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### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending March 20, 1897:

*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

#### SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme ...	53 239	May 15	Pollmann, August, et al., vs. Morris Livingston and another....	To compel the striking out of a notice of appearance from the papers on appeal in file with the County Clerk.
"	53 242	" 15	Barnett, Charles (ex rel.), vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller of the City of New York....	Mandamus to compel payment of relator's claim for services as Cleaner in the County Jail, \$29.46.
"	53 243	" 15	Flynn, William J. (ex rel.), vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller of the City of New York....	Mandamus to compel payment of relator's claim for services as Keeper in the County Jail, \$53.57.
"	53 244	" 15	Meyer, John H. (ex rel.), vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller of the City of New York....	Mandamus to compel payment of relator's claim for services as Keeper in the County Jail, \$53.33.
"	54 226	" 15	Maguire, Michael....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$104.10.
"	54 226	" 15	Stribber, Henry....	do do 77.81.
"	54 227	" 15	Ovenden, Mark....	do do 94.50.
"	54 227	" 15	Schroeder, Jules....	do do 61.36.
"	54 228	" 15	Halm, Louis....	do do 113.40.
"	54 228	" 15	Schaefer, Anthony A....	do do 112.88.
"	54 229	" 15	Heintz, John C....	do do 49.86.
"	54 229	" 15	Schappert, Jacob....	do do 46.63.
"	54 230	" 15	Weyand, Peter....	do do 63.59.
"	54 231	" 15	Bickert, Emil A....	do do 89.74.
"	54 231	" 15	McArdle, Edward....	do do 171.23.
"	54 232	" 15	Reich, Julius....	do do 106.57.
"	54 232	" 15	Cebulsky, Israel B....	do do 157.45.
"	54 236	" 15	Bomberger, Ernest....	do do 153.35.
"	54 236	" 15	Robbins, Herman....	do do 147.88.
"	54 237	" 15	Cohn, Menni....	do do 14.79.
"	54 237	" 15	Field, Isaac....	do do 54.38.
"	54 238	" 15	Gelchrnter, Moses....	do do 47.57.
"	54 238	" 15	Unger, Moses....	do do 100.60.
"	54 239	" 15	Seiffer, David L....	do do 57.12.
"	54 239	" 15	Goldman, Harry....	do do 65.34.
"	54 240	" 15	Schreiber, Harry....	do do 177.00.
"	54 240	" 15	Seckel, Adolph H....	do do 43.03.
"	54 241	" 15	Streep, Isaac....	do do 146.51.
"	54 241	" 15	Lang, Louis....	do do 105.15.
"	54 242	" 15	Gordon, Isidor....	do do 29.06.
"	54 242	" 15	Baron, Henry S....	do do 182.39.
"	54 243	" 15	Neustadt, James....	do do 106.02.
"	54 243	" 15	Rosenbloom, Louis....	do do 155.40.
"	54 244	" 15	Stern, Abraham....	do do 150.59.
"	54 244	" 15	Stern, Meyer....	do do 101.61.
"	54 245	" 15	Guttman, Henry H....	do do 76.23.
"	54 245	" 15	Fraenkel, Louis....	do do 337.44.
"	54 246	" 15	Strauss, Leopold....	do do 152.67.
"	54 246	" 15	Jonas, Samuel....	do do 41.55.
"	54 247	" 15	Hanley, Maurice....	do do 98.67.
"	54 247	" 15	Fraenkel, Morris....	do do 337.41.
"	54 248	" 15	Houseman, Gabriel L....	do do 26.91.
"	54 248	" 15	Gillespie, Patrick....	do do 40.45.
"	54 249	" 15	Stern, Michael....	do do 157.45.
"	54 249	" 15	Simon, Maurice....	do do 25.37.
"	54 250	" 15	Kluchenspiess, Carl W....	do do 103.48.
"	54 250	" 15	Rosenfeld, Abraham....	do do 15.89.
"	54 251	" 15	Kozeluh, Franz....	do do 181.51.
"	54 251	" 15	Gunter, Charles....	do do 294.79.
"	54 252	" 15	Wittenberg, Emily....	do do 82.16.
"	54 252	" 15	Forster Frank....	do do 70.45.
"	54 253	" 15	Muller, Henry....	do do 173.29.
"	54 253	" 15	Gunter, Henry....	do do 80.00.
"	54 254	" 15	Steinmetz, Antoine....	do do 175.34.
"	54 255	" 15	Define, Joseph....	do do 82.74.
"	54 255	" 15	Burchell, Jacob....	do do 62.46.
"	54 256	" 15	Rodgers, Patrick J....	do do 49.34.
"	54 256	" 15	Sander, Edward L....	do do 180.82.
"	54 257	" 15	Fink, George....	do do 47.05.
"	54 257	" 15	Cranston, Arthur....	do do 147.04.
"	54 258	" 15	Meagher, John H....	do do 111.78.
"	54 258	" 15	Spreeman, Charles....	do do 73.42.
"	54 259	" 15	Cava, Carmine....	do do 94.21.
"	54 259	" 15	S. gloch, Louis....	do do 109.59.
"	54 259	" 15	Hunt, Richard R., and another....	do do 69.58.
"	54 259	" 15	Rubino, William H. A....	do do 100.00.
"	54 260	" 15	Breese, James L....	For amount of award made for premises at Andrews and Burnside av.s., taken for public school site, \$12,600.
"	53 245	" 15	Scott, William, an infant, by Alexander H. Crosbie, his guardian ad litem....	Summons only served.
"	54 233	" 15	Park, Hobart J....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$76.58.
"	54 234	" 15	Tilford, Frank....	do do 55.79.
"	54 235	" 15	Minners, Charles, and another....	do do 91.66.
"	54 235	" 15	Brown, William I....	do do 115.89.
"	54 235	" 15	Materson, Frank G....	do do 90.48.
"	54 260	" 15	Matthews, Lizzie....	do do 81.10.
"	54 260	" 15	Garthwaite, Charles A....	do do 67.75.
"	54 261	" 15	Bennan, Rafeil....	do do 33.87.
"	54 261	" 15	Morgan, Hal A....	do do 36.07.
"	54 262	" 15	Borchard, Perry....	do do 87.71.
"	54 262	" 15	Miller, Albert E....	do do 32.55.
"	54 263	" 15	Falvey, John....	do do 19.40.
"	54 263	" 15	Jacobs, Adolph....	do do 12.60.
"	54 264	" 15	Zamory, George E....	do do 24.32.
"	54 264	" 15	Cahn, Aaron....	do do 67.75.
"	54 265	" 15	Rosenblatt, William....	do do 38.26.
"	54 265	" 15	Neumeyer, Marcus A....	do do 12.05.
"	54 266	" 15	Barasch, Julius....	do do 17.21.
"	54 266	" 15	Cahn, Charles....	do do 175.55.
"	54 267	" 15	Mindlin, Samuel....	do do 98.12.
"	54 267	" 15	Katz, Constant....	do do 91.40.
"	54 268	" 15	Kaufman, Julius....	do do 109.86.
"	54 268	" 15	Ruegg, John....	do do 88.73.
"	54 269	" 15	Kaufmann, Meritz....	do do 50.02.
"	54 269	" 15	Luhns, Frederick....	do do 150.00.
"	54 269	" 15	Taft, Edward W....	To recover amount of assessment paid for 12th ave. opening, \$3,411.90.
"	(11) 346	" 16	Dempsey, Guy C. (In re)....	To vacate assessment for paving Greenwich st., from Vesey to Barclay st.
"	53 247	" 16	Toeffer, Stephen....	For rent of premises in the Village of Wakefield, used for Fire purposes, for quarter ending Apr. 30, \$75.
"	53 248	" 16	O'Brien, Edward D....	For services as Commissioner of Lunacy to inquire into the sanity of Joseph Borellor, \$250.
"	53 249	" 16	Haven, John, and Woodbury Langdon (Matter of)....	For awards made in the matter of opening Dykman st., from Kingsbridge road to Exterior st., \$2,068.93.
"	53 250	" 17	Groy, Rose....	Summons with notice for \$312.65 served.
"	53 258	" 17	Nealis, James J....	For services as Stenographer in naturalization cases, from May, 1896, to Dec., 1896, \$925.74.
"	53 251	" 17	McGrory, Daniel F....	For services as Constable, from Mar., 1894, to Mar., 1896, in Town of Westchester, \$837.25.
"	53 256	" 17	Skenion, John B....	For salary as Justice of the Peace of the Town of Westchester, from 1891 to 1894, \$319.25.
"	53 257	" 17	Heywood, Henry, et al., composing the Walter Heywood Chair Co....	For chairs supplied to Town of Westchester in 1895, \$70.
"	54 270	" 17	Cryan, Mary G....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$116.67.
"	54 270	" 17	Hartman, Peter....	do do 48.49.
"	54 271	" 17	Rascher, Herman....	do do 29.59.
"	54 271	" 17	Hyland, John....	do do 67.94.
"	54 272	" 17	Sullivan, John J....	do do 92.05.
"	54 272	" 17	Lynch, Samuel, and another....	do do 69.25.
"	54 273	" 17	Ruckley, Thomas M....	do do 145.81.
"	54 274	" 17	Wickley, Martin....	do do 36.74.
"	54 274	" 17	Smith, Harry....	do do 143.15.
"	54 275	" 17	Prince, Isaac....	do do 27.80.
"	54 275	" 17	Sauter, Frederick....	do do 26.16.

Supreme ...	54 276	1897.	Wasserman, Nestor....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$65.89.
City....	53 259	May 17	Smith, Elizabeth, vs. Edward F. Croker....	Summons only served.
6th Judicial District..	53 252	" 18	Union Transfer and Storage Co.	For removing furniture, etc., to College of City of New York, \$24.30.
Supreme...	53 253	" 18	Flynn, James....	For services as Keeper and as Blacksmith on Blackwell's Island, from Feb. 1, 1890, to Oct. 31, 1895, \$8,261.
"	53 254	" 18	McLoughlin, Peter P....	For stenographic notes of testimony in criminal cases furnished to Board of Excise on April 10, 1891, \$18.50.
"	53 255	" 18	Reilly, Catherine....	Summons with notice for \$3,238 served.
Surrogate's.	53 260	" 18	Gorman, Amelia, executrix, etc., of John J. Gorman, deceased (Matter of)....	Judicial settlement of accounts.
Supreme...	54 283	" 18	Levy, Charles F....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$28.71.
"	54 284	" 18	Gutman, Henry....	do do 28.00.
"	54 284	" 18	Manheimer, Philip....	do do 42.08.
"	54 285	" 18	Excelsior Brewing Co....	do do 63.31.
"	54 285	" 18	Gerken, Frederick....	do do 37.40.
"	54 281	" 18	Cross, A. Byron....	do do 107.40.
"	54 281	" 18	Brown, William I....	do do 115.89.
"	54 282	" 18	Breyer, Henry....	do do 51.03.
"	54 282	" 18	Uhlmann, Frederick....	do do 103.14.
"	54 283	" 18	Wiegand, Henry....	do do 157.54.
"	54 283	" 18	Fed. Musce American Co. Limited....	do do 109.37.
"	54 276	" 18	Costa, August....	do do 120.00.
"	54 277	" 18	John Kress Brewing Co. (No. 2)....	do do 501.19.
"	54 277	" 18	Hekeler, Johann J....	do do 48.18.
"	54 278	" 18	Lyden, John....	do do 160.99.
"	54 278	" 18	Marggraf, Charles....	do do 95.33.
"	54 279	" 18	Poppe, Charles....	do do 10.95.
"	54 279	" 18	Starace, Pasquale....	do do 120.00.
"	53 251	" 19	Callahan, Edward A....	For salary as Electrical Expert in Fire Dept. from Sept. 1, 1895, to Feb. 20, 1896, \$890.
"	(11) 347	" 19	Richter, Katie (In re)....	To vacate certain sales for taxes on property in Towns of Eastchester and Westchester.
"	(11) 348	" 19	Mount Morris Real Estate Association (In re)....	To vacate assessment for outlet sewer in Bungay st.
"	53 262	" 19	Frost, Munson E....	For compensation for use of plaintiff's land since Apr. 3, 1893, taken by defendant in the matter of reservoir "A," \$4,515.20.
"	54 285	" 19	Purcell, Christopher....	For rebate of excise license fee, \$86.04.
"	54 285	" 19	Clune, Matthew....	do do 27.50.
"	54 286	" 19	Hunken, Henry....	do do 28.88.
"	54 286	" 19	Kotter, John....	do do 33.83.
"	54 287	" 19	Bigley, James E....	do do 31.78.
"	54 287	" 19	Sullivan, Florence J....	do do 39.90.
"	54 288	" 19	Zincke, George W....	do do 41.66.
"	54 288	" 19	Kodel, Michael J....	do do 40.00.
"	54 289	" 19	Williams, Delorame R....	do do 72.40.
"	54 289	" 19	India Wharf Brewing Co. (No. 3)....	do do 55.89.
"	54 290	" 19	Bernheimer, Simon E., and another (No. 7)....	do do 225.07.
"	54 290	" 19	F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Co. (No. 7)....	do do 611.49.
"	54 291	" 19	Moss, Elias....	do do 23.78.
"	51 292	" 19	Beadleston & Woerz (No. 2)....	do do 85.57.
"	54 292	" 19	Mulqueen, John....	do do 147.95.
"	54 293	" 19	H. Clausen & Son Brewing Co....	do do 289.04.
"	54 293	" 19	Rubman & Horman Brewing Co....	do do 407.04.
"	54 294	" 19	Snyder, Valentine P., and another, receivers, etc....	do do 493.74.
"	54 294	" 19	Doelger, Peter....	do do 1,145.47.
"	54 295	" 19	Starace, Emanuel....	do do 90.70.
"	54 296	" 20	McKinnon, John....	do do 95.91.
"	54 297	" 20	Bolknep, Mary E....	do do 67.40.
"	54 297	" 20	Strauss, Frederick W....	do do 27.74.
"	54 298	" 20	Mastuhn, Robert S....	do do 83.30.
"	54 298	" 20	Conkling, Frederick A....	do do 50.42.
"	54 299	" 20	Ham II, Thomas, and another....	do do 22.47.
"	54 299	" 20	Hartman, William....	do do 10.41.
"	54 300	" 20	Form, George....	do do 109.59.
"	54 300	" 20	Beckman, August....	do do 9.86.
"	54 301	" 20	Ellis, William R....	do do 31.78.
"	54 301	" 20	Hymen, Jacob....	do do 60.33.
"	54 302	" 20	Morris, Abraham I....	do do 9.86.
"	54 302	" 20	Alexander, Adolph....	do do 65.76.
"	54 303	" 20	Clark, Isaac....	do do 81.10.
"	54 291	" 20	Leland, Frederick S....	do do 61.36.
"	54 295	" 20	New York Breweries Co....	do do 308.25.
"	54 296	" 20	Elumenthal, Jacob....	do do 9.02.
"	(11) 349	" 20	Pennsylvania R.R. Co. (In re)....	To vacate assessment for West st. paving, from Battery place to Gansevoort st.
"	(11) 349	" 20	"	To vacate assessment for West st. paving, from Battery place to Gansevoort st.
"	(11) 350	" 20	Terminal Warehouse Co. (In re)....	To vacate assessment for 10th ave. paving, from 27th to 30th st.
"	53 263	" 20	Malloy, Daniel (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners	Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Force.
"	53 264	" 20	MacCollin, Andrew W. F....	Damages for personal injuries by falling on defective sidewalk at 7th ave., at rear of Broadway Theatre, March 14, 1896, \$20,000.
"	53 265	" 20	Glen Cove Granite Co. vs. Patrick Costello, The Mayor, etc., et al....	To foreclose lien for balance due on the contract for paving 13th ave., bet. 23d and 27th st.s., \$6,649.35.
"	53 266	" 20	Ruez, Jean Baptiste, vs. John Doe (captain in charge of East 3d street police station)....	Damages for false arrest, \$5,000.
"	53 267	" 20	Ruez, Jean Baptiste, vs. James Healy....	Damages for false arrest, \$5,000.

#### SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

Judgments, orders and decrees entered:

Charles Dietrichs—Order entered granting the motion for preference on the calendar.

The Mayor, etc., vs. The Manhattan Railway Co.—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Joseph Gallo—Appellate Division, order and judgment entered reversing the judgment appealed from and granting a new trial, with costs to abide the event.

People ex rel. Eugene A. Masterson vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Appellate Division, order of affirmance entered in favor of the relator.

William Mansfield—Appellate Division, order entered reversing the judgment appealed from with costs.

Edwin C. Kellogg—Appellate Division, order entered granting a new trial upon the exceptions, with costs to abide the event.

The Mayor, etc., vs. James McDermott—Order entered denying the motion for a new trial upon the minutes.

Lawrence P. Farley—Order and judgment of reversal entered in favor of the plaintiff upon the remittitur from the Court of Appeals.

Elizabeth Seery—Order entered denying the motion for a new trial upon the minutes.

In the Matter of Eliza S. Kernochan, Matter of Annie Neilson Curtis (East Houston and Essex street school site)—Orders entered appointing Adrian H. Larkin, Esq., Referee.

Neil Golding—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$107.60 costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. John A. Gregory vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller—Order entered dismissing relator's appeal without costs.

William Mansfield vs. Edward Gustavson and The Mayor, etc.—Appellate Division, judgment of reversal entered in favor of the City against Edward Gustavson and for \$331.70 costs.

People ex rel. Julius Bien & Co. vs. Francis Merges—Order entered dismissing the relator's appeal to the Appellate Division without costs.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Charles Keese, \$340.85; Peter Kelly, \$998.50; Anna Schmidt, \$179.08; Joseph T. Wallace, \$176.53; Henry Weiss, \$144.90; William Geoghan, \$350; David Wilson, \$368; Thomas Markey, \$8,512.88; Henry Murphy, \$8,255.50; Peter P. McLaughlin, \$128.20; William Rippey, \$407.40; George W. Seimes, \$310.54; David Stevenson Brewing Company (No. 2), \$824.96; William C. Jordan, \$406.70; George Colwell, \$336.12; David Stevenson Brewing Company (No. 1), \$3,125.61; Maria A. Munro, \$1,884.99; James Hart, \$200.41; Isidor M. Horshe, \$118.95; Winifred Morris, \$40.35; George Martin, \$123.90; Angelique Basset, \$183.56; Thomas Ross, \$126.29; James B. Cosgrove, \$169.15; Lena Gebhart, \$167.70; Dietherick Gerken, \$125.20; Henry W. Gesong, \$173.18; Jacob J. Gottlob, \$304.89; Joseph Gluck, \$202.97; Jonathan Herzberger, \$101.63;

Isaac B. Isaacson, \$165.63; Frank E. Leonard, \$196.72; Meyer Levy, \$86.59; William H. Lock, \$107.80; Jacob Minners, \$168.39; James Moore, \$105.52; Leopold B. Schlosser, \$164; Emil N. Sorgenfrei, \$175.15; Henry Tietjen, \$108.30; Felix Agassio, \$52.70; John Becker, \$177.50; Adolph E. Bosse, \$189; August Buchholz, \$77.10; Alban Busch, \$114.25; George Butter, \$80.53; John Crimmins, \$70.83; Joseph Dvorack, \$96.83; Edward D. Evans, \$126.18; John Ford and another, \$163.72; Ludwig Glas, \$109.11; Charles Hostedt, \$113.03; Thomas Hastings, \$123.50; Martin Huberth, \$104.03; Martin Kilpatrick, \$162.10; Walter Lander, \$163.55; Charles W. Logeling, \$133.97; Charles W. Meagher, \$105.55; Bernard Mehrrens, \$189.25; Matilda Moller, \$175.93; John H. McGurk, \$363.81; Lina Ohl, \$106.35; Charles Riedel, \$101.12; Martin Rust, \$47.95; August Schaefer, \$132.62; Michael F. Sharkey, \$197.45; Henry F. Siemers, \$189.12; John J. Siemers, \$90.36; Edward Schopflin, \$64.49; Charles Waldele, \$115.08; Benjamin Westendorf, \$175.18; Charles Winkler, \$71.10; Henry Windhorst, \$45.35; Frederick Zimmer, \$179.94; John Menke, \$68.28; Joseph Murphy, \$196.52; William McQuade, \$148.78; Joseph Pipota, \$87.46; John Smith, \$215.08; Leopold Strauss, \$51.87; David Valkenberg, \$49.03; Nestor Wassermann, \$100.58; Francis D. Weber, \$45.23; Paul Weidman Brewing Company, \$171.33; Charles H. Whitney, \$19.35; Charles H. Edmunds, \$122.20; Glen I. Folsom, \$118.31; John A. Gale, \$77.83; Frank J. Gallagher, \$189.80; Frederick M. Lowe, \$90.10; Mark M. Sink, \$88.27; Robert Ashman, \$74.21; Charles Cahn, \$51.88; Aaron Cahn, \$117.32; Justin Calvel, \$208.46; Consumers Brewing Company (No. 6), \$1,574.80; Max Hoberlein, \$633.91; Constant Katz, \$121.96; Henry D. Muller, \$182.73; Thomas F. Slater, \$118.02; Victor Streicher, \$133.66; Joseph T. Wallace, \$176.53; William B. Noyes, \$100; Pearce Bailey, \$100; Frank A. Sigerson, \$353.25; Claude Berthollet, \$189.12; John Welz and another, \$119.92; The F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Company, \$156.26; India Wharf Brewing Company, \$176.97; Monroe Eckstein Brewing Company, \$675.62; George Ehret, \$1,036.64; Beadleston & Woerz, \$1,474.70; Peter M. Ohmeis, \$318.27; Jacob Backof, \$32.58; John R. Berling, \$175.19; Anton Schlett, \$160.67; Adolph Alexander, \$96.95; George Gossman, \$93.07; Gustave W. Lydecker, \$198; Mark S. Reinstein, \$57.37; Charles Sproat, \$33.12; Henry Meyerderks and another, \$113.12; Henry Reidmuller, \$193.45; Mathaus Jost, \$178.48; William Spiegel, \$85.06; Celestine Baecher, \$175.46; Bruno Eusner, \$127.37; Morton B. Lawrence, \$113.13; Rosie Brinckmann, \$104.37; Martin Nagel, \$99.98; Anna Kellner, \$81.90; Philipp Bunn, \$72.04; Joseph Grieshaber, \$44.10; Annie Bentz, \$76.60; Abraham Goltman, \$97.64; Francis Lawlor, \$22.67; Paul Cressi, \$23.25; Clarence B. Bolton, \$44.46; Jacob Kammer, \$43.17; Leonhard Ziegler, \$63.74; Leopold Enoch, \$49.47; Henry Broder, \$44.23; Alfonse Simon, \$41.59; Julia Goldzier, \$24.95; Hegeman & Co., \$31.60; Albert Neumeyer and another, \$25.50; Albert O. Bogert, \$21.59; Edward S. Seabury, \$74.71; Patrick Hackett, \$66.91; James Byrne, \$33.20; Max Greenbaum, \$60.12; Mary Bogert, \$33.25; Frederick Lumsterman, \$69.30; Margaret O'Halloran, as executrix, etc., \$95.92; Arthur Waterman, \$69.69; Isadore Freedman, \$66.08; Clotilda Donai, \$66.19; Jacob J. Blasz, \$70.66; Louisa Donai, \$76.10; Lorenz Hassinger, \$76.70; Forrest E. Nichols, \$79.35; John D. Davis, \$82.16; Alfred P. Green, \$86.02; Peter Coleman, \$88.60; Nelson H. Patro, \$54.88;

Joseph Raschi, \$81; Patrick Gallagher, \$60.38; Annie Gottlob, \$47.45; John L. Batchelder, \$45.81; Julius Waterman, \$28.45; Arthur Present, \$33.14; Arthur McLaurie, \$32.58; Abraham Clark, \$28.73; Solomon A. Isaacson, \$34.79; James Kiernan, \$109.08; Joshua Strouse, \$105.85; Elsie J. Simon, \$178.98; Thomas Maroselli, \$109.35; Arthur D. Delong et al., \$28,251.19.

#### SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

The Danbury Association vs. Peter Conlin et al.—Motion for an injunction argued before Lawrence, J.; motion denied; R. S. Barlow for the City.

People ex rel. Albert Hurdus vs. William Sohmer, Register—Motion to compel the registering of a certain lease argued before Smyth, J.; motion denied; R. S. Barlow for the City.

People ex rel. Francis Mallon vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; T. Farley for the City.

People ex rel. Joseph B. Eakins vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; T. Connolly for the City.

Anna Heald—Tried before Dugro, J., and jury; complaint dismissed; W. H. Rand, Jr., and H. S. Rankine for the City.

People ex rel. Edward Deacom vs. Samuel McMillan et al.—Motion for mandamus argued before Smyth, J.; decision reserved; C. Mellen for the City.

William S. Wynn—Tried before Freedman, J., and jury; complaint dismissed; R. S. Barlow for the City.

Herman Heidelberg—Tried before Freedman, J., and jury; verdict directed for the plaintiff for the full amount; R. S. Barlow for the City.

People ex rel. Daniel Mulligan vs. Charles H. T. Collis—Motion to resettle order argued before Truax, J.; decision reserved; T. Farley for the City.

People ex rel. John J. Meagher vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Submitted at the Appellate Division; T. Connolly for the City.

People ex rel. Frederick Timme vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Submitted to the Appellate Division; T. Farley for the City.

Franklin P. Eastman—Argued at the Court of Appeals; decision reserved; Francis M. Scott for the City.

#### Hearings before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Market and Monroe streets school site, two hearings; Hubert and Collier streets school site, three hearings; Hester street school site, two hearings; Division street school site, one hearing; One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets school site, one hearing; Lewis street school site, one hearing; J. T. Malone for the City.

St. Nicholas Park, two hearings; Riverside Park, two hearings; Little Italy Park, one hearing; Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Street Park, one hearing; Eleventh Ward Park, one hearing; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

People ex rel. Albert A. Jordan vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Argued at the Court of Appeals; decision reserved; Francis M. Scott for the City.

#### SCHEDULE "D."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

REGISTER FOLIO.	COURT.	TITLE.	CAUSE OF ACTION.	CLAIM.	DATE.	HOW DONE.	REMARKS.
50 191	Supreme	In the matter of the Board of Education.....	To acquire title to premises in Mott st. for school purposes.....	.....	1897. Mar. 1	Certified copies report of Commissioners and order confirming award to Comptroller.....	Hearing held before the Commissioners, etc.
51 421	"	George Muller.....	For rebate of excise license fee.....	\$70 55	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$87.91 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; no defense.
51 423	"	Herman Wiebke.....	do do.....	82 00	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$99.36 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 420	"	Otto Rohde.....	do do.....	152 75	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$170.11 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 421	"	Robert Bruckman.....	do do.....	153 45	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$170.81 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 422	"	William Gunther.....	do do.....	177 75	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$195.11 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 422	"	Philip Lederhos.....	do do.....	177 75	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$195.11 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 420	"	Charles Fielenius.....	do do.....	281 90	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$299.66 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 423	"	Frederick Hollender and another.....	do do.....	.....	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$442.31 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53 26	"	William Wallace.....	For award in the matter of Sheriff and Broome sts. school site.....	13,000 00	" 1	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$13,496.19 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53 82	"	Calvin Tompkins.....	For stone delivered to the Village of Wakefield.....	105 62	" 2	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$105.62 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
48 103	"	Thomas Hagan.....	To foreclose mechanic's lien, annex to Primary School No. 35.....	190 35	" 2	Order of discontinuance without costs entered.....	By consent.
52 375	"	Jacob Herman.....	For award in matter of East Broadway, Henry and Gouverneur sts. school site.....	10,100 00	" 2	do do.....	do
49 470	"	Gertrude Kiernan, an infant.....	Damages for personal injuries received by falling into excavation in Fleetwood ave.....	25,000 00	" 2	Transcripts of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$2,133.85 and \$96.44 certified to Comptroller.....	Argued at Appellate Division.
53 48	"	William E. Lujens.....	For services as Janitor of Signal Corps, First Brigade, 34th st. and Park ave.....	488 00	" 2	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$488 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; upon offer.
52 253	"	Rosie Schneider, an infant.....	Damages for personal injuries received by being run over by wagon of Street Cleaning Department.....	1,000 00	" 2	Entered judgment in favor of the City, dismissing complaint.....	Complaint dismissed by default.
51 393	"	Mary Broderick.....	For rebate of excise license fee.....	147 91	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$168.85 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; no defense.
51 252	"	C. M. Roof and another.....	do do.....	177 05	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$197.79 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 315	"	William C. Mackay.....	do do.....	168 95	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$189.70 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 218	"	Michael J. Curran.....	do do.....	163 75	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$185.07 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 258	"	Edward Freund.....	do do.....	153 90	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$179.58 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 220	"	Luke Trainor.....	do do.....	56 90	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$177.86 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 286	"	John W. Arfman.....	do do.....	110 14	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.95 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 250	"	John H. Gerdes and another.....	do do.....	108 50	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$128.46 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 252	"	Rudolph Jacobs.....	do do.....	95 35	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$115.12 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 268	"	John Bossung.....	do do.....	89 65	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$109.33 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 219	"	John Korel.....	do do.....	88 38	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$108.66 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 291	"	Theo. Krieger.....	do do.....	81 10	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$100.55 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 314	"	William E. Hawley.....	do do.....	69 60	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$88.73 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 253	"	Edwin J. Caulfield.....	do do.....	64 66	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$84.04 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 221	"	Henry F. Schilling.....	do do.....	59 73	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$79.07 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 315	"	Robert S. Mastuhn.....	do do.....	48 22	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$67.23 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 259	"	Henry A. Dunkak.....	do do.....	35 68	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$54.41 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 221	"	Julia K. Simon.....	do do.....	27 40	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$48.45 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 226	"	Tonjes H. Lohsen.....	do do.....	25 76	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$44.45 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 316	"	G. J. Markewitz.....	do do.....	25 21	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$43.73 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 293	"	Frederick A. Conkling.....	do do.....	14 76	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$33.13 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 292	"	Mary E. Belknap.....	do do.....	10 96	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$29.23 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 242	"	William Wolf.....	do do.....	1 65	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$19.90 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 262	"	Michael McDonnell and ano.....	do do.....	55	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$18.80 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51 220	"	William Nagle.....	do do.....	75 01	" 3	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$94.71 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53 61	"	In the matter of the petition of Herman Fledderman.....	For payment of award in the matter of opening Clinton ave.....	739 80	" 4	Order for payment of award certified to Comptroller.....	Upon motion; no opposition.
52 383	"	In the matter of the petition of James Curran.....	For payment of award in the matter of opening East 16th st.....	1,200 00	" 4	do do.....	do do
52 384	"	In the matter of the petition of Bernhard Schweizer.....	For payment of award in the matter of opening Brook ave.....	928 55	" 4	do do.....	do do
53 146	"	In the matter of the application of Sigmund Weizenblum.....	For correction and cancellation of personal tax Assessment, 1896.....	.....	" 4	Order entered denying motion for relief sought.....	Motion argued before Beekman, J.
50 386	"	Patrick McNulty.....	To recover difference in salaries of certain drivers and sweepers, Street Cleaning Department on assigned claims.....	500 00	" 4	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$100.87 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; upon offer.
46 434	"	Samuel Levene.....	Damages for personal injuries by having been knocked down and run over by horse and cart of Street Cleaning Department.....	5,000 00	" 4	Judgment entered in favor of the City on the verdict.....	Tried before Gildersleeve, J., and jury.
46 51	"	George S. Stebbins.....	For balance of salary as Inspector of work, regulating and grading 142d, 143d and 144th sts., bet. 10th and Convent aves.....	478 00	" 4	Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing complaint.....	Complaint dismissed by default.
43 463	"	Michael J. Storen.....	For balance of salary as Inspector of Masonry, New Aqueduct, July, 1890, to Jan., 1891, and as Superintendent of Dam Construction, Jan., 1891, to April, 1892.....	3,178 00	" 5	Judgment entered dismissing complaint with \$107.60 costs to the City.....	do do
50 464	"	Dennis W. Moran.....	To foreclose mechanic's lien for stone furnished, regulating, etc., Wales ave.....	5,136 19	" 6	Supplemental decree in favor of plaintiff for \$481.25 certified to Comptroller.....	Tried before Beach, J.

46	154	Supreme	Byron V. Tompkins.....	For services as Medical Expert rendered in the case of The People vs. Carlyle W. Harris in April, 1893.....	\$75 00	1897- Mar. 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$343.05 certified to Comptroller.....	Tried before Freedman, J., and jury.
53	69	"	John Thompson.....	For payment of an award in the matter of 52d and 53d sts. school site.....	1,800 00	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,881.40 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; no defense.
52	376	"	Theo. Kolstatter.....	For award in the matter of Rivington, Forsyth and Eldridge sts. school site.....	21,000 00	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$21,626 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
52	377	"	Paul T. Kammerer.....	For award in the matter of 19th and 20th sts. school site.....	16,500 00	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$17,009.87 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
54	29	"	August Spinner.....	For rebate of excise license fee.....	43 29	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$61.89 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	489	"	Antonio Orlando.....	do do.....	41 64	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$59.73 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	490	"	Pasquale Lavaglio.....	do do.....	38 90	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$57.51 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	490	"	Jeremiah Butler.....	do do.....	37 26	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$55.86 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	491	"	Rosa Feulla.....	do do.....	34 52	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$53.09 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
54	29	"	David Hawkins.....	do do.....	32 88	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$51.39 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	491	"	Abraham Kahn.....	do do.....	29 04	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$47.56 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	492	"	Nicola Di Sesa.....	do do.....	23 56	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$42.03 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	492	"	Rosa T. Exner.....	do do.....	17 54	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$35.93 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	493	"	Albert J. Kaiser.....	do do.....	15 34	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$33.73 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	493	"	Vincenzo Caggiano.....	do do.....	3 84	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$22.13 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	495	"	Geo. Schnepfer.....	do do.....	3 84	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$22.13 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	507	"	Isaac Danenberg.....	do do.....	298 44	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$313.63 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	389	"	Receivers Bavarian Star Brewery Co.....	do do.....	8,278 75	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$8,164.27 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	407	"	Rubsam & Horrmann.....	do do.....	1,725 11	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,716.96 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	390	"	Peter Doelger.....	do do.....	838 48	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$821.08 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	477	"	Annie Kalniskie.....	do do.....	76 72	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$96.55 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	473	"	William Tuite.....	do do.....	42 21	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$63.62 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	496	"	Johannes and Hy. Johannsen.....	do do.....	44 55	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$62.98 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	507	"	Samuel Jonas.....	do do.....	7 12	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$25.20 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	345	"	Henry Hensman.....	do do.....	111 79	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$141.30 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	269	"	Thomas Londrigan.....	do do.....	65 21	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.97 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	366	"	Abraham J. Morris.....	do do.....	75 03	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$94.26 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	337	"	Lena Reicher.....	do do.....	107 41	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$126.63 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	253	"	Adolph Flisser.....	do do.....	29 04	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$47.50 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	500	"	George Wallach and another.....	do do.....	26 30	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$44.78 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	365	"	Henry Vyke.....	do do.....	69 05	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$89.16 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	398	"	Madeline E. Cobe.....	do do.....	46 58	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$65.28 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	345	"	Benjamin Henry.....	do do.....	26 85	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$45.40 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	390	"	Henry Elias Brewing Co.....	do do.....	1,846 50	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of the plaintiff for \$1,870.61 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53	113	"	Louis F. Doyle.....	For services as Commissioner to inquire as to the sanity of George W. Appo.....	150 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$169.28 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53	114	"	Morris J. Asch.....	For services as Commissioner to inquire as to the sanity of George W. Appo.....	150 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$169.28 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
53	115	"	Charles T. Ulrich.....	For services as Commissioner to inquire as to the sanity of George W. Appo.....	150 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$169.28 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
49	334	"	Samuel H. Randall.....	To recover, as assignee, for services of Edward R. Hollen, as Inspector of Elections, election of 1894.....	36 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$61 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	263	"	Pincus Pinkert.....	For rebate of excise license fee.....	27 90	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$47.49 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	457	"	Simon E. Bernheimer.....	do do.....	1,153 97	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,164.08 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
50	64	"	Bronx Gas and Electric Co.....	To recover for electric lighting furnished Town of Westchester during Mar., 1896.....	5,726 90	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,275.02 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; upon offer.
49	381	"	do	To recover for light furnished Town of Westchester since the annexation.....	5,276 90	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,233.25 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
50	130	"	do	To recover for electric lighting furnished Town of Westchester during Apr., 1896.....	5,106 68	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,038.43 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
49	421	"	do	To recover for lighting streets of Town of Westchester for Feb., 1896.....	4,936 45	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$868.86 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
49	299	"	In the matter of the Board of Education.....	To acquire title to premises on south side of 82d st. for school purposes.....	.....	" 9	Order entered confirming report of Commissioners.....	Hearings held before Commissioners.
46	31	"	Charles J. Dixon.....	To recover salary as Inspector of Lamps, from Oct., 1886, at \$1,000 per annum.....	6,854 93	" 9	Judgment entered dismissing complaint with \$107.60 costs.....	Tried before Sedgwick, J., and jury.
53	25	"	Pasquale Altieri.....	To foreclose mechanic's lien under contract to lay pipe from Shaft No. 25, New Aqueduct to Pumping Station.....	.....	" 9	Order of discontinuance certified and sent to Comptroller.....	Entered by consent.
51	432	"	Libanio Barre.....	For rebate of excise license fee.....	59 73	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$78.57 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; no defense.
51	218	"	William Burke.....	do do.....	64 66	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$84.09 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	460	"	Andrew Blackburn.....	do do.....	40 55	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$59.22 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	293	"	Bancroft A. Bass.....	do do.....	46 58	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$65.48 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	400	"	Henry Bayer.....	do do.....	47 24	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$66.01 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	436	"	Siegmund Baron.....	do do.....	153 29	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$175.90 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	430	"	Lena Cobe.....	do do.....	40 55	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$59.20 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	371	"	Elias Clark.....	do do.....	29 97	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$46.5 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	402	"	Gertrude Cobe.....	do do.....	21 37	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$39.83 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	397	"	Annie E. Cobe.....	do do.....	15 07	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$33.49 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	418	"	Joseph Corbett.....	do do.....	151 35	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$171.13 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	294	"	Alfred F. Duncan.....	do do.....	153 90	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$174.55 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	370	"	Samuel L. Danziger.....	do do.....	169 25	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$184.72 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	496	"	George Diles.....	do do.....	19 18	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$37.58 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	394	"	Alfonso Dryfoos.....	do do.....	180 68	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$200.46 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	409	"	Theodore Eisele.....	do do.....	7 12	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$25.45 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	431	"	Sarah A. Ericson.....	do do.....	99 75	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$119 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	294	"	Amos Ellis.....	do do.....	77 27	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$96.62 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	368	"	William R. Ellis.....	do do.....	39 93	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$68.80 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	434	"	William Fuchslocher.....	do do.....	71 24	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$90.19 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	399	"	Frederick Frank.....	do do.....	67 40	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$86.40 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	295	"	Julian L. Frank.....	do do.....	65 76	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$84.95 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	296	"	Walter F. Field.....	do do.....	64 66	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.85 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	497	"	John Franchini.....	do do.....	27 40	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$45.89 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	408	"	Edward R. Flynn.....	do do.....	147 93	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$167.71 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	497	"	Charles Hartmann.....	do do.....	88 79	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$107.32 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	433	"	Daniel Hickey.....	do do.....	61 38	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$80.23 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	460	"	Max Hirsch.....	do do.....	125 63	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$145.25 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	419	"	John J. Hickey.....	do do.....	2 74	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$21.02 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	516	"	Frederick Jakobi.....	do do.....	85 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$107.60 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	414	"	John Frank Kelly.....	do do.....	69 05	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$88 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	260	"	Henry Klauber.....	do do.....	54 26	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$73.33 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	467	"	Louis Lauscher and another.....	do do.....	75 00	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$95.90 certified to Comptroller.....	do do
51	373	"	Thomas J. Loftus.....	do do.....	32 06	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$50.70 certified to Comptroller.....	do do

51 334	Supreme	Charles H. Leach	For rebate of excise license fee	\$152 73	1897. Mar. 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$172.85 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
51 316	"	Joel Marks	do do	137 48	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.83 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 415	"	Vincene Masin	do do	57 55	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$76.38 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 374	"	Michael W. Morris	do do	94 27	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$113.68 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 459	"	Otto Metz	do do	110 31	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.67 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 399	"	Jacob Mayer	do do	21 92	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$40.42 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 317	"	John A. Noonan	do do	107 96	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$127.75 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 499	"	John O'Brien	do do	48 77	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$66.45 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 415	"	Ernst Peterson and another	do do	49 87	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$68.62 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 462	"	Herman Reber	do do	55 90	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$74.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 465	"	Herman H. Rippe	do do	64 66	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.51 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 398	"	Charles H. Randall	do do	54 80	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$73.66 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 419	"	George Scharrenbeck	do do	110 16	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$123.49 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 499	"	Joseph Stolzenberger	do do	99 20	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$118.23 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 465	"	John C. Stegner	do do	95 91	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$115.05 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 431	"	Ernest Steinbeck	do do	83 02	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$102.07 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 435	"	George Seebach	do do	57 54	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$76.35 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 461	"	George F. Slosson	do do	53 16	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$71.95 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 432	"	John Stehlik	do do	48 22	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$66.95 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 400	"	Frederick Stahl	do do	19 73	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$38.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 464	"	Ernst Scheland	do do	14 25	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$32.63 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 466	"	Isidor Schoenberg	do do	264 70	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$292.61 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 403	"	Maurice Strecker	do do	143 80	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$163.75 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 349	"	Edward M. Sink	do do	152 05	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$172.12 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 474	"	Anna Schuster	do do	152 72	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$172.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 348	"	George W. Tate	do do	143 14	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$163.47 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 464	"	Joseph Tschirhart	do do	149 30	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$168.95 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 473	"	Moritz Weisz	do do	62 47	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$81.34 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 416	"	Diedrich Witten	do do	55 95	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$74.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 433	"	William Weber	do do	110 16	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.49 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 413	"	Adolph Weissbein	do do	20 82	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$39.28 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 376	"	Joseph Worth	do do	75 23	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$92.58 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 434	"	William Werhan	do do	59 73	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$78.38 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 430	"	Olive A. Watson	do do	103 58	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$122.77 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 429	"	John B. Thorpe	do do	54 25	" 9	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$73.04 certified to Comptroller	do do
47 39	"	Charles D. Shain	To foreclose mortgage on premises near south-east corner of 9th ave. and West 55th st.	35,000 00	" 10	Order of discontinuance without costs entered	By consent.
52 229	"	Matter of Charles E. Runk	For an award made in the matter of opening Naegle avenue		" 10	Order entered directing payment of the award	Upon motion; no opposition.
53 28	"	People ex rel. James M. Harris vs. Police	Writ of certiorari to review proceedings to remove relator from Police Force		" 10	Relator rested to Police Force by the Commissioners	Without argument.
52 244	"	F. Estelle Briggs	For services as temporary Typewriter in Board of Fire Commissioners	237 00	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$273 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
51 206	"	Thomas Bauman	For rebate of excise license fee	96 77	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$116.50 certified to Comptroller	do do
41 406	"	Anthony H. Meyer	do do	159 72	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$179.30 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 81	"	Henry Ehlers	do do	145 83	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$184.25 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 86	"	Catherine Greenfield	do do	26 64	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$63.97 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 475	"	Henry Reichenbach	do do	177 78	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$197.15 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 397	"	Julius Peck	do do	51 66	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$69.65 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 86	"	Ida Deaheim	do do	92 76	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$130.27 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 472	"	Nicholas Toerge	do do	83 35	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$102.06 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 58	"	Alphonse Greico	do do	163 20	" 10	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$201.40 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 474	"	Louis F. W. Siefert	do do	160 96	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$178.89 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 361	"	Simon Schwarz	do do	107 40	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$128.72 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 474	"	John Luhrs	do do	92 61	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$113.75 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 388	"	William Zudrele et al.	do do	56 99	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$68.84 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 360	"	Herman Cordts	do do	67 95	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$88.03 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 360	"	Charles Michaels	do do	67 40	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$87.38 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 473	"	Wilhelm Lafrentz	do do	65 21	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.14 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 389	"	William Zudrele et al.	do do	54 25	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$76.46 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 480	"	Bernard T. Kearns et al.	do do	356 16	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$377.76 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 480	"	Peter Waid	do do	179 45	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$199.40 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 483	"	Charles Gerritzen	do do	117 78	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$131.09 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 32	"	Augusta Lentz	do do	167 82	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$187.41 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 481	"	Philip Weekesser	do do	167 12	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$186.95 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 32	"	Charles B. Farrington	do do	154 81	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$174.30 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 481	"	William Joost	do do	154 11	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$173.32 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 31	"	Ferdinand Munch Brewery	do do	151 39	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$170.69 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 482	"	Frederick J. Butenschon	do do	147 26	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$166.90 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 482	"	Joseph Fallert Brewing Co. (Limited)	do do	151 50	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$147.14 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 483	"	David Hecht	do do	110 69	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.99 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 484	"	Thomas Tivers	do do	107 95	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$127.22 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 484	"	Margaretha Bucheler	do do	104 10	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$123.33 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 31	"	Julius W. Buttner	do do	101 92	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$120.83 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 485	"	Ansel Markovitz	do do	94 25	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$113.39 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 485	"	Josef Cerunda	do do	92 05	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$111.24 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 486	"	William A. Brown	do do	81 65	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$100.67 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 486	"	John F. Ferrall	do do	75 07	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$94.03 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 30	"	Charles Freeman	do do	72 88	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$91.82 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 487	"	Morris Heller	do do	68 49	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$87.39 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 487	"	Alfred J. Norman	do do	66 30	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$85.17 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 488	"	Carl Herzog	do do	65 20	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$84.07 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 30	"	John Reinhard	do do	60 83	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$79.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 488	"	Vincenzo Celia	do do	57 54	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$76.33 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 489	"	Frank J. Steinbugler	do do	51 98	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$70.32 certified to Comptroller	do do
49 382	"	New York and Westchester Water Co.	For water furnished the Towns of Westchester and Williamsbridge	13,446 00	" 11	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$13,446 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 410	"	John Doscher	For rebate of excise license fee	355 70	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$389.31 certified to Comptroller	do do

25	Supreme	Elizabeth Sturm	For rebate of excise license fee	\$164 96	1897. Mar. 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$189.58 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
54 24	"	James Neustadt	do do	157 43	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$181.65 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 26	"	Abraham Werne	do do	141 41	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$165.08 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 23	"	Henry Batjer	do do	111 06	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$133.43 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 25	"	Meyer Stern	do do	103 28	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$125.41 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 26	"	Samuel Kugelman	do do	92 07	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$113.77 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 24	"	Julius Kaufman	do do	92 60	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$113.73 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 17	"	Floyd H. Crane	do do	108 50	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$127.93 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 271	"	James D. Smith et al.	do do	42 19	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$60 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 270	"	George H. Tiemeyer	do do	23 56	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$41.37 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 273	"	Herman Rixman	do do	15 89	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$33.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 70	"	George Ringler & Co.	do do	1,989 99	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$2,049.26 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 463	"	Richard Von Hofe	do do	322 59	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$352.60 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 174	"	Michael F. Kairit	do do	162 25	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$180.24 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 171	"	Thomas Hannon	do do	147 88	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$165.87 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 168	"	Charles Franklin	do do	106 58	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$124.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 177	"	John McLoughlin	do do	104 70	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$122.69 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 173	"	William Kelly	do do	98 11	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$116.10 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 160	"	John P. Brown	do do	75 07	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$93.06 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 173	"	Henry Jackson	do do	65 34	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.33 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 166	"	Edward Dwyer	do do	40 43	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$58.44 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 417	"	Edwin A. Hayward	do do	102 20	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$122.25 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 70	"	George Ringler & Co.	do do	2,111 76	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$2,173.47 certified to Comptroller	do do
53 106	"	William Seward	For services Engineer and Laborers, Ninth Regiment Armory, assigned to plaintiff.	486 00	" 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$486 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; upon offer.
52 217	"	Charles S. Fischer	For services as Medical Expert in case of The People, etc., vs. Mary A. A. Fleming	2,700 00	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,900 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 412	"	Andrew C. Jung	For rebate of excise license fee	96 71	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$119.09 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
51 536	"	Isidor Gordon	do do	57 67	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$77.91 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 535	"	Henry S. Baron	do do	50 82	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$70.74 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 535	"	Joseph Stern	do do	43 18	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$62.87 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 534	"	Samuel M. L. Sternfels	do do	38 26	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$57.72 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 534	"	Michael Stern	do do	34 41	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$53.71 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 536	"	David J. Seiffer	do do	24 99	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$43.97 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 74	"	Adolph Lucker	do do	88 25	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$111.28 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 33	"	George H. Westervelt	do do	102 10	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$122.03 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 265	"	Henry F. Schnitker	do do	176 71	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$200.12 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 266	"	Charles G. Tiemann	do do	175 34	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$199.07 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 265	"	August Eitzen	do do	173 29	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$196.81 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 326	"	Frank W. Bruns	do do	132 46	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$164.38 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 271	"	Charles Vagts	do do	99 75	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$120.91 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 270	"	Henry Meeker	do do	176 71	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$200.44 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 388	"	Charles Danker	do do	88 78	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$109.48 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 327	"	William H. Schumacher	do do	63 68	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$83.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 272	"	Wilhelm Wehrmann	do do	50 41	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$69.97 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 319	"	William Davis	do do	45 43	" 13	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$64.76 certified to Comptroller	do do
52 435	"	Robert S. Newton	For professional services as expert witness in the case of The People vs. Maria Barbieri	4,460 00	" 16	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$4,460 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; upon offer.
51 285	"	James Shanley	For rebate of excise license fee	12 50	" 17	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$31.73 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
45 469	"	The Mayor vs. The Manhat- tan Railway Co.	To restrain building of third track on Ninth Avenue line, from 15th st. north		" 17	Order entered discontinuing action without costs	By consent.
53 5	"	Frank D. Arthur	For salary as Clerk to Board of Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring title to Court-house site for Appellate Division Court-house	60 00	" 17	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$62.62 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; upon offer.
53 3	"	Carrie G. Pratt	For salary as Stenographer to Board of Com- missioners of Estimate in the matter of ac- quiring title to Court-house site for Appellate Division Court-house	308 75	" 17	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$311.37 certified to Comptroller	do do
52 394	"	Annie Aaron	For award in the matter of East Broadway, Henry, Gouverneur and Scammel streets school site	10,100 00	" 17	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$10,324.74 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 471	"	Edward Propper	For rebate of excise license fee	68 89	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$91.19 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; no defense.
51 472	"	Moritz Weiss	do do	140 75	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$165.99 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 344	"	William Feidhausen	do do	152 50	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$172.65 certified to Comptroller	do do
54 13	"	Tilly Haynes	do do	83 84	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$106.72 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 506	"	The Excelsior Brewing Co.	do do	166 67	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$184.30 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 296	"	Albert A. Fennevessy	do do	81 65	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$101.07 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 371	"	Eva M. Cobe	do do	87 14	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$106.39 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 288	"	Sidney K. Simon	do do	15 14	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$33.60 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 246	"	Frank G. Whitney	do do	3 29	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$21.54 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 49	"	Frank Gordella	do do	29 74	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$46.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 226	"	Samuel Nason	do do	33 43	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$52.32 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 240	"	Thos. J. Martin, Jr.	do do	50 96	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$70.03 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 224	"	John Goodwin	do do	54 25	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$73.50 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 223	"	Harry Alexander	do do	59 73	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$78.70 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 224	"	Frank S. Bordeaux	do do	69 05	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$88.40 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 225	"	George Gorton	do do	109 60	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.87 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 229	"	Jacob Freeman	do do	81 50	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$203.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 222	"	Hugo Alexander	do do	26 30	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$45.03 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 147	"	Frank Whitaker	do do	155 96	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$180.33 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 440	"	E. Koehler & Co.	do do		" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$3,415.50 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 188	"	Michael F. Sheehan	do do	180 34	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$198.33 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 169	"	William E. Hawley	do do	164 28	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$182.52 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 158	"	John J. Amsler	do do	148 17	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$166.56 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 153	"	Maurice Cobe	do do	108 22	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$129.75 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 178	"	William J. Matthews	do do	109 31	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$127.30 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 270	"	James Hughes	do do	106 58	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$124.57 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 154	"	William H. Coyle	do do	52 19	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$121.84 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 184	"	Frank Northrup	do do	84 43	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$102.42 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 177	"	Patrick J. Kelly	do do	78 17	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$96.16 certified to Comptroller	do do
51 506	"	Charles Vagts and Peter Vagts	do do		" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$80.30 certified to Comptroller	do do

51 532	Supreme	John D. Helmke	For rebate of excise license fee	\$21 92	1897. Mar. 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$39.85 certified to Comptroller.	Without trial; no defense.
51 504	"	William H. Muller	do do	12 60	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$30.53 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 503	"	Frederick Dannemann	do do	6 57	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$24.50 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 519	"	Louis Steinhart and others	do do	176 73	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$197.43 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 16	"	William S. Long	do do	154 13	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$174.36 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 36	"	Patrick McGarry	do do	121 66	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$141.65 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 517	"	Edward J. Dwyer	do do	106 86	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$127.33 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 518	"	Henry C. Harding	do do	99 74	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$120.04 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 37	"	William S. Long	do do	98 64	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$118.80 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 517	"	John T. Long	do do	92 61	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$112.73 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 518	"	Arnold Heinrich	do do	66 30	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$87.80 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 519	"	Ernst Steiner	do do	55 90	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$76.02 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 520	"	William Bruening	do do	52 61	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$72.71 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 520	"	John T. Long	do do	19 18	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$38.80 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 16	"	Mary Kornig	do do	6 58	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$26.11 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 53	"	James Ennis	do do	286 29	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$315.23 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 494	"	D. Scharnaghaus, as executor	do do	53 83	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$74.27 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 537	"	Luigi Marrone	do do	101 66	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$120.16 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 52	"	Louis Pierano	do do	180 82	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$198.81 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 28	"	Jaques Atruz	do do	32 76	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$50.75 certified to Comptroller.	do do
51 538	"	Francis Francfort	do do	31 11	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$49.41 certified to Comptroller.	do do
54 27	"	Emile Flammard	do do	6 66	" 18	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$24.65 certified to Comptroller.	do do
47 236	"	Neil Golding	Damages by reason of bursting water-main and flooding of sewer trench excavated by plaintiff in 50th st. at 12th ave.	3,000 00	" 20	Judgment entered in favor of City dismissing complaint and for \$107.60, costs and disbursements.	Complaint dismissed on call of calendar
49 307	"	A. L. Smith and another, action No. 1	To foreclose lien, Grammar School No. 3 at No. 484 Hudson st.	15 42	" 20	Decree distributing the fund certified to Comptroller.	Tried; City not directly interested.
49 308	"	A. L. Smith and another, action No. 2	To foreclose lien, Grammar School No. 82, between 70th st. and 1st ave.	103 69	" 20	do do	do do
49 311	"	A. L. Smith and another, action No. 3	To foreclose lien, Grammar School No. 33 at No. 416 West 28th st.	95 47	" 20	do do	do do
49 379	"	The People ex rel. John A. Gregory	Mandamus directing approval of the sureties on proposal of relator for laying water-mains in 2d ave., Jerome ave., etc.	.....	" 20	Order entered dismissing appeal without costs	By consent.
50 241	"	In the matter of Julius Bien & Co. vs. Francis Merges, City Marshal, etc	Mandamus to compel return of unsatisfied warrant issued by Receiver of Taxes directing him to levy on property of petitioner	.....	" 20	Appellate Division, order dismissing appeal without costs entered	do
53 167	"	George F. Flack	For salary as Stenographer, Court of General Sessions, City and County of New York	430 30	" 20	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$430.30 certified to Comptroller	Without trial; upon offer.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending March 27, 1897:  
*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

## SCHEDULE "A."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGISTER FOLIO.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme	53 281	1897. Mar. 22	Roberts, Arthur	For award made to unknown owners in the matter of opening Claremont Park on Parcel No. 61, \$38.25.
"	53 282	" 22	Muller, Gustave, as assignee of George Strassner	For stenographic minutes furnished Board of Coroners, bet. Jan. 3 and Sept. 8, 1896, \$330.34.
"	53 270	" 23	Roeber, William, and another (Matter of the assignment of)	Application for leave to sell leases, scales, bins, etc.
"	53 271	" 23	Clark, Heman	Summons only served.
"	53 272	" 23	do	do
"	53 273	" 23	O'Brien, John, Heman Clark and John H. Mooney	do
"	53 274	" 23	O'Connell & Hilary Lime and Marble Dust Co.	For injuries to a horse on 124th st., near Amsterdam ave., Sept. 11, 1896, \$201.
"	53 277	" 23	O'Brien, Mary J., vs. The Union Railway Co. of New York City	To restrain defendants from laying tracks, etc., in front of plaintiff's premises.
"	53 275	" 23	Ormsby, Sarah C. (ex rel.), vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller, etc.	Mandamus to compel payment of award on Parcel No. 270 in the matter of Bronx Park, \$68.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Sabo, Frederick C. (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Danzig, Simon (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Eckes, John (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Kutz, Gabriel S. (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Simons, Marian F. (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	(11) 351	" 23	Schell, Edward P., et al., executors, etc. (In re)	To vacate assessment for Tinton ave. sewer, bet. Kelly and Home sts.
"	53 276	" 23	Haberle, Charles, W.	For work performed and materials furnished by Electric Insulation and Repair Co., at various school-houses at request of Board of Education, bet. Nov. 4, 1896, and Jan. 11, 1897, \$415.35.
"	54 303	" 23	Nickel, Peter C.	For rebate of excise license fee, \$102.22.
"	54 304	" 23	O'Connell, Francis D.	do do 179.06.
"	54 304	" 23	Streiner, Joe	do do 16.61.
"	54 305	" 23	Dahlman, Louis	do do 56.02.
"	54 305	" 23	Herrmann, Frederick	do do 75.90.
"	54 306	" 23	Tietz, Rudolph	do do 58.30.
"	54 306	" 23	Dorner, Frank	do do 79.75.
"	54 307	" 23	Friedrich, John	do do 1.65.
"	54 307	" 23	J. Chr. G. Hupfel Brewing Co.	do do 167.12.
"	54 308	" 23	Consumers Brewing Co. (No. 7)	do do 353.69.
"	54 308	" 23	Gott, Harry J.	do do 25.75.
"	54 309	" 23	Farrell, Michael	do do 171.95.
"	54 310	" 23	Gilling, John G., et al., executors	do do 73.43.
"	54 310	" 23	Monroe Eckstein Brewing Co. (No. 2)	do do 15.34.
"	54 311	" 23	Ehret, George (No. 3)	do do 911.50.
"	54 311	" 23	Ruppert, Jacob (No. 7)	do do 343.84.
"	54 312	" 23	Woehle, Celestin H.	do do 128.22.
"	54 312	" 23	Graham, Isabel M.	do do 151.38.
"	54 313	" 23	Flynn, Thomas F.	do do 151.37.
"	54 313	" 23	Turkel, Anna	do do 96.85.
"	54 314	" 23	Doscher, Christopher	do do 147.95.
"	54 314	" 23	Curran, Charles	do do 154.72.
"	54 315	" 23	Lynch, John	do do 167.34.
"	54 315	" 23	Batts, Edward T.	do do 177.60.
"	54 316	" 23	Troubat, Thomas	do do 58.44.
"	54 309	" 23	Eising, Emanuel, et al.	do do 77.00.
Supreme	53 263	" 24	Malloy, Daniel (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners	Certiorari to review the removal of relator, a Patrolman, from the force.
"	53 278	" 24	Canavan, John, Maurice Canavan and David Canavan (ex rel.), vs. Charles H. T. Collis, as Commissioner of Public Works, etc.	Mandamus to compel respondent to issue permit to relators to cross sidewalk and fill in lot at Edgecombe ave. and 145th st.
"	53 279	" 24	Sigerson, Frank H.	For Stenographer's services to Commission appointed to ascertain sanity of Louis S. Holmes, \$91.35.
"	53 280	" 24	Morrison, Edward A.	To recover back amount of assessment paid for regulating, etc., Broadway, from 32d to 59th st., \$242.91.
"	53 290	" 24	McIntyre, James F. (ex rel.), vs. Samuel McMillan et al., Park Commissioners	Certiorari to review the removal of relator.
"	54 316	" 24	Buttler, Robert	For rebate of excise license fee, \$177.77.
"	54 317	" 25	Eusner, Bruno	do do 8.22.
"	54 318	" 25	Eusner, John	do do 156.84.
"	54 318	" 25	Itchner, August	do do 94.34.
"	54 319	" 25	Gerard, William B.	do do 28.76.
"	54 319	" 25	Rapp, John	do do 180.52.
"	54 320	" 25	Lynch, Lawrence	do do 37.80.
"	54 321	" 25	Hart, Joseph B.	do do 182.19.
"	53 286	" 25	Rosenthal, Herman	do do
"	53 287	" 25	Kinnaird, William J.	For services as Attendant at Bellevue for Sept., Oct. and Nov., 1896, \$120.
"	53 287	" 25	Mertz, Philip	For services as Attendant at Bellevue for Sept., Oct. and Nov., 1896, \$125.

Supreme	53 288	1897. Mar. 25	Marsh, James H.	For services as Attendant at Bellevue Hospital, from Sept. 1, to Oct. 19, 1896, \$79.03.
"	53 283	" 25	Ely, Ambrose K.	To recover amount of assessment paid for regulating, etc., First ave., from 92d to 109th st., \$262.90.
"	53 284	" 25	Winch, Charles A.	For damages to plaintiff's horses and truck, caused by falling into hole on 17th st., Nov. 18, 1896, \$25.68.
"	53 285	" 25	Hogan, James K.	For services as expert in case of People vs. Paul Steinitzke, in Aug., 1896, \$150.
"	53 289	" 25	Bulkley, Justus L., et al., executors of Daniel B. Fayerweather, vs. Fannie Robinson, The Mayor, etc., et al.	To foreclose mortgage on premises on East Broadway and Division st.
"	54 321	" 25	Kelly, John	For rebate of excise license fee, \$145.83.
"	54 322	" 25	Buschman, Katie, executrix, etc.	do do 27.95.
"	54 322	" 26	Glaser, Abraham	do do 22.47.
"	54 323	" 26	Pyke, Harry	do do 77.82.
"	54 323	" 26	Wierners, George, as executor, etc.	do do 143.84.
"	54 324	" 26	Goll, Jacob	do do 147.27.
"	54 324	" 26	Richter, Helene W.	do do 147.27.
"	54 325	" 26	Wolston, James	do do 40.45.
"	54 325	" 26	Goldstein, Seig.	do do 101.64.
"	54 326	" 26	Silverstone, A. Frederick	do do 23.53.
"	54 327	" 26	Papa, Fabbio	do do 7.67.
"	54 327	" 26	Baron, Siegmund	do do 21.51.
"	54 327	" 26	Consumers Brewing Co. (No. 8)	do do 2,042.46.
"	53 291	" 26	Tenney, Sutherland, vs. The Mayor, etc., et al.	To set aside contract with Delahanty and Nixon, for self-propelling dumping-boats and to restrain employment thereof.
"	53 292	" 26	Bien, Franklin	For rental of fire-hydrants in towns of Pelham, East Chester and West Chester and villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge, under contracts with West Chester Water Co. and Upper New York City Water Co., \$8,790.
"	53 293	" 26	Rourke, Michael J.	For services as Keeper at Blackwell's Island Lunatic Asylum and services as Stonemason since May 15, 1890, \$8,657.50.
"	(11) 352	" 27	Oakley, Emma M. (in re)	To vacate assessment for opening Longwood ave.
"	53 294	" 27	Boyd, Charles M. (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 295	" 27	Fisher, Edward (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 296	" 27	Guillove, John M. (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 297	" 27	Herrlich, Henry (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 298	" 27	Scanlon, James J. (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 299	" 27	Walker, James J. (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.
"	53 300	" 27	Walsh, John (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the force.

## SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

Andrew L. Smith and another—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.  
 People ex rel. Christopher A. Farrell vs. The Civil Service Board—Order entered dismissing the appeal of the relator without costs.  
 People ex rel. Christopher A. Farrell vs. The Civil Service Board (Mandamus)—Order entered dismissing the appeal of the relator without costs.  
 Edwin C. Kellogg—Order entered restoring the cause to the Clerk's calendar for March 26, 1897.  
 Mary J. O'Brien vs. Union Railway Company—Order entered modifying the City's order to show cause.  
 Matter of the Ninety-third street and Amsterdam avenue school site—Order entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate.  
 George W. Sauer—Order entered directing the plaintiff to furnish a further bill of particulars.  
 People ex rel. John Buckley vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered denying motion for a further return with \$10 costs to the respondents to abide the event.  
 People ex rel. The International Navigation Company vs. The Tax Commissioners—Appellate Division order of affirmance entered in favor of the relator.  
 People ex rel. Albert Hurdas vs. William Sohmer, Register—Order entered denying the motion for a writ of mandamus.  
 John Wynne vs. Bernard Mahon et al.—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.  
 People ex rel. Patrick McElroy vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered amending the Appellate Division order so as to recite the fact that the order was entered upon the unanimous decision of the court.  
 Max Augner—Order entered denying motion for leave to appeal to the Court of Appeals.  
 John McNamara—Judgment on remittitur entered in favor of the City, and for \$104.10, costs.  
 The Mayor, etc. vs. John Best and another—Order entered affirming the Clerk's taxation of costs.  
 Robbing, (3 actions)—Order entered consolidating actions into one action.

	No. of School Days.	Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Schools Visited.	No. of Visits to Schools.	No. Examined.	No. Excluded.	CAUSE OF EXCLUSION.										
							Measles.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Croup.	Whooping-cough.	Mumps.	Contagious Eye Diseases.	PARASITIC DISEASES OF			
														Head.	Body.	Chicken-pox.	
Primary Department of Grammar.....	..	87,537	100	534	1,972	145	1	8	..	..	1	4	11	109	1	3	7
Primary.....	..	26,123	49	238	747	74	3	1	1	..	..	3	11	49	5	3	..
Parochial.....	..	26,800	51	195	318	22	..	4	2	..	..	2	..	16	..	..	..
Industrial Schools—																	
American Female	..	2,578	11	55	256	15	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	18	..	..	1
Guardian Society...	..	5,949	20	100	729	194	..	1	..	..	..	1	111	77	..	..	3
Children's Aid Society.	..																
Total.....	..	150,987	231	1,123	4,022	450	4	13	4	..	1	7	134	263	6	6	11

### Inspections under Law Regulating Employment of Women and Children in Mercantile and Manufacturing Establishments.

#### EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.														Total.					
			FOREIGN.										AMERICAN.									
	White.	Black.	Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	England.	Ireland.	Italy.	Hungary.	Bohemia.	Poland.	Roumania.	France.	Others.	N. Y. City.	N. Y. State.		New Jersey.	Pennsylvania.	Rhode Island.	Massachusetts.	Illinois.
Mercantile, Male .....	69	..	6	3	2	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	44	2	6	..	..	1	..	69
"    Female .....	31	..	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	17	3	1	..	..	..	..	31
Manufacturing, Male .....	28	..	3	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	18	3	..	..	1	..	..	28
"    Female .....	34	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	2	..	1	..	..	1	22	2	..	1	..	..	..	34
Total .....	162	..	14	3	7	1	..	4	2	1	2	..	..	8	101	9	7	1	1	1	..	162

#### EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES REFUSED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.												CAUSE.						
	White.	Black.	FOREIGN.									AMERICAN.			Under Age.	Over Age.	Insufficient Tuition.	Insufficient Education.	Physical Incapacity.	Total.	
			Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	Italy.	Ireland.	Hungary.	Poland.	England.	Others.	N. Y. City.	N. Y. State.	New Jersey.							Massachusetts.
Mercantile, Male.....	14	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	9	..	1	..	..	7	1	6	..	..	14
"    Female.....	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	2	1	1	..	11	4	2	..	..	17
Manufacturing, Male...	14	..	7	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	4	3	7	..	..	14
"    Female.....	36	..	7	2	1	6	..	4	6	..	8	1	..	..	1	13	14	1	..	..	36
Total.....	81	..	15	5	3	8	..	4	7	..	30	3	3	1	1	36	16	29	1	..	81

#### Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made .....	9,293
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses .....	5,449
tenement apartments (at night), to prevent overcrowding .....	900
mercantile establishments .....	762
private dwellings .....	350
lodging-houses .....	77
stables .....	160
slaughter-houses .....	249
other premises .....	1,346
Total number of citizens' complaints attended to .....	580
verified .....	312
found baseless, or nuisance already abated .....	268
original complaints by Inspectors .....	656

#### Inspection of Foods, Milk Cows, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk .....	970
specimens examined .....	1,128
quarts of milk destroyed .....	..
inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods .....	5,646
pounds of same condemned and destroyed .....	36,705
inspections of meat .....	437
pounds of same condemned and destroyed .....	10,030
inspections of fish .....	3,889
pounds of same condemned and destroyed .....	20,050
milk cows examined (tuberculin test) .....	8
milk cows found diseased .....	..
autopsies .....	..

#### Chemical Laboratory.

Milk—Adulterated .....	7
Unadulterated .....	5
Croton water—Complete sanitary analysis (see below) .....	1
Water, Kensico supply—Complete sanitary analysis .....	1
Westchester supply—Complete sanitary analysis .....	1
well—Contaminated .....	1
Lactometers tested .....	2
Total analyses .....	18

#### Analysis of Croton Water, May 28, 1897.

Appearance, very slightly turbid; color, light yellowish brown; odor, marshy.

	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Chlorine in Chlorides .....	0.145	0.248
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride .....	0.237	0.407
Phosphates, Phosphoric Acid (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) in .....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates .....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates (Method of Martin and Berry) .....	0.0142	0.0243
Free Ammonia .....	0.0003	0.0005
Albuminoid Ammonia .....	0.0076	0.0130
Total Nitrogen .....	0.0266	0.0354
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime .....	2.32	3.99
(Before boiling) .....	2.32	3.99
(After boiling) .....	0.091	1.50
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition) .....	2.624	4.50
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored .....	3.615	6.20
Total solids (by evaporation, at 230° Fahr.) .....	..	..

Temperature at hydrant, 62° Fahr.

#### Pathology and Bacteriology.

Total number of premises visited by Inspectors .....	446
autopsies (human & animal) .....	..
new cases treated with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors .....	37
curative injections of diphtheria anti-toxin given by Medical Inspectors .....	48
persons immunized with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors .....	41
inoculations of animals with toxins .....	17
animals bled for anti-toxic serums .....	4
samples of toxins tested .....	..
samples of anti-toxic serums tested .....	7
bacteriological examinations of suspected diphtheria, viz.: True, 162, not diphtheria, 58; indecisive 78, viz.: Culture made too late in disease 36, insufficient growth on culture medium 0, culture medium contaminated 6, culture medium dried up 0, suspicious bacilli only found 34, no diphtheria bacilli found, laryngeal case 2 .....	298
bacteriological examinations of convalescent cases of diphtheria, preceding disinfection .....	287
bacteriological examinations of healthy throats in infected families .....	28
cultures in cases of suspected diphtheria taken by Medical School Inspectors in schools, viz.: Diphtheria bacilli found 6, diphtheria bacilli not found 14, indecisive 7 .....	27
examinations of blood from cases of suspected typhoid fever (positive reaction 4, negative reaction 7, indecisive 0) .....	11
bacteriological examinations of suspected tuberculosis (tubercle bacilli found 24, not found 19, suspicious bacilli found 0) .....	43
microscopical preparations made and examined (tuberculosis) .....	69
animals vaccinated .....	4
animals collected from .....	7
grammes of vaccine virus collected .....	37.62
cub. cent. of liquid vaccine virus prepared .....	94
clinical tests of vaccine virus made .....	64
quills of humanized virus collected .....	345

Total number of capillary tubes prepared .....	1,721
small vials prepared .....	367
large vials prepared .....	56
samples of vaccine virus tested bacteriologically .....	25
other substances tested bacteriologically .....	1
Amount of diphtheria anti-toxic serum produced in c. c. .....	3,000
tetanus anti-toxic serum produced in c. c. .....	2,710
tuberculin produced in c. c. .....	..
Number of visits to Department Stations (collection of cultures, etc.) .....	195

#### Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of cases visited by Inspectors .....	2,019
premises visited by Disinfectors .....	441
rooms disinfected .....	774
pieces of infected goods destroyed .....	141
pieces of infected goods disinfected and returned .....	1,055
persons removed to hospital .....	50
primary vaccinations .....	3,403
revaccinations .....	1,086
certificates of vaccination issued .....	353
cattle examined by Veterinarian .....	252
glandered horses destroyed .....	4
institutions inspected .....	45

Total number of dead animals removed from streets .....	1,314
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#### Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances .....	884
Attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders .....	695
civil actions begun .....	57
arrests made .....	..
judgments obtained in civil courts .....	3
criminal courts .....	10
permits issued .....	234
persons removed from overcrowded apartments .....	9

The 703 deaths represent a death-rate of 18.47, against 18.56 for the previous week and 18.12 for the corresponding week of 1896.

Contagious and infectious diseases show a slight decrease, the number of cases reported of diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and small-pox being respectively 265, 210, 212, 12 and 8, against 258, 290, 161, 8 and 1 for the previous week—a total of 707 against 718. The increase of diphtheria was mainly in the Ninth, Twentieth and Twenty-fourth Wards, and the decrease in the Seventh Ward. The increase of measles was most marked in the Ninth Ward, and the decrease in the Twelfth Ward. The increase of scarlet fever was chiefly in the Twelfth and Twentieth Wards, and the decrease in the Twenty-second Ward. Seven of the 12 cases of typhoid fever were above Fortieth street, and 3 were below Fourteenth street.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, April 3, 1897.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending March 27, 1897:

**Public Moneys Received during the Week.**—For Croton water rents—Regular rates, \$3,611.55; meter rates, \$27,632.60; for penalties, water rents, \$127.95; for tapping Croton pipes, \$270.50; for sewer permits, \$583.30; for restoring and repaving—Special Fund, \$3,057.41; for redemption of obstructions seized, \$20.50; for vault permits, \$972.23; for shed permits, \$20—total, \$36,296.04.

**Public Lamps.**—12 new lamps lighted, 14 new lamps erected, 2 old lamps discontinued, 12 lamp-posts removed, 4 lamp-posts reset, 37 lamp-posts straightened, 28 columns releaded, 1 column refitted, 10 service pipes refitted, 9 stand pipes refitted.

**Permits Issued.**—59 permits to tap Croton pipes, 53 permits to open streets, 22 permits to make sewer connections, 17 permits to repair sewer connections, 129 permits to place building material on streets, 37 permits—special, 11 permits to construct street vaults, 4 permits to construct sheds over sidewalks, 21 permits to use water for building purposes.

**Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.**—136 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 1,900 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 425 lineal feet of sewer relieved, 26,958 lineal feet of sewer examined, 1 man-hole head reset, 2 new manholes built, 4 new manhole heads and covers put on, 1 new basin head and cover put on, 9 new manhole covers put on, 5 new basin covers put on, 290 cubic feet of brickwork built, 19 square yards of pavement relaid, 1,847 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 2 cart-loads of earth filling, 78 cart-loads of dirt removed.

**Obstructions Removed.**—14 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

**Repairs to Pavement.**—7,400 square yards of pavement repaired.

**Appointments.**—John T. Moore, Inspector of Meters, at \$3 per day; Charles Rennie, Inspector of Meters, at \$3 per day; Frank C. Cudworth, Engineer Inspector of Paving, at \$900 per annum; 3 Cleaners, 1 Timekeeper, 5 Laborers.

**Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending March 27, 1897.**

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	46	100	6	11
Laying Croton Pipes .....	..	..	..	..
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc. ....	59	125	4	21
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs .....	1	16	3	..
Supplying Water to Shipping .....	5	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers .....	18	31	..	9
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements .....	185	251	4	74
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of .....	20	56	2	4
Roads, Streets and Avenues .....	8	12	2	8
Total .....	342	591	21	121

**Requisitions on the Comptroller.**—The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$94,626.94.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, MAY 17 TO 22, 1897.

##### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending May 15, 1897: Males, 24; females, 1; on file. List of 23 prisoners to be discharged from May 23 to 29, 1897; transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending May 15, 1897, \$56. On file.

From Workhouse—Reporting escape of Edward Leary, John Foley and Joseph Keenan, prisoners, from Randall's Island. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending May 15, 1897, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending May 15, 1897. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending May 15, 1897, \$414. On file.

From City Cemetery—Keeper in charge reports two attempts at escape by prisoners at night, and recommends that a night watchman be appointed. An Orderly to be transferred from Workhouse for night duty.

From Civil Service Boards—Stating that Board is not in a position to honor requisitions until new rules are embodied under provisions of new law. On file.

##### Contract Awarded.

W. G. Triest, for the structural steel and iron work required in the erection of City Prison, for the sum of \$23,240.

##### Appointed.

May 20. Peter Murphy, Thomas W. Saunders, Orderlies, Workhouse; salary, \$300 per annum, each.

##### Reinstated.

May 18. William F. Hollahan, Keeper, Penitentiary; salary, \$800 per annum.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

EXTRACTS FROM THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 29, 1897.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of the Municipal Lodging-house under the control of this Department be and he hereby is instructed to reduce the force of that institution on June 1, 1897, as follows:

1 Assistant Superintendent, 8 Investigators, 1 Night Officer, 2 Physicians, and that on and after that date and until further orders from this Board, the force shall consist of 1 Superintendent, 1 Night Officer, 2 Engineers, 2 Helpers.

Resolved, That admission of homeless men and women to the Municipal Lodging-house, on and after June 1 and until further notice, shall only be upon tickets presented by the Charity Organization Society or the Superintendent of the Out-door Poor.

Bellevue Hospital—Proposals of M. Halliday to make and put up nine new 4-inch galvanized leaders, repair three leaders on the outside front of main building and east wing, painting leaders with one coat of paint, all to be of the best material, for the sum of \$328; also to repair and paint certain leaders, gutters and roofs, for the sum of \$82; accepted and filed. Proposal of Murphy Bros., to furnish, where necessary, implements and labor to remove the Morgue from its present site to the north side of boiler-house, for the sum of \$900; accepted and filed. Proposal of the Trayer Electric Construction Company to wire the Alcoholic Pavilion, Male and Female Departments, for the sum of \$175; accepted and filed.

Randall's Island—Proposal of P. J. Byrnes to take up present flooring in Pavilion "F," Randall's Island Asylums and Schools, recently infected by the small-pox, and lay a new floor for the sum of \$245; accepted and filed. Proposal of James R. Flood & Son to furnish ten layers reversible lime trays, for the sum of \$375; accepted and filed.

#### Appointments, etc.

Central Office—May 24—Giles Whiting, Building Inspector, salary \$5 per day.  
Lodging-house—June 1—James M. Butler, Engineer, salary \$900 per annum.  
Out-door Poor—June 1—Mary L. Weaver, Visitor, salary \$800 per annum. May 1—May Green, Trained Nurse, salary increased \$10 per month.  
Steamboats—May 23—William Landy, Inspector, transferred from Bellevue Hospital, salary \$600 per annum. May 24—J. H. Hill, Temporary Pilot, salary \$3 per day.  
Bellevue Hospital—Sarah J. O'Rourke, Medical Bath Attendant, appointment permanent, salary \$480 per annum.  
Fordham Hospital—May 24—Edward J. Burns, Ambulance Driver, salary \$500 per annum.

#### Resignations.

Fordham Hospital—May 24—Edward J. Burns, Ambulance Driver, declined appointment.  
Lodging-house—June 1—Frank E. Crosby, Engineer.

#### Dismissals.

Fordham Hospital—May 10—Thomas Kelly, Ambulance Driver, failed to report.  
Randall's Island Asylums and Schools—May 18—Frank J. Simpson, Hospital Orderly, absent without leave.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

**LAW DEPARTMENT**—The Committee on Law Department will hold a public hearing on Thursday, June 10, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 16, City Hall, "to consider ordinance relating to Rules of the Road."

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

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

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 68 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

**JOHN A. SLEICHER**, Supervisor City Record.  
**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. **JOE E. HEDGES**, Secretary and Chief Clerk.  
**Bureau of Licenses.**  
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**EDWARD H. HEALY**, Marshal.

#### 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 ARMY 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.

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**  
Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**SETH SPRAGUE TERRY** and **RODNEY S. DENNIS**.

#### 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 EVCK**, Clerk Common Council.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. T. COLLIS**, Commissioner; **HOWARD PAVSON WILDS**, Deputy Commissioner (17th Floor).  
**HENRY DIMSE**, Chief Clerk (17th Floor).  
**GEORGE W. BIRDSALL**, Chief Engineer (17th Floor).  
**COLUMBUS O. JOHNSON**, Water Register (1st Floor).  
**HORACE LOOMIS**, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (17th Floor); **JOHN C. GRAHAM**, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (17th Floor); **CHARLES W. BARNEY**, Water Purveyor (Basement); **STEPHEN MCCORMICK**, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (22d Floor); **WILLIAM HENKEL**, Superintendent of Incumbances (Basement); **EDWARD P. NORTH**, Consulting Engineer and in charge of Street Improvements (17th Floor).

#### 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.  
Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 2 P. M.  
**LOUIS F. HAFERN**, 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; **WILLIAM J. LYON**, 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.  
**JOHN F. GOULDSBURY**, First Auditor.  
**FRED'K L. W. SCHAFFNER**, Second Auditor.  
**FRED'K J. BRETTMAN**, Third 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, 3d and 4th 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.**  
Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.  
**JOHN P. DUNN** and **HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN**, Assistants to the Counsel to the Corporation.

#### 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.  
**FRANK MOSS**, 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.

**Central Office.**  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**SILAS C. CROFT**, President; **JOHN P. FAURE** and **JAMES R. O'BRIEN**, Commissioners; **H. G. WEAVER**, Secretary.

**Purchasing Agent, Geo. W. WANMAKER**; **W. A. PRICE**, General Bookkeeper and Auditor. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 2 P. 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. to 2 P. M.  
Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. **WILLIAM BLAKE**, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

**Central Office.**  
No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**ROBERT J. WRIGHT**, Commissioner; **ARTHUR PHILLIPS**, Secretary; **CHARLES BENN**, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 2 P. M.

#### Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
**JAMES R. SHEFFIELD**, President; **O. H. LA GRANGE** and **THOMAS STURGIS**, Commissioners; **CARL JUSSEN**, Secretary.  
**HUGH BONNER**, Chief of Department. **GEORGE 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. to 2 P. M.  
**SAMUEL MCILLAN**, President; **S. V. R. CRUGER**, **SMITH ELY** and **WILLIAM A. STILES**, Commissioners; **WILLIAM LEARY**, 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. to 2 P. 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. KEARNEY**, **JACOB HESS**, and **THOMAS L. HAMILTON**, and **THE MAYOR**, ex officio, Commissioners.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
No. 32 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**GEORGE E. WARING, JR.**, Commissioner; **F. H. GIBSON**, Deputy Commissioner; **THOS. A. DOR**, 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**, **THOMAS STURGIS**, **W. BAYARD CUTTING**, **C. W. WATSON** and **J. VAN VECHTEN OLCOTT**, Members of the Supervisory Board.

**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. ADER**, 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.  
**THOMAS J. RUSH**, Chairman; **P. M. HAVERTY**, **JOHN W. JACOBUS**, **EDWARD MCCUE**, Assessors; **WM. H. JASPER**, Secretary.

#### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN**, Sheriff; **HENRY H. SHERMAN**, Under Sheriff.

#### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM SOMMER**, 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.

#### SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue.  
**H. W. GRAY**, Commissioner.

#### N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM J. ROWE**, Warden.

#### 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.  
**W. M. K. OLCOTT**, 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 MC MILLIN**, Deputy Supervisor and Expert.

#### EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

No. 32 Chambers street.  
**JOHN YULE**, Chairman; **JAMES M. MORROW**, Secretary; **JAMES P. KNIGHT**, Treasurer.  
Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.

#### CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, open constantly.  
**EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK**, **WILLIAM H. DOBBS**, **EMIL W. HOEBER** and **THEODORE K. TUTTILL**, 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.

**APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**  
Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT**, Presiding Justice; **GEORGE C. BARRETT**, **PARDON C. WILLIAMS**, **EDWARD PATTERSON**, **MORGAN J. O'BRIEN**, **GEORGE L. INGRAHAM**, **WILLIAM RUMSEY**, Justices. **ALFRED WAGSTAFF**, Clerk; **WM. LAMB, JR.**, Deputy Clerk.

#### SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.  
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 21.  
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.  
Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 16.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 28.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 32.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 22.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.  
Justices—**ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE**, **GEORGE P. ANDREWS**, **CHARLES H. TRUAX**, **CHARLES F. MACLEAN**, **FREDERICK SMYTH**, **JOSEPH F. DALY**, **MILES BEACH**, **ROGER PRYOR**, **LEONARD A. GRIGERIC**, **HENRY W. BOOKSTAVEN**, **HENRY BISCHOFF, JR.**, **JOHN J. FRIEDMAN**, **JOHN SEDGWICK**, **P. HENRY DUGRO**, **DAVID MCADAM**, **HENRY K. BEEKMAN**, **HENRY A. GILDERLEAVE**; **HENRY D. PURROY**, 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; **JAMES FITZGERALD**, **RUFUS B. COWING**, **JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER** and **MARTIN T. MCMAHON**, 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**, **JOHN H. MCCARTHY**, **LEWIS J. CONLAN**,

**EDWARD F. O'DWYER** and **JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN**, Justices; **JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK**, Clerk.

**CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**  
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.  
**JOHN F. CARROLL**, Clerk; 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Judges—**ELIZUR B. HINSDALE**, **WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME**, **EPHRAIM A. JACOB**, **JOHN HAYES**, **WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK**.

#### 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-rooms, No. 32 Chambers street.

**WAUHOPE LYNN**, Justice. **MICHAEL C. MURPHY**, 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. **JEREMIAH HAYES**, Clerk.

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

**DANIEL F. MARTIN**, Justice. **ABRAHAM 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. **PATRICK MCDAVITT**, 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 Sundays. **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, southeast 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 opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**JAMES A. O'GORMAN**, Justice. **JAMES J. GALLIGAN**, Clerk. Twelfth District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**RICHARD N. ARNOW**, Justice. **JOHN N. STEWART**, Clerk. Thirteenth District—Northern part of Twelfth Ward. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**JAMES P. DAVENPORT**, Justice. **ADOLPH N. DUMAHANT**, Clerk. **CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.**

**City Magistrates**—**HENRY A. BRANN**, **ROBERT C. CORNELL**,

way at a point distant 321.22 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand street; thence northerly along the said westerly line of West Broadway, distance 44.50 feet, to the southerly line of Broome street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Broome street, distance 162.18 feet, to the easterly line of Thompson street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Thompson street, distance 100.12 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.  
Dated New York, June 5, 1897.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, May 20, 1897.  
**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT the 34th auction sale of unclaimed and condemned Police property of this Department will be sold at Public Auction, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, June 16, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., of the following property, viz: Boats, Push-carts, Wagons, Baby Carriages, Furniture, Trunks of Clothing, Iron, Brass, Lead, Iron Bedsteads, Carpets, Blinds, Sash, Books, Iron Railings, Water Coolers, Newspapers, Chairs, Desks, Bath-tubs, Wire Screens, Marble Slabs and Basins, Sleighs, Heaters, Saddles, Saddle Cloth, Horse Blankets, Horse Sheets, Ice Box, Wardrobes, Marble Mantel, Chandeliers, Bookcases, Wooden Bedstead, Large Iron Safe, Lot of Bottles, Plate Glass and miscellaneous articles. For particulars see catalogue on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 14, 1897, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 3 and 41; also for Supplying Furniture for the New School Building on southwest corner of Tremont and Anthony avenues; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47, to fit them for High Schools; also to Alter, Repair and Fit-up the Building and Premises of former Grammar School No. 62, at Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, for a High School.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.  
Dated New York, June 3, 1897.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Nos. 585 and 587 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, June 8, 1897, for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 18, 27, 49, 59, 73, 100, 101 and Primary Schools Nos. 16 and 35; also for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 101; also for Supplying Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for Essex Market Building for Primary School No. 37; also for Supplying New Furniture for the New School Building on westerly side of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.  
Dated New York, May 27, 1897.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 3, 1897.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT ELEVEN Horses (registered numbers 310, 400, 490, 525, 552, 573, 611, 612, 468, 847, 830), will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Saturday, June 12, 1897, at 1 o'clock, by John Steibling, auctioneer, at the Training Stables of the Fire Department, Nos. 233 and 135 West Ninety-ninth street.

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

NEW YORK, June 2, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING** THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building for the Fire Department on the north side of Forty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, being No. 33 West Forty-third street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 10, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The form of the agreement and the specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, and forms of proposals may be obtained and the plans may be seen at the office of the Department and at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Hoppin & Koen, No. 160 Fifth avenue.

Proposals must be made for all the work contained in the specifications.

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

The building is to be completed and delivered within two hundred and ten (210) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, May 25, 1897.

ment, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 10, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

The form of the agreement (showing the manner of payment for the work), 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 work is to be completed and delivered in one hundred and twenty (120) days, as provided in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Forty (\$40) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, May 25, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING** THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing the building of this Department, occupied as Quarters of Engine Company No. 52, on Riverdale avenue, between Dash and Delafeld streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., June 9, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

The damages to be paid by the contractors for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Ten (\$10) Dollars.

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Eight Hundred (\$800) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Forty (\$40) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, June 1, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, June 14, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN BURNSIDE, AQUEDUCT AND ELEVENTH AVENUES, AND IN NINETY-SECOND, NINETY-FIFTH, NINETY-SEVENTH, NINETY-NINTH, ONE HUNDREDTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND, ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH, BARRETT AND FORD STREETS.

No. 2. FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER-MAINS IN SEDGWICK AND CEDAR AVENUES.

No. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE OVER SPUYTEN DUYVIL CREEK, CONNECTING KINGSBRIDGE ROAD AND BROADWAY.

No. 4. FOR FACING BANK IN FRONT OF OLD ENGINE-HOUSE, HIGHBRIDGE, WITH DRY STONE PROTECTION WALL.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOUBLE-NOZZLE CASE HYDRANTS.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, WITH CURVES AT WADSWORTH AVENUE.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN DYCKMAN STREET, between Harlem River Driveway and Kingsbridge road.

No. 10. FOR SEWER IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, EAST AND WEST SIDES, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets.

No. 11. FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, EAST SIDE, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

No. 12. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between Ninety-eighth and One Hundredth streets.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Broadway to Fourth avenue.

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 in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing,

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyer in basement and in Rooms 1701 and 1715.

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

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

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

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 29, 1896.

**TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORDINANCES of the Common Council, approved December 31, 1886, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, viz.: "Hoistways may be placed within the street-lines, but in no case to extend beyond five feet from the house-line, and shall be guarded by iron railings or rods to prevent accidents to passers-by."

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

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

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 6, Article 7, section 105, Revised Ordinances of 1880, which reads: "All curb-stones \* \* \* shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curb-stones provided by the City or not.

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

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

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

**SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.**

**THE FRANCHISE OF A FERRY FROM SOUTH** street, New York, between Piers 2 and 3, East river, to a point between Twenty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, Gowanus Bay, Brooklyn, together with the wharf property and land under water now used and occupied by the New York and South Brooklyn Ferry and Transportation Company, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on the 29th day of March, 1897, at 12 M., for a term of five years from the 1st day of May, 1897, upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.** The minimum or upset price for the franchise of the ferry is five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage of passengers, vehicles, freight, etc., and the total amount of rental per annum shall not be less than \$7,000.

The annual rental of the wharf property and land under water now used and occupied by the New York and South Brooklyn Ferry and Transportation Company for ferry purposes is fixed at the sum of \$1.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the minimum or upset price and value of said franchise and the annual rental for the wharf property and land under water as fixed above.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller at

the time of sale the sum of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1,750.25) to be credited on the first quarter's rent, or to be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified that it is ready for execution.

The lessees will be required to give bonds in the penal sum of fourteen thousand and two (\$14,002) dollars, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease and the payment of the rent quarterly in advance.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Common Council relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessees will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Mayor and Comptroller shall be final; also conditions that the lessees shall dredge the ferry slip, as required by the Department of Docks; that during the term of the lease they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order, all and singular the floats, racks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferry-boats or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition, free of cost to the City of New York, that if at any time during the term of the lease the Department of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with water-front improvement in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises, without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the intention of said Department; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Comptroller when required by him, and that the books of account of the ferry shall be subject to his inspection.

The lease will contain a covenant providing for the purchase at a fair valuation of the boats, buildings and other property of the lessees used in and actually necessary for the operation of said ferry upon the termination and surrender and delivery of the premises by the lessees, if the lessees shall not become the purchasers for another term, provided that The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York shall not be deemed thereby to covenant to purchase said property in any event.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Comptroller to be for the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted December 9, 1896.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1897.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, April 12, 1897, at the same hour and place.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1897.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

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CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 12, 1897.

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CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 26, 1897.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, June 1, 1897, at the same hour and place.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 10, 1897.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, June 14, 1897, at the same hour and place.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1897.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

**SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.**

**THE FRANCHISE OF A FERRY FROM THE** foot of Pine street, Pier 17, East river, to Long Island City, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on the 29th day of March, 1897, at 12 M., for a term of five years from the 1st day of May, 1897, upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.** The minimum or upset price for the franchise of the ferry is five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage of passengers, vehicles, freight, etc., and the total amount of said rental per annum shall not be less than \$500.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the minimum or upset price and value of said franchise as fixed above.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller at the time of sale the sum of one hundred and twenty-five (\$125) dollars to be credited on the first quarter's rent, or to be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified that it is ready for execution.

The lessees will be required to give bonds in the penal sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease and the payment of the rent on the 1st day of October in each year.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Common Council relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessees will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Mayor and Comptroller shall be final; that if at any time during the term of the lease the Department of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with water-front improvement in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises, without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the intention of said Department; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Comptroller when required by him, and that the books of account of the ferry shall be subject to his inspection.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Comptroller to be for the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted December 9, 1896.

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PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

**SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.**

**THE FRANCHISE OF A FERRY FROM THE** foot of Liberty street, North river, to Communipaw, New Jersey, together with the wharf property and land under water now used and occupied for ferry purposes, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction to the highest bidder, at his office, Room 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on the 29th day of March, 1897, at 12 M., for a term of five years from the 1st day of May, 1897, upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.** The minimum or upset price for the franchise of the ferry is fixed at the sum of \$9,000 per annum.

The annual rental of the wharf property and land under water owned by the City used and occupied for ferry purposes is appraised and fixed at the sum of \$1,000.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the minimum or upset price and value of said franchise and the annual rental for the wharf property and land under water as fixed above.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller at the time of sale the sum of two thousand five hundred (\$2,500) dollars, to be credited on the first quarter's rent, or to be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified that it is ready for execution.

The lessees will be required to give bonds in the penal sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease and the payment of the rent quarterly in advance.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Common Council relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessees will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Mayor and Comptroller shall be final; also conditions that the lessees shall dredge the ferry slip, as required by the Department of Docks; that during the term of the lease they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order, all and singular the floats, racks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferry-boats or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition, free of cost to the City of New York; that if at any time during the term of the lease the Department of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with water-front improvement in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises, without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the intention of said Department; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Comptroller when required by him, and that the books of account of the ferry shall be subject to his inspection.

The lease will contain a covenant providing for the purchase, at a fair valuation, of the boats, buildings and other property of the lessees used in and actually necessary for the operation of said ferry upon the termination and surrender and delivery of the premises by the lessees, if the lessees shall not become the purchasers for another term, provided that The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York shall not be deemed thereby to covenant to purchase said property in any event.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

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ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue and street in the

**TWENTY-THIRD WARD.**

**MARCHER AVENUE**—At its junction with East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street or Birch street, confirmed May 3, 1897, entered May 19, 1897. Area of assessment: 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 a line drawn parallel to Orchard street, or East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to the southerly side

of Birch street, or East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and said southerly side produced and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Marcher avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Marcher avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, as the said streets are shown on the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.**

**WILLARD STREET**, from Mount Vernon avenue to Bronx river; confirmed April 26, 1897, entered May 19, 1897. Area of assessment: 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 middle line of the blocks between East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street or Willard street, and East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street or Opdyke street, from Mount Vernon avenue to the Bronx river; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street or Willard street, and East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street or Opdyke street, from Mount Vernon avenue to the Bronx river; on the east by the middle line of the blocks between East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street or Willard street, and East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street or Opdyke street, from Mount Vernon avenue to the Bronx river; on the west by the westerly side of Mount Vernon avenue.

The above-entitled assessments were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," on the respective dates herein above given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the said respective dates of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 37, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before July 18, 1897, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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of Birch street, or East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and said southerly side produced and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Marcher avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Marcher avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, as the said streets are shown on the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

**TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 589.)** PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING NORTH OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

**TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1897,**

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

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

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

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

**On the North River.**

Mud dredging, about 100,000 cubic yards.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor

Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department, 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.*

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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 his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 4, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 591.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING FOUNDATIONS FOR THE RECREATION BUILDING TO BE HEREINAFTER ERECTED ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING FOUNDATIONS FOR THE RECREATION BUILDING to be erected on the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

1. Temporary removal of certain Backing-logs, Horizontal Chocks between Fenders, Mooring-posts, Deck and Deck-sheathing, and replacing the same.

To be furnished by the Department of Docks.

1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 106,821 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 2,736 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 38,850 feet B. M., measured in the work—total, about 148,407 feet B. M., measured in the work. NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks to the contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front, south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified, and the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 3,200 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 1,360 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,018 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 133 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 10", about 1,044 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 8", about 79 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 6", about 66 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,528 feet B. M., measured in the work—total, about 11,228 feet B. M., measured in the work. NOTE.—The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of

any dimension other than those specified in Item 1 required to do the work under this contract.

3. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10", about 46,800 feet B. M., measured in the work; Spruce Timber, 3" x 10", about 15,000 feet B. M., measured in the work—total, about 61,800 feet B. M., measured in the work—NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles, 380. (It is expected that these piles will have to be about from 50 to 55 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving). NOTE.—The Department of Docks will furnish 200 of these piles to the contractor free of charge, in the water or on scows alongside the pier, for immediate use. The contractor will be required to furnish the remainder of the piles, and to replace any piles which may be broken in driving.

5. 3/4" x 26", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", and 3/4" x 6" square Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes and 40d. Nails, about 18,375 pounds.

6. 1 1/2", 1" and 3/4" Wrought iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about 1,370 pounds.

7. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/2" and 1" Screw-bolts, about 858 pounds.

8. Resetting Mooring-posts and Cleats, about 13.

9. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Joining, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, Painting, Oiling or Tarring, and labor of every description.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within three days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that the work, or any part of it, is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of thirty days after the date of service of such notification, 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, determined, fixed and liquidated at One Hundred Dollars per day.

All the old material to be removed under this contract will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such old material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, and the same is not leased, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done 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. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing the 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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to, any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, 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.*

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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 his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has

offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 590.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A RECREATION STRUCTURE ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A RECREATION Structure on the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber and Furring, about 360 feet B. M., measured in the work.

2. Creosoted Yellow Pine Furring, about 64 linear feet.

3. Spruce Timber and Furring, about 48,680 feet B. M., measured in the work.

4. T. and G. edge-grained Yellow Pine Flooring, joints laid with white lead, about 35,115 square feet laid.

5. T. and G. Spruce Sheathing, 1 1/2" x 6", about 83,050 square feet laid.

6. Spruce Moulding, about 1,560 feet.

7. White Pine Moulding, 1,565 feet.

8. White Oak Hand Rail, 2 1/2" x 4", about 12 feet.

9. Tap bolts, 3/4", 1/2" and 3/8", about 2,600 pounds.

10. Screw-bolts, 1/2", 3/4" and 1 1/2", with Nuts, about 15,200 pounds.

11. Carriage-bolts, 3/4" and 1/2", about 12,430 pounds.

12. Lag-screws, 1/2", 3/4", 1" and 1 1/2", about 3,400 pounds.

13. Wood Screws, about 70 gross.

14. Nails, 10d., 16d., 20d. and 40d. and 6" Cut Nails, about 16,300 pounds.

15. Dock-spikes, 3/4" x 14" and 3/4" x 16", about 60 pounds.

16. Structural Steel and Flats, including rolled plates and shapes, girders, connections, rivets and fastenings for joints and connections in structural steel work, about 2,000,000 pounds.

17. Turned Steel Pins, 3" diameter, each with two hexagonal nuts, 124.

18. Cast-iron Washers, Seats and Chocks, about 11,320 pounds.

19. (a) Cast-iron Separators, 16; (b) Gas-pipe Separators, 56.

20. Steel-drip Forged Washers, about 860 pounds.

21. Steel Bar, Flanged Flag Standards, about 4,032 pounds.

22. Galvanized Wrought Iron—(a) Window Guards, about 439 square feet; (b) Window Screens, about 439 square feet; (c) Balustrades, about 3,612 square feet; (d) 2 1/2" Pipe Hand-rail with Brackets, about 514 feet; (e) Hasps, 7; (f) Staples, 7; (g) Hinges, 14; (h) Chains for Scuttle-hatch, about 10 feet; (i) Cleats for Flag-posts, 84.

23. Crimped Iron, No. 16, 25,650 square feet.

24. Galvanized Sheet-iron, No. 24—(a) Eaves Cornice, with bead and rope moulding, about 1,572 feet; (b) Gutter Fascia, with blockings, about 1,548 feet; (c) Gutter for Promenade Deck, about 1,332 feet; (d) Fascia for balustrade steps around stair-wells, about 166 feet; (e) Flashings, about 480 square feet; (f) 3" spiral seam riveted leaders, with elbows, bends, goosenecks, fastenings, galvanized-iron wire strainers, etc., about 2,808 feet; (g) 2" spiral seam riveted leaders, with elbows, bends, goosenecks, fastenings, galvanized-iron wire strainers, etc., about 288 feet; (h) Intermediate Sheathing between double flooring, about 35,870 square feet.

25. Tin-roofing with flashings, about 55,000 square feet.

26. Ornamental Cast-iron—(a) Exterior trim, 3 1/2", about 46,368 pounds; (b) Interior trim, 3 1/2", about 7,000 pounds; (c) Door and Window Pediments, 3 1/2", about 5,200 pounds; (d) Ornamental Columns and Balustrade Posts, 3 1/2", about 67,000 pounds; (e) Ornamental 10" Cap, 86; (f) Flag-posts, 3 1/2", about 14,000 pounds; (g) Flag-posts Finials, 84; (h) Balustrade Rail, 3 1/2", about 24,640 pounds; (i) Main Cornice, with rosettes and dentils, 3 1/2", about 1,556 feet; (j) Egg and Dart or Bead Mouldings and Bracket Ornament, about 35,520 pounds; (k) Stair-post Bases, Caps, Newels, etc., 3 1/2", about 1,375 pounds; (l) Rosettes for girders and purlins, 1,550; (m) Cast-iron Stair Treads and Landings, about 44,560 pounds; (n) Stairway Balustrade Steps, about 3,884 pounds.

27. Slate Floor and Slate Back and Divisions for Urinals—(a) 2 1/2" thick, about 98 square feet; (b) 2" thick, about 98 square feet; (c) 1 1/2" thick, about 176 square feet; (d) 1" thick, about 80 square feet.

28. Plumbing—1 1/2" Galvanized Wrought-iron Pipe,

about 800 feet; 1" Galvanized Wrought-iron Pipe, about 150 feet; 3/4" Galvanized Wrought-iron Pipe, about 200 feet; 3" Cast-iron Asphalted Waste-pipe, about 14 feet; 4" Cast-iron Asphalted Waste-pipe, about 88 feet; 3" Cast-iron Asphalted Waste-pipe, about 21 feet; 2" Cast-iron Asphalted Waste-pipe, about 16 feet; 1 1/2" Stop and Waste-cocks, 2; 1" Stop and Waste-cocks, 6; 6" Brass Strainers, 4; 2" Drawn Brass Tubing, 34 feet; 3/4" Galvanized Cast-iron Ledge for flushing urinals, about 230 pounds; 3/4" Self-acting Brass cocks, 4; Ural, enameled iron, wash-down water-closets, with hardwood, self-raising seats, plain ash, copper-lined cisterns, with japanned steel brackets of special pattern, rustless iron flush pipes, nickel-plated chains and hardwood pulls, and all necessary fittings for cistern supply and for flushing, 22; Roll-rim wash sinks, or lavatories, five feet long, galvanized, with back brackets, nickel-plated, brass simplex wastes, trap standards, soap cups, galvanized supply-pipes and nickel-plated self-acting brass faucets, 5; 1 1/2" x 30" galvanized cast-iron sinks, with legs, backs, strainers, traps and couplings, 2; all necessary fittings, such as cross-branches, tee branches, quarter-bends, eighth-bends, Y branches, couplings, caps, plugs, etc., to complete the plumbing; 1 1/2" water-meter, 1.

29. Miscellaneous—(a) Rubber Tread Protectors, about 2,205 square feet; (b) Bostwick Gates, with scroll and pointed tops, 7' x 7' 6", 2; (c) Doors, 3' x 7' x 1 1/2", covered with No. 24 galvanized sheet iron, 4; (d) Dwarf Doors, 2' 8 1/2" x 1 1/2", covered with No. 24 galvanized sheet iron, with door-springs and brass butts, 22; (e) Cast Brass Angles, 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3/8", 8 inches long, 24; (f) Brass Bolts, 3/4", 84; (g) Brass Padlocks, 13; (h) Cast-iron Wheel Guards, about 2,800 pounds; (i) Trucks for flag-posts, 84; (j) Halyards for flag-posts, 84.

30. Painting, two coats—(a) Tin roof and flashings, with gutter fascia, about 50,700 square feet; (b) Exterior and interior metal work, including leaders, but exclusive of structural steel, about 97,500 square feet; (c) Structural Steel, about 1,000 tons; (d) All exposed wood-work, about 88,800 square feet.

31. Labor of every description.

NOTE.—In the above statement of quantities no allowance is made for waste or for dressing in the case of timber. The quantities are, however, inclusive of scarfs and laps for joints.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief that the work, or any part of it, is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of ninety days after the date of service of said notification; 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, determined, fixed and liquidated at One Hundred Dollars per day.

The contractor will provide and maintain in a safe condition all necessary temporary railing-in and fencing-off to properly protect the public against accident of any kind, or damage to life or limb during the interval between the occupancy of the structure and its completion.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead, at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, and the same is not leased, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, 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. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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 his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ELECTRIC-LIGHT PLANT FOR THE CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 371, LAWS OF 1887, AND AS AUTHORIZED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND AT A MEETING HELD DECEMBER 13, 1895.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, June 9, 1897, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by and in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder with adequate security as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

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

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

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

For the nature and extent of the work to be done bidders are referred to the drawings and the specifications. The drawings may be seen at the office of the architect, Robert Maynick, Rooms 15 to 18 (twelfth story), New York Commercial Building, Nos. 725 and 727 Broadway, in the City of New York.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

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

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

New York, May 26, 1897.  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; ASHBEI P. FITCH, Comptroller; ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain; JOHN T. OAKLEY, Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

## STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

May 20, 1897

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, until 11 o'clock A.M. on Saturday, June 5, 1897, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN HOME STREET, from Intervale Avenue to Westchester Avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN JEROME AVENUE, from Elliot Street to Wolf Place.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN EAGLE AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN INTERVALE AVENUE, from Southern Boulevard to Wilkins Place.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST FARMS ROAD, from Edgewater Road to Boston Road, AND IN BOSTON ROAD, from West Farms Road to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street (Kingsbridge Road), AND IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (Mechanic Street), from Boston Road to Southern Boulevard, AND IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Pelham Avenue.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LORILLARD PLACE, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN VALENTINE AVENUE, from the existing sewer in Burnside Avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN AQUEDUCT AVENUE, from existing sewer in Fordham Road to summit south of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, AND IN ANDREWS AVENUE, from existing sewer in Fordham Road to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, AND IN LORING PLACE, from existing sewer in Fordham Road to East One Hundred and Eighty-first 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 bid or 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 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 refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work if he deems it for the best interests of the City.

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

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

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, May 14, 1897.

### NOTICE TO PLUMBERS.

ALL PLUMBERS DESIROUS OF PERFORMING work in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York are hereby notified that, in accordance with the provisions of Article XVII, section 306 of the City Ordinances, they are required to execute a bond in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, with one or more sureties, to be approved by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

On and after June 1, 1897, no permits will be issued by this Department to any plumber who shall have failed to comply with this notice.

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

### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 5433, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Lenox to St. Nicholas Avenue, with asphalt.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Lenox to St. Nicholas Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 6th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 5, 1897.

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

List 5398, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in St. Joseph street, between Bungay street and Timpon street.

List 5399, No. 2. Extension of outlet sewer and appurtenances in Bungay street, from the end of the existing sewer at the north house-line of former Wetmore Avenue to Long Island Sound.

List 5412, No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curb-stones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks and paving with granite-block pavement the Southern Boulevard, from Willis Avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of St. Joseph street, from Bungay street to Robbins Avenue; both sides of Crane street, from Timpon place to Robbins Avenue; both sides of Dater street, from Southern Boulevard to Robbins Avenue; both sides of Whitlock Avenue, from Bungay street to Edgewater road; both sides of Austin place, from St. Joseph street to a point distant about 200 feet west of Bungay street; both sides of Simpson place, from St. Joseph street to a point distant about 543 feet west of Bungay street; both sides of Southern Boulevard, from One Hundred and Forty-second street to a point distant about 300 feet west of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Union Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Tinton Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to a point distant about 237 feet north of Dater street; both sides of Wales Avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-second street to a point distant about 230 feet north of Dater street; both sides of Concord Avenue, from St. Mary's street to a point distant about 200 feet north of Dater street, and both sides of Robbins Avenue, from St. Joseph street to Dater street.

No. 2. Both sides of Bungay street, from Long Island Sound to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Truxton street, Dupont street, Pollution street and Arnold street, from Edgewater road to Wetmore Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Edgewater road to Robbins Avenue; both sides of Edgewater road, from a point distant about 120 feet east of Arnold street to Whitlock Avenue; both sides of Wetmore Avenue, from Legget Avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Whitlock Avenue, from Legget Avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Austin place, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Timpon place, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Edgewater road to a point just west of Legget Avenue; both sides of Fox street and Beck street, from Robbins Avenue to a point just west of Legget Avenue; both sides of Kelly street, from Westchester Avenue to a point distant about 175 feet east of Legget Avenue; both sides of Dawson street, from Robbins Avenue to Legget Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Cauldwell Avenue to Legget Avenue; both sides of Beach Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester Avenue; both sides of Prospect Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Hewitt place, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Denman place; both sides of Tinton Avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to Home street; both sides of Wales Avenue, from the Port Morris Branch Railroad to Westchester Avenue; both sides of Concord Avenue, from Port Morris Branch Railroad to Kelly street; both sides of Robbins Avenue, from Port Morris Branch Railroad to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; both sides of St. Joseph street, from Robbins Avenue to Bungay street; both sides of Crane street, from Robbins Avenue to Timpon place; both sides of Dater street, from Robbins Avenue to Southern Boulevard; both sides of Cauldwell Avenue, from a point distant about 450 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; both sides of Trinity Avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to George street; both sides of Jackson Avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Boston road; both sides of Forest Avenue, from Westchester Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Union Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Prospect Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Westchester Avenue, from Trinity to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Cedar place, from Cauldwell to Westchester Avenue; both sides of Denman place, from

Cauldwell Avenue to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Clinton street, from Cauldwell to Union Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Cauldwell to Prospect Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Trinity to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Teasdale place, from Cauldwell to Trinity Avenue; both sides of George street, from Boston road to Tinton Avenue, and both sides of Home street, from Boston road to Tinton Avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Willis Avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 2d day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 2, 1897.

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

List 5419, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Alexander Avenue to Brook Avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 5422, No. 2. Sewers in Macdougall street, between West Washington place and Clinton place.

List 5217, No. 3. Paving Gouverneur Slip, from Water to South street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Alexander Avenue to Brook Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Macdougall street, from Waverly place to Clinton place, and both sides of Macdougall alley, from Macdougall street to Fifth Avenue; also both sides of Macdougall street, from Washington place to a point extending northerly therefrom about 97 feet.

No. 3. Both sides of Gouverneur Slip, from Water to South street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 28th day of June, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, May 27, 1897.

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

List 5399, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Webster Avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Kingsbridge road (together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade).

List 5413, No. 2. Paving Grove street, from Third Avenue to Brook Avenue, with granite blocks.

List 5414, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Third Avenue to Alexander Avenue, with granite blocks.

List 5415, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Brook Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue, with trap blocks.

List 5435, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Convent to Amsterdam Avenue, with asphalt.

List 5437, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam Avenue, with asphalt.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Webster Avenue, from the south side of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to the Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Grove street, from Third to Brook Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Third to Alexander Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Brook to St. Ann's Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Convent to Amsterdam Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 25th day of June, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, May 25, 1897.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, May 25, 1897.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth Avenue, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P.M., of Monday, June 7, 1897, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF A PORTION OF ST. MARY'S PARK, IN THE TWENTY-THIRD WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR REPAIRING AND REPAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE WALKS WITHIN AND AROUND THE CITY PARKS OTHER THAN CENTRAL PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 3. FOR PAINTING THE IRONWORK AND WOODWORK OF THE BRIDGE ACROSS THE HARLEM RIVER, KNOWN AS MACOMB'S DAM BRIDGE.

No. 4. FOR PAINTING THE IRONWORK AND WOODWORK OF THE BRIDGE ACROSS THE HARLEM RIVER, KNOWN AS MADISON AVENUE BRIDGE.

The works must be bid separately.  
The Engineer's estimates of the works to be done and by which the bids will be tested are as follows:

No. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
1,700 cubic yards earth excavation.  
150 cubic yards rock excavation.  
500 cubic yards filling, in place.  
1,000 cubic yards mould, in place.  
16,430 square feet of asphalt walls, including concrete base and rubble stone foundation.

52,000 square feet gravel walk, including rubble stone foundation.

12,500 square feet of brick pavement, in walk gutters including rubble stone foundation.

90 cubic yards of gravel, in place, on sidewalk in St. Ann's avenue.

140 lineal feet of bluestone curb, curved, fine-axed, 6 inches by 20 inches.

260 lineal feet of bluestone steps.

60 lineal feet of bluestone cheeks.

1 receiving basin to be rebuilt.

47 walk basins (complete).

12 surface basins (complete).

700 lineal feet of 15-inch vitrified stoneware drain pipe.

310 lineal feet of 12-inch vitrified stoneware drain pipe.

650 lineal feet of 10-inch vitrified stoneware drain pipe.

835 lineal feet of 8-inch vitrified stoneware drain pipe.

1,000 lineal feet of 6-inch vitrified stoneware drain pipe.

40 cubic yards rubble masonry in cement mortar.

12,500 square feet of sod, furnished and laid.

2 acres of ground finished and seeded.

Materials, labor and laying granite-block pavement, and bluestone crosswalks at southeast corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, as specified.

The bidder 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, together with certificates and statement, as follows:

1st. Specimens of asphaltum, with a certificate stating where the asphaltum was mined.

2d. A specimen of the 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. Specimens of mastic of rock asphalt, refined bitumen and grit.

7th. A statement of the location and the capacity (in square yards per day) of the works or factory where the paving material is prepared.

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

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Twenty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

45,500 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base.

5,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, without concrete base.

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

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Four Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

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

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Twenty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will 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 sixty consecutive working days.

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Twenty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

mined 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.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park.

SAMUEL McMILLAN, S. V. R. CRUGER, WILLIAM A. STILES, SMITH ELY, Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### 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. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.

DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

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.

#### CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

NEW YORK, May 1, 1897.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION days in the Labor Bureau will be Wednesday and Friday, and that examinations will take place on those days at 1 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 2, 1896.

NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

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

STEVENS CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to UNION AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the north side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Boston road, 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 a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 2, 1897.

G. M. SPEIR, WILBUR LARREMORE, SAM'L SANDERS, 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 FRANKLIN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Crotona Park, 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 Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 2, 1897.

EDWARD L. PARRIS, NATHAN J. NEW-WITTER, MATTHEW CHALMERS, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WADSWORTH AVENUE, from Kingsbridge road, near One Hundred and Seventy-third street, to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on the 17th day of June, 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 150 Nassau street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of Court on that day, to which date 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, June 3, 1897.

ISAAC FROMME, Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, J. RHINELANDER DILLON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET (formerly Welch street), from Webster avenue to Fordham road, and to FORDHAM ROAD, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (formerly Welch street), to Jerome avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 1, 1897.

FIELDING L. MARSHALL, ISAAC RODMAN, DAVID L. KIRBY, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

street, to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on the 17th day of June, 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 150 Nassau street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of Court on that day, to which date 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, June 3, 1897.

ISAAC FROMME, Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, J. RHINELANDER DILLON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET (formerly Welch street), from Webster avenue to Fordham road, and to FORDHAM ROAD, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (formerly Welch street), to Jerome avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 1, 1897.

FIELDING L. MARSHALL, ISAAC RODMAN, DAVID L. KIRBY, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, together with a statement of the amounts previously taxed, to whom the same were payable and the date of such taxation, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, together with said statement, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 2, 1897.

CHARLES W. GOULD, Chairman, MICHAEL COLEMAN, JOHN DELAHUNTY, Commissioners.

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, May 26, 1897.

JNO. H. JUDGE, JOHN MURPHY, LAWRENCE E. SEXTON, 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 DALY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (Woodruff street) to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street (Kingsbridge road), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 re-

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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 re-

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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 re-

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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 re-

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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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, May 21, 1897.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, T. F. HASCALL, JOHN FORD, Commissioners.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the respective ownership, less any part thereof, of the respective owners, lessors, partners or tenants, 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 7th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 9th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 15, 1897.  
JOHN J. QUINLAN, F. J. WORCESTER, J. DE COURCY IRELAND, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 GRANT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 21, 1897.  
ROBERT STURGIS, RICHARD LAWRENCE, ALVIN SUMMERS, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on ACADEMY STREET, VERMILYEA AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.**

The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on Academy street, Vermilyea avenue and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Vermilyea avenue with the southwesterly line of Academy street; running thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Vermilyea avenue, 750 feet; thence northwesterly parallel with

said southwesterly line of Academy street 305 feet 2 1/2 inches to the southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly line of Kingsbridge road 15 feet 3 3/4 inches to the southwesterly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 52; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 52, 170 feet 6 1/2 inches to a point distant 105 feet and 6 inches southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Academy street, which point is also the southeasterly corner of the present site of Grammar School No. 52; running thence northeasterly nearly parallel with Vermilyea avenue and along the southwesterly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 52, 101 feet to the northeasterly corner of said present site of Grammar School No. 52; thence northwesterly and along the northeasterly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 52, 168 feet 7 1/2 inches to a point in the southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road distant 32 feet and 6 inches southwesterly from the intersection of the southeasterly line of Kingsbridge road with the southwesterly line of Academy street; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly line of Kingsbridge road 32 feet and 6 inches to the southwesterly line of Academy street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line of Academy street 303 feet 4 3/4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, May 10, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the southerly side of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Courtlandt and Melrose avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.**

The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, between Courtlandt and Melrose avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street distant 66 feet and 9 inches easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street with the easterly line of Courtlandt avenue; running thence easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street 25 feet to the westerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 62; thence southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and along the said westerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 62, 48 feet 5 1/2 inches; thence westerly nearly parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street 25 feet; thence northerly upon a line at right angles to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street 48 feet 5 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to KELLY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Kelly street, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Prospect avenue distant 382.78 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Prospect avenue with the southern line of Dawson street.

1st. Thence along the eastern line of Prospect avenue for 73.76 feet.  
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 15 degrees 34 minutes 4 seconds to the left for 795.54 feet.  
3d. Thence easterly deflecting 8 degrees 59 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 82.29 feet.  
4th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 40 degrees 33 minutes 12 seconds to the left for 1,090.84 feet to the western line of Intervale avenue.  
5th. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of Intervale avenue for 69.02 feet.  
6th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 129 degrees 37 minutes 42 seconds to the left for 1,688.12 feet.  
7th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 33 degrees 22 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 80.32 feet.  
8th. Thence westerly for 752.63 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of Westchester avenue distant 143.8 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the southern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the southern line of Westchester avenue for 72.92 feet.  
2d. Thence southerly deflecting 104 degrees 38 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 583.61 feet.  
3d. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 760.33 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course, for 493.75 feet to the northern line of Intervale avenue.  
4th. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Intervale avenue for 70.35 feet.  
5th. Thence curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 760.33 feet radius, whose radius drawn westerly from

the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 34 degrees 57 minutes 6 seconds to the south with the western prolongation of said course, for 419.53 feet.

6th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 542.16 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of Westchester avenue distant 743.8 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the northern line of Westchester avenue for 72.92 feet.  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 55 degrees 21 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 350.8 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.  
3d. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 60.15 feet.  
4th. Thence southerly for 387.34 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "D."**  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 200 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 60.55 feet.  
2d. Thence southerly deflecting 110 degrees 30 minutes to the right for 694.16 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.  
3d. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 60.15 feet.  
4th. Thence northerly for 695.29 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "E."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 192.71 feet easterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 61.60 feet.  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 85 degrees 10 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 369.43 feet to the eastern line of Intervale avenue.  
3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Intervale avenue for 77.21 feet.  
4th. Thence southerly for 311.51 feet to the point of beginning.

Kelly street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 3 and 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, section 3 on January 18, 1894, section 11 on June 13, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, section 3 on January 19, 1894, and section 11 on June 15, 1894; in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, section 3 on January 20, 1894, and section 11 on June 15, 1894.

Dated New York, May 26, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Bronx street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third avenue distant 875.98 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Third avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 60.04 feet.  
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 92 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 219.02 feet.  
3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 6 degrees 54 minutes 35 seconds to the right for 60.28 feet.  
4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 2 degrees 59 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 202.23 feet to the western line of Lafontaine avenue.

5th. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Lafontaine avenue for 60.67 feet.  
6th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 98 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 202.23 feet.  
7th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 2 degrees 22 minutes 2 seconds to the left for 60.35 feet.  
8th. Thence westerly for 215.38 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Arthur avenue distant 584.50 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Arthur avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Arthur avenue for 60.67 feet.  
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 81 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 192.12 feet to the eastern line of Lafontaine avenue.  
3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Lafontaine avenue for 60.67 feet.  
4th. Thence southeasterly for 192.12 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point on the western line of Crotona avenue distant 530.03 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Crotona avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Crotona avenue for 60 feet.  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees 34 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 273.23 feet to the western line of Clinton avenue.  
3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Clinton avenue for 60 feet.  
4th. Thence northwesterly for 272.84 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "D."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona avenue distant 530.03 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Crotona avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Crotona avenue for 60 feet.  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees 34 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 273.23 feet to the western line of Clinton avenue.  
3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Clinton avenue for 60 feet.  
4th. Thence northwesterly for 272.84 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "E."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Clinton avenue distant 530 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Clinton avenue with the

northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Clinton avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees 12 minutes 29 seconds to the right for 1,095.55 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 65.87 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 1,122.52 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "F."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona Parkway distant 687.87 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Crotona parkway with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Crotona parkway for 65.84 feet.  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 114 degrees 18 minutes 37 seconds to the right for 717.29 feet.  
3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 7 degrees 45 minutes 51 seconds to the right for 60.56 feet.  
4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 6 degrees 41 minutes 47 seconds to the left for 316.44 feet to the western line of Vyse street.

5th. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Vyse street for 60 feet.  
6th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 45 minutes 13 seconds to the right for 315.07 feet.  
7th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 6 degrees 42 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 60.56 feet.  
8th. Thence northwesterly for 690.19 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "G."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Boston road distant 611.17 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Boston road with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Boston road for 60.26 feet.  
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 84 degrees 38 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 786.58 feet to the eastern line of Vyse street.  
3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Vyse street for 60 feet.  
4th. Thence southeasterly for 792.47 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "H."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Boston road distant 470.08 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Boston road with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (legally opened as Westchester avenue).

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Boston road for 60.53 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 82 degrees 26 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 178.37 feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 42 minutes 54 seconds to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 186.64 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 12 and 13 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on November 7, 1895.

Dated New York, May 26, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 24th day of June, 1897, 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 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, June 1, 1897.  
JOHN LARKIN, WM. J. BROWNE, CHARLES F. ULRICH, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), at the junction of Morris avenue, College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-second street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the re-

spective 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 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of June, 1897, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.  
JOHN W. STOCKER, BURTON N. HARRISON,  
CHARLES BRANDT, JR., Commissioners.  
J. 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 MONROE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 8th day of June, 1897, 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 as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 14, 1897.  
RIGOLD D. WOODWARD, WILLIAM G. VER  
PLANCK, WILLIAM J. CARROLL, 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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Southern Boulevard, 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882,

and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of June, 1897, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.  
THOMAS J. BROWN, JOHN T. SIMON, ED-  
WARD B. WHITNEY, Commissioners.  
J. 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 MORRIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Park View Terrace (place), 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of June, 1897, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 28, 1897.  
JAMES R. ELY, BENJ. T. RHOADS, JR., JOHN  
MURPHY, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 EAST BURN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont street to the Concourse, 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 6th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.  
JAMES R. ELY, J. BARRY LOUNSBERRY,  
WILLIAM F. HULL, 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 CLAY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Clay avenue, from Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street with the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West).  
1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street for 25.89 feet.  
2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 93 degrees 56 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 53.02 feet to the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West).  
3d. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) for 57.33 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 180 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the western line of Webster avenue.  
1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 67.74 feet.  
2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 62 degrees 20 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 1,035.89 feet.  
3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 0 degrees 27 minutes 54 seconds to the right for 60 feet.  
4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 0 degrees 26 minutes 47 seconds to the left for 362.10 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

5th. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street for 55.25 feet to the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West).  
6th. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) for 10.83 feet.  
7th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 26 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 356.24 feet.  
8th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 0 degrees 26 minutes 47 seconds to the right for 60 feet.  
9th. Thence northeasterly for 1,067.33 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Webster avenue distant 1,196.50 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the western line of Webster avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street.  
1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Webster avenue for 567.93 feet.  
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 86 degrees 16 minutes 46 seconds to the right for 64.70 feet.  
3d. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 380 feet radius for 64.59 feet, the westerly prolongation of the radius of said circle through the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 3 degrees 49 minutes 15 seconds to the north with the western prolongation of said course, to the point of reverse curve.

4th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 320 feet radius for 245.74 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
5th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 330 feet radius for 167.70 feet.  
6th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 155.15 feet.  
7th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 8 degrees 52 minutes 58 seconds to the left for 2,425.18 feet to northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.  
8th. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 80 feet.  
9th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1.167 feet.

10th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 14 degrees 05 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 82.15 feet.  
11th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 14 degrees 05 minutes 25 seconds to the left for 1,280.83 feet.  
12th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle, tangent to preceding course, whose radius is 410 feet for 277.92 feet to the point of reverse curve.  
13th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 240 feet radius for 184.31 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
14th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 460 feet radius for 184.66 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
15th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 490 feet radius for 246.59 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
16th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 230 feet radius for 172.95 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
17th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 250 feet radius for 52.29 feet.  
18th. Thence easterly for 32.90 feet to the point of beginning.

Clay avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 9 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, May 26, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTTY, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 1 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Marion 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.

**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, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 1st day of June, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 1st day of June, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of July, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between Parole place or East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, and Parole place or East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street produced, and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Anthony avenue or Ryer avenue to Marion avenue, and the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Marion avenue to Webster avenue, and said line prolonged easterly to its intersection with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street at Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East; thence by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to the westerly side of Bathgate avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side thereof, from Anthony avenue or Ryer avenue to Tebbout avenue, and thence by prolongation easterly of said parallel line from Tebbout avenue to Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East; thence by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, and thence by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and distant southerly about 140 feet from the southerly side thereof to Bathgate avenue; on the east by Bathgate avenue, or Ryer 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 a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 27, 1897.  
H. W. VANDER POEL, Chairman; HUGH G. KELLY, SAMUEL GOLDSTICKER, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Exterior street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 8th day of June, 1897, 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 as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 27, 1897.  
H. W. VANDER POEL, Chairman; HUGH G. KELLY, SAMUEL GOLDSTICKER, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Exterior street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of June, 1897, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.  
LORENZ ZELLER, JOHN DE WITT WARNER,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER, Commissioners.  
J. P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the northerly side of THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET and the southerly side of THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twenty-first 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 121 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 121** of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging on the northerly side of Thirty-seventh street and the southerly side of Thirty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twenty-first Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 121 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, of said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 121 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

First—Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street distant 80 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Second avenue with the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street; running thence southerly parallel with Second avenue 72 feet and 6 inches to the northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 49; thence westerly parallel with Thirty-eighth street and along said northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 49, 100 feet to the easterly line of the annex to Grammar School No. 49; thence northerly parallel with Second avenue and along the easterly line of said annex to Grammar School No. 49, 72 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Thirty-eighth street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Second—Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Thirty-seventh street distant 205 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Second avenue with the northerly line of Thirty-seventh street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Thirty-seventh street 25 feet; thence northerly parallel with Second avenue 66 feet 10 3/4 inches to the southerly line of the annex to Grammar School No. 49; thence easterly along said southerly line of the annex to Grammar School No. 49, 25 feet 2 3/4 inches to a point distant 63 feet 1 1/4 inches northerly from the northerly line of Thirty-seventh street; thence southerly parallel with Second avenue 63 feet 3 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boston road to Prospect avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 46, 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, ninth floor, Nos. 50 and 52 West Broadway, 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 June, 1897, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.  
CHARLES F. ULRICH, DANIEL O'CONNELL,  
HENRY ALLEN, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 MACOMB'S ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Macomb's road, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Inwood avenue distant 1,133.07 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Inwood avenue with the southern line of Belmont street (legally opened as Wolf place).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Inwood avenue for 128.19 feet.  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 56 degrees 09 minutes to the left for 348.92 feet.  
3d. Thence southeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 10 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 0.08 feet to the western line of Jerome avenue.  
4th. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Jerome avenue for 131.78 feet.  
5th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 51 degrees 59 minutes 56 seconds to the left for 332.02 feet.  
6th. Thence northerly for 16.64 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Inwood avenue distant 1,458.03 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Inwood avenue with the southern line of Featherbed lane.  
1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Inwood avenue for 200.99 feet.  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 145 degrees 39 minutes to the right for 466.04 feet.  
3d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 35 degrees 20 minutes 33 seconds to the right for 190.89 feet.

4th. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 300 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 246.76 feet to the point of reverse curve.

5th. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 480 feet radius for 393.25 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
6th. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 190 feet radius for 122.85 feet to the southern line of Featherbed lane.

7th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Featherbed lane for 151.07 feet.

8th. Thence southerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 380 feet radius, whose radius drawn easterly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course deflects 3 degrees 45 minutes 16 seconds to the right from the same for 401 feet to a point of reverse curve.

9th. Thence southerly on the arc of a circle of 400 feet radius for 324.63 feet.

10th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 80 feet.

11th. Thence southerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course of 275 feet radius for 166.64 feet.

12th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 175.14 feet.

13th. Thence easterly for 6.10 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Aqueduct avenue with the southern line of Tremont avenue.

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Aqueduct avenue for 387.30 feet.

2d. Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 29.47 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 69.38 feet.

3d. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 632.17 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 450 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 191.97 feet.

5th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 216.26 feet.

6th. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 100 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 91.01 feet to the northern line of Featherbed lane.

7th. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of Featherbed lane for 179.35 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 129 degrees 22 minutes 24 seconds to the left for 499 feet.

9th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 550 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 234.63 feet.

10th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 632.17 feet.

11th. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 420 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 328.68 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 693 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 994.05 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 993.16 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 603 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 742.77 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 88 degrees 7 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 60.03 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 744.73 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Webster avenue distant 146 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Webster avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Webster avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 388.68 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees, 11 minutes 49 seconds to the right for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 388.47 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-third street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 14 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Sheridan avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Morris avenue distant 204.61 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Morris avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Morris avenue for 60.30 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 84 degrees 17 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 386.78 feet to the eastern line of the eastern approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of said approach for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 392.78 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Morris avenue distant 295.29 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Morris avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 89 degrees 48 minutes 43 seconds to the right for 1,208.06 feet to the western line of Webster avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Webster avenue for 60 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 1,208.26 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 9 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Hughes avenue distant 2,119.56 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Hughes avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue).

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Hughes avenue for 80.06 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 92 degrees 8 minutes 9 seconds to the left for 169.22 feet.

3d. Thence westerly deflecting 1 degree 42 minutes 28 seconds to the right for 53.28 feet.

4th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle, whose radius drawn northerly from the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 83 degrees 56 minutes 44 seconds with said course, and is 50 feet for 15.37 feet to the eastern line of Arthur avenue.

5th. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Arthur avenue for 54.11 feet.

6th. Thence easterly for 234.65 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Belmont avenue distant 2,087.81 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Belmont avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue).

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Belmont avenue for 89.99 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 88 degrees 16 minutes 12 seconds to the left for 142.22 feet to the eastern line of Hughes avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Hughes avenue for 80.67 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 148.50 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Belmont avenue distant 2,082.63 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Belmont avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue).

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Belmont avenue for 123.35 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 480 feet radius, whose radius drawn northerly from the northern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 54 degrees 57 minutes 35 seconds to the west with its northern prolongation for 189.93 feet.

3d. Thence southeasterly on the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southerly deflecting 60 degrees 4 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 38.74 feet.

5th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 63.49 feet to the western line of Crotona avenue.

6th. Thence southerly along the western line of Crotona avenue for 80.31 feet.

7th. Thence westerly deflecting 84 degrees 56 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 207.74 feet.

8th. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 300 feet for 193.35 feet to a point of reverse curve.

9th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle of 560 feet radius for 96.83 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern and western lines of Clinton avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Clinton avenue for 80.43 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 95 degrees 57 minutes 41 seconds to the right for 157.17 feet to the eastern line of Crotona avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Crotona avenue for 80.31 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 141.73 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern and eastern lines of Clinton avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Clinton avenue for 80.43 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 84 degrees 4 minutes 19 seconds to the left for 892.50 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 89.59 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 860.53 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "F."  
Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Bronx Park with the western line of Vyse street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Vyse street for 80.73 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 97 degrees 42 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 1,260.03 feet to the eastern line of Crotona parkway.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Crotona parkway for 320.87 feet to the southern line of Bronx Park.

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of Bronx Park for 1,506.56 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "G."  
Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Bronx Park with the eastern line of Vyse street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Vyse street for 80.73 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 82 degrees 17 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 257.81 feet.

3d. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 15 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 383.86 feet to the western line of Boston road.

4th. Thence northerly along the western line of Boston road for 84.87 feet to the southern line of Bronx Park.

5th. Thence westerly along the southern line of Bronx Park for 627.32 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-second street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 12 and 13 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 50 and 52 West Broadway, 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 9th day of June, 1897, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 15, 1897.

JACOB KATZ, MICHAEL COLEMAN, WALTER LARGE, Commissioners.  
JOHN F. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of the Mayor, Aldermen

and Commonalty of the City of New York and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 21, 1897.  
JULIAN B. SHOPE, EDWARD HOGAN, JR.,  
WILLIAM G. STACK, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (Samuel street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 11th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 15th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 21, 1897.  
EDWARD B. WHITNEY, WM. F. HULL,  
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 SHERMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any

claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
FRANCIS S. MCAVOY, PETER A. WALSH,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 AVENUE ST. JOHN (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect Avenue to Timpon place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
JAMES R. ELY, EDWARD D. FARRELL,  
THOMAS H. MURRAY, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Creston Avenue to Webster 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 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
CHARLES K. LEXOW, EDWARD J. SCHEVICIK,  
GEORGE C. AUSTIN, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Concourse to Morris 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 6th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
A. LATHEN SMITH, ELLIS E. WARING,  
DAVID L. KIRBY, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 DONGAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester Avenue to Southern Boulevard, 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 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
RIGOLD D. WOODWARD, JOHN M. THOMPSON, THOS. F. FEITNER, Commissioners.  
H. DE F. BALDWIN, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Vanderbilt Avenue, East, to Washington 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 20th day of April, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of

April, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 12th day of June, 1897, 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 or claimants or persons in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 19, 1897.  
STANLEY W. DEXTER, JOHN W. D. DOBLER,  
WILLIAM G. ROSS, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, in fee, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twelfth and Twenty-third Wards of the City of New York, for the purpose of the construction of a drawbridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and arches, hereafter to be known as the Twelfth Ward Bridge, connecting the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Apportionment 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, premises, property, rights and interests affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our fifth separate estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, premises, property, rights and interests affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in said city, on or before the 11th day of June, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 11th day of June, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Second—That the abstract of our said fifth estimate and assessment, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said report, have been deposited in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, in the American Tract Society Building, corner of Nassau and Spruce streets, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of June, 1897.

Third—That our fifth separate abstract of estimate and assessment embraces all the lands, premises, property, rights and interests shown upon our damage map as Damage Nos. 37 and 37A, in Block No. 1795, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city.

Fourth—That our fifth separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 6, 1897.  
DAVID LEVENTRITT, PETER BOWE,  
ARTHUR INGRAHAM, Commissioners.  
JAMES A. C. JOHNSON, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Council 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 AVENUE C, EIGHTH AND NINTH STREETS, 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 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191** of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Avenue C with the northerly line of Eighth street; running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Avenue C 216 feet to the southerly line of Ninth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Ninth street 205 feet; thence southerly parallel with the easterly line of Avenue C 216 feet to the northerly line of Eighth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Eighth street 205 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, May 20, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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