corporate Schools, as per acts of the Legislature.	145,000 00
For Lectures to Workingmen and Workingwomen—Free.	31,500 00
For Transportation of Pupils in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	4,000 00
For the purchase and display of United States flags on Public School Buildings.	7,500 00
For School Census.	100 00
	5,643,368 71

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York:	
For Salaries of Professors and Officers, Scientific Apparatus, Books and Supplies, Support and Maintenance, and all other expenses, including alterations and repairs to buildings.	150,000 00

## THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

## PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the CITY RECORD, including the Preparation and Printing of the Registry of Voters.	\$67,000 00
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.	10,200 00
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—For all printing, stationery and blank books required by the Common Council and the Departments and Offices of the City Government, and the Courts (except printing the CITY RECORD), and including the cost of publishing the Calendars of Courts, under chapter 656, Laws of 1874, and also including Arrearages.	200,000 00
	277,200 00

## MUNICIPAL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of:	
For Salaries and Contingencies, and for pay of Experts and Examiners, to be expended under direction of the Mayor.	27,500 00

## THE CORONERS.

Coroners—Salaries and Expenses (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882):	
Salaries of four Coroners, at \$5,000 each.	\$20,000 00
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each.	12,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	3,500 00
Contingent Expenses of four Coroners, including clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each (section 1767, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	12,000 00
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical analyses (sections 1771 and 1772, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).	2,500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners (section 1768, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), such salary to include all copies furnished to the District Attorney, or any stenographic work connected with the Coroners' Office.	2,500 00
Salary of Replevin Clerk.	2,200 00
Salary of Assistant Clerk (chapter 846, Laws of 1895).	1,500 00
	56,200 00

## THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts (chapter 516, Laws of 1884):	
Salaries of two Commissioners, at \$5,000 each.	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Assistants and Contingencies.	55,000 00
	65,000 00

## THE SHERIFF.

Salaries—Sheriff's Office:	
For Salaries of Sheriff, Under Sheriff, Counsel, Deputy Sheriffs and Assistant Deputies.	\$73,000 00
For Salaries of Clerks in Sheriff's Office.	26,300 00
For Compensation for Jury Notice Servers.	5,500 00
For Salaries of Prison Guards and Van Drivers.	8,200 00
	\$113,000 00



Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail, including furniture, bedding and other supplies for the jail, and including the purchase of railroad tickets.....	\$2,500 00	
Furniture, Keep of Horses, Repairs to Vans, Horseshoeing, etc.....	1,000 00	
Salaries—County Jail:		
For Salary of Warden and Keepers, Clerk, Physician, Engineers and Employees of the County Jail.....	17,652 00	
Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail, at 70 cents per day per capita.....	3,000 00	\$137,232 00

## THE REGISTER.

Salaries—Register's Office:		
Salary of the Register.....	\$12,000 00	
Salaries of Deputy, Assistant Deputy, Chief Clerk, Satisfaction Clerk, Tickler Clerks, Mortgage Clerks, Search Clerk, Account Clerk, Index Clerks, Map Clerks, Examiners, Readers, Searchers, Custodians, Recording Clerks, Watchmen and Messengers, and Clerical Service under chapter 349, Laws of 1889.....	68,000 00	
Contingencies—Register's Office.....	250 00	80,250 00

## THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armorer, Janitors, Engineers and Laborers for the State National Guard, as provided by section 10, chapter 412, Laws of 1886, and section 64, chapter 360, Laws of 1890, and chapter 559, Laws of 1893, as follows:		
Seventh Regiment:		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	3,660 00	\$8,052 00
Eighth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
4 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,928 00	7,320 00
Ninth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,196 00	6,588 00
Twelfth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
4 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,928 00	7,320 00
Twenty-second Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
4 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,928 00	7,320 00
Sixty-ninth Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	1,464 00	5,856 00
Seventy-first Regiment—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
4 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,928 00	7,320 00
First Battery—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	732 00	3,660 00
Second Battery—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	1,464 00	4,392 00
Squadron "A"—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,196 00	6,588 00
First Naval Battalion—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,464 00	
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	1,464 00	5,856 00
Brigade Headquarters—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
First Brigade Signal Corps—		
1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	1,464 00	
Seventh Regiment Armory, Trustees of—For payment to the Trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory Building, for repairing, altering, maintaining and improving said building, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 518, Laws of 1893.....		73,200 00

## MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Advertising—For Advertising for all Departments and County Offices not otherwise provided for under special provisions of law, including arrears.....	25,000 00	
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials, including arrears.....	75,000 00	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	3,000 00	
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (For Salary of the Recorder as a Member of the Sinking Fund Commission).....	1,000 00	
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments (For Salary of the Recorder as a Member of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments).....	1,000 00	
Board of Street Opening and Improvement:		
Salary of the Secretary.....	\$2,000 00	
Contingencies.....	10 00	2,010 00
For the Preservation of Public Records (chapter 467, Laws of 1890):		
The Register's Office—For the Recopying of the Mutilated Records in the Office of the Register of the County of New York, as follows:		
Salaries of Clerks.....	\$8,300 00	
Libers, Index Books, etc.....	1,000 00	\$9,300 00
The County Clerk's Office—For the Recopying and Binding of Records in the Office of the County Clerk of the County of New York, as follows:		
Eleven Clerks.....	\$12,300 00	
Two Bookbinders.....	1,800 00	
Bookbinders' Materials, Stationery, etc.....	500 00	14,600 00
The Surrogate's Office—For the Recopying of the Mutilated Records in the Office of the Surrogate of the County of New York, as follows:		
Examiner and Superintendent.....	\$1,500 00	
Eight Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00	
Six Libers, at \$30 each.....	180 00	
Stationery.....	100 00	11,380 00
Salaries of Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures:		
For Salaries of two Inspectors, at \$1,500 each per annum.....	\$3,000 00	
For Salaries of two Sealers, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	2,400 00	5,400 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	250,000 00	
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	20,000 00	
Disbursements and Fees under section 658 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.....	1,000 00	
For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....	35,000 00	
For Allowance to the Aguilar Free Library Society, for Library Purposes (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....	14,000 00	
For Allowance to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the City of New York, for Free Library (chapter 666, Laws of 1886).....	12,500 00	
For Allowance to the Webster Free Library, for Library Purposes (chapter 378, Laws of 1892).....	2,000 00	
For Fees of Stenographers for transcribing minutes of trials in the Court of General Sessions, and providing for the expense of preparing and printing minutes and judgment rolls in the Court of General Sessions, as provided by chapter 81, Laws of 1888, and chapter 379, Laws of 1889.....	10,000 00	
Fees of Witnesses subpoenaed on behalf of the People (chapter 48, Laws of 1895).....	20,000 00	
Examining Board of Plumbers (chapter 602, Laws of 1892):		
Examiners.....	\$720 00	
Clerk.....	300 00	1,020 00
Claim of the Washington Arch Committee for the erection and decoration of stands in Washington Square, for use of the State and City authorities on occasion of the transfer of the Washington Arch to the City, in May, 1895.....	2,286 90	
Memorial Committee, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses incidental to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1896.....	2,500 00	
Bronx Valley Sewer Commission, expenses of (chapter 1021, Laws of 1895).....	5,000 00	
Benjamin Brewster and Richard M. Hoe as Executors and Trustees of David Dows, deceased; To refund amount of taxes for year 1891 on personal estate, paid on an erroneous assessment set aside by the Supreme Court, affirmed by the Court of Appeals, pursuant to a judgment filed and entered on March 11, 1895, as follows:		
Taxes and charges paid.....	\$19,948 10	
Interest from February 8, 1892, to January 1, 1896, at 6 per cent.....	4,664 53	\$24,612 63
Costs allowed.....	\$747 10	
Interest from March 11, 1895, to January 1, 1896, at 6 per cent.....	36 10	783 20

For such other claims as may be taken up for audit and allowance.....	\$100 00
The Pasture Institute:	
For treatment of John Kearney, Police Officer, against hydrophobia, June 8 to 22, 1893, 14 days at \$10 per day, and for treatment of Rudolph Neuschaffer, Police Officer, against hydrophobia, August 5 to 20, 1893, 15 days at \$10 per day.....	290 00

## THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts:		
(City Magistrates' Courts.)		
Salaries of 9 City Magistrates, at \$7,000 each per annum.....	\$63,000 00	
Salaries of 7 Police Clerks, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	17,500 00	
Salaries of 18 Police Clerks' Assistants, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	36,000 00	
Salaries of 6 Stenographers, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	12,000 00	
Salaries of 6 Interpreters, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	7,200 00	
Salary of 1 Attendant.....	1,800 00	
Salary of Secretary to Board of City Magistrates.....	1,000 00	\$137,900 00
(District Courts.)		
Salaries of 11 District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum.....	\$66,000 00	
Salaries of Clerks, Stenographers, Interpreters and Attendants.....	124,200 00	
Salaries of 11 Janitors, at \$900 each per annum (section 1435 New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).....	9,900 00	200,100 00
Salaries—Judiciary:		338,000 00
(The Supreme Court.)		
Ten Justices, at \$11,500 each per annum.....	\$115,000 00	
Twelve Justices, at \$17,500 each per annum.....	210,000 00	
Two Clerks, at \$3,500 each per annum.....	7,000 00	
Twenty-one Clerks, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	52,500 00	
Twenty-four Justices' Clerks, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	60,000 00	
One Assistant Clerk.....	2,000 00	
Twelve Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500 each per annum.....	18,000 00	
Twenty-two Stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	55,000 00	
Two Librarians, one at \$2,500 and one at \$2,000 per annum.....	4,500 00	
Two Criers, one at \$2,500 and one at \$2,000 per annum.....	4,500 00	
Two Interpreters, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	5,000 00	
Eleven Attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	13,200 00	
Eighty-five Attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	85,000 00	
Compensation of Justices from other counties.....	12,500 00	\$644,200 00
(The City Court of New York.)		
Six Justices, at \$10,000 each per annum.....	\$60,000 00	
Clerks, Deputy Clerks and Assistant Clerks.....	29,000 00	
Four Stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	10,000 00	
Interpreter.....	1,500 00	
Thirteen Attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	13,000 00	113,500 00
(The Court of General Sessions.)		
Recorder.....	\$12,000 00	
City Judge.....	12,000 00	
Judge.....	12,000 00	
Judge.....	12,000 00	
Clerk.....	5,000 00	
Eight Deputy Clerks, at \$3,000 each per annum.....	24,000 00	
Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	
Four Record Clerks, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	4,800 00	
Four Stenographers, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	10,000 00	
Three Interpreters, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	6,000 00	
Warden of Grand Jury.....	2,000 00	
Eleven Attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	13,200 00	
Thirty-three Attendants, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	33,000 00	
Contingencies and Rent of Telephones.....	1,500 00	162,500 00
(The Surrogate's Court.)		
The Surrogate (chapter 290, Laws of 1889).....	\$15,000 00	
Chief Clerk, Deputy Chief Clerk, Law Assistants, Stenographers, Probate Clerks, Certificate Clerk, Interpreter, Accounting Clerks, Administration Clerks, Court Clerks, Examiners, Clerks, Searchers, Attendants, Messengers, Copyists and Stenographer's Amanuensis.....	92,990 00	
Contingencies.....	1,200 00	
Contingencies—For Service by the Sheriff of Citations and Orders issued out of the Surrogate's Court.....	1,000 00	
Additional Surrogate (chapter 642, Laws of 1892).....	15,000 00	
One Clerk of Additional Part.....	2,500 00	
One Stenographer.....	2,500 00	
One Clerk to Additional Surrogate.....	1,500 00	
Two Recording Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00	
Three Court Attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00	137,290 00
(The County Clerk's Office.)		
The County Clerk (chapter 299, Laws of 1884).....	\$15,000 00	
Deputy Clerks, Comparing Clerks, Recording Clerks, Stenographer, Docket Clerks, Custodians, Messengers and Janitor.....	46,850 00	
Searching Department:		
Searchers.....	14,500 00	
Clerks and Custodians.....	4,480 00	
Contingencies.....	400 00	81,230 00
(The District Attorney's Office.)		
The District Attorney.....	\$12,000 00	
Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Typewriter, Subpoena Servers and Messengers, including Stenographer for the Grand Jury.....	165,250 00	177,250 00
(The Commissioner of Jurors' Office.)		
Salary of the Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$5,000 00	
For contingent expenses, including clerk hire and all other incidental expenses (chapter 426, Laws of 1883).....	29,100 00	34,100 00
(The Court of Special Sessions.)		
Five Justices at \$9,000 each per annum.....	\$45,000 00	
Clerk.....	4,000 00	
Deputy Clerk.....	3,000 00	
Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00	
Stenographer.....	2,400 00	
Interpreter.....	2,000 00	
Seven Subpoena Clerks, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	8,400 00	
Two Messengers at \$1,000 each per annum.....	2,000 00	
Contingencies.....	1,000 00	69,300 00
ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.		1,419,370 00
Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-Minded Children:		
(Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapters 324 and 356, Laws of 1892.)		
For furnishing clothing for 21 inmates, at \$30 each.....	\$630 00	
For furnishing clothing for 24 inmates, at \$25 each.....	600 00	\$1,230 00
Children's Aid Society.....		70,000 00
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
The Children's Fold of the City of New York:		
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of children, 163, at \$2 per week each.....	17,000 00	
American Female Guardian Society.....		25,000 00
(Sections 194, 210 and 1066, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society:		
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 727, at \$110 per annum each.....	80,000 00	
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:		
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For education and support of 80 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$24,000 00	
For clothing 75 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum.....	2,250 00	26,250 00
New York Foundling Hospital:		
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of children, 1,870, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$260,079 60	
Estimated number of needy and homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 110, at \$18 per month each.....	23,760 00	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 100, at \$25 each.....	2,500 00	
Deficiency for 1894.....	3,552 30	
Deficiency for 1895.....	10,100 00	299,991 90
Hudson River State Hospital:		
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 515, Laws of 1884.)		
(Chapter 126, Laws of 1890.)		
For maintenance of 30 inmates, at \$3.75 per week each.....	5,850 00	
New York Institution for the Blind:		
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
For clothing 110 pupils, at \$50 each.....	5,500 00	
New York Catholic Protectorary:		
(Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,500, at \$110 per annum each.....	275,000 00	
New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb:		
(Chapter 305, Laws of 1863.)		
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)		
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For education and support of 100 county pupils, at \$300 per annum each.....	\$30,000 00	
For clothing 110 State pupils by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at \$30 each.....	3,570 00	33,570 00



<b>New York Infirmiry for Women and Children:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 200, at \$25 each.....	\$5,000 00	
Deficiency for 1894.....	250 00	\$5,250 00
<b>New York Juvenile Asylum:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,065, at \$110 per annum each.....		117,150 00
<b>New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 175, at \$150 per annum each.....		26,250 00
<b>Nursery and Child's Hospital:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of children, 555, at \$10 per month each.....	\$66,600 00	
Estimated average number of lying-in women, 90, at \$5 per week each.....	23,400 00	
		90,000 00
<b>Utica State Hospital:</b> (Chapter 132, Laws of 1890.)		
One inmate.....		200 00
<b>Five Points House of Industry:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 58, at \$52 per annum each, say.....		3,000 00
<b>Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 228, at \$110 per annum each.....		25,000 00
<b>Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 96, at \$5 per week each, say.....		5,000 00
<b>St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:</b> (Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.) (Chapter 378, Laws of 1887.)		
For education and support of 96 county pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$28,800 00	
For clothing 86 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum.....	2,580 00	
Deficiency for 1894.....	74 52	
		31,454 52
<b>The Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Middletown State Homoeopathic Hospital: (Chapter 132, Laws of 1890.)		5,000 00
Estimated average number of inmates, 30, at \$3.75 per week each.....		5,850 00
<b>Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society:</b> (Chapter 185, Laws of 1889.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 850, at \$104 per annum each.....		90,000 00
<b>Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy:</b> (Chapter 353, Laws of 1886.) (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 140, at \$110 per annum each.....		15,400 00
<b>New York Female Asylum for Lying-in Women:</b> (Chapter 424, Laws of 1893.)		
Estimated average number of obstetrical cases, 275, at \$25 each.....		6,875 00
<b>New York Medical College and Hospital for Women:</b> (Chapter 723, Laws of 1893.)		
Estimated average number of obstetrical cases, 267, at \$25 each, say.....	\$6,675 00	
Care and nursing, \$18 per month.....	324 00	
		7,000 00
<b>Matteawan State Hospital:</b> (Chapter 81, Laws of 1893.)		
Estimated number of inmates, 62, at \$3.75 per week each, say.....		12,000 00
<b>The Babies' Hospital:</b> (Chapter 388, Laws of 1891.)		
Estimated average number of children, 43, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$5,963 10	
Estimated number of homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 2 at \$12 per month each, say.....	192 00	
		6,155 10
<b>New York Infant Asylum:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of children, —, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$59,641 00	
Estimated average number of homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 152, at \$18 per month each.....	32,832 00	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 301, at \$25 each.....	7,525 00	
		99,998 00
<b>Peabody Home for Aged and Indigent Women:</b> (Chapter 424, Laws of 1893.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 25, at \$150 each per annum.....		3,750 00
<b>Sloane Maternity Hospital:</b> (Chapter 124, Laws of 1893.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 32, at \$5 per week each, say.....		8,000 00
<b>Babies' Wards of the Post-Graduate Hospital:</b> (Chapter 192, Laws of 1894.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 58, at 38 cents per day each.....		8,044 66
<b>Mothers and Babies' Hospital:</b> (Chapter 517, Laws of 1894.)		
Estimated average number of patients, 300, at \$15 each.....	\$4,500 00	
Deficiency for 1895.....	1,185 00	
		5,685 00
<b>New York Magdalen Benevolent Asylum and Home for Fallen Women:</b> (Section 194, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$110 per annum each.....		2,200 00
<b>Sanitarium for Hebrew Children:</b> (Chapter 501, Laws of 1894.)		
.....		5,000 00
<b>St. John's Guild:</b> (Chapter 501, Laws of 1894.)		
.....		30,000 00
<b>New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children:</b> (Chapters 25 and 336, Laws of 1894.)		
.....		30,000 00
<b>Central New York Institution for Deaf Mutes:</b> For clothing 1 pupil.....		
		30 00
<b>New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital:</b> (Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)		
.....		30,000 00
<b>The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York:</b> (Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)		
.....		12,000 00
<b>New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital:</b> (Chapter 665, Laws of 1895.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 14, at \$1 per day each, say.....		5,000 00
		\$1,530,684 18
<b>Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law.....</b>		
		2,400,000 00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>\$42,754,701 91</b>

Resolved, That the Provisional Estimate, made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 30th day of October, 1895, of the amount required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business in the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the ensuing financial year, to wit: for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, be submitted to the Board of Aldermen, with the reasons for it in detail, as required by section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as follows:

#### THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The amount appropriated for the Common Council in the Provisional Estimate for 1896 is eighty-eight thousand eight hundred dollars (\$88,800), being the amount of the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and an increase of eight hundred dollars over the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### THE MAYORALTY.

The amount appropriated for the expenses of the Mayor's Office in 1896 is twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000), being the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and \$1,800 less than was allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895, which includes the salary of the Mayor, as fixed by law at \$10,000 per annum. For the Mayor's Marshal's Office the sum of twelve thousand eight hundred dollars (\$12,800) was asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1896, and that amount has been allowed as necessary and reasonable in the Provisional Estimate, being \$900 less than was allowed for that purpose in the Final Estimate of 1895.

#### THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$316,400 was asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1896, as required for the several objects and purposes therein, and is allowed as reasonable and necessary, including the salary of the Comptroller, fixed by law at \$10,000 per annum, and the compensation of the Chamberlain, also provided for by law, at \$25,000, and including the sum of \$40,000 for cleaning markets. The total is the same as that allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

In accordance with the statements submitted by the Comptroller with the Departmental Estimates, the amount appropriated for interest becoming due and payable in 1896 on Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York, exclusive of Interest on Bonds and Stocks in the Sinking Fund, made payable therefrom by chapter 178 of the Laws of 1889 and including Interest on Bonds of the Towns of Morrisania and West Farms, issued prior to their annexation to the City, and also interest on the estimated amount of Revenue Bonds to be issued in 1896, amounting in all to \$5,388,190.62, has been included in the Provisional Estimate to be raised by tax in 1896, which is an increase of \$301,048.99 over the Final Estimate of 1895.

#### THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

The sum of \$778,034.67 is included in the Provisional Estimate for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds made payable in 1896 by special acts of the Legislature, and the Redemption of the Debt of Towns of Morrisania and West Farms, which becomes due in 1896, and also the sum of \$1,486,650.44, pursuant to the provisions of the State Constitution, requiring installments to be raised by tax annually for the redemption, at maturity, of Bonds issued after December 31, 1884, for the supply of water, amounting in all to \$2,264,685.11, being an increase over the Final Estimate of 1895 of \$290,541.80.

#### THE STATE TAXES.

The State taxes for 1896, as certified by the State Comptroller, amount to \$6,402,009.92, and consist of the following items:

For Schools, .94 mill.....	\$1,857,373 25
For State Care of Insane, 1 mill.....	1,975,928 99
For General Purposes, .94 mill.....	1,857,373 25
For Canals, .36 mill.....	711,334 43
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$6,402,009 92</b>

—This amount has been allowed, provisionally, in full.

#### RENTS.

The sum of \$137,222.64 is appropriated for rents of premises leased to the City for various Departments, Public Offices, Court-rooms, etc., other than armories and drill-rooms, being an increase of \$2,455.64 over the Final Estimate of 1895.

For rents of armories and drill-rooms for the National Guard not provided with quarters belonging to the City, the sum of \$17,750 is allowed, being the same amount included in the Final Estimate of 1895.

#### JUDGMENTS.

For the payment of judgments against the City that have been or may be obtained, and not otherwise provided for, the sum of \$125,000 is included in the Provisional Estimate of 1896, that amount being deemed necessary for this purpose, and being the same as allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$201,550 was asked for in the Departmental Estimate, being \$30,650 less than was allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895, and this amount has been included in the Provisional Estimate for 1896.

#### THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

By chapter 827 of the Laws of 1895 the Bureau of the Public Administrator, which had been included in the Law Department, was constituted an independent bureau. The amount allowed for this Bureau in the Provisional Estimate of 1896 is \$13,890, that amount being deemed necessary for the proper conduct of the office.

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The sum of \$3,186,130 is appropriated for all objects and purposes, being \$50,650 more than the Final Estimate for 1895. The amount appropriated is believed by a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to be necessary for the purposes and objects thereof.

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

The sum of \$1,191,255 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes, which is less than the Departmental Estimate by \$4,500, and \$7,700 less than the Final Estimate for 1895.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.**  
The sum of \$633,000 is appropriated for all the purposes and objects of this Department, being \$206,530 more than the Final Estimate for 1895, and \$276,995 less than the Departmental Estimate for 1896. This increase is deemed necessary owing to the rapid increase in growth of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards and the large addition of territory effected by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1894.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

The sum of \$1,750,000 is appropriated as necessary for the purposes and objects of this Department, which was created by chapter 912 of the Laws of 1895.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

It is estimated that this Department, which has also been created by chapter 912 of the Laws of 1895, will require at least \$438,782 for the ensuing year, and this amount has been accordingly allowed.

#### THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$498,918 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of this Department, being \$90,420 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$38,238 more than the Final Estimate of 1895.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$5,953,558 is believed by the majority of this Board to be necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of this Department and is therefore appropriated provisionally. This amount is \$88,735.70 more than the Final Estimate of 1895.

#### BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

The sum of \$474,500 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all purposes and objects, being \$6,200 less than the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and \$61,600 more than the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

In the opinion of the majority of this Board the sum of \$2,715,700 is necessary and sufficient for the purposes and objects of this Department and is therefore allowed provisionally, this amount being \$319,700 more than the Final Estimate for 1895 and \$471,352 less than requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1896.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The sum of \$2,334,553 is regarded by the majority of this Board as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes of this Department, being \$294,685 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$250,132 more than the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

The sum of \$310,700 is appropriated for all objects and purposes, being \$19,950 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$106,000 more than the Final Estimate of 1895. The amount thus appropriated is considered by a majority of this Board to be both necessary and sufficient for the proper conduct of this Department.

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

The sum of \$162,520 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for the expenses of this Department, being the same amount as asked for in the Departmental Estimate and \$10,720 more than the Final Estimate of 1895, this increase having been made necessary by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The sum of \$5,643,368.71 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all objects and purposes, excepting the purchase of school sites and the erection of school buildings, which are provided for by the issue of Bonds. The amount of this appropriation is \$60,210.46 less than the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1896, and is \$680,945.57 more than the amount allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895, this increase being in the judgment of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment imperatively demanded by the necessity for providing additional means and increased facilities for the instruction of a rapidly increasing school population.

#### COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The sum of \$150,000 is appropriated for the expenses of this institution, being the same amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The sum of \$150,000 is appropriated for the expenses of this institution, being the same amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

The sum of \$277,200 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for these objects and purposes, including the publication of the CITY RECORD, etc., a special appropriation being made for advertising miscellaneous items. This amount is the same as the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and \$4,000 less than the Final Estimate for 1895.

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS.

The sum of \$27,500 is appropriated for all the expenses of this Board, being \$2,500 less than the amount of the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and \$2,500 more than the appropriation for 1895.

#### THE CORONERS.

The sum of \$56,200 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of the Coroners, being the amount of the Departmental Estimate and \$1,500 more than the appropriation for 1895.

#### THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

In the opinion of the majority of this Board the sum of \$65,000 is necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects of the Commissioners of Accounts, and is therefore appropriated, provisionally, being \$10,000 less than the Departmental Estimate and \$32,500 more than the appropriation for 1895.

#### THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

The sum of \$137,232 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all the purposes and objects, being \$5,100 more than the amount allowed in the Final Estimate for 1895 and \$500 less than asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1896.

#### THE REGISTER.

The sum of \$80,250 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all purposes and objects, being \$50,000 less than the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate and included in the Final Estimate for 1895.

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

The amount appropriated for wages of Armories, Janitors and Engineers and Laborers required for military organizations is \$73,200, to which has been added, however, the sum of \$8,000 as an allowance to the Trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory, as provided by chapter 518 of the Laws of 1893, the aggregate, \$81,200, being the same as the amount asked for and \$6,153 more than the amount appropriated for 1895.



## JURORS' FEES.

For this purpose \$75,000 has been appropriated, being the amount requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and \$5,000 more than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1895.

## PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC RECORDS.

For the Preservation of Public Records \$35,280 has been appropriated, being \$10,000 less than the amount requested in the Departmental Estimate for 1896 and \$10,120 less than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1895.

## FUND FOR STREET AND PARK OPENINGS.

For this purpose the sum of \$250,000 has been appropriated, being \$50,000 more than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1895.

## LIBRARIES.

The sum of \$63,500 is appropriated as necessary and sufficient for all library purposes, being \$19,500 less than requested in the Departmental Estimate and \$17,000 more than was allowed for that item in the Final Estimate for 1895.

## SALARIES—CITY COURTS.

The sum of \$338,000 is appropriated for the City Magistrates' Courts and District Courts, being \$48,300 less than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1895 and \$107,500 less than the amount requested in the Departmental Estimate.

## SALARIES—JUDICIARY.

The sum of \$1,419,370 is appropriated for the expenses of the Criminal Courts, the Supreme Court and other Courts of Record, and for the offices of the District Attorney, the Commissioner of Jurors and the County Clerk, being \$233,824.46 more than the amount included in the Final Estimate for 1895, this increase being necessitated by mandatory provisions of law and the Judiciary article of the Revised Constitution.

## ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The sum of \$1,530,684.18 is appropriated for the various charitable institutions, in pursuance of provisions of law requiring that amount to be paid to them.

## MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Appropriations for various objects and purposes are made as follows:

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses.....	\$3,000 00
Real Estate Expenses.....	3,000 00
Advertising.....	25,000 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	3,000 00
Salary of Recorder as a Member of the Sinking Fund Commission and Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	2,000 00
Board of Street Opening and Improvements.....	2,010 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	5,400 00
Contingencies—District Attorney.....	20,000 00
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses.....	1,000 00
Fees of Stenographers.....	10,000 00
Fees of Witnesses Subpoenaed on behalf of The People.....	20,000 00
Board of Plumbers.....	1,020 00
Claims that may be taken up.....	100 00
Claim of Washington Arch Committee.....	2,286 90
Claim of Estate of David Dows, deceased.....	25,395 83
Bronx Valley Sewer Commission.....	5,000 00
Pasteur Institute.....	290 00
Memorial Committee, G. A. R.....	2,500 00
	<u>\$131,002 73</u>

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Alderman Olcott moved that a special meeting be held on Monday, November 11, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking up the estimates for correction, etc., as provided in section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk:

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office will expire during the present month.

Respectfully, HENRY D. PURROY, County Clerk.

Term expired.	Nov. 28, 1895.	Term expired.	Nov. 28, 1895.
Ahrens, A. W.....	" 28, "	Joralemon, William.....	" 28, "
Allan, David.....	" 10, "	Kane, William S.....	" 28, "
Byrne, William.....	" 28, "	Kiely, Edward J.....	" 28, "
Broderick, William H.....	" 28, "	McCabe, William F.....	" 10, "
Browne, John W.....	" 28, "	McManus, Terence J.....	" 18, "
Bach, Albert.....	" 28, "	McKeag, William.....	" 28, "
Cohen, Abraham.....	" 28, "	McCullough, Richard.....	" 28, "
Cohen, M. W.....	" 28, "	McManus, Thomas.....	" 28, "
Coles, William B.....	" 28, "	Miehling, Edward.....	" 12, "
Conway, John H.....	" 28, "	Mandelbaum, Abraham.....	" 10, "
De Arcy, George C.....	" 28, "	Madden, John J.....	" 28, "
Dwyer, Edward J.....	" 28, "	Mackintosh, Frank H.....	" 28, "
Duffy, John.....	" 28, "	Mark, George W.....	" 28, "
Eberlin, F. C.....	" 28, "	Pollak, Leopold.....	" 28, "
Eaton, Henry W.....	" 10, "	Palen, George.....	" 28, "
Earle, Charles M.....	" 10, "	Rothstein, Daniel.....	" 12, "
Ferguson, Stephen A.....	" 28, "	Staudt, Peter.....	" 10, "
Fischer, Frederick.....	" 28, "	Susholz, George.....	" 28, "
Gleeson, James.....	" 28, "	Steinert, George R.....	" 28, "
Green, Frederick.....	" 28, "	Sengens, William E.....	" 28, "
Groh, Michael J.....	" 28, "	Sweeney, George W.....	" 28, "
Hanneman, Alexander.....	" 28, "	Sherry, Daniel.....	" 28, "
Harris, Henry.....	" 28, "	Westcott, Clarence L.....	" 12, "
Holahan, Edmund P.....	" 28, "	Wolf, Julius J.....	" 28, "
Heyer, Adolph.....	" 28, "	Wentworth, George E.....	" 28, "
Houy, Louis.....	" 28, "	Weissker, Herman.....	" 28, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(G. O. 565.)

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 29, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for presentation to the Board of Aldermen, certificates and drafts of resolutions and ordinances for the following improvements:

Crosswalk across One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, within the lines of the westerly sidewalk of Seventh avenue.

Crosswalk across One Hundred and Seventeenth street, at its intersection with the westerly side of Lenox avenue.

It is important that these improvements shall be made at the earliest possible moment, and I have the honor to request your good offices to secure prompt action by the Board.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 23, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that a crosswalk of three courses of North river blue stone, with a row of new specification paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, within the lines of the westerly sidewalk of Seventh avenue. The materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of North river blue stone with a row of new specification paving stone between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, within the lines of the westerly sidewalk of Seventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 566.)

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 26, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Con-

solidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of specification stone-blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Seventeenth street, at its intersection with the westerly side of Lenox avenue, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone, of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully, WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of specification stone blocks between the courses, be laid across One Hundred and Seventeenth street, at its intersection with the westerly side of Lenox avenue, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone, of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLMAN, President of the Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for presentation to the Board of Aldermen, draft of resolution and ordinance for paving the carriageway of Twenty-second street, from the easterly side of Eleventh avenue to Thirteenth avenue, within land grants.

It is important that this improvement shall be made at the earliest possible moment, and I have the honor to request your good offices to secure prompt action by the Board.

Very respectfully, C. H. T. COLLIS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Twenty-second street, from the easterly side of Eleventh avenue to Thirteenth avenue, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, and that new curb-stones and bridge-stones be furnished and set where required and that old curb-stone and bridge-stones be reset where not defective, under chapter 449 of the Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

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

Very respectfully, WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of North river blue stone be laid across Sixth avenue, within the lines of the northerly sidewalk of Forty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the carriageway of Seventy-sixth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, except from Fifth to Madison avenue and from Third to Lexington avenue, be repaved with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, and that crosswalks be laid and curb-stones set along the line of said street where necessary.

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, Seventy-sixth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, except from Fifth to Madison avenue and from Third to Lexington avenue, and to lay crosswalks and set curb-stones along the line of said street where necessary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 6, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for presentation to the Board of Aldermen, drafts of resolutions and certificates for the following works:

Paving Seventy-sixth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, except from Fifth to Madison avenue, and from Third to Lexington avenue, with asphalt.

Paving Sixty-third street, from Avenue A to Fourth avenue, except from Lexington to Third avenue, with asphalt.

It is important that these improvements shall be made at the earliest possible moment, and I have the honor to request your good offices to secure prompt action by the Board.

Very respectfully, WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

P. S.—I also inclose certificate and ordinance for a crosswalk across Sixth avenue, within the lines of the northerly sidewalk of Forty-fourth street.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the carriageway of Sixty-third street, from Avenue A to Fourth avenue, except from Lexington to Third avenue, be repaved with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, and that crosswalks be laid and curb-stones set along the line of said street where necessary.

Very respectfully, WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave with asphalt pavement on the present pavement the carriageway of Sixty-third street, from Avenue A to Fourth avenue, except from Third to Lexington avenue, and to lay crosswalks and set curb-stones along the line of said street where necessary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

(G. O. 567.)

Subsequently Alderman Noonan moved that the matter be laid over.

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

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Dock Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BATTERY PLACE, NEW YORK, October 24, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Docks held this day the Engineer-in-Chief submitted the following report:

In the CITY RECORD, 17th October, 1895, in the report of the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen of Tuesday, the 15th October, 1895, under the heading G. O. 528, a resolution was proposed to pave One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Seventh avenue to Harlem river, and under the heading G. O. 529, a resolution to pave One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to the Harlem river, was introduced.

I beg leave to request that these resolutions should be amended so as to read, "from Seventh avenue, easterly, to the westerly side of Fifth avenue" in each case, because the line on the easterly side of Fifth avenue is newly-made land, made by the Department of Docks, and under its charge, and the established grades of Fifth avenue, at One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, are such that they will not be suitable for said streets to be extended to the bulkheads and piers at the foot of said streets crossing the newly-made land of the Department between Fifth avenue and the Harlem river."

I have been directed to request your Honorable Board to amend the resolutions as requested in the above report.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. S. TERRY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

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



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 29, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—On the accompanying petition to the Board of Aldermen for an asphalt pavement in Forty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, I beg leave to say, the Water Purveyor reports that instead of paving this block of Forty-fourth street, in compliance with the petition, it would be better to wait until enough money shall be available to pave said street from Fifth to Eighth avenue at least.

Very respectfully,

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

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

We, the undersigned, residents and property-owners in West Forty-fourth street, between the Sixth and Seventh avenues, represent that the pavement in said block is in very bad condition and greatly needs repairs, and they respectfully petition that your Honorable Board pass a resolution or ordinance directing that said pavement be repaired and finished with a covering of asphalt.

Dated October 11, 1895.

Joshua C. Sanders, President of Forty-fourth Street Property-owners' Association, 119 West 44th street.

Wm. H. Marsten, 112 West 44th street.

Joseph Finch, 106 West 44th street.

Annie C. Spencer, 102 West 44th street.

John Biava, D. D. S., 105 West 44th street.

W. H. Scott, M. D., 104 West 44th street.

Kate M. W. James, 111 West 44th street.

Edna Jively, 113 West 44th street.

Ino. B. Ebbets, 110 West 44th street.

Miss Julie A. Fiege, 108 West 44th street.

H. S. Brevoort, 116 West 44th street.

Stephen B. Bragen, 115 West 44th street.

Mrs. E. T. Sherman, 114 West 44th street.

Mrs. E. Roderick, 118 West 44th street.

Mrs. C. Wheeler, 120 West 44th street.

Mrs. A. M. Wallace, 122 West 44th street.

Evelina C. Hardy, 130 West 44th street.

Mary W. Cameron, 132 West 44th street.

Mary Maloney, 133 West 44th street.

Serana Salinger, 135 West 44th street.

James A. Jacobs, 135 West 44th street.

Sadie Jacobs, 135 West 44th street.

Mrs. Harry Jacobs, 135 West 44th street.

Richard Henry Savage, 123 West 44th street.

W. R. Gerard, The Gerard, 123 to 129 West 44th street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 6, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I beg leave to present report on the following resolutions of the Board of Aldermen: Requesting the Commissioner of Public Works to take action in the matter of building a tunnel under Burnside avenue.

This matter was brought before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the Commissioner of Public Works last month and was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation. Plans for the improvement are being prepared.

Requesting that Eightieth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, be paved with asphalt.

The Water Purveyor reports that the present pavement on this part of Eightieth street is in very good condition. In his opinion this improvement should be deferred until more necessary improvements shall have been made.

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Finance Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 2, 1895.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1895, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,400 00	\$739 30	\$660 70
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	300 00	203 83	96 17
Salaries—Common Council.....	86,300 00	71,887 78	14,412 22

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, NEW YORK, October 31, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24 of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for Unknown next of Kin.	Sundries.
William Farrington.....		\$21 55	\$0 20	\$1 05		\$20 30	
Robert Gilder.....		19 05	85	95		17 25	
Angelo M. Guaragna.....		27 36	14 32	66		12 38	
Mary Gordon.....		948 89	725 71	45 56		182 62	
George H. Mackenzie.....		147 25	139 89	7 36			
Bertha J. Corbe.....		51 63	33 89	2 58		15 13	
Patrick O'Brien.....		143 17	135 95	7 22			
Mary Cotter.....		184 00	161 24	9 20		13 56	
Fredk. J. Guetzmaier.....		27 36	8 69	1 37		17 30	
Henry Denker.....		31 65	7 91	1 58		22 16	
Annie Eichhorn.....		276 46	115 24	13 34		147 88	
William C. Griffith.....		24 83	23 45	1 38			
John J. Dowling.....		102 69	6 11	4 96		91 62	
Margaret Davis.....		58 80	55 89	2 91			
E. D. Conway.....		58 10	54 87	3 23			
Dennis Buckley.....		6 45	10	32		6 03	
James Dierck.....		270 90	271 31	13 59			
Rosario Lispiro.....		145 50	89 57	7 13		48 80	
Bridget Dunne.....		144 04	104 47	7 08		32 49	
E. Faust.....		142 70	139 30	7 26		14	
Sylvester Cheli.....		251 40	84 46	12 10		154 84	
John Connolly.....		184 99	177 18	7 81			
Jane Monahan.....		22 14	21 20	94			
Owen Gillson.....		28 82	27 38	1 44			
Charles O. Gunzel.....		84 70	69 71	4 30		10 69	
Thomas Bryde.....		97 94	76 72	4 90		16 32	
John J. Donohue.....		21 00	10 01	1 05		9 94	
Ellen Gorman.....		69 48	5 79	3 79		60 38	
Jacob Gosche.....		95 54	90 75	4 79			
Thomas Hyde.....		16 50	1 40	83			
Catharine Hyatt.....		40 02	38 37	1 65			
Mary Hussey.....		92 40	62 21	4 62		25 57	
Bernard Heinecke.....		83 48	53 54	4 17		25 77	
John Hanamay.....		13 88	65	70		12 53	
Alice Biddle.....		191 37	181 93	9 44			
James J. Hart.....		158 27	150 76	7 51			
Charles Kribs.....		174 33	91 96	5 72		16 65	
George H. Kuna.....		67 00	62 60	3 35		1 05	
Roger O'Halloran.....		21 89	20 80	1 09			
John Karlston.....		11 60	4 60			6 40	
Thomas J. Allen.....		16 59	11 52			5 07	
Sophie Johnson.....		108 39	73 74	5 42		25 23	

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for Unknown next of Kin.	Sundries.
Valentine Hommel.....		\$220 80	\$69 96	\$10 40		\$140 44	
Quimperde Lamscol.....		30 00	24 93	1 50		3 57	
William Lewis.....		91 30	85 12	45 18			
William Lewis, No. 2.....		95 33	90 57	4 76			
Edward L. Lindley.....		296 74	281 90	14 84			
Duncan W. McCochin.....		182 43	176 71	5 72			
Harriet Jackson.....		27 34	11 10	1 36		14 88	
John H. Emge.....	Sept. 26, 1895	4,147 78	20 40	166 19	\$3,961 19		
Sigmund Badian.....	Oct. 1, "	4,858 74	40 25	188 36	4,630 13		
Anton Dickert.....	" 11, "	913 17	151 41	46 08	715 68		
Hedwig Holzmann.....	" 7, "	531 57	164 10	26 58	340 89		
Adelia A. Hitchcock.....	" 15, "	933 08	285 00	68 65	509 43		
Mary McQuade.....	" 21, "	399 87	153 18	19 99	170 01	56 69	
Henry Gebhard.....		4,110 09	17 18				\$4,092 91
Totals.....		\$22,265 72	\$5,730 05	\$823 48	\$10,387 33	\$1,231 95	\$4,092 91

\* Paid L. A. Wagner, Administrator.

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
Annie Jones.....	\$141 00	Maria L. Morse.....	\$45 45
John M. Lynch.....	8 40	Leonard L. Morse.....	114 79
Antonio Cassani.....	1 08	Ann J. Luckas.....	68 66
Walter Alexander.....	3 00	Mary Reynolds.....	70 77
Angelo Demarco.....	2 20	Mary Dinan.....	170 06
Geon Trucker.....	4 40	James C. Smith.....	12 20
Annie Feltner.....	8 64	Lizzie Higgins.....	269 54
Bridget McCue.....	2 08	Franz Twirnschick.....	3 00
William Junghans.....	19 48	Mary E. Delaney.....	100 00
Maryana Wolezynski.....	13 20	Henry Adams.....	97 85
Betty Brown.....	4 15	Ellen Sheridan.....	108 15
William Sullivan.....	6 68	Ann Reardon.....	56 00
Christine Weltner.....	43 36	Honorine E. Chaurand.....	18,510 79
John Wamster.....	14 88	Martin Moonenwig.....	19 80
Herman Gayruss.....	15 60	A. J. B. Miller.....	554 31
Carl Mesher.....	21 80	Sarah F. Storer.....	10 90
Theodore Johnson.....	5 40	Henry Gebhard.....	2 82
William Becker.....	37 20	Mary M. Merz.....	1,000 00
Robert Fair.....	8 68	Mary Eastern.....	13 55
August Leikamm.....	10 83	Margaret Mulhattan.....	3 25
Joseph Marbacher.....	10 25	John Hoffmeister.....	17 70
A. J. B. Miller.....	30 00	David O'Connor.....	7 50
Carrie Jacoby.....	153 00	James H. Cory.....	72 56
Emma E. Austin.....	15 00	Olai Joersen.....	4 05
Mary McQuade.....	2 82	John Brady.....	72 00
William Farrington.....	55	Annie Dwyer.....	18 44
Mary Gordon.....	37 77	George A. Buchanan.....	26
Annie Eichhorn.....	9 61	Henry Oestreich.....	81 22
John J. Dowling.....	3 43	Mary O'Connell.....	3 88
Kosario Lispiro.....	3 00	Rose Murphy.....	4 42
Bridget Dunne.....	2 36	John H. Emge.....	17 21
E. Faust.....	1 12	Sigmund Badian.....	85 96
Sylvester Cheli.....	9 32	Adelaide Evans.....	21 51
Ellen Gorman.....	3 37	A. Dickert.....	21 51
Alice Biddle.....	5 37	H. Holzmann.....	39 87
Valentine Hommel.....	12 75	A. A. Hitchcock.....	11 42
Mary Robinson.....	968 33	Mary McQuade.....	21 51
Ellen Condon.....	399 03	H. E. Chaurand.....	3,672 00
John Brady.....	21 03	Adolph Staub.....	4,863 34
Martin Moonenwig.....	28 41	David O'Connor.....	47 43
Elizabeth Hill.....	72 20	Proceeds of sale of effects from Coroner.....	12 87
Paul Pischkalla.....	14 75	Cash received from Commissioners of Charities and Correction.....	60
Jane Nolan.....	734 72	Interest received from banks on average deposits.....	594 75
Samuel Rothschild.....	114 00		
M. E. Kendall.....	2 50		
John B. Skinner.....	19 30		
Herman Gayruss.....	135 70		
Bridget McCue.....	68 63		
		Total.....	\$34,027 25

Proceeds Sale of Effects from Coroners' Office Received May 16, 1895.

Estate of Christian Baulet.....	\$0 20	Commission.....	\$0 64
" George Ferguson.....	40		
" Unknown man, Central Park.....	32		
" Franz Zieger.....	1 28	From Commissioners of Charities and Correction.....	\$12 23
" Charles Murray.....	5 40		
" M. Legrand.....	32		
" J. A. Bigelow.....	2 31		
" Oscar Roth.....	40	Estate of Philip Muller.....	\$0 03
" E. Sears.....	1 60	Amount of deposit in Harlem Savings Bank.....	57
" Unknown woman.....	40		
" Unknown man.....	24		
	\$12 87	Total.....	\$13 47

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from citizens:

NEW YORK, October 31, 1895.

Mr. S. C. WATTS:

DEAR SIR—A few weeks ago I was called upon to sign a petition to the Board of Aldermen requesting them to permit peddlers to occupy the avenue every Saturday afternoon and evening, thereby forming a sort of market.

When the paper was presented to me I was very busy, and signed without giving proper consideration to the matter. I have since thought it over more carefully, and regretted very much that I signed in such haste.

I am now convinced that instead of being a benefit it will undoubtedly operate injuriously against every storekeeper within the limits of this proposed market to have these boisterous and insulting fellows jostling pedestrians, and, as I have often seen them do, actually grasping women and poking their filthy baskets into their very faces—to say nothing of the kind of language they indulge in, and the condition of the streets after their departure.

I am heartily in favor of joining any movement towards entering a protest against giving such permission, and I shall take immediate action to have my name removed from the petition I signed in such haste and indiscretion.

Yours, very cordially,

J. WIMMER.

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I called at the City Hall to-day to deliver a protest to you in behalf of a number of citizens, but not finding you there I gave same to Alderman Goodman, who kindly consented to see that it was delivered to you. I inclose you two letters which should have accompanied protest.

Respectfully yours,

EDWARD CALLAN, per O.

NEW YORK, November 1, 1895.

Mr. EDWARD CALLAN, No. 2217 Third avenue, City:

DEAR SIR—In reply to your inquiry we express ourselves as being opposed to any stands or wagons on the sidewalks or the streets for the purpose of selling merchandise.

Yours truly,

LUDWIG BAUMANN & COMPANY.

Which was referred to the Committee on Markets.

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

To the Committee on Markets, Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of business men of this immediate vicinity on Third avenue, held at Lambert's Hall on Friday evening, November 1, 1895, it was

Resolved, That a set of resolutions be presented to your Honorable Body protesting against a market for vendors as proposed on Third avenue, running from One Hundred and Eighteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-second street, viz.:

1st. We object to the class of people that will be drawn there by its establishment.

2d. We object on the grounds of morality and public health, and also on account of the refuse and rotten vegetable matter that would be left continually before our doors, and also of the insulting language that would be continually used which would be objectionable to the ears of respectable people and children passing by.

3d. We object to having our passageway obstructed by undesirable people as vendors.

4th. We demand the full privilege guaranteed us as merchants of having our places of business unobstructed.

5th. We believe that the establishment of such a market as proposed would not only depreciate our receipts in business, but also our



In addition to the foregoing propositions we beg leave to present to your honorable consideration the names of the following merchants and property-holders and citizens of the locality to be affected.

Praying your Honorable Body will give this our protest your favorable consideration, we remain, Yours respectfully,

EDWARD CALLAN, S. C. WATTS, A. C. WOHRLE, Committee.  
 Edward Callan, 2217 Third avenue.  
 Fennell & Pye, 2209 Third avenue.  
 Andrew Davey, 2211 Third avenue.  
 Importers Tea and Coffee Company, 2207 Third avenue.  
 Adolph Adams, 2205 Third avenue.  
 Edward Rafter, 2199 Third avenue.  
 Thos. Crawford, 2225 Third avenue.  
 Peter S. Gettill, 2225 Third avenue.  
 James Wood, 2227 Third avenue.  
 Griffith & Co., 2241 Third avenue.  
 Ch. Mierisch, 2266 Third avenue.  
 Thos. Farrell, 2257 Third avenue.  
 Messrs. Bennett & Co., 2223 Third avenue.  
 John G. Kimme, 2203 Third avenue.  
 Mrs. Koscher, 2225 Third avenue.  
 J. Marshall, 2229 Third avenue.  
 Gebort & Co., 2239 Third avenue.  
 W. W. Spire, 2251 Third avenue.  
 Mark Jalonock, 2253 Third avenue.  
 Charles W. Fink, 2249 Third avenue.  
 Isaac C. Ottenberg, 2282 Third avenue.  
 Sam Bros., 2284 Third avenue.  
 Bernheim & Co., 2292 Third avenue.  
 Miss K. Tiedemann, 2296 Third avenue.  
 John G. Flut, 125th street and Third avenue.  
 Herman Rausch, 2271 Third avenue.  
 R. E. Burger & Co., 2151 Third avenue.  
 Moses Bachrach, 2275 Third avenue.  
 Solomon Luihtu, 2277 Third avenue.  
 Otto Henchman, 2279 Third avenue.  
 Louis Biel, 2262 Third avenue.  
 Stewart & Sniffin, 2256 Third avenue.  
 Louis Lask, 2254 Third avenue.  
 Ignatz Roth, 2252 Third avenue.  
 Victor Suarez, 2222 Third avenue.  
 F. Vilo, "  
 G. W. Callen, 2216 Third avenue.  
 J. Bruns, 2214 Third avenue.  
 Burgher Bros., 2212 Third avenue.  
 Carl Kutscher, 2208 Third avenue.  
 P. Lonheim, 2206 Third avenue.  
 Mrs. M. Rosse, 2205 Third avenue.  
 L. Jacobson, 2202 Third avenue.  
 R. Ellinger, 2196 Third avenue.  
 B. Goodman, 2198 Third avenue.  
 Hermann Kahn, 2188 to 2192 Third avenue.  
 Mrs. H. Gottub, 2182 Third avenue.  
 Block Bros., 2183 Third avenue.  
 B. F. Saxton, 2189 Third avenue.  
 James H. Purdy, 2195 Third avenue.  
 John Owens, 2181 Third avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Markets.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the office of the Commission of State Prisons:

OFFICE OF THE STATE COMMISSION OF PRISONS, ALBANY, N. Y., November 4, 1895.

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of New York County:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the State Commission of Prisons, held on the 30th day of October, 1895, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, Section 29 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of New York required the Legislature 'to provide for the occupation and employment of prisoners sentenced to the several State prisons, penitentiaries, jails and reformatories in the State; and on and after the 1st day of January, in the year 1897, no person in any such prison, penitentiary jail or reformatory shall be required or allowed to work, while under sentence thereto, at any trade, industry or occupation, wherein or whereby his work, or the product or profit of his work, shall be farmed out, contracted, given or sold to any person, firm, association or corporation, and said section provides that the Legislature may provide that convicts may work for, and that the products of their labor may be disposed of to the State or any political division thereof'; and

"Whereas, In obedience to said section of the Constitution, the Legislature did enact a law which went into effect on the 15th day of June, 1895; and

"Whereas, Said law directed the Governor to appoint a Commission to be known as the State Commission of Prisons, and the Governor having appointed such Commission, and said Commission having duly organized under chapter 1026 of the Laws of 1895; and

"Whereas, It becomes the duty of said Commission to ascertain and recommend such system of employing such inmates as may be in the opinion of said Commission for the best interest of the public and not in conflict with the provisions of the Constitution relating to the employment of prisoners;

"Now, therefore, be it Resolved, That the Secretary of said Commission be and he is hereby instructed to communicate with the Chairmen of the several Boards of Supervisors of the counties of the State, and request the said Boards of Supervisors to take such action as they may severally deem proper, in relation to the employment of the inmates of the said institutions, and that the Secretary inquire especially as to the feasibility of having all convicts sentenced for a term of one year and under retained in the county where convicted and compelled to labor on the highways in said county, and that the Boards of Supervisors be requested to submit to this Commission their conclusion thereon on or before December 1, 1895."

In accordance with said resolution, the Commission respectfully requests the action of the Board of Supervisors of your county upon the matter therein suggested and your report thereof; and also especially the action and views of your Board as to the feasibility of having all convicts sentenced for a term of one year or under retained in the county jail or penitentiary in the county where convicted, and compelled to labor on the highways in said county; and also the action of the Board in relation to the employment of convicts in said institutions in your county, and to submit to this Commission your conclusion thereon on or before December 1, 1895.

Yours very truly,

LISPENARD STEWART, President.

AUGUSTUS SHERMAN, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 363, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to repave Sixty-eighth street, from Columbus avenue to the Boulevard, with asphalt pavement on the present stone pavement, and that new curb-stones be set where necessary.

Alderman Burke moved that the resolution and ordinance be amended by striking out the words "Columbus avenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Central Park, West."

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

On motion of Alderman Burke, the resolution as amended was again laid over.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 545, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That, in pursuance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave Fifty-fourth street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue, with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, and that crosswalks be laid and curb-stones set along said street where necessary.

Alderman Burke moved that the paper be amended by striking out the word "Eighth" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Ninth."

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

On motion of Alderman Burke, the paper as amended was again laid over.

Alderman Hall called up G. O. 546, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That two additional lamp-posts be erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Chapel of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Nos. 114 and 116 East Forty-seventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

On motion of Alderman Hall, the above paper was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Alderman Goodman called up G. O. 443, being a preamble and resolution, as follows:

Whereas, The appropriation of one hundred dollars for Aldermanic flags was insufficient by fifteen dollars; and

Whereas, The flags are of such a perishable character, and it is proper that they should be suitably protected; therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to expend the further sum of fifteen dollars, and also to procure a case for said flags at a cost not to exceed twenty-five dollars.

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Dwyer, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Noonan, Oakley, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, and Woodward—24.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Randall—

Resolved, That General Orders 411 and 441 be recalled from his Honor the Mayor and returned to the introducer.

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

Subsequently the papers were received from his Honor the Mayor, and are as follows:

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Morris Heights M. E. Church, on Sedgwick avenue, near Undercliff avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That street-lamps be placed on the two lamp-posts on Washington avenue, near the corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (opposite the entrance to the Trinity Congregational Church) and lighted, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Alderman Randall moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolutions were adopted.

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

On motion of Alderman Randall, the papers were then returned to Alderman Randall.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to place and keep stands within the stoop-lines in the various parts of the city, for the sale of newspapers, fruit, soda-water and periodicals, at the location set opposite their names:

Antonio Sario, 93 Walker street.  
 Vincenzo Tibaldi, 129½ Mulberry street.

Julius Braunstein, 65 Mulberry street.  
 Jno. Reggio, 74 South street.

By Alderman Kennefick.

John Fierthaler, 212 Broadway.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 568.)

By the same—

Resolved, That General Order No. 1 of the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen of 1893-4, calling for the change of name of Bayard street to Harry Howard street, which was ordered on file January 7, 1895, be taken from on file and placed on the list of General Orders of this year.

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

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That, until otherwise ordered by this Board, the Aldermanic flag shall be hoisted on one of the flag-poles of the City Hall, regularly each day on which the Board is in session; the same to remain thereon from the hour of opening to the closing of the said sessions.

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

By the same—

Whereas, There appears to be cause for complaint against the New York Central Railroad Company for intended violation of its pledges in the matter of stoppage of trains at the new One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station, now in the course of construction; and

Whereas, Certain conditions and agreements are said to have been made and concurred in, that tended largely towards the passage of the act which has given permission to the said Central Railroad Company to make its Park avenue improvements; and

Whereas, All interests involved should be amply protected against any encroachment on or lessening of the rights, privileges and benefits originally promised and agreed to; therefore

Resolved, That the Railroad Committee of this Board be and they are hereby instructed to thoroughly investigate this matter, examine the act or acts which were adopted by the Legislature (and by the Board of Aldermen, if any) giving rights and power to the New York Central Railroad Company to make the improvements referred to, invite all interested persons and corporations to present whatever complaints they may deem necessary, and report to this Board such recommendations as the circumstances and condition of affairs may call for.

Resolved, That the Railroad Committee, with and by the co-operation of the Committee on Legislation of this Board, be and they are hereby authorized to call for such aid from the next Legislature of the State, as the investigation may justify or warrant; all intended action in this particular direction is, however, to be approved by this Board in advance of such action being taken.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby granted to Messrs. Bernheim & Co., of Third avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, to drive a delivery van with advertising thereon through the streets of Harlem and vicinity; the size of said van and the construction and arrangement thereof to be under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be borne by Messrs. Bernheim & Co., and the permission to drive said van to continue only for a period of six weeks from the date of the approval by his Honor the Mayor.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish an opinion as to whether the Board of Aldermen have any power to pass and enforce ordinances which the Manhattan, Suburban or other railroad companies, operating the elevated railroad systems in this city are compelled to recognize and comply with; whether the City authorities have any jurisdiction over the elevated railroad corporations, and if so, to what extent.

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

By the same—

Whereas, There has been much agitation, some legislation, and considerable work done towards providing the ways, means and methods by which a new City Hall should be erected in this city, commensurate with its character and importance, and adequately spacious and elaborate to meet the present and growing needs of this municipality; and

Whereas, It appears that nothing definite has been done in the direction of furthering this worthy project, for some time past; therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on County Affairs be and they are hereby instructed to investigate this matter, ascertain to what extent the project has progressed, and devise and recommend such legislation or method of procedure as will tend toward the early consummation of this much-needed improvement to our city.

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

And the President declared the resolution lost.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby granted to the Guarantee Clothing Company of Harlem to drive a delivery van through the streets of the upper section of the city, said van to contain advertisement thereon; the size of said van and the construction and arrangement thereof to be under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be borne by the said Guarantee Clothing Company, and the permission to drive said van to continue only for a period of six weeks from the date of the approval by his Honor the Mayor.

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

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Goodwin called up G. O. 556, being a resolution granting applications for stands in the Thirteenth Assembly District in report of the Committee on Law Department, October 29, 1895.

Alderman Goodwin moved that so much of G. O. 556 as is embraced in the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to place and keep stands within the stoop-lines in various parts of the city for the sale of soda water, fruit, newspapers or periodicals, at the locations set opposite their names:

C. H. Magna, 183 Ninth avenue.  
 John A. Menton, 266 West Twenty-second street.

Michael Granat, 261 West Twenty-third street.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.



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

On motion, so much of G. O. 556 as remains undisposed of was again laid over.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Goodman—

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Works has applied to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropriation sufficient to pave the streets noticed in list attached hereto with asphalt pavement; and

Whereas, Said application having been granted, further action by this Board in the matter of paving the streets mentioned is unnecessary; therefore

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby instructed to remove from the list of General Orders all resolutions for paving of streets which are referred to in the following list, and to place the same on file:

*List of Streets for the Paving of which Appropriations have been Made as mentioned above.*

Sixty-eighth street, Columbus avenue to Boulevard.	Seventy-first street, Central Park, West, to Boulevard.
Sixteenth street, Third to Fourth avenue, Broadway to Fifth avenue.	Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street.
Thirty-second street, First to Madison avenue.	West Fourth street, Macdougall street to Broadway.
Thirtieth street, Fourth to Lexington avenue.	Waverley place, Fifth avenue to Broadway.
Thirty-ninth street, Madison to Fifth avenue.	Mercer street, West Fourth to Eighth street.
Forty-third street, Fifth avenue to tracks.	University place, Waverley place to West Fourth street.
Forty-fourth street, Madison to Fifth avenue.	Washington place, Broadway to University place.
Seventy-second street, Second avenue to Avenue A.	
Twentieth street, Avenue A to Third avenue.	

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

By Alderman Kennefick—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. McGinnis to place and keep an iron watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 205 Greenwich street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Marshall—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nichola Galgano, No. 260½ Bowery, to place and keep a barber-pole in front of his premises, within the stoop-line, provided same shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 569.)

By Alderman O'Brien—

Resolved, That three lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of St. Monica's new school on the south side of East Eightieth street, between First and Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Olcott—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Morningside Baptist Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: One in front of No. 234 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street, and one on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Eighth avenue; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue until November 13, 1895.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. H. Biglow to erect, construct, place and keep a bay-window in front of his premises, No. 240 West End avenue, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 570.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Eleventh street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1892.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Randall—

Resolved, That the following list of General Orders, viz., Nos. 266, 340, 386, 414, 416, 417, 437, 447, be taken from the list of General Orders and returned to the introducer.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That G. O. No. 472 (repealing ordinance for laying flagging, etc., on Sedgwick avenue, from Depot place to Kingsbridge road) be adopted.

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

On motion, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was ordered on file.

By the same—

Resolved, That G. O. No. 560, be amended by striking out the words "Third avenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "The New York and Harlem Railroad."

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

The President moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to Alderman James Davies of Wednesbury, England.

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

(G. O. 571.)

By Alderman Randall—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 572.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Webster avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commission for Lighting the City be and is hereby requested to light with electricity Sedgwick avenue, from Washington Bridge to the Fordham Landing road.

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

(G. O. 573.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Bailey avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Sedgwick avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 574.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamps erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Bronx River road, from Grand avenue to McLean avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 575.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Clifford street, from Katonah street to Grand avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 576.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Holly street, from Verio avenue to about two hundred feet west, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 577.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Knox street, from Verio avenue to a point about two hundred feet west of said avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 578.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Kemble street, from Verio avenue to a point about two hundred feet west of said avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 579.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Mile Square road (Mount Vernon avenue), from Fourth street to the City line, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Ware—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Young Men's Christian Association, of No. 52 East Twenty-third street, to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts: The southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue; the southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue; the southeast corner of Fourteenth street and Third avenue; the northeast corner of Eighteenth street and Sixth avenue, for two weeks beginning November 8, 1895, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to regulate the transportation the streets of the City of New York, of materials of iron or steel.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York is ordain as follows: Section I. All materials of iron or steel while in course of transportation through streets of the city shall be so loaded as to avoid contact, under the penalty of fifty dollars.

Sec. II. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

On motion of Alderman Oakley, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By Alderman Woodward—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Olin J. Stephens to place and keep a movable sign for coal and wood within the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 241 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Alderman Wund moved to take from the table the report of Committee on Law Department in relation to street stands (which was formerly known as G. O. 426).

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

Alderman Wund then moved that so much of said report as is embraced in the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to place and keep stands within the stoop-line in various parts of the city for the sale of soda water, fruit, newspapers and periodicals, at the locations set opposite their names:

Michael O'Brien, 684 Third avenue.

Robert Phillips, 390 Third avenue.

A. Rugaard, 658 Third avenue.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

On motion of Alderman Wund, so much of G. O. 426 as remains undisposed of was again laid on the table.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 276, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

On motion of Alderman Woodward, the resolution was then placed on file.

Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 395, being a resolution, as follows: Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Terrace View avenue, from the southwest corner of Jansen avenue to a point five hundred and fifty feet south of said corner of Jansen and Terrace View avenues, in accordance with the provisions of section 356 of the Consolidation Act of 1882.

On motion of Alderman Woodward, the paper was then placed on file.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That the following-named persons recently appointed or superseded as Commissioners of Deeds be corrected so as to read as follows: George Goodman Hall to read George Goodwin Hall, Frank Walters to read George Waters.

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

By Alderman Ware—

Resolved, That the following-named person who recently was appointed a Commissioner be corrected so as to read as follows: Samuel T. Walker to read Samuel T. Walkup.

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

By Alderman Burke—

Resolved, That Edward J. Dwyer, of No. 237 West Fifty-fifth street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That James Brady, of No. 508 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That Andrew Cuneo, of No. 101 Park street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 387, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Excise Committee be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars for printing, etc., which may be necessary by reason of the public hearings to be given on the Excise Laws, said sum to be paid out of the "City Contingency Fund."

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Dwyer, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Goetz—

Resolved, That Andrew J. McGivney, of No. 377 Broome street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That George W. Mark, of No. 27 Pine street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kennefick—

Resolved, That Edward J. Healey, of No. 32 Chambers street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.



By the same—

Resolved, That F. W. Cheesman, of No. 97 Nassau street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Olcott—

Resolved, That Frank H. Mackintosh, of No. 252 West Ninety-ninth street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, from the expiration of his present term, which expires November 28, 1895.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Herman Borchert, of No. 266 West Forty-second street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goodwin—

Resolved, That Michael J. Groh, of West Twenty-eighth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Robinson—

Resolved, That Henry Harris, of No. 401 West Forty-third street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman School—

Resolved, That William A. Stoutenburgh, of No. 809 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Ware—

Resolved, That John J. Madden, of No. 130 Ninth avenue, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of his present term of office.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Wund—

Resolved, That Edward J. Thompson, of No. 380 Third avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

(G. O. 580.)

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLMON, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith for presentation to the Board of Aldermen, certificate and draft of a resolution and ordinance for crosswalks across Columbus avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Seventieth street.

It is important that this improvement shall be made at the earliest possible moment, and I have the honor to request your good offices to secure prompt action by the Board.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1883, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone be laid across Columbus avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Seventieth street. The materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works.

Very respectfully,

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone be laid across Columbus avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Seventieth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 581.)

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

The Hon. JOHN JEROLMON, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the inclosed resolution of the Common Council, requesting that Seventeenth street, from First avenue to Third avenue, be repaved with asphalt, I beg to say that the Water Purveyor reports that the present pavement is not in good order, and that there is an hospital for women on the line of the proposed improvement, which has also been petitioned for by residents in the vicinity. I think the proposed improvement necessary, and therefore inclose a certificate and draft of a resolution for presentation to the Board of Aldermen.

I have the honor to request your good offices to secure prompt action by the Board.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 6, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that the carriageway of Seventeenth street, from First to Third avenue, be repaved with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, and that crosswalks be laid and curb-stones set along the line of said street where necessary.

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave with asphalt pavement on the present pavement the carriageway of Seventeenth street, from First to Third avenue, and to lay crosswalks and set curb-stones along the line of said street where necessary.

Alderman Oakley moved that the communication be laid on the table.

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

And the President declared the motion lost.

And the communication was laid over.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Oakley moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, November 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Clerk.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending October 26, 1895:

Deposited in the Treasury.	
To the credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$138,254 23
City Treasury.....	3,042,074 82
Total.....	\$3,180,329 05
Bonds and Stock Issued.	
Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$986 10
Three per cent. Stock.....	13,000 00
Total.....	\$13,986 10
Warrants Registered for Payment.	
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$850 16
Contingencies—Comptroller's	
Office.....	1,297 36
Salaries—Finance Department.....	\$2,879 52
Interest on the City Debt.....	78,087 43
Redemption of the Principal of the City	
Debt.....	3,491,000 00
The Aqueduct Commission—	
Additional Water Fund.....	10,994 05
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	80 70
The Department of Public Works—	
Additional Water Fund.....	\$6,961 27
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	3,632 77
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	72 00
The Department of Public Works—	
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	\$5,732 44
Bridge over Harlem River, between First and Willis Aves.	
Bridge over Harlem River at 155th St.....	21 00
Bridge over Harlem River at Third Ave.....	120 00
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge Rd.....	80 50
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	355 50
Croton Water Fund.....	914 29
Fire Hydrant Fund.....	\$26 47
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in Front of City Property.....	21 00
Free Floating Baths.....	101 53
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	12,922 93
Laying Croton Pipes.....	15,839 58
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs.....	14 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	3,103 67
Public Building—7th Dis. Police Court.....	24 00

The Department of Public Works—

Public Building, 23d and 24th

Wards—Crotona Park.....

Removing Obstructions in

Streets and Avenues.....

Repairing and Renewal of

Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....

Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....

Repaving Avenue A.....

Repaving—Chapter 475, Laws

of 1895.....

Restoring and Repaving—

Special Fund—Department

of Public Works.....

Roads, Streets and Avenues

Unpaved—Maintenance of

and Sprinkling.....

Salaries—Department of Public

Works.....

Sewers—Repairing and Clean-

ing.....

Street Improvement Fund, June

15, 1886.....

Street Improvements—For Sur-

veying, Monumenting and

Numbering Streets.....

Supplies for and Cleaning Pub-

lic Offices.....

Water-main Fund.....

Water-meter Fund.....

The Department of Public Parks—

American Museum of Natural

History—Completion of.....

Aquarium.....

Cathedral Parkway—Improve-

ment and Completion of.....

Castle Garden in Battery Park,

etc.....

Central Park, Construction of

Corlears Hook Park—Con-

struction and Improvement of

East River Park, Improvement

of.....

Hudson River Bridges—Re-

pairs, Improvements and

Maintenance.....

Improvement and Maintenance

of Parks in 23d and 24th

Wards.....

Improvement of Parks and

Parkways, Chapter 17, Laws

of 1894.....

Maintenance and Government

of Parks and Places.....

Mulberry Bend Park, Con-

struction of.....

Parks outside of 23d and 24th

Wards—Improvement and

Maintenance of.....

Pelham Bay Park—Macadamiz-

ing Roads, etc.....

Public Driveway, Construction

of.....

Riverside Park and Drive,

Construction of.....

The Department of Street Im-

provements, 23d and 24th

Wards.....

Bridges Crossing the N. Y. &

H. R. R. Depression in the

23d and 24th Wards, etc.....

Cromwell Creek Bridges—

Repairing and Maintenance

of, etc.....

Maintenance—23d and 24th

Wards.....

Repaving Willis Avenue.....

Restoring and Repaving—

Special Fund—23d and 24th

Wards.....

Sewers and Drains—23d and

24th Wards.....

Street Improvement Fund,

June 15, 1886.....

Telephonic Services and Con-

tingencies.....

The Department of Public Charities and

Corrections.....

Public Charities and Corrections.....

The Health Department—

For Bacteriological Laboratory.

For Burial of Honorably Dis-

charged Soldiers, Sailors and

Marines.....

Hospital Fund—Hospital Sup-

plies, Improvements, Care

and Maintenance of Buildings,

and Hospitals on North

Brother Island.....

Health Fund—For Contingent

Expenses.....

The Health Department—

Health Fund—For Disinfection

Revenue Bond Fund—Health

Department.....

The Department of Street Clean-

ing—

Cleaning Streets—Department

of Street Cleaning.....

Department of Street Cleaning

—New Stock.....

The Fire Department—

Fire Department Fund.....

Fire Department—Bureau of

Buildings Fund.....

The Department of Buildings—

Department of Buildings—Contingencies

and Emergencies.....

The Department of Taxes and Assess-

ments—

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and

Assessments.....

The Department of Docks—

Dock Fund.....

The Board of Education—

College of the City of New York

Public Instruction.....

Public School Library Fund.....

Sanitary Improvement—School-

house Fund.....

School-house Fund.....

The Normal College.....

The Commissioners of Accounts—

Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts....

The Sheriff—

Incidental Expenses of Sheriff's

Office and County Jail.....

Support of Indigent Prisoners

in County Jail, etc.....

Sheriff's Fees.....

The Bureau of Elections—

Election Expenses—Advertising Election

Districts.....

The Judiciary—

Salaries—Judiciary.....

Charitable Institutions—

Association for Befriending

Children and Young Girls....

Babies' Ward of the Post Grad-

uate Hospital.....

For the Support of Children

Committed by Police Magis-

trates, etc.....

Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan

Asylum Society.....

Hebrew Sheltering Guardian

Society.....

Institution for Improved In-

struction of Deaf Mutes....

Mattewan State Hospital....

Mothers' and Babies' Hospital

New York Institution for the

Instruction of Deaf and Dumb

New York Juvenile Asylum....

New York Society for the Re-

lief of the Ruptured and

Crippled.....

Protestant Episcopal House of

Mercy.....

Roman Catholic House of the</



COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Superior.	Charles W. Crompton vs. Ashbel P. Fitch as Comptroller.	.....	Affidavit and order to show cause, returnable on 28th inst., why peremptory writ of mandamus should not issue for the payment of \$132.76....	C. P. Hallock.	Oct. 21	Edward Townsend....	\$3,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	O. D. Weed
Supreme.	In matter of the Petition of Frederick Booss.....	.....	Certified copy of order directing the payment into Court of the amount of a certain award to Frederick Booss and Kate Bell, as damages for taking parcels of land in the proceeding for acquiring title to lands for the purpose of sewerage, etc., bet. 16th st. and Harlem River.....	H. Grasse.	" 21	Charles W. Crompton, assignee.....	152 76	For payment of Warrant No. 5778, dated September 6, 1895, drawn to order of Wm. H. Renaud.	C. P. Hallock.
"	Mary Elizabeth Graham vs. Julius Meehan and others.....	.....	Notice by defendant James Meehan to The Mayor, etc., to protect defendant's title to certain lots on block bounded by 84th and 85th sts., Madison and 4th aves.....	Young & Verplanck.	" 21	Catharine Burnett.....	1,700 00	For damages to land and buildings Nos. 1916-18 Vanderbilt ave., East, caused by overflow of water from broken drain or sewer in 177th st....	T. H. Baldwin.
"	The People ex rel. Wylys Atwater and ors. vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.....	.....	Certified copy order reducing the assessed valuation of certain bank shares of the National Shoe and Leather Bank, from \$78 per share to \$55 per share.	Putney & Bishop.	" 21	Townsend Wandell, ex'r.....	191 00	For return of amount paid for an assessment for opening 12th ave., from 50th to 153d st.....	I. Grayhead.
"	George L. Peabody.....	\$1,415 00	Transcript of judgment.....	E. Kelly.	" 22	W. B. Wardell.....	20 00	For damages to dock by Scow No. 21 of the Department of Street Cleaning.....	Wilmot & Gage.
"	John J. McCarthy.....	109 12	Copy of judgment in favor of plaintiff for services performed.....	Lawrence, Sample & Clark.	" 23	John Batton, assignee.....	1,590 40	For 2,272 cubic yards of rock excavation in connection with the work on Old Reservoir in Central Park.....	
Surrogate.	In matter of the estate of Esther J. Hampton or E. Hampton, deceased.....	299 75	Order directing Comptroller to pay over balance of estate to parties therein named.....	J. H. Simms.	" 23	Alexander & Ash.....	.....	Notice of lien for services, etc., as Attorneys of Richard Carmen Combes as claimant and owner of award for \$70,000 for Parcel No. 2 on map, Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 249, Laws 1890.....	A. C. Astarita.
Com. Pleas.	Ulster Blue Stone Co. and ors. vs. The Mayor, etc., and De Witt C. Bouker.....	1,934 19	Summons and complaint. To foreclose lien for materials furnished under contract of said Bouker for the improvement of Corlears Hook Park.....	W. H. Reed.	" 24	Elizabeth Conners.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	A. Nelson.
Supreme.	Bridget Miller, as trustee and individually.....	.....	Summons and complaint. For damages to property in Pleasant ave., by reason of encroachment thereon by filling in by Department of Docks and to sustain said encroachment, etc.....	Blandy, Mooney & Snipman.	" 25	Theodore Demmerle, and ano.....	39 00	For damages to property No. 846 Tinton ave., caused by change of grade of said Tinton ave.....	"
					" 25	Charles Demmerle.....	41 00	For damages to property No. 848 Tinton ave., caused by change of grade of said Tinton ave.....	M. B. Blumenthal.
					" 24	Joseph M. Lieberman, M. D.....	213 00	For professional services, as Physician, in rendering medical aid at the request of the Police Captain in charge of 13th Precinct, during year 1892	S. Cohn.
					" 26	Edith Gilson.....	100 00	For damage to wearing apparel caused by a projection from broken fire-hydrant on Broadway, bet. 36th and 37th sts.....	M. P. O'Connor.
					" 26	Charles Shoboda.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1895.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
15196	Oct. 10	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	J. P. Sullivan.....	Joseph A. Flynn.....	\$27,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Featherbed lane, from Jerome to Aqueduct ave.....	\$32,994 00
15197	" 16	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Bond).....	John F. McGowan.....	Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland.....	685 00	Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances in Jerome ave., as follows: On the west side opposite E. 164th st., on the southwest corner of E. 165 h st., on the west side opposite McClellan st., and on the northeast corner of Clark pl.....	685 00
15198	" 16	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	Ferdinand Bohmer, Jr.....	Laurence Coyne.....	1,200 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in 160th st., from Railroad ave, W, to Morris ave.....	1,565 00
15199	" 17	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	Henry B. Platt.....	Herman H. Ehlers.....	12,000 00	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in F. 169th st., from Intervale ave. to Boston rd., with branches as follows: In Boston rd., bet. E. 169th st. and summit north of E. 168th st.; in E. 169th st., s. s., bet. Boston rd. and summit east of Franklin ave.; in Home st., bet. E. 169th st. and Stebbins ave.....	22,881 00
15200	" 17	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	M. J. Leahy.....	Daniel Kelly.....	600 00	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in Beach ave., from the existing sewer in E. 149th st., to summit south.....	1,035 00
15201	" 17	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards.....	".....	Geo. N. Reinhardt.....	2,500 00	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in E. 169th st., bet. Intervale ave. and E. 167th st.....	3,678 00
15202	Sept. 23	Department of Public Works.....	MacKnight Flintic Stone Co.....	Max Marx.....	5,000 00	Work and material necessary to make water-tight the boiler-room, coal-room, cellar, etc., in the court-house and prison now in course of erection for use of the 7th District Police Court and 11th Judicial District Court on W. 53d and 54th sts., bet. 8th and 9th aves.....	8,366 00
15203	Oct. 9	Department of Public Works.....	Barber Asphalt Paving Co.....	John E. Darragh.....	6,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on the present stone-block pavement, Pine street, from Nassau to William st.; William st., from Beaver to Pearl st., and Nassau st., from Wall to Spruce st., except from Pine to Liberty street.....	21,785 10
15204	" 14	Department of Public Works (Bond).....	Philip J. Kearns.....	American Surety Co. of New York.....	115 00	Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Elm and White streets.....	.....
15205	" 16	Department of Public Works (Bond).....	Rooney and Frawley.....	Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland.....	300 00	Constructing receiving-basins on the northeast corner of 77th st. and on the northeast corners of 82d and 83d sts. and Riverside ave.....	.....
15206	" 16	Department of Public Works (Bond).....	".....	".....	200 00	Constructing receiving-basins on the southeast corner of 120th st. and Boulevard, and southwest corner of 120th st. and Amsterdam ave.....	.....
15207	" 16	Department of Public Works (Bond).....	".....	".....	200 00	Constructing receiving-basin on the north and south sides of 146th st. at N. Y. C. & H. R. R. wall.....	.....
15208	" 18	Docks.....	Alger C. Gildersleeve.....	Charles A. Brown.....	4,000 00	Repairing the pier and approaches at the foot of W. 34th st., North river.....	9,486 50
15209	" 16	".....	Robert P. Staats.....	Henry C. Miner.....	14,000 00	Removing a portion of Pier, new 43, near the foot of Barrow st., North river, the shed and structure thereon, and for preparing for and rebuilding the pier, with its appurtenances.....	24,100 00
15210	" 14	Aqueduct Commission.....	John Fox.....	Charles L. Bucki.....	None.	Furnishing three (3) metal sluice gates, with their hoisting apparatus and other appurtenances, and placing the same in the gate-house of the main and auxiliary dams near Carmel, Putnam County, N. Y.....	2,680 00
15211	Sept. 14	Public Works.....	Bart. Dunn.....	None.....	3,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in 54th st., from 10th ave. to Hudson river.....	7,277 70
15212	Oct. 12	".....	T. Hugh Boorman.....	Timothy Mahoney.....	1,500 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation in 101st st., from Lexington to Park ave.....	4,075 86
15213	" 15	Repaving under chapter 475, Laws of 1895.....	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.....	John H. Deever.....	7,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on the present stone-block pavement in Madison ave., from 79th to 86th st.....	24,108 00
15214	" 15	Public Works.....	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.....	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Co. of Philadelphia.....	6,000 00	Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement, on the present stone-block pavement, 71st st., from 1st to 5th ave., except from 3d to Madison ave.....	21,974 00
15215	" 12	Aqueduct Commission.....	Patrick F. Curran.....	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Co. of Philadelphia.....	5,000 00	Completing a highway or road and its appurtenances, etc., crossing the East Branch of Reservoir "D" in the Town of Kent, Putnam County, N. Y.....	11,637 00
15216	" 16	Docks.....	Eppinger and Russell Co.....	Edward J. Moloughney.....	6,800 00	Furnishing sawed yellow pine timber.....	14,948 18
15217	" 22	Comr. of St. Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards (Bond).....	John F. McGowan.....	Michael Moloughney.....	157 50	Rebuilding receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Webster ave. and E. 174th st.....	137 50
15218	" 24	Police.....	Byron W. Greene, Jr.....	Glomon Gershel.....	None.	Tearing down the old brick prison in the rear of the station-house at No. 205 Mulberry st. and removing all the material and refuse.....	610 00
15219	" 21	Public Parks.....	De Wit C. Bouker, Jr.....	Louis Adler.....	8,000 00	Regulating and paving with Telford pavement City Island road, between Bartow Station of the Harlem River Branch of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and the westerly end of the approach to the City Island Bridge over Pelham Bay, in Pelham Bay Park.....	13,566 00
15220	" 10	Public Parks.....	Gregory Cox.....	Laurence Coyne.....	5,000 00	Regulating and paving with Telford pavement, Moshulu ave., between the main line of the Putnam Division of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. and Jerome ave., in Van Cortlandt Park.....	8,883 00
15221	" 21	Docks.....	W. H. Beard Dredging Co.....	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Co., of Philadelphia.....	8,000 00	Dredging on the East and Harlem rivers.....	20,000 00

## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz:

October 23. The Department of Public Parks—For the erection of a public overlook in Corlears Hook Park; for paving with asphalt the walk on the westerly side of 5th ave., where required, bet. 72d and 85th sts., and for paving walks in the City Parks south of 59th st., where required.

October 24. The Department of Public Works—For furnishing all materials and roofing with copper the gate-houses at Croton Dam, at 135th st. and Convent ave.; also for regulating and paving with asphalt and for laying water-mains in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated October 12, 1895, published in the CITY RECORD.

## Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz:

October 22. For regulating and paving with asphalt, 87th st., bet. 1st ave. and Avenue A; Barber Asphalt Paving Co., No. 1 Broadway, Principal; American Surety Co., No. 160 Broadway, Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland, No. 35 Wall st., Sureties.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 17, 1895.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President O. H. La Grange and Commissioner Austin E. Ford.

## OPENING OF PROPOSALS.

Affidavit as to due publication of advertisements inviting proposals for furnishing steam fire engines was read and filed, and approved forms of contract submitted.

Estimates were received as follows:

For Two Third Size Amoskeag Steam Fire Engines.

1. The Manchester Locomotive Works, at \$3,800 each, with security deposit \$225..... \$7,600 00

For Two Third Size La France Steam Fire Engines.

1. La France Fire Engine Company, at \$3,800 each, with security deposit \$225..... 7,600 00

—which were referred to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties.

Ordered, That the security deposits be forwarded to the Comptroller.

The Board then took a recess and reconvened.

Present—President O. H. La Grange and Commissioners James R. Sheffield and Austin E. Ford.

## TRIAL.

Fireman 1st grade John W. Garside, Jr., Engine 42, or "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay and warned.

The discharge of Machinists' Helper John J. Malley, ordered on April 30, was revoked.

## DISCHARGES ORDERED.

Hose Repairer Marvin B. Kirk and Painter John Saul, from this date.

October 22. For preparing for and laying a pavement of second-hand Belgian blocks on filled-in land in rear of the bulkhead, bet. West 96th and West 98th sts., North river; Thomas Harrington, No. 89 Church st., Jersey City, Principal; Matthew Baird, No. 339 East 63d st., Hugh McShane, No. 681 Montgomery st., Jersey City, Sureties.

October 23. For furnishing and building a guard-rail in Boulevard Lafayette, from 156th st. to Dykman st.; F. V. Smith, No. 411 Lenox ave., Principal; F. Thilemann, Jr., No. 33 West 127th st., Edward P. Steers, No. 2076 5th ave., Sureties.

## Appointed.

October 24. Ira Taylor, No. 280 Broadway, Examiner in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., Finance Department, with compensation at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.

October 24. Stephen J. Meagher, No. 215 E. 81st st., Examiner in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., Finance Department, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

## Official Designation.

October 25. Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller October 26, 1895. RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

On motion, ordered that requisition be made on Labor Clerk, Civil Service Examining Board, for names from eligible list of two painters, one machinist helper and two stokers.

## APPOINTMENTS.

Edward T. Halliday, as Hose Repairer, at \$3 per day, from 18th instant; Robert Magill, as Ununiformed Fireman, Hook and Ladder 19, from 18th instant.

## TRANSFERS.

Fireman Patrick T. McMahon, Hook and Ladder 2, to Hook and Ladder 16.

Fireman John C. Froboese, Hook and Ladder 18, to Hook and Ladder 13.

On the application of Margaret Hudson, widow of William Hudson, formerly a member of the Fire Department, for a pension under the provisions of Chapter 978, Laws of 1895, it was, on motion, ordered as follows:

First—That a pension at the rate of \$50 per annum be allowed the said Margaret Hudson, from the date of the death of the said William Hudson, July 10, 1875, to the 10th instant.

Second—That a pension at the rate of \$300 per annum be allowed the said Margaret Hudson from the 10th instant.

## DECISION.

Foreman Andrew Gaffney, Engine 26, charged with "conduct unbecoming an officer." Charge not proven and transfer recommended.

## REQUISITIONS.

## Expenditures Authorized.

Repairs to cable, \$20; carpenter work, \$90; mason work, \$85; plumbing, \$41; paint, \$37; chemical nozzles, \$210.



*Referred.*  
Specifications for additional underground cable. To Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

*Filed.*  
Statement of condition of appropriation to July 13.  
BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.  
Schedule No. 155 of 1894—total..... \$14,199 75

COMMUNICATIONS.  
*Referred.*  
Applications of Assistant Foreman Tobin, Firemen 1st grade John McCarthy, No. 3, John L. Coyle, Engine 23, and Daniel L. Simonson, Engine 23, for promotion. To the Examining Board.  
Relative to application of Pneumatic Fire-alarm System and invitation to inspect their central station. To Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.  
Request for examination of Rex Fire-extinguisher. To the Chief of Department.  
Offer of Reliance Hook and Ladder Company of Eastchester to sell apparatus to City. To Chief of Department for estimate of value and recommendation.  
*Laid Over.*

Petition of H. J. Hinds, attorney for Solomon Wechselman, for a hearing on matter of order to provide watchman and fire appliances for service at concert hall, No. 55 Bowery.  
*Filed.*

Report of rescue from drowning of James Barnett, aged five years, by Fireman James J. Potter, Engine 51, on 11th instant; to be entered on roll of merit. Report of establishment of telephone connection with engine-house at Westchester. Report of transfers. Report of operations, Bureau Chief of Department, third quarter 1895. Report of necessity of continuing employment of Climbers; action of President thereon approved. Report relative to Box No. 749. Report upon device for watering horses. List of papers in which official notices may be published. Request of Board of Fire Underwriters and National Board of Fire Underwriters for information as to tests at hydrants; information to be furnished. Letter commending Department for efficient service at fire on steamship "Yamouri." Relative to providing additional fire service in vicinity of West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street. Eligible lists of Machinists' Helpers and Hose Repairers. Applications of R. D. Alliger and R. E. Benjamin, M. D., for appointment.  
Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 19, 1895.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.  
Present—President O. H. La Grange and Commissioners James R. Sheffield and Austin E. Ford.

#### RESOLUTIONS

were adopted as follows:

Resolved, That the Fire Marshal shall give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) for the proper performance of his duties; and further,  
That the new Fire Marshal shall, within ten days from date of his appointment, report to this Board a plan for the reorganization of his Bureau, with a view to its thorough effectiveness in coping with incendiaries.

Resolved, That the offices of Assistant Fire Marshals, now held by August J. Wilson and Henry W. De Malignon, at salaries of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum, respectively, are hereby abolished, and in lieu of the same that of Deputy Fire Marshal is hereby created, at a salary of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum.

The Deputy Fire Marshal shall, in the absence of the Fire Marshal, act in his place and stead. He shall have custody of the special fund set apart for securing testimony in arson cases. His bond shall be two thousand dollars (\$2,000). It is hereby

Resolved, That the office and title of Bookkeeper, now held by the following three (3) persons, namely, Edward Savage, Joseph L. Berry and Louis O. Winkelbach, be abolished, and that the duties of the same be consolidated under the titles of "Auditor" and "Secretary of the Relief Fund."

Auditor.—That the Auditor shall examine and pass upon all bills and claims against the Department; he shall give directions as to the accounts against which all charges for contracts, purchases and other claims which have been allowed shall be charged; he shall forward to the Comptroller for payment all such approved bills and claims as the Commissioners shall direct; on the first of each month he shall report to the Commissioners upon a form prescribed by the Treasurer of the Board, showing the condition of each division and class of appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. He shall receive and keep an account of moneys belonging to and received by the Department, for the procurement of badges and medals, and render a statement each month of the condition of all such special funds or accounts. For the faithful performance of his trusts and duties he shall give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000). He shall receive a yearly salary of three thousand dollars.

Secretary to the Relief Fund.—That the Secretary to the Relief Fund shall keep the books, records and accounts pertaining to the Relief and Life Insurance Funds. He shall make a record of such accounts and rulings of the Trustees of the Relief and Life Insurance Funds as shall be reported to him by the Secretary to the Fire Commissioners. On the first of each month he shall report to the Treasurer of the Fire Commissioners the operations and conditions of the said Relief and Life Insurance Funds; he shall receive in the name of the "Treasurer" all moneys belonging to the Relief and Life Insurance Funds, and make such disposition of said moneys as the Treasurer may direct. For the faithful performance and discharge of his trusts and duties he shall give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars. He shall receive a yearly salary of three thousand dollars.

Resolved, That the title of the office of Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings be and is hereby changed to Building Superintendent, and that the qualifications and duties of that position shall be as follows: He shall be a competent and duly qualified architect and builder; shall supervise all repairs and alterations required to the buildings of the Department, prepare the necessary requisitions, plans and specifications therefor, supervise the sale of all condemned building materials and supplies, and receive and turn over to the Treasurer all moneys derived therefrom, and perform such other duties as the Board may, from time to time, direct. He shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, and shall furnish a bond in the same sum, conditioned upon the faithful performance of his duties.

Resolved, That the title of the office of Assistant Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings be and is hereby changed to Assistant Building Superintendent.

#### APPOINTMENTS.

Martin L. Hollister, to be Fire Marshal, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, from 16th instant.

Michael O'Sullivan, to be Deputy Fire Marshal, with salary at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, from 20th instant.

Gustavus L. Jewell, to be Auditor, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, from 20th instant.

Edward Savage, to be Secretary to the Relief Fund, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, from 20th instant.

Edward O'Meagher Condon, to be Building Superintendent, with salary at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, from 20th instant.

#### TRANSFER.

Fireman William Ryan, Engine 5, to Hook and Ladder 7.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 24, 1895.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.  
Present—President O. H. La Grange and Commissioners James R. Sheffield and Austin E. Ford.

#### OPENING OF PROPOSALS.

For Hay, Straw, Oats and Bran.

Estimates were received as follows:

1. John Moonan.....	\$10,500 00
2. Horace Ingersoll.....	11,160 00
3. Stroh & Son.....	11,415 00

Each with security deposit \$250.

No. 1 was referred to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties; Nos. 2 and 3 were filed.

Ordered, That the security deposits be forwarded to the Comptroller.

#### TRIAL.

Foreman Joseph P. Byrnes, Engine 18, for violation of Special Order No. 36, office Chief of Department. Finding excusable under the circumstances.

#### HEARING.

In the matter of providing Watchman, etc., at concert hall, No. 55 Bowery. Ordered, That report be made when watchman, etc., are provided.

On application of Walter R. Johnston, by H. L. Satterlee, attorney, for exoneration from charges made in the public press, it was Ordered, That the Board cheerfully states that no charges of any wrong-doing have been made against Walter R. Johnston while serving as a Surveyor of Combustibles in this Department, and that no suspicion exists which might be in any way injurious to the conduct or character of said Johnston in the performance of his duties as such surveyor.

Fireman 1st grade James Potter, Engine 51 (Fireboat "Zophar Mills"), was commended by the Board through the Chairman, upon the report of rescue by him of a boy from drowning.

Ordered, That the Foreman in charge of the Repair Shops report the methods observed at the Repair Shops in the receipt, keeping and disposition of materials and supplies obtained for use therein.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

*Referred.*

Report of Chief of Department of further inspection of Grand Opera House. To Committee on Buildings and Supplies.

Complaint of dangerous blasting in Cauldwell avenue, One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third streets. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

Application of George W. Stokes for appointment as Inspector in Bureau of Combustibles. To the same.

Report in relation to fire at quarters of Engine 1. To the Fire Marshal for report.

Applications of Engineer of Steamer Patrick R. Collum, Fireman 1st grade John J. O'Neill, No. 2, Adam E. Blair and Benjamin O. Curran, for promotion. To the Examining Board.

Report and recommendation of the Inspector of Combustibles, that persons be prosecuted for selling kerosene oil without license, and for chimney fires. To the Attorney, with directions to prosecute.

Offer of A. C. Carey, Lake Pleasant, Mass., to furnish a new style fire-alarm. To Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Request of E. C. Phillips for information as to safety of cable cash carrier systems in use. To the Inspector of Combustibles for report.

*Filed.*

Demand of John McMahon for certified copy of report relative to acquisition of site for use of Department at Tremont and Morris avenues; compliance ordered. Request of D. A. Levien, Jr., to make examination of records; action of the Secretary thereon approved. Applications of Engineer of Steamer Robert A. Reynolds and Firemen Frederick H. Newbaur, John Monahan and William J. Noble to be retired after twenty years' service. Report of transfers. Offer of Reliance Hook and Ladder 1 of Eastchester to sell apparatus, etc., with report thereon. Recommendation that an alarm-box be placed in vicinity of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Morris avenue; approved and ordered. Report of loss of badge by Fireman John Tackney, Engine 18; fine imposed. Report of damage to Station 86. Report by Attorney of operations for second quarter 1895. Statement of William Wood concerning his retirement from the Department, with report of Attorney thereon. Letter from General Robert Avery, recommending Charles A. Dow for appointment as Laborer.

#### REQUISITIONS, ETC.

*Expenditures Authorized.*

Subway connections, \$150; door-mats, \$13.68; charges for extinguishers, \$77; Loeb respirators, \$300; ball nozzles, \$500; harness trimmings, \$250; steam-fittings, \$29.

*Referred.*

Report of favorable trial of reseating machine. To Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.  
Proposal of the Gas Consumers Association to cover gas meters, etc. To Committee on Buildings and Supplies.

*Filed.*

Requisition for Departmental Estimate year 1896; to be prepared. Statement of condition of appropriation to July 20. Proposals of the Manchester Locomotive Works and La France Fire Engine Company for steam fire engines, which were returned by the Comptroller with approval of sureties. Receipt for security deposits.

#### CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Two 3d size Amoskeag Steam Fire Engines—To the Manchester Locomotive Works for..... \$7,600 00

Two 3d size La France Steam Fire Engines—To the La France Fire Engine Company for..... 7,600 00

#### BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.

Schedule No. 64 of 1895—total..... \$3,826 96

Schedule No. 65 of 1895—total..... 2,131 17

#### RETIRED FROM ALL SERVICE.

Engineer of Steamer Robert A. Reynolds, Engine 13; Firemen 1st grade Frederick H. Newbaur, Engine 36; John Monahan, Engine 49; William J. Noble, Engine 2. To take effect from 1st proximo.

#### APPOINTMENTS

were ordered, to take effect as follows:

*As Fireman of Third Grade, from 21st instant.*

Bernard J. Coyle, Engine 31; Lawrence J. Logan, Engine 13; Samuel Hogue, Engine 25; Edward F. Tracey, Engine 12; John T. Murphy, Hook and Ladder 1.

*As Stokers, with Salary at rate of \$2.50 per day.*

Patrick Caine, from 20th inst.; Louis Wein, from 27th instant.

*As Climbers, with Salary at rate of \$2.50 per day.*

Edward J. Mullins and Henry Nelson, from 8th instant.

ADVANCEMENTS FROM THIRD TO SECOND GRADE, ORDERED FROM 1ST PROXIMO.

Daniel Donovan, Engine 25; Louis Horak, Engine 7; James C. Young, Hook and Ladder 18; George C. Volkhart, Engine 29; Lorenzo Howell, Engine 33; Arthur J. Lott, Hook and Ladder 5; James Earely, Hook and Ladder 8; Henry Heilos, Hook and Ladder 10; John J. Allen, Engine 17; James Fitzpatrick, Engine 27; Charles F. Bellosa, Hook and Ladder 15.

#### TRANSFERS ORDERED.

Fireman McGowan, Engine 52, to Williamsbridge; Fireman Matthew Dalton, Engine 58, to Engine 48.

#### RESOLUTION ADOPTED.

Resolved, That the meetings of the Board of Fire Commissioners be open to the Press, except in regard to matters affecting the character or integrity of members of the Department, or in the case of the Bureau of the Fire Marshal, where secrecy is often essential to success, and that the records of the votes of the Commissioners be also accessible to the Press.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 25, 1895.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President O. H. La Grange and Commissioner Austin E. Ford.

Request of Commissioners of City Island Fire Department for advice as to disposition of a cash balance of \$6,500, was laid over, with directions to transmit to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion as to proper action thereon, and as to the rights, authority and duties of this Department under the provisions of chapter 934, Laws of 1895.

Request of William Thorpe, attorney, for a hearing in the matter of Fireman James Barrett, was filed, with directions to inform him that hearing will be given on 31st instant at 10 A. M.

Ordered, That Fireman 1st grade M. J. Crowley and Eugene J. Fergus, Engine 34, be detailed to Fire Marshal's Bureau.

Resolved, That bill of E. A. Callahan, for expert services in connection with the Fire-alarm Telegraph, amounting to one hundred and twenty-five dollars, be and the same is hereby approved and allowed.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 31, 1895.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—Commissioners James R. Sheffield and Austin E. Ford.

#### TRIALS.

Fireman 1st grade Richard O'Brien, Hook and Ladder 7, for "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade John T. George, Engine 35, for "neglect of duty." Excusable under the circumstances.

The Board took a recess and reconvened.

Present—President O. H. La Grange, and Commissioners James R. Sheffield and Austin E. Ford.

Ordered, That the time fixed for the Fire Marshal to report on the reorganization of his bureau be extended two weeks.

#### TRANSFERS ORDERED.

Foreman Charles Margison, Engine 54 to Engine 52.

Assistant Foreman Martin Morrison, Engine 32 to Engine 16.

Assistant Foreman James Flaherty, Engine 16 to Engine 32.

Fireman 1st grade Cornelius J. Butt, Engine 16 to Engine 34.

Fireman 1st grade Adolph Zorn, Engine 58 to Engine 60.

Fireman 1st grade Henry W. Romer, Hook and Ladder 18 to Engine 39.

Fireman 1st grade John A. Bowler, Engine 7 to Engine 21.

Fireman 1st grade Michael Donovan, Engine 21 to Engine 7.

#### REQUISITIONS, ETC.

*Expenditures Authorized.*

Lumber, \$176.70; bran, \$15; incidental office expenses for quarter ending September 30, \$1,390; reseating machine, \$86; plumbing materials, \$200; repairs to Truck 14, \$978; hardware, steam-fittings, etc., \$250; repairs to hose, nozzles, etc., \$250; carpenter work, \$90; repairs to wagons, \$105.

*Referred.*

Report by Chief of Battalion in Charge of Stables of trial of "no slip" horseshoes. Back with directions to have trial made on horses of another company.

*Filed.*

Report of horses unfit for service; sale ordered. Report of injury to horse on trial. Report of killing of horse 711. Statement of condition of appropriation to July 27. Receipt for security



deposits. Requests of Foreman of Hose Company and Chief of Fire Department of Wakefield for supplies, etc.; approved.

#### CONTRACT AWARDED.

For forage, to John Noonan..... \$10,500 00  
BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.  
Schedule No. 66 of 1895—total..... \$2,103 92  
Ordered, That the designation of Climber William Bell as Foreman of Linemen be revoked, and that his pay be fixed at \$3 per day.

#### COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

*Referred.*  
Report of violation of Rules and Regulations by Assistant Foreman Patrick Foley, Engine 12. To the Chief of Department for report.  
Letter of R. Miller, relative to necessity of additional fire protection on upper west side. To the Committee on Buildings and Supplies.  
Reports that proprietors of concert hall No. 55 Bowery, lodging-house No. 146 West street and Girard House, Nos. 123 to 129 West Forty-fourth street, have not fully complied with law. To the Attorney for proper action.  
Memorandum of laws (furnished to J. B. Ecclesine, Esq.) relating to tax alleged to be due from Lloyds Insurance Companies. To Commissioner Sheffield.  
Suggestions as to class of men to be employed in preventing incendiarism. To the Fire Marshal.

#### Laid Over.

Application of Patrick Egan, on behalf of the Direct Call Telegraph System, for a hearing. Hearing granted.

#### Filed.

Report of details and transfers. Report on Rex extinguisher. Report of Instructor, School of Instruction. Report of rescue of William Johnson, ten years old, from drowning, by Firemen James Potter and Edward D. Farrell, Engine 51; to be entered on Roll of Merit. Report of damage to underground cables. Report of injury to Painter Charles A. Gardner. Applications of James Browning, William Tilley and John Murphy for appointment. Application of Charles Olpp for badge and alarm gong; badge granted. Complaint of F. Benault, of packing boxes at No. 117 Macdougall street.

Ordered, That the Civil Service Commissioners be requested to modify the rules so as to permit of promotions from the position of Climber and the like to classified positions in the Civil Service.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James T. Barry to set curb, flag, etc., sidewalk, etc., at the northwest corner of Boston road and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, the work to be done and materials supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 15, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1895.  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis Kronenberger to place and keep an ornamental clock and post on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 608 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, provided the dimensions of said post shall not exceed those prescribed by law, viz., eighteen inches square at the base, and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 15, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Dick to place and keep bay windows on the row of buildings on the east side of Manhattan avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, the windows to be placed, respectively, one at One Hundred and Third street and Manhattan avenue, one in the centre building of the block between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, and the other to be on the building on the corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Manhattan avenue, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 28, 1895.  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons to place and keep stands within the stoop-lines in various parts of the city for the sale of soda-water, fruit, newspapers or periodicals at the location set opposite their names:

By Alderman Brown.  
Henry C. Stiehler, 14 Catharine Slip.  
Joseph Campagna, 24 Mulberry street.  
Gaetano Marino, 223 Grand street.  
Domingo De Luce, 10 Mett street.  
Solomon Goldman, 23 Catharine Square.

Nessin Starker, 193 Clinton street.  
Morris Mench, 200 Stanton street.

Louis Semansky, 476 Second avenue.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 28, 1895.  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Rafter to erect, place and keep an iron awning in front of his premises, No. 414 East Thirteenth street, provided the posts of said awning shall be of iron and the structure erected in compliance with the provisions of the Ordinance of May 10, 1886, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 30, 1895.  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Brennan to place and keep an iron watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of the premises on the southwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 30, 1895.  
Resolved, That two additional lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Ascension Memorial Church, Nos. 245 to 249 West Forty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, October 30, 1895.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Railroads. Street Pavements.  
Law Department.  
RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold an executive meeting on Monday, November 11, 1895, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.  
LAW DEPARTMENT—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Monday, November 11, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.  
STREET PAVEMENTS—The Committee on Street Pavements will hold a meeting on Tuesday, November 12, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.  
WM. H. TEN EYCK,  
Clerk, Common Council.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

##### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.  
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor. JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary and Chief Clerk.  
Mayor's Marshal's Office.  
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD H. HEALY, First Marshal.  
JOHN J. BRENNAN, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.  
Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
SETH SPRAGUE TERRY and RODNEY S. DENNIS.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner; CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).  
WILSON VANCE, Chief Clerk (Room 7).  
GEORGE W. BRIDGALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9); COLUMBUS O. JOHNSON, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 6); JOHN C. GRAHAM, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); EDWARD P. NORTH, Water Purveyor (Room 12); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN SIMPSON, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); WILLIAM HENKEL, Superintendent of Incumbances (Room 16); STEVENSON TOWLE, Consulting Engineer and in charge of Street Improvements (Room 5).

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.  
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.  
No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
LOUIS F. HAPFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

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

Auditing Bureau.  
Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.  
JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Second Auditor.  
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.  
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

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

No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau of the City Chamberlain.  
Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ANSON G. MCCOOK, City Chamberlain.

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

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.  
No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. LYON, Corporation Attorney.

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.  
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.  
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.  
No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.  
Central Office.  
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THEODORE ROOSEVELT, President; AVERY D. ANDREWS, FREDERICK D. GRANT and ANDREW D. PARKER, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.  
No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.  
ROBERT MACLAY, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.  
Central Office.  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; ROBERT J. WRIGHT and JOHN P. FAURE, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, ROBERT A. JOHNSTON. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

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

Headquarters.  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
O. H. LA GRANGE, President; JAMES R. SHEFFIELD and AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; GEO. E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles; MARTIN L. HOLLISTER, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and GEORGE B. FOWLER, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, *ex officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.  
Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
DAVID H. KING, Jr., President; JAMES A. ROOSEVELT, AUGUSTUS D. JULLIARD and GEORGE G. HAVEN, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.  
Battery, Pier A, North river.  
EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, President; EDWIN EINSTEIN and JOHN MONKS, Commissioners; GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.  
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JAMES L. WELLS and THEO. SUTRO, Commissioners; C. ROCKLAND TYNG, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.  
No. 1262 Broadway.  
HENRY S. KEARNY, JACOB HESS, and THOMAS L. HAMILTON, and the Mayor, *ex officio*, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.  
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, from Franklin to White street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE E. WARING, Jr., Commissioner; F. H. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner; THOS. A. DOE, Chief Clerk.

#### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

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

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.  
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH MURRAY, President; CHARLES H. WOODMAN and JULIUS HARBURGER, Commissioners; WM. H. COYLE, Secretary.

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

N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.  
No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAS. P. ARCHIBALD, Warden.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.  
Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM PLIMLEY, Commissioner; P. H. DUNN, Deputy Commissioner.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; HENRY W. UNGER, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.  
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant; HENRY McMILLEN, Deputy Supervisor and Expert.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.  
No. 32 Chambers street.  
JOHN YULE, Chairman; JAMES M. MORROW, Secretary; JAMES P. KNIGHT, Treasurer.

CORONERS' OFFICE.  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, WILLIAM H. DOBBS, EMIL W. HOEBER and WILLIAM O'MEAGHER, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SURROGATES' COURT.  
New County Court-house. Court opens at 10:30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.  
Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 9:30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE L. INGRAM, ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, GEORGE C. BARRETT, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, EDWARD PATTERSON and MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Justices; HENRY D. PURROY, Clerk.  
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, JAMES B. F. SMITH, Clerk.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.  
Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. MCCALL, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN LERSCHER, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.  
Third floor, New County Court-house, opens 11 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 35.  
Special Term, Room No. 33.  
Equity Term, Room No. 36.  
Chambers, Room No. 33.  
Part I., Room No. 34.  
Part II., Room No. 35.  
Part III., Room No. 36.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and HENRY R. BERKMAN, Judges; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.  
Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Judge; MILES BEACH, HENRY BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., ROGER A. PRYOR and LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, Judges; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; THOMAS ALLISON, JAMES FITZGERALD and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.  
City Hall.  
General Term, Room No. 20.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.  
Part II., Room No. 21.  
Part III., Room No. 15.  
Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chief Justice; JAMES M.



FITZSIMONS, JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN and HENRY C. BOTT, Justices; JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

**OVER AND TERMINER COURT.**  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A.M.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk; to A.M. to 4 P.M.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily at 10.30 A.M., excepting Saturday.  
Judges—WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, WILLIAM TRAVES, JEROME, ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, JOHN HAYES; THEO. F. McDONALD, Clerk.

#### DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

WALDORE LYNN, Justice. LOUIS C. BRUNS, Clerk.

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

HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JOHN DUANE, Jr., Clerk.

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

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

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

JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. SYLVESTER E. NOLAN, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A.M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. each court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Court opens at 9 A.M.

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

Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

City Magistrates—LEWIS B. CRANE, ROBERT C. CORNELL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR., HENRY E. BRANN, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, JOHN O. MOTT, THOMAS F. WENTWORTH.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tomb, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

#### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 8, 1895.

**PROPOSALS TO SUPPLY PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS AND STATIONERY, I.E., OFFICIAL WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES TO THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1896.**

**TO PRINTERS AND LITHOGRAPHERS.**

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE**

City Government with Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Forms, Pamphlets, and Stationery, I.e., Official Writing Paper and Envelopes, etc., will be received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, in the City Hall, until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, December 2d.

The said Estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record to be held in the Mayor's Office at or about the time above mentioned.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in an envelope sealed with sealing-wax, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Printed, Lithographed or Stamped matter," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

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

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The contract for printing and lithographing, etc., may be awarded, in the discretion of the Board of City Record, item by item, or Department by Department, to different bidders, or, as a whole, to the lowest responsible bidder in the aggregate—unless there be an item involving more than five hundred dollars, or several items each involving the expenditure of a like sum, in which case a contract or contracts will be made with the lowest bidder or bidders on such item or items, and the contract for the remainder of the work for the Department will be awarded to the bidder ascertained to be lowest after the deduction of such item or items. The bids must, therefore, be in detail on the items required for a Department or Court, and also the aggregate bid for each Department or Court on which bids are offered.

The printed or lithographed blanks, etc., must be folded, and be put up in packages by the contractors, according to the directions of the Supervisor of the City Record.

The contractor, or contractors, must complete the delivery of the blanks, etc., at the office of the City Record within ninety (90) days from the execution of the contract or contracts, unless the work is delayed by a Court, Department, Board or Bureau. From the operation of this rule are excepted the calculation cards for the Department of Taxes, the tax bills for the Finance Department, and other blanks, "copy" for which cannot be prepared until the tax rate for 1896 has been fixed. Provision will be made for payment of a proportionate part of the contract price, when it shall appear that the contractor has done his work, until temporary stayed by the inability of a Department, etc., to furnish "copy."

As many of the printed forms would be made worthless by typographical errors, or by mistakes in the preparation of samples, proofs must be furnished, under an agreement that the contractors shall not be expected to make changes practically altering the character of forms.

Particular care must be taken that the names of the new incumbents of offices are put upon the blanks.

The delivery of the work must begin within five days from the execution of the contracts, and be continued in such a manner that the immediate needs of the Department shall be supplied.

For particulars as to the quantities and kinds of Printing and Lithographing, reference must be had to the samples and specifications on file in the Department of Public Works or in the office of the City Record, No. 2, City Hall. The kinds of paper to be used are indicated on the samples. Copies of the specifications may be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record.

By order of  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works  
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 8, 1895.

**PROPOSALS TO FURNISH THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH BLANK, PRINTED OR LITHOGRAPHED BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, BINDING COVERS, BINDING, ETC., FOR 1896.**

**TO BOOKBINDERS AND STATIONERS.**

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE**

City Government with Blank, Printed or Lithographed Books, Dockets, Libers, etc., will be received at this office until 12 M. on Wednesday, November 27, 1895, at or about which time said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record, to be held in the Mayor's Office.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, sealed with sealing-wax, marked "Estimate for Furnishing Blank Books, etc.," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

Each estimate shall state the name and place of residence of the person making it; if there is more than one such person, their names and residences must be given; and if only one person is interested in the estimate

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the books required by any Court or Department, or for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, or for any item or items for which the Board of City Record may decide to let a separate contract or contracts. Bidders must therefore give not only their bids by items but also the aggregate bid for the work for any department or departments on which bids are offered.

The making and delivery of all the books must be completed within ninety days from the execution of the contract unless delayed by the Courts, Departments, or Bureaus. They must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Departments shall be supplied. Such of them as are indicated with asterisks in the specifications must be delivered on or before January 2, 1896.

For particulars of the quantities of books required resort must be had to the specifications on file in the Department of Public Works, or to be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record.

Eight styles of binding have been adopted as follows: All the books in the Departments for which bids are asked, and unless specially excepted, are to be bound in the style indicated by the letter accompanying the description of such book or books. If no letter or description is given, the bidder must visit the Departments and examine the books that are to be duplicated, and he can also examine the specifications on file in the Department of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street, or in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall.

Style A (Libers).—The Libers are to be sewed in sections of four sheets, lined inside with linen. Where necessary all parchment used is to be covered with linen. The binding is to be of the best American Russia, sample required. The Libers are to have round-cornered brass shoes, as per samples in the Register's and Surrogate's offices. Crane's Parchment, Deed Paper No. 44 shall be used for the Libers.

Style B.—Full bound, American Russia, extra hubs, ends and bands.

Style C.—Full bound sheep, American Russia ends and bands.

Style D.—Full bound sheep and American Russia corners.

Style E.—Three-quarter bound, cloth sides, American Russia or roan back and corners.

Style F.—One-half bound (cloth or paper sides, as required), American Russia or roan back and corners, gold band finish.

Style G.—Full duck, tight back.

Style H.—Unclassified and ready-made or stock books.

When L. L. Brown's or Weston's Ledger Paper has been used in the making of any book or books, the duplicates called for shall be made of paper of corresponding grades, unless otherwise directed by the Supervisor of the City Record. When other paper has been used, the contractor can use Whiting's, Parson's, Crane's, L. L. Brown's Advance, or any other paper of equal quality corresponding with the sizes and weights of paper called for by these specifications or as may be directed by the Supervisor of the City Record.

For books from 7½ x 9½ to 10 x 17 inches, the weight of the paper shall be the equivalent of Flat Cap, 14 x 17, 18 lbs.; of Crown, 15 x 19, 22 lbs.; of Demy, 16 x 21, 28 lbs.; of Medium, 18 x 23, 36 lbs.; of Royal, 19 x 24, 44 lbs.; of Super Royal, 20 x 28, 54 lbs.

The books must contain printed headings, and such additional printed matter in the body as may be re-

quired; they shall be ruled and paged consecutively, or otherwise, as ordered, lettered on back or side, or both, as required, and shall be tagged with alphabetical or extended tags, of color and size as specified in requisitions therefor.

Special ruling and special printing when called for, as indicated in the specifications.

The contractor will be required to deliver, with the books, at the City Record office, as well as with the bill when rendered to the City Record, a perfect and complete page from each book, and written thereon, its title, a description of its binding, a statement of how it is to be paged and indexed, the amount of lettering on the back and side, and the number of pages in the book, embracing details sufficient to accurately describe the manner in which the book was made and bound.

Each book shall contain a small label, of a style to be given by the Supervisor, which label shall be furnished without charge and be pasted on the inside of the cover of the book, stating that it was made for the City Record, and giving the number of the book as indicated in the sample, the specifications, or by the Supervisor. No other label shall be placed in the book, and it shall contain no other printing except that which is ordered by the Department.

Samples of such of the books as are not described herein, or in the specifications, are to be seen in the several Courts and Departments, and the new books must be made in accordance with those samples, unless the latter are inferior in the qualities of paper and binding to those provided for in the specifications, and unless changes are required by the Court, Department, or Bureau.

Stenographers' books are not to be paged or indexed, unless specially ordered; but special attention must be paid to the paper called for, as some stenographers use pens and others pencils.

By order of  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works  
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, October 28, 1895.

**PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR PRINTING, FOLDING, BINDING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD** (a publication provided for by section 111 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, section 1 of chapter 631, Laws of 1875, and sections 6, 67 and 68 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, otherwise known as the New York City Consolidation Act), for one year from January 2, 1896, in accordance with specifications filed in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York, will be received in the office of the Supervisor until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, November 18, 1895, at or about which time they will be publicly opened and read in the office of the Mayor of the City of New York. The award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and his place of business, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other 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 without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein or in any portion of the profits thereof. Each estimate must be made in strict conformity to the ordinances of the City and the specifications; it must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, accompanied by the consent and oath or affirmation of two sureties, householders or freeholders of the City of New York and placed in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be indorsed, "Estimate for Printing and Distributing the City Record," together with the name and place of business of the party making the estimate, and the date of its presentation, and it must be sealed with sealing-wax. The security required on the contract will be twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one thousand two hundred and fifty (\$1,250) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record or clerk who has charge of the estimate-box, at the office of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall; 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.

BIDS ARE INVITED AS FOLLOWS:  
First—A price per thousand ems of plain or ordinary composition (which shall include the arrangement and classification of and type-setting on the registry lists), and a price per thousand ems of rule and figure work, which prices shall include the entire cost of printing, furnishing, folding, binding and distributing during the year 1896, commencing on the second day of January, 1,050 copies of each issue and supplements, and such number of the registry lists and indices, as may be required (not exceeding 1,050 of each), of the paper known as the CITY RECORD, in conformity with the specifications given, and in conformity with the laws as they now exist or as they may exist during 1896, except what may be paid under the terms of the contract for changes and alterations. The RECORD to be a paper in size and general form like the publication of 1895 (which, estimated approximately, contained about nineteen million ems of plain or ordinary composition, and about twenty-six million ems of table matter, and five million one hundred and thirty-six thousand ems of plain matter embraced in the registry lists), and to contain such matter only as is authorized and required by law to be published therein, and at the times and in the manner required by the present laws, and matter that may be required during the year by any new or amended laws.

Second—For changes and alterations per hour.

Third—The total price per token of four pages for all additional expense incurred in printing, furnishing, folding, binding and distributing any additional number of copies of the CITY RECORD and supplements that may be required beyond the stipulated number of 1,050, said additional copies to conform in every respect to the specifications of the regular authorized edition.

Fourth—The price per volume for binding in quarterly volumes, one hundred, or less, of the copies of the CITY RECORD and indices, which the contractor is to set aside and preserve for each quarter during the year, said binding to be similar and equal in kind and quality to the binding of the CITY RECORD volumes during the present year. The bound volumes of each quarter are to be delivered within six weeks after the copy for the index for that quarter has been given to the contractor.

A contract will not be made upon an estimate unless it appears that the party making the estimate has a printing establishment, with adequate facilities, in the City of New York.

The undersigned officers reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if in their judgment the same may be for the best interests of the City.

Copies of the specifications and the form of contract to be entered into may be had at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2, City Hall.

By order of  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works  
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.



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.

When 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 material, 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 this 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 500 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 April, 1896, 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 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 INTERESTS OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

Dated New York, October 10, 1895.

## CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.

### PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING about 24,000 pounds of Poultry: 48 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel; 96 barrels good quality and fair size Red Apples, each barrel to contain two and a half bushels; 26 barrels prime quality "Family" Pork, for use on Thanksgiving Day, 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 Tuesday, November 19, 1895. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. 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 of Poultry on Tuesday, November 26, 1895, before 7 o'clock A. M., all in accordance with specifications.

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

HENRY H. PORTER, President; JOHN P. FAURE and ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioners, Department of Public Charities and Correction.

NEW YORK, November 7, 1895.  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from City Island; unknown man; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on gray cotton vest, black cardigan jacket, black and gray striped vest, gray and black striped pants, white shirt, gray cotton undershirt and drawers, brown cotton socks, laced shoes, black felt hat. Drawers marked Gefreiter "Bund," Company Infantry, Regt. 120.

Unknown man from Battery Park; aged about 35 years; gray eyes, sandy hair and moustache. Had on

brown overcoat, black coat, black pants with blue stripes, blue and white striped outing-shirt, gray cotton undershirt and drawers, gray cotton socks, laced shoes.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island; Gustav Johnson; aged 18 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted dark clothes.

Joseph Alexia; aged 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted dark clothes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 29, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, No. 32 Chambers street, for receiving and finally disposing of all ashes, garbage, sweepings and other refuse delivered at the various dumps, or dumping-places of the Department by the carts of the Department and all other carts duly authorized to collect the same, until 12 o'clock M., of Tuesday, December 10, 1895.

Forms of proposals, specifications and contract may be had at the office of the Department.

Under the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, adopted on the 4th day of September, 1895:

"Resolved, That the Commissioner of Street Cleaning be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare a form of advertisement and contract, inviting proposals for the receiving, at the various dumps in this city, and finally disposing of all ashes, sweepings and other refuse material that may be collected and delivered at said dumps by the carts of this city and by private carts authorized to collect such material, each proposal to be accompanied with a specification, stating in full the manner of proposed final disposition of such material. All clean, fresh ashes may, under the inspection of this city, be deposited by the contractor within the crib-work at Riker's Island, sweepings, garbage and other refuse material to be disposed of in such manner only that will render it unobjectionable, in any and every respect; said advertisement and form of contract to be first approved by the Council to the Corporation, and after such approval said advertisement to be inserted in the CITY RECORD, and brief advertisement, calling attention to the same, inserted in all official papers for thirty days, and when proposals are received and tabulated that they be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for such action as may be determined."

Sealed proposals for the receiving at the various dumps in this city and finally disposing of all ashes, garbage, sweepings and other refuse material that may be collected and delivered at said dumps by the carts of this city and by private carts authorized to collect such material for a period of five years from the first day of April, 1896, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of said Department, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of Tuesday, December 10, 1895, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

Each proposal to be accompanied with a specification stating in full the manner of proposed final disposition of such material. All clean, fresh ashes may, under the inspection of this city, be deposited by the contractor within the crib-work at Riker's Island. Sweepings, garbage and other refuse material to be disposed of in such manner only that will render it unobjectionable, in any and every respect, but no part thereof shall be dumped in the waters of New York Harbor, or in the waters adjacent thereto, or in the Atlantic Ocean.

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

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

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

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to reject any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the 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 persons 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 sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of \$100,000; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

A special deposit of ten thousand dollars in cash will be required to be made with the Comptroller of the City of New York, on or before the execution of the contract, as a security for the faithful performance of the same.

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.

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

### AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, at the Central Park Stables (Eighty-fifth street Transverse Road), on Tuesday, November 12, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Two condemned horses.

Two impounded dogs.

The purchase-money to be paid at the time of sale, and the purchases to be removed from the park immediately thereafter.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, October 31, 1895.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and 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, November 13, 1895:

No. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE RIVERSIDE PARK, BETWEEN SEVENTY-NINTH AND NINETY-SIXTH STREETS.

No. 2. FOR LAYING WATER-PIPE AND ERECTION OF DRINKING-FOUNTAINS AND URINALS ON THE PARADE GROUND IN VAN CORTLANDT PARK.

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT, WHERE REQUIRED, THE WALKS ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDES OF TRANSVERSE ROADS NOS. 1, 2 AND 3, CROSSING CENTRAL PARK.

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALK ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, WHERE REQUIRED, BETWEEN SEVENTY-NINTH AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREETS.

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

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

4,000 cubic yards earth excavation.

200 cubic yards rock excavation.

19,000 cubic yards of filling to be furnished in place.

28,000 cubic yards of mould or top soil furnished in place.

5,500 lineal feet of blue-stone steps for walks.

1,200 lineal feet of blue-stone cheek pieces.

118 walk basins, two feet six inches interior diameter, with cast-iron curb and grating.

16 surface basins, three feet six inches interior diameter, with cast-iron curb and grating.

3,460 lineal feet of six-inch vitrified salt-glazed stoneware pipe, furnish and lay.

2,710 lineal feet of eight-inch vitrified salt-glazed stoneware pipe, furnish and lay.

3,160 lineal feet of twelve-inch vitrified salt-glazed stoneware pipe, furnish and lay.

750 cubic yards rubble-stone masonry in cement mortar, in foundation walls.

20 cubic yards concrete in place.

310,000 square feet soil, to furnish and lay.

10 acres of ground to be finished and seeded.

91,800 square feet of walk pavement of asphalt with concrete base, including rubble-stone foundation.

59,700 square feet of walk pavement of asphalt with concrete base, on existing stone foundation—laid or partly laid.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract and to be fully completed on or before the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIX.

The penalty for overtime is fixed at FIFTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be December 31, 1895.

The penalty for overtime is fixed at TEN DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.

30,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt laid on base prepared by the Department.

The work to be completed on or before December 1, 1895, and the penalty for overtime is fixed at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

No. 4. ABOVE MENTIONED.

16,100 square feet of pavement of asphalt laid on base prepared by the Department.

The work to be completed on or before December 1, 1895, and the penalty for overtime is fixed at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS.

On Nos. 1, 3 and 4, bidders must deposit with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, at least two days before making his bid, samples of materials he intends to use, as follows:

1st. Specimens of asphaltum, with a certificate stating where the asphaltum was mined.

2d. A specimen of asphaltic cement, with a statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface.

3d. Specimens of sand intended to be used.

4th. Specimens of pulverized carbonate of lime intended to be used.

5th. Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric, and a product of the first quality, and from the mines hereinafter designated.

6th. A statement of the location and the capacity (in square yards per day) of the works or factory where the paving material is prepared.

Specimens must be furnished to the Department of Public Parks as often as may be required during the progress of the work.

No bid will be received or considered unless the deposits of materials and statements referred to above are made with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks within the time prescribed, nor unless they conform to the requirements of the specifications and are satisfactory to the Commissioners of Public Parks. Any bid accompanied by a sample of asphaltum which does not come up to the standard required by these specifications will be regarded as informal.



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

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

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

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interests 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 contract which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 23, 1895.

### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1895, AT 10.30 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Wilson H. Blackwell, Auctioneer, Wagons, Carts, Push-carts, Stands, Booths, Furniture, Packing-boxes, Boot-black Stands, Electric Wire, Telegraph Poles, etc., which have been seized as obstructions. The sale will commence at the One Hundred and Twenty-third Street Corridor Yard, thence to the Fifty-sixth Street Yard, the Twenty-fourth Street (East river) Yard, and the yard at the foot of Rivington street.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal of the articles by the purchasers on the date of sale, otherwise the purchasers will forfeit ownership of the articles, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the Department will resell such articles.

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 31, 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, November 23, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth streets.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN CENTRAL PARK, WEST, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, WITH CONNECTIONS TO PRESENT SEWERS IN NINETEENTH AND NINETY-FIRST STREETS.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN BOULEVARD (east side), between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MAIDEN LANE, from Broadway to Pearl street.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the lease 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. 9 and 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

## STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in pursuance of chapter 576 of the Laws of 1895, will, on the 18th day of November, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., consider and determine upon such proof as may be adduced before him whether the following streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, are now and have been used for public traffic and travel since January 1, 1874, and are so used for at least 50 feet in width, etc.:

- 1st. Orchard street, from Ogden avenue to Marcher avenue, sewer.
- 2d. Kingsbridge road, from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, sewer.
- 3d. Concord avenue, from St. Joseph's street to Dater street, sewer.
- 4th. East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (old Morris street), from Webster avenue to Tremont avenue, sewer.
- 5th. East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street (formerly Arcularius place), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Gerard avenue, sewer.
- 6th. High Bridge street, from Boscobel avenue to Nelson avenue.

Dated New York, November 4, 1895.

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

## DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.

DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.

LAMONT MCDONOUGH, Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 22d day of November, 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 Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, November 9, 1895.

MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, JAMES MITCHEL, THEODORE E. SMITH, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

## SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT—WEST-CHESTER COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and chapter 196 of the Laws of 1887, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal of lands in North Salem, Westchester County.

RESERVOR "M."—PARCELS 17-38.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of John Berry and George Caulfield, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date July 23, 1892, and David Thompson, who was appointed Commissioner of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court bearing

date October 28, 1893, which said report bears date October 20, 1893, and was filed in the Westchester County Clerk's Office November 1, 1895.

Notice is further given that an application will be made to confirm the said report, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held at the Court-house, in the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the 7th day of December, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated November 4, 1895.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor, in said city, on the 18th day of November, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us, for and during the space of sixty days, in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of November, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 4, 1895.

MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, Chairman; JAMES MITCHEL, THEODORE E. SMITH, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WHITLOCK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to Westchester 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 16th day of August, 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 28th day of August, 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 trust 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 29th day of November, 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 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, November 4, 1895.

STANLEY W. DEXTER, PIERRE VAN BUREN

HOES, JOHN P. KELLY, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on MOSHOLU PARKWAY, BRIGGS and BAINBRIDGE AVENUES, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, November 2, 1895, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 19th day of November, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a

Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of December, 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, November 1, 1895.

PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES, ALEXANDER P.

W. KINNAN, CHARLES C. MARRIN, Commissioners.

CHARLES H. GRIFFIN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor, in said city, on or before the 11th day of December, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of December, 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 with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of December, 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 line of West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and said southerly line produced; on the south by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant easterly 300 feet from the easterly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant westerly 300 feet from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, 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 30th day of December, 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, October 29, 1895.

WILLIAM H. WILLIS, Chairman; ISAAC RODMAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands at the northeasterly corner of MADISON AVENUE and EAST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, in the Eighteenth Ward of said city, duly selected by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York for the location of a site for a building to be erected for the purposes of a Court-house of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Department, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 553 of the Laws of 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 553 of the Laws of 1895, and all other statutes applicable thereto.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, at Chambers thereof, to be held in the First Judicial District, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of November, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three discreet and disinterested persons, being residents and citizens of the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and determine the compensation which ought justly to be made to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises to be acquired by the said The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York under said act, chapter 553 of the Laws of 1895, for the location of a site for a building to be erected for the purposes of a Court-house of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Department.

The lands intended to be taken, as aforesaid, are bounded and described as follows:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Eighteenth Ward of the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, namely:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Madison avenue with the northerly line of East Twenty-fifth street, and running thence easterly and along the northerly line of East Twenty-fifth street one hundred and fifty feet; thence northerly and parallel with Madison avenue ninety-eight feet and nine inches; thence westerly and parallel with East Twenty-fifth street fifty feet; thence southerly and again parallel with Madison avenue forty-nine feet four and one-half inches; thence westerly and part of the distance through the centre of a certain party-wall one hundred feet to the easterly line of Madison avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly line of Madison avenue forty-nine feet four and one-half inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and 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-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to 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 and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor, in said city, on or before the 2d day of December, 1895, and that we, the



said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 2d day of December, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 51 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of December, 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 line of Arcularius place and said southerly line produced; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant southerly 540 feet from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Sheridan avenue and distant easterly 100 feet from the easterly side thereof; and westerly by a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of December, 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, October 29, 1895.  
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Chairman; JOHN H. SPELLMAN, WM. E. MORRIS, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on November 11, 1895, at 12 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be heretofore inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of November, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 26, 1895.  
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST, Chairman; PAUL C. GRENING, GILBERT M. SPEIR, JR., Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 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 Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, October 28, 1895.  
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST, PAUL C. GRENING, GILBERT M. SPEIR, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, Room 1 (second floor), in said city, on or before the 22d day of November, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of November, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 51 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of November, 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 southerly line of Varian street and the southerly line of Varian street produced; southerly by a line drawn parallel to Parsons street and distant southerly 323.51 feet from the southerly side thereof; easterly by a line drawn parallel to Bailey avenue and distant easterly 150 feet from the easterly side thereof; and westerly by a line drawn parallel to Broadway and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of December, 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, October 22, 1895.  
BENJAMIN PATTERSON, Chairman, SAMUEL W. MILBANK, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HUNT'S POINT ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the East river, 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 16th day of August, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of October, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 13th day of November, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 21, 1895.  
RIGNAL D. WOODWARD, JAMES MCCARTNEY, WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on the 11th day of November, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days, in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be heretofore inspected at our said office, No. 51 Chambers street; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of November, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 26, 1895.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Chairman; WILLIAM H. KLINKER, JOHN H. COSTER, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 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 Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, October 28, 1895.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON, WILLIAM A. KLINKER, JOHN H. COSTER, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of August, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the

Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of August, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 13th day of November, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 21, 1895.  
JOHN E. EUSTIS, GEO. W. THYM, GEORGE KARSCH, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MARION AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Moshulu Parkway, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of August, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of October, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 13th day of November, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 24, 1895.  
JOHN LARKIN, GEO. E. HYATT, JNO. C. MCCARTHY, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening LONGFELLOW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the north line of the L. S. Samuel property to Woodruff street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 10th day of May, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 27th day of June, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 14th day of November, 1895, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 22, 1895.  
SAMUEL W. MILBANK, WM. F. HULL, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WHITTIER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to Whitlock 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 16th day of August, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of October, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 13th day of November, 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 Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, October 21, 1895.  
FRANCIS D. HOYT, GUSTAVE MINTZ, P. J. CUSKLEY, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor, in said city, on or before the 29th day of November, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of November, 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 its office, No. 51 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of November, 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 southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, and said southerly line produced southerly by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, and said northerly line produced easterly by a line drawn parallel to and distant easterly 150 feet from the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue, and westerly by a line drawn parallel to and distant westerly 150 feet from the westerly side of Wadsworth avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of December, 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, October 26, 1895.  
ANDREW S. HAMERSLEY, Jr., Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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