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BOARD OF ALDERMEN. STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, April 30, 1895, 1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. John Jeroloman, President.

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

The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, April 24, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted April 16, 1895, to permit Franklin B. Crouch to keep a storm door at No. 202 Grand street, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that the storm-door would be an illegal obstruction, and also because complaints have already been made against a storm-door at that place.

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Franklin B. Crouch to place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 202 Grand street, and within the stoop-line, the dimensions of the same not more than ten feet high, five feet wide and three feet deep, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, April 24, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted April 16, 1895, to permit H. J. Havnor to place and keep a movable sign and pole in front of premises at No. 57 West Thirty-third street, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that this resolution proposes to authorize an illegal and dangerous obstruction.

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. J. Havnor to place and keep a movable pole and sign within the stoop-line in front of the premises No. 57 West Thirty-third street, the said pole and sign to be kept within doors in the night, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, April 24, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, for amendment, resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted April 16, 1895, to permit the Montifore Home to lay gas-main across Hamilton place, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that "This resolution should be amended so as to provide that the gas-tank shall not be placed under the sidewalk, but shall be put on the property of the Montifore Home. In other respects there is no objection to the resolution."

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Montifore Home to lay a four-inch gas-main under the roadway of Hamilton place, from a gas-tank to be erected under sidewalk on the east side of Hamilton place, adjoining the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, to the buildings of the Montifore Home, located on the west side of said Hamilton place, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Woodward moved that the resolution be amended by striking out the words "under sidewalk" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "on the grounds of said home."

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

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

REPORTS.

The Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department, to whom was referred the annexed preamble and resolution in favor of accepting the public fountain at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Edgecombe avenue, which has been presented to the City of New York by the legal representatives of the late John Hooper, deceased, in accordance with the provisions of his last will, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the fountain should be accepted with thanks by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York. They therefore recommend the said annexed preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas, The public fountain at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Edgecombe avenue, erected pursuant to the instructions contained in the last will of John Hooper, deceased, has been completed; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do hereby accept said fountain, and that the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby respectfully requested to prepare a proper and legal acceptance of the same on behalf of the City of New York.

THOMAS DWYER, WILLIAM E. BURKE, ANDREW ROBINSON, CHARLES PARKER, JEREMIAH KENNEFICK, Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department.

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

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying crosswalks in Boulevard Lafayette and West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance as amended be adopted.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of specification paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across the Boulevard Lafayette and West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, at their junction with the west side of Eleventh avenue, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone, of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HENRY L. SCHOOL, ROBERT MUH, COLLIN H. WOODWARD, WILLIAM CLANCY, FREDERICK A. WARE, Committee on Public Works.

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

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—28.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Ware—

To the Hon. FREDERICK A. WARE, Alderman, Twenty-first Ward, New York City:

DEAR SIR—We, the undersigned, owners and residents of Thirty-second street, between Broadway and Fifth avenue, do beg and petition you to use your best endeavors to have a concrete pavement laid in said block, same as between Fifth and Madison avenues, which will make the street uniform:

Stafford & Whitaker, Hotel Imperial.
Wm. C. MacMillan, 40 West 32d street.
G. Fredk. Brooks, M. D., 38 West 32d street.
J. G. Winters, M. D., 36 West 32d street.
S. Jarman, 32 West 32d street.
Joseph L. R. Wood, 30 West 32d street.
Arthur B. Townshend, M. D., 22 West 32d street.
W. H. Marcellus, 20 West 32d street.
J. Mauss, 18 West 32d street.

Rogers, Peet & Co., 49, 51, 53 West 32d street.
Alex. Rumrill, 47 West 32d street.
Wm. A. Monteverde, 45 West 32d street.
H. A. Childs, 43 West 32d street.
H. W. Bliss, 37 and 39 West 32d street.
Mrs. John C. Martin, 27 West 32d street.
Chas. Leffer, 21 and 23 West 32d street.
Jacques Krakauer, 11, 13, 17 West 32d street.
Thomas Chatterton, 15 West 32d street.

Lucius T. Sheffield, 26 West 32d street.
Francis Delafield, 12 West 32d street.
R. C. Jackson, 34 West 32d street.
E. S. Leeds, 14 West 32d street.
F. R. Sturgis, 16 West 32d street.
N. W. Hooker, 4 West 32d street.
S. Beach Jones, M. D., 28 West 32d street.

Mrs. Ed. N. Crosby, 7 West 32d street.
Wm. Krebs, 19 West 32d street.
Elisha Dyer, Jr., 5 West 32d street.
Mrs. I. I. G. Beales, 35 West 32d street.
Bijam K. Stevens, 33 West 32d street.
H. L. Hoyt, 9 West 32d street.

In connection therewith Alderman Ware offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to pave Thirty-second street, between Broadway and Fifth avenue, with concrete, if the necessary funds are at his disposal.

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

REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 183 of the Revised Ordinances relating to the discharge of fire-arms in the City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said amended ordinance be adopted:

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 183, article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, as amended March 5, 1883, etc., relating to the firing of fire-arms.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows: Section I. That section 183 of article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, as amended by said resolution of March 5, 1883, be further amended by inserting at the conclusion of the section the following words: "The grounds of the Columbia College Gun Club at Williamsbridge."

Sec. II. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. III. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

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

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Ware—

No. 32 WEST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK, March , 1895.

Hon. FREDERICK A. WARE:

DEAR SIR—We, the undersigned, residents of West Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, respectfully beg to call your attention to the following facts:

Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, was one of the first streets in the City to be laid with asphalt. It is perhaps owing to this fact that the work was not satisfactorily done. It is believed that the rise in the centre of the street, as compared to the fall toward the sides, is too great, consequently the street is rendered extremely dangerous to horses, even in ordinary weather. In damp or wet weather, especially when frost occurs, accidents to horses and vehicles are very numerous.

The danger of driving on this street, and especially of stopping vehicles at the curb, is attested by the frequent occurrence of horses slipping and falling and receiving serious injury. It is not of uncommon occurrence in rainy weather, that residents of this street are compelled to stop their horses at the corner of Fifth or Sixth avenue, and to walk to their homes.

We respectfully request that the said street be reggraded and the evil complained of remedied, and in the meantime, ask that in rainy or frosty weather, the Department will have the roadway in said street covered with sand.

We trust that this petition may receive favorable consideration. Respectfully,

Mrs. J. A. Lowery, 32 West 35th street.
William T. Bullard, 35 West 35th street.
Beverley Robinson, M. D., 37 West 35th street.
Thos. J. Creamer, 39 West 35th street.
John Greenough, 31 West 35th street.
Frederic W. Stevens, 33 West 35th street.
George Gordon King, 5 West 35th street.
A. Zabriskie, 11 West 35th street.
Emily Anthon, 13 West 35th street.
The Misses Kendall, 17 West 35th street.
Mrs. G. C. Marshall, 19 West 35th street.
Mrs. F. Drake, 8 West 35th street.
De Lancey A. Kane, 7 West 35th street.
Mrs. C. W. Richardson, 18 West 35th street.
A. C. McNay (M. Brereton), 28 West 35th street.
Mrs. T. Byrnes, 34 West 35th street.
Jno. S. Beecher, 34 West 35th street.
William Monroe, Oakdale.
Rosa Dale Montey, 40 West 35th street.
Chas. A. Dubois, D. D. S., 30 West 35th street.
Walter T. Thorne, 6 West 35th street.
Eugene S. Goadby, 21 West 35th street.
H. G. Peffard, 10 West 35th street.
R. P. Huntington, 20 West 35th street.
Wm. Bracken, 36 West 35th street.
Willis J. Best, 48 West 35th street.
E. Glardon, 2 West 35th street.

T. W. A. McConaghy, 2 West 35th street.
Richard Mansfield.
Henry S. Wilson, 25 West 35th street.
Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Jr., 27 West 35th street.
Alfred M. Beadleston, 36 West 35th street.
A. R. Blount, 38 West 35th street.
N. C. Wooster, 38 West 35th street.
C. H. Whitlock, 36 West 35th street.
H. C. Wells, 2 West 35th street.
Chas. Magee, 2 West 35th street.
Henry Clews, 16 West 35th street.
Mrs. G. C. F. Lord, 3 West 35th street.
Richard H. Derby, 9 West 35th street.
John H. Carr, 76 West 35th street.
Thomas S. Gorman, 76 West 35th street.
Thomas F. Case, Jr., 76 West 35th street.
Henry McAleman, Broadway and 35th street.
Mamie Carr, 76 West 35th street.
Adam Engel, 71 West 35th street.
Henry Griswold, 42 West 35th street.
H. M. Lazinski, 41 West 35th street.
G. Thornton Warren, 54 West 35th street.
W. Glasscoe & Co., 65 West 35th street.
Samuel Hopkins, 21 West 35th street.
Stephensons, 2 West 35th street.
W. Bayard Cutting, 1 West 35th street.

The undersigned, who have occasion to drive through Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, beg to join in the above request:

Buchanan Winthrop, 279 Fifth avenue.
C. L. Tiffany, 255 Madison avenue.
George Shaw, 140 West 86th street.
Joseph Part, 917 Broadway.
Stern Brothers, West 23d street.
Bradley & Co., 8 East 31st street.
James Speyer, 427 Fifth avenue.
Caroline de Foust, 70 East 72d street.
Mrs. John Hobart Warren, 101 Park avenue.
Mrs. W. P. Douglas, 187 Madison avenue.
Mrs. A. R. Randolph, 127 East 40th street.
C. E. Horton, 598 Sixth avenue.
Jerome Yates, 602 Sixth avenue.
Joseph Ford, 619 Sixth avenue.
David F. Brooklin, 76 West 35th street.
James Carr, 76 West 35th street.
Mrs. T. F. Carr, 76 West 35th street.
William Jay, 22 East 72d street.
Frederick Baldwin, 173 Fifth avenue.
A. Murray Young, 267 Fifth avenue.
F. J. Beton, 267 Fifth avenue.
Mrs. Alfred L. Loomis, 19 West 34th street.
Ruehl & Merkel, 624 Sixth avenue.
Seymour Horton, 644 Sixth avenue.
Theo. J. Lang, 654 Sixth avenue.
Richd. Irvin, 12 West 36th street.
Henry Matthaus, 608 Sixth avenue.
Rush S. Huidekoper, Veterinarian, N. Y. College of Veterinary Surgeons, 154 East 57th street.
Harry D. Gill, Dean, N. Y. College of Veterinary Surgeons, 154 East 57th street.
Samuel S. Fields, D. V. S., 29 Lexington avenue, N. Y.
David Roberge, 106 West 30th street.

Harry S. Field, D. V. S., 29 Lexington avenue, N. Y.
Thomas Peffen, M. N. C. V. S., 217 West 58th street, N. Y.
H. D. Hanson, D. V. S., 160 Eldridge street.
J. S. Cattanch, V. S., 36 West 44th street.
H. Clay Glover, D. V. S., 1293 Broadway.
Arthur O'Shea, 117 West 46th street.
Edward Loomis, 828 Seventh avenue.
Fred. W. Timm, 91 Lawrence street.
C. C. Cattanch, V. S., 221 West 77th street.
John J. Cattanch, 36 West 44th street.
Robt. Dickson, D. V. S., 1640 Broadway.
J. Elmer Ryder, D. V. S., 1634 Broadway.
J. Dickman Brown, 128 West 52d street.
Geo. N. Ferguson & Son, 120 and 126 West 52d street.
Thomas G. Sherwood, M. R. C. V. S., 107 West 37th street.
Laurence Kip, 452 Fifth avenue.
Thomas S. Holmes, 15 West 35th street.
Wm. F. Burden, Newport, R. I.
Geo. C. Boldt, The Waldorf.
Howard & Co., 264 Fifth avenue.
Seibert & Wadley, 409 Fifth avenue.
Jas. Heffernan, Superintendent New York Cab Company, 118 West 32d street.
Joseph Seach & Son, Opera Stables, 42 to 50 East 32d street.
Henry Maillard, 116 West 25th street.
Daniel Harnett, 15 East 30th street.
S. H. Mason, 4 and 6 East 28th street.
Rich. N. Young, 18 West 21st street.
H. B. Hollins, 15 Wall street.
Gard. G. Howland, 37 East 35th street.

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS,
HEADQUARTERS, No. 10 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1895.

Hon. FREDERICK A. WARE, New York:

DEAR SIR—The petition of the residents of West Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and others, asking for a change of the grade and the character of pavement, is indorsed by this society, and by the owners and drivers of horses in general. It is, in my opinion, one of the most dangerous thoroughfares for horses in the city, especially on rainy or frosty days.

The officers of this society have on numerous occasions assisted horses that had fallen on the pavement above mentioned, many of which had to be taken to veterinary hospitals in the ambulance, while others were injured past recovery and had to be shot. The block should never have been graded in the manner it is. Asphalt should not, in my opinion, be used on streets where there is a steep ascent.

I am confident that upon examination of the evil complained of you will see the necessity of a change in the grade.

Yours, very truly,

JNO. P. HAINES, President.

In connection therewith, Alderman Ware offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to repave West Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, with asphalt pavement.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1895.

WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Esq., Clerk, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Health Department held on the 23d instant, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector Lucas on the dangerous condition of vacant lots at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Madison avenue be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, with the request that, for sanitary reasons, the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to cause said lots to be fenced.

A true copy.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SANITARY INSPECTOR,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent:

SIR—On February 10, 1895, on complaint of a citizen, an inspection was made of the vacant lot southwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Madison avenue, and the same was found in a dangerous condition, and an order (No. 5745) was issued February 26, 1895, to fence said lot. A careful search has been made to find the owner of said lots to serve the necessary order, but without success, and I therefore respectfully recommend that the Board of Aldermen be requested to authorize the Department of Public Works to have said lots fenced.

(Signed) Respectfully, ALFRED LUCAS, Chief Sanitary Inspector.

A true copy, EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

(G. O. 236.)

In connection herewith the President offered the following:

Resolved, That the vacant lots at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Madison avenue be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 30, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions of section 1, of an ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water, approved October 3, 1888; I herewith transmit the following two applications referred to me at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen March 26, 1895.

Soda-water Stands.

Abraham Lewin, No. 164 Delancey street.

Max Seigal, No. 1345 First avenue.

And I also transmit all applications received by me for permits to sell the articles named as provided in said ordinance during the month of April, 1895, which applications are as follows:

Soda-water Stands.

By the President—

Jacob Berner, 427 East Houston street.

By Alderman Brown—

Abraham Gurian, 206 Canal street.

By Alderman Campbell—

Bertha Koppel, 1306 First avenue.

By Alderman Clancy—

A. J. Gloistein, 354 Grand street.

Anton Blazi, 131 Delancey street.

Israel Meltsner, 131 Rivington street.

Max Wrubel, 135 Rivington street.

Abraham Fromkin, 119 Clinton street.

Sigmond Koenig, 78 Essex street.

Hyman Axelroad, 107 Essex street.

Isidor Goldstein, 93 Norfolk street.

Jacob Goldberg, 97 Norfolk street.

Sam. Heflich, 99 Norfolk street.

Jacob Frahleng, 159 Norfolk street.

Davis Fanarot, 72 Clinton street.

By Alderman Goetz—

Rocco Scavone, 29 Bowery.

Pelletieri Antonio, 50 Delancey street.

Guisepppe Ceriziliano, 110 Hester street.

Fruit Stands.

Giovanni Manzi, 89 Orchard street.

Antonio Chesto, 117 Orchard street.

Timothy Harrington, 86 Division street.

Soda-water Stands.

Harris Handman, 37½ Allen street.

Charles Mendelson, 39 Allen street.

Adolph Kasner, 89 Allen street.

Max Goldstein, 92 Allen street.

Jacob Feier, 100 Allen street.

Egidio Manzi, 145 Allen street.

Harry Newman, 147 Allen street.

Jacob Lippman, 176 Allen street.

Samuel Goldberg, 93 Bowery.

Nathan Janowitz, 18 Bayard street.

David Levenson, 19 Bayard street.

Salvatore Dito, 243 Broome street.

Arthur Goldstein, 258 Broome street.

A. Krakauer, 260 Broome street.

Julius Rothman, 290 Broome street.

William Wasserman, 306 Broome street.

Morris Goldstein, 50 and 52 Canal street.

Max Mikelson, 85 Canal street.

Barney Harris, 120 Canal street.

Louis Kindler, 71 Chrystie street.

Isaac Canell, 78 Chrystie street.

Nathan Sapiro, 88 Chrystie street.

Hyman Richmond, 184 Chrystie street.

Abrim Mark, 48 Delancey street.

Samuel Rothstein, 72 Delancey street.

Samuel Solomon, 84 Delancey street.

Harry Baron, 2 Division street.

Sam. Yohalem, 100 Delancey street.

Monckton Somers, 46 Division street.

Loue Fellman, 68 Division street.

Isaac R. Schuleman, 88 Division street.

Abraham Zinn, 106 Division street.

Harris Bergstein, 120 Division street.

Hyman Levi, 144 Division street.

Sam. Watzky, 1 Eldridge street.

Charles Silversmith, 29 Eldridge street.
Rafael Fogel, 39 Eldridge street.
Morris Friedman, 60 and 62 Eldridge st.
Samuel Zipris, 61 Eldridge street.
Herman Ostfeld, 79 Eldridge street.
Charles Rubinger, 149 Eldridge street.
Harry Hilman, 190 Eldridge street.

By Alderman Marshall—

Max Leznik, 187 Ludlow street.
Jacob Philips, 1 Clinton street.
Sigmond Schwartz, 31 Clinton street.
Morris Cohn, 60 Stanton street.
Aaron Stieber, 88 Stanton street.
Philip Rosenthal, 136 Stanton street.
Isidore Mendelson, 156 Essex street.

By Alderman Noonan—

Gregory Levin, 64 Orchard street.
Meyer Katz, 39 Canal street.
Morris Monsky, 22 Essex street.

By Alderman O'Brien—

Bernard Kohn, 400 East 75th street.
Louis Levin, 300 East 79th street.
Max Kau, 331 East 80th street.

By Alderman Parker—

Arnold Jacobsen, 1744 First avenue.
Henrich Nethe, 1830 Second avenue.
Jacob Pergament, 1983 Second avenue.
Jacob Perski, 1559 Third avenue.

By Alderman Schilling—

Adolph Susskind, 1553 Avenue A.
George Haber, 1614 First avenue.
A. Ettinger, 305 East 86th street.
Lazarus Goldman, 446 East 86th street.

By Alderman Tait—

Simon Schwartz, 71 Avenue C.
Henry Noman, 401 East Houston street.
Philip Pollack, 108 Lewis street.
Isidor Engel, 198 Seventh street.
Samuel Zarnousky, 109 Seventh street.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, April 27, 1895.

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

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the annexed petition, referred to me by your Board, to have Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, paved with asphalt, I have the honor to report that this Department considers an asphalt pavement suitable and desirable for this street. Inasmuch, however, that Fifty-eighth street is now paved with asphalt, from Lexington to Seventh avenue, such pavement should be made continuous to Ninth avenue. The asphalt repavement of the street, from Seventh to Ninth avenue, will come up for consideration and action when a legislative repavement appropriation becomes available. Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the annexed petitions, referred to me by your Board, to have One Hundred and Eighth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, paved with asphalt, so as to connect the asphalt on the Boulevard with the macadam pavement on the Drive, I have the honor to report that this Department considers such connection desirable for the convenience and benefit of light pleasure driving and bicycling, although the present granite pavement is comparatively new. The repavement will come up for consideration and action as soon as a legislative appropriation becomes available. Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which were severally ordered on file.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, April 30, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

SIR—On the 8th instant I had the honor to communicate to you the request of the Board of Fire Commissioners for authority to be granted by the Board of Aldermen to expend money for music, stands, etc., on the occasion of the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals. I notice in the CITY RECORD that, at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held on the 11th instant, the resolution referred to was introduced and laid over, and, so far as appears from the published proceedings of that Board, that no further action has been taken thereon.

If it meets with your approval will you kindly see that the same is favorably acted upon as soon as practicable, as the Department desires to make arrangements to present these medals on the 25th proximo and many arrangements therefor remain to be made after the consent of the Board of Aldermen is obtained. Very respectfully,

O. H. LAGRANGE, President.

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 27, 1895.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$97 00	\$1,403 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	14 45	185 55
Salaries—Common Council.....	86,300 00	\$21,547 70	64,752 30

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

PROTEST.

The President laid before the Board the following communication:

April 25, 1895.

Mayor and Common Council of the City of New York:

We hereby forbid you from conveying water through our Hillside Flat property to a bathing pavilion at foot West One Hundred and Fifty-first street.

There is nothing on record entitling any one to draw water from our tap at No. 636 West One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

The tolerance of William Knapp to draw for his residence at No. 637 West One Hundred and Fifty-first street has been mere courtesy on our part, and said tolerance can no longer be continued, unless you cause immediate stop of said bathing pavilion drawing water from our tap. Diagram inclosed.

A. J. FULLAM for A. J. & M. D. FULLAM, No. 635 West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Coroners' Office:

CORONERS' OFFICE, CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CENTRE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 25, 1895.

Mr. W. H. TEN EYCK:

DEAR SIR—I beg to inclose herewith the verdict and recommendation of the jury in the inquisition held by me April 23 on the death of Robert Center. Please bring this to the notice of the Common Council. Respectfully yours,

E. W. HOEBER, Coroner.

I beg to say that, where there are two roads, as on Western Boulevard, the ordinance requesting vehicles to keep to the right should mean that all vehicles going north should use the eastern road, and vice versa.

CORONER HOEBER.

An inquest into the cause of the death of Robert Center was held at the Coroners' Court, on the 23d day of April, 1895, before Emil W. Hoerber, Coroner, and a jury duly chosen and sworn and charged to inquire how and in what manner the said Robert Center came to his death.

Verdict of the Jury—That the said Robert Center came to his death on the 17th day of April, 1895, at Roosevelt Hospital, by fracture of sternum and ribs, internal injuries, fracture of base of skull; shock, caused by a collision with a moving coal truck driven by Frederick Winkel, while riding on a bicycle at the Western Boulevard and Seventy-second street on the day aforesaid.

The jury further find that the said accident seemed unavoidable under the circumstances, and we exonerate the said Frederick Winkel from all blame.

The jury recommend that an ordinance be passed by the Common Council of the City of New York regulating the speed of bicycles and tricycles in said city, and requiring that said vehicles shall keep to the right while proceeding through any street, avenue or boulevard.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen do adjourn at 2 o'clock P. M., to enable the members to participate in the Washington Arch ceremonies at Washington Square.

Alderman Olcott moved that the resolution be amended by striking out the figure "2" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "3".

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

Subsequently Alderman O'Brien moved that consideration of the resolution, as amended, be deferred until it was ascertained from his Honor the Mayor whether the ceremonies were to be held.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced at this time that the Mayor had stated that the ceremonies had been postponed until Saturday, May 4, 1895.

By Alderman Burke—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rev. Edward C. Houghton, of the Transfiguration Chapel, to place and keep transparencies on the street lamps on the southeast corner of the Boulevard and Sixty-ninth street, and on the southwest corner of Sixty-ninth street and Columbus avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until June 1, 1895.

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

By Alderman Olcott—

Whereas, The Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in a communication to his Honor the Mayor under date of the 23d instant, requests that the easterly side of the basement of the brownstone Court-house in the City Hall Park be assigned to the Department of Street Cleaning, for the use of such bureaus as need to be especially accessible to the public, and that an entrance to the same be made through one of the windows at the side of the building.

Resolved, That the easterly side of the basement of the brownstone Court-house, in the City Hall Park, be and hereby is assigned to the Department of Street Cleaning, with entrance on the side of the building, as requested by the application of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

By Alderman Dwyer—

Resolved, That the roadway of West Eleventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, be paved with asphalt pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Olcott asked for unanimous consent to suspend order of business for the purpose of considering a General Order.

There being no objection,

Alderman Olcott called up G. O. 221, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 64 and 74 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Department of Public Parks be and it is hereby authorized to do the work of constructing and decorating a reviewing stand, to be erected at Washington Square for the dedication ceremonies incident upon the transfer to the City of New York of the "Washington Arch," on April 30, 1895, without contracting therefor by public letting; said work to be performed at a cost not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to include in the Final Estimate for 1896 an amount sufficient to pay the expenses of performing said work as aforesaid.

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

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—29.

The President called up G. O. 158, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Common Council be requested to authorize the expenditure of the sum of six hundred and sixty dollars (\$660), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the erection of a stand and the employment of a band of music, to be used on the occasion of the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals for the years 1893 and 1894.

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

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—29.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Dwyer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Montandon to remove the clock from the curb in front of the premises No. 173 Sixth avenue to a like position in front of the premises No. 160 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Dwyer—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to extend the Croton water service across West street, from the large main in said street to Pier 44 and Pier 45, at the foot of Christopher and West Tenth street, respectively.

Which was referred to the Committee on Docks.

By Alderman Goodman—

Whereas, The Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor have inaugurated a movement to relieve the unemployed by giving them an opportunity to cultivate vacant lots in and about the city; and

Whereas, Such movement is meeting with merited encouragement, to an extent which indicates that success is fully assured; and

Whereas, This charity is one of the most practical and praiseworthy, and is deserving of all the moral and material aid which can be given towards extending it in every direction; therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department be and they are hereby instructed to co-operate with the Association for the Improvement of the Condition of the Poor, with a view of offering such lots and lands belonging to the city as are vacant and suitable for the purpose indicated; and to recommend to this Board the length of time and under what conditions such lots shall be tendered for the uses set forth.

Alderman Goodman moved the adoption of the resolution.

Alderman Oakley moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goetz, Goodwin, Hackett, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, Tait, and Wund—12.

Negative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Dwyer, Goodman, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Noonan, O'Brien, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, School, Ware, Wines, and Woodward—17.

On motion of Alderman Goodman, the resolution was then referred to the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department.

By the same—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board, for further consideration, a report and resolution now in his hands relative to erecting a memorial arch in honor of deceased New York soldiers and sailors.

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

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

NEW YORK, April 23, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The Legislative Committee, to whom has been referred the subject of urging legislation in favor of a memorial building in this city, in honor of the soldiers and sailors of the late war; and subsequently a resolution favoring a memorial arch, beg leave to

REPORT:

That a circular letter has been prepared containing extracts from the Journal of this Board, relating to the matter, which will be mailed to all organizations composed of veterans, asking for an expression of opinion as to their preference, and also announcing a public hearing early in May.

We offer the following:

Resolved, That the expense incurred by the Legislative Committee in their effort to ascertain whether the veterans of the late war prefer a memorial building or a memorial arch, be paid out of the Contingent Fund of this Board, the same not to exceed twenty dollars.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Chairman, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, FREDERICK A. WARE, ROBERT MUH, JACOB C. WUND, JOHN J. O'BRIEN.

Alderman Goodman moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

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

On motion of Alderman Goodman, the paper was then recommitted to the Committee on Legislation.

By the same—

Whereas, There seems to exist wide difference of opinion regarding the powers of the Board of Aldermen to grant permission for the use of the streets and sidewalks for private or public uses; and

Whereas, Many resolutions adopted by the Board granting privileges for the use of streets and sidewalks are returned by his Honor the Mayor, without approval, because they are in conflict with or in violation of existing law; therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on Law Department be and they are hereby instructed to make a careful and thorough examination of all the laws, statutes, ordinances, etc., which define the powers of or permit the Board of Aldermen to grant privileges for the use of the streets and sidewalks to private use or for public purposes, and to present at an early date a full and comprehensive report on the subject.

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

On motion of Alderman Hall, the resolution as adopted was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. Schoonmaker to place and keep a carriage step-stone on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 109 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By Alderman Goodwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Seidenberg & Co. to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of their premises, No. 339 Eighth avenue, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Hackett—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration a resolution now in his hands permitting John Glass to extend a railroad track on West street.

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

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Glass to lay a switch, to connect with the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in Tenth avenue, from the southwest corner of Bloomfield street, and to extend along said avenue in front of the premises occupied by said John Glass, Nos. 15 to 19 Tenth avenue, as shown on the accompanying diagram, provided the said John Glass shall at all times keep the tracks hereby authorized to be laid in good repair, also the pavement between said tracks, and at least two feet outside thereof, in good condition and repair, the switch, turnout and proposed new railroad track to be so placed as to leave a clear passageway, not less than six feet wide, between the out rails of the present railroad track on the avenue and the outer rail of the proposed turnout or new track, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

In connection therewith the Mayor sent the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, April 27, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, for amendment, resolution of your Honorable Body, permitting John Glass to lay a railroad switch in front of Nos. 15 and 19 Tenth avenue.

The Commissioner of Public Works in his report upon this resolution refers to the great injury to the pavements by the operation of any kind of rail tracks in the street. He also holds them to be more or less of an obstruction to wagon traffic, in which respect he thinks the ordinary T-rails, such as are used for freight transportation, are the most objectionable. He recommends an amendment, "substituting in place of the words 'shall at all times keep the tracks hereby authorized to be laid in good repair, also the pavement between said tracks, and at least two feet outside thereof, in good condition and repair,' the following: 'Shall lay a rail of a pattern acceptable to the Commissioner of Public Works, and lay and maintain, during the continuance of the privilege granted by the resolution, a pavement that shall be in all respects satisfactory to the said Commissioner, and shall extend for the whole length of said switch or tracks, and from the pavement maintained by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to the curb-stone.'"

Yours, respectfully, W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Alderman Hackett moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

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

On motion of Alderman Hackett, the resolution was then amended as recommended in the Mayor's message.

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

By Alderman Kennefick—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Herman Flam to erect, keep and maintain a booth for the purposes of an express office, in front of the premises No. 207 West street, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and materials supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Clerk.

By the same—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Jackson & Son to erect a booth in front of the premises No. 63 White street, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Jackson & Son, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Clerk.

By Alderman Lantry—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to repair the flagging in front of No. 1059 First avenue.

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

By Alderman Marshall—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Jackson & Son to erect a booth in front of the premises No. 160 Crosby street, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Jackson & Son, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Clerk.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh Daly Association to place and keep a transparency on the lamp-post on the southeast corner of Fourteenth street and Avenue B, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks from May 15, 1895.

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

(G. O. 237.)

By Alderman Randall—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Marmion avenue, from Elsmere place to Fairmount place, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 238.)

By the same—
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Powell place, between Riverview Terrace and New York and Putnam Railroad, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 239.)

By the same—
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Fairmount place, from Marmion avenue to a point about four hundred feet west therefrom, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 240.)

By the same—
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Travers street, from Jerome avenue to Bainbridge avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to W. F. Smith to keep an A sign, not more than thirty-six inches by sixty inches, in front of his premises, No. 77 Tremont avenue, New York City, also one swinging sign within the bounds prescribed by law; said work to be done at his own expense and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kappel & Brooker to place and keep an A sign, thirty-four by sixty inches, in front of their premises, No. 778 Tremont avenue, also to have and keep a one-inch bulletin board fastened flat on the building at above address, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Consent of owner hereto annexed.

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

By the same—
Resolved, That the public pounds now located respectively on the premises on the west side of Arthur street, Fordham, four hundred feet south of Pelham avenue, on Arthur avenue, between One Hundred and Eightieth street and Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; and on the east side of Arthur avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Jacob street, being and the same are severally abolished; and be it further

Resolved, That a public pound be and the same is hereby established on the east side of Taylor street, near the corner of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

(G. O. 241.)

By Alderman School—
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Jerome avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Sedgwick avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 242.)

By the same—
Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory, on Southern Boulevard, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, one light to be placed on One Hundred and Forty-first street and the other at the entrance to the Protectory; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 243.)

By the same—
Resolved, That Croton mains be laid in the south side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 244.)

By Alderman Woodward—
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas and Columbus avenues, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 245.)

By the same—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas and Columbus avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 246.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas to Columbus avenue, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 247.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the west side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—
Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance calling for the paving with granite block of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen on October 16, 1894, and approved by the Mayor October 28, 1894, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

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

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Burke, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, School, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

(G. O. 248.)

By the same—
Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Wund—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward F. Davis to parade with a brass band in the Uncle Tom's Cabin Company from H. R. Jacobs Theatre to Fourth avenue; thence to Eighth street, to Avenue A, to Houston street, to Avenue B, to Fourteenth street, to Third avenue, to Ninetieth street, to Second avenue, to Twenty-third street, to First avenue, to Fifty-ninth street, to Third avenue to theatre, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only May 15, 1895.

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

By Alderman Ware—
Resolved, That a special committee of five members of this Board be appointed by the President, to be known as the Committee on Public Receptions; and be it further

Resolved, That said Committee be instructed to confer with his Honor the Mayor, for the purpose of arranging for a series of public receptions to be held in the City Hall.

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

Alderman Hall moved that the Committee on Law Department be discharged from the further consideration of the ordinance now in their hands, designating a portion of the sidewalk at Sixth avenue and Forty-second street for the sale of newspapers, and that the paper be returned to the Alderman who introduced it.

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

By Alderman Brown—
Resolved, That Louis Lebewohl, of No. 25 Chambers street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goetz—

Resolved, That H. L. St. Clair, of No. 179½ Forsyth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That Clarence F. Winans, of No. 156 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That Edwin H. Heidelberg, No. 753 Broadway, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Charles J. Farley, No. 562 Park avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Louis W. Stotesbury, No. 66 East Fifty-eighth street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Noah Cornwell Rogers, No. 111 Broadway, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Marshall—

Resolved, That Friedrich Stahle, No. 46 East Third street, be and is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds for and in the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That James Shea, No. 278 Mulberry street, be and is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds for and in the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That Mayer C. Goldman, of No. 280 Broadway, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Noonan—

Resolved, That Julius Levy, of No. 114 Nassau street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Schilling—

Resolved, That Joseph Cunningham, of No. 321 East Eighty-seventh street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Ware—

Resolved, That John McDonough, of No. 284 Greenwich street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Woodward—

Resolved, That M. P. B. Voullaire, of No. 298 West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Carl Lauzer, of Dykman street, Inwood, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Wines—

Resolved, That George R. Hall, of No. 232 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Ware called up Special Order No. 1, as follows:

Whereas, The Legislature of this State has authorized the removal of the reservoir situated between Fortieth and Forty-second streets, and Fifth and Sixth avenues, in the City of New York; and

Whereas, The said reservoir has not been removed, and is in its present condition an eyesore to the inhabitants of this city, and the public property located as above should be devoted to some public and beneficial use; and

Whereas, The City of New York has no public library worthy of the name, and the establishment of a suitable public library commensurate with the wealth and dignity of New York would be an ornament to the city and of incalculable benefit to its citizens; and

Whereas, Valuable books and documents belonging to the City are missing from the City Library;

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that New York City should possess a public library centrally located, which would be worthy of the city both from an architectural and literary standpoint, and a safe depository for the books and manuscript committed to its keeping; and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee on County Affairs be instructed to confer with the Trustees of the Tilden, the Astor and the Lenox Libraries, and the Trustees of any other libraries intended to be devoted to public use, for the purpose of reporting upon the advisability of devoting the above property to be used as the site of the building of the New York Public Library; and be it further

Resolved, That said Committee investigate the condition of the City Library, for the purpose of ascertaining as far as possible what portion of its contents have been destroyed or removed, and take such action as will lead to its replacement or recovery.

Alderman Woodward offered the following amendment:

Resolved, That Alderman Ware's resolution relating to the City Library, on page 110 of minutes of the Board of Aldermen, be amended as follows: By striking out the first two paragraphs. By striking out the words "devoting the above property to be used as the site of" from paragraph six and inserting in place thereof the words "selecting a proper site for."

Which amendment was accepted.

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

Alderman Goodman called up Special Order No. 2, being a report of the Committee on Railroads relative to a visit of sub-committee to Baltimore to examine car-fender system. (Published in minutes of April 16, 1895, page 86.)

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

PETITIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a mass meeting held at New Irving Hall, on Monday evening, April 29, 1895, by the citizens of the Third, Fourth and Fifth Assembly Districts, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The proprietors of the stands for the sale of soda water have for many years been permitted to keep stands for the sale of such merchandise on stands, four feet by six, in front of houses and within the stoop-lines;

Whereas, The recent action by the Police officials, in causing many arrests to be made and fines imposed upon the poor and unfortunate venders, has driven about two thousand of these venders out of business temporarily;

Whereas, There are about three thousand citizens engaged in this business, and only keep their stands open four or five months during the year, and thereby earning sufficiently to provide for their wives and children;

Whereas, Several hundred standkeepers have appealed to his Honor the Mayor, and the honorable Mayor has assured several committees, acting in behalf of the standkeepers, that he would sign the resolutions when passed by the Common Council, and that his Honor would see that the Police officials would not molest these venders; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in the name of justice and equity, the citizens of the Third, Fourth and Fifth Assembly Districts, in mass meeting assembled, appeal to the members of this Board to pass the resolutions immediately, thereby alleviating the hardship of the unfortunate venders which now surrounds them, as many of them will be driven from their homes on account of being unable to pay their rent.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Muh called up G. O. 138, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, be paved with asphalt block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Total.....	\$22,481 07
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Schedule No. 14 of 1895.

Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$151 00
Telegraph, supplies and repairs	353 00
Repairs to buildings	18 00
Salaries	1,523 78
Total	\$2,045 78
Schedule No. 152 of 1893.	
New houses for engines and hook and ladder companies	\$365 91
Schedule No. 136 of 1894.	
Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$4,000 00
New houses for engine and hook and ladder companies	341 55
Total	\$4,341 55

COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.,

received were disposed of as follows:

Referred.

Report of arrest of Joseph Cassidy for sending out false alarm from Box No. 457, on 18th inst. To the Attorney.

Report of arrest of Charles A. Westervelt at Columbus Theatre for allowing aisles to be obstructed. To the Attorney for proper action.

Applications of Assistant Foreman Patrick F. Lucas, Engineer of Steamer John Kealon, Engine 24, Fireman 1st grade James J. Conrey, Engine 22, and William Lindsay, Engine 26, for promotion. To the Examining Board.

Filed.

Report of Acting Chief of Tenth Battalion as to meritorious conduct of members of the Department at fire No. 117 East Ninety-second street on 8th inst. To be entered on roll of merit.

Report of locations of buildings having insecure roof-tanks. Matter having been communicated to the Superintendent of Buildings. Action approved.

Reports of deaths of Engineer of Steamer Peter McKeon, Engine 5, and Fireman William J. Mulhare, Hook and Ladder 7.

Report of recovery of badge No. 691 by Fireman John Wilson, Hook and Ladder 19. Fine remitted.

Report by Medical Officers that Fireman John J. Kane is not in condition to perform duty.

Opinion, by the Attorney, as to rights of Veterans applying for promotion in the Uniformed force.

Edward F. Kennedy, as Blacksmith's Helper, at \$2.10 per day.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF POLICE.

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

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154. Superintendent—On application of D. E. Gaddis, Clerk Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward, for detail of officer at each school. Superintendent—On character, etc., of Joseph Aschauer, No. 5 Battery place; William Kramer, No. 50 Bowery; John O. Regan, No. 340 Bowery; Edward Butler, No. 2387 Third avenue; John Ryan, No. 100 Third avenue; T. F. McNeice, No. 332 Eighth avenue; Adolph Herrman, No. 290 Eighth avenue; Theiss Bros., Nos. 134 and 136 East Fourteenth street; copies to the Mayor. Herman Raub, No. 102 West street; Charles Loebecker, No. 201 Chambers street; copies to the Board of Excise. Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of W. H. Koch, No. 149 Rivington street, of violations of Sunday law; copy to the Mayor. Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of City Improvement Society, of disorderly persons in Twelfth Precinct. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of H. J. Kane as to his brother. Contagious diseases in the families of Patrolman Thomas Von Blaricom, Eighth Precinct, and Patrolman Richard Barry, Sixth Precinct.

Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$85, mask ball fees, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.

Applications Denied.

Monica Knopf, widow of Philip Knopf, late Patrolman, for pension; Alfred G. Smith, for appointment of A. G. Ames, as Special Patrolman.

N. Y. Supreme Court—Chu Fong against J. F. Higgins. Summons and complaint. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Applications for Pension Referred to Committee on Pensions.

Catharine F. Cleary, widow of William Cleary, late Patrolman, and Isabella Haradan, widow of Nelson Haradan, late Pensioner.

Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.

From the Mayor—Inclosing list of questions submitted by "The Municipality and County," Buffalo, relative to Pension Fund. Comptroller—Relative to contract with the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Company. Josephine Shaw Lowell—Relative to proposed increase in number of Matrons. W. N. Y. Clark, Mount Vernon—Asking certain information. Louis M. Chateau, Philadelphia—Asking certain information. M. McNiff, Waterbury, Conn.—Asking information as to a fugitive from justice. Walter Cox—Asking address of an officer.

Application of Sergeant James P. Tucker, Ninth Precinct, for transfer, was ordered on file.

Communications Referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Board of Surgeons—Report on examination of Police Matrons. Captain Copeland, Thirty-sixth Precinct—Requisitions for awnings and for docking and painting the steamboat "Patrol."

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Asking character, etc., Theiss Bros., Nos. 134 and 136 East Fourteenth street; inclosing complaint of Louis Cohen, No. 113 Ridge street, of fish vendors at Rivington and Ridge streets.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Inclosing report of J. W. Miller, Good Government Club O, of obstructions in certain streets and sidewalks in Eighteenth and Twenty-first Precincts.

Board of Excise—Asking character, etc., Frederick Oehl, No. 17 Second avenue; Paul Carle, No. 647 Eighth avenue. License rejected—William Couniere, No. 168 East Twenty-fourth street.

Common Council—Report of Committee on Law Department, removing hack stand from northeast corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to north side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to extend one hundred feet west of Eighth avenue.

St. Nicholson, No. 49 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street—Complaint that refuse is dumped in vacant lots at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, and damage to property by boys playing ball.

"M. D."—Complaint of disorderly character in basement of house No. 215 East Tenth street.

City Improvement Society—Complaint of obstructions to roadway and sidewalk at Nos. 574 and 576 Greenwich street.

Mrs. H. A. Fuller, Malden, Mass.—Relative to her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Campbell.

Robert F. Nathan—Asking detail of mounted officers on the Boulevard to enforce City ordinances by bicyclists.

E. C. Van Cott—Complaint of annoyance by boys playing ball in Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Anonymous—Relative to Roundsman J. P. McCoy, Twenty-sixth Precinct; complaint of violations of law against selling liquor to minors in Nineteenth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Superintendent make inquiry and report to the Board the names of members of the force who can perform mechanical work, and especially to name one who may be competent to take charge of that Bureau.

Retired Officer—All aye.

Roundsman John W. Haggerty, Central Office, \$1,750 per annum.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Police Telegraph be and is hereby designated and appointed as Superintendent of the work of the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Company, in furnishing the Police Department with electrical conductors, and placing electrical conductors underground, under the contract made by the said company with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York by the Board of Police, dated April 15, 1895.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Police Department and force, and of the Central Department, for the month of April, 1895, when properly audited and approved, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—All aye.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman Joseph H. Gibson, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for the month of April, 1895—All aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the Police Pension Fund the sum of \$136.65, being two per cent. deduction from the increased salaries of Surgeons from May 22 to December 31, 1894—All aye.

Transfers.

Patrolman James Moran, from Fifteenth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct; Patrolman John F. Foley, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct.

Details by the Superintendent under Rule 32—filed.

Resolved, That the pension heretofore granted to Kate Hagan, widow of Patrolman Edward Hagan, be and is hereby increased from one hundred and fifty dollars to two hundred dollars per annum, from and after May 1, 1895.

Resolved, That the pension heretofore granted to Madeline F. Eddy, widow of Patrolman Charles D. Eddy, be and is hereby increased from one hundred dollars to two hundred dollars per annum, from and after May 1, 1895.

Resolved, That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be and is hereby respectfully requested whether, in the assignment of Patrolmen to duty as Roundsmen, the Board of Police has exclusive jurisdiction, under the rules and regulations of the Police Department, to examine such

officers as to their fitness and to advance them to the grade of Roundsmen, or whether such assignment to duty shall be deemed a promotion, and subject to the provisions of the Civil Service Regulations.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—All aye: Thomas F. Adams, expenses, etc., \$38.85; Thomas F. Adams, expenses, etc., \$17.70; Edward J. Armstrong, expenses, etc., \$15.90; Banks & Bro., book, \$5; Homer P. Beach, pencils, \$56; Bramhall, Deane & Co., repairing range, \$3.12; M. R. Brennan, expenses, etc., \$10.25; Brush Electric Illuminating Company, use of lamp, \$18.60; Central Gas-light Company, gas, \$63; Norman L. Coe, photographs, \$84; Norman L. Coe, photographs, \$126.50; Norman L. Coe, photographs, \$49.50; W. L. Cole & Co., repairing wagons, \$10.30; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$204.50; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$21.50; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$987.37; George Connor, expenses, \$5.10; Cornelius Daly, wood, \$3; H. C. Davison & Co., books, etc., \$8.50; Delamater Iron Works, pumping engine, \$176.25; John Doran, newspapers, \$7.70; John Doran, newspapers, \$5.20; John Doran, newspapers, \$5.20; John Doran, newspapers, \$5.20; John Doran, newspapers, \$5.20; John Doran, newspapers, \$5.20; Thomas C. Durham, paints, glass, etc., \$126.37; John Early & Co., brooms, maps, etc., \$94.80; John Early & Co., rope mats, \$150; Edison Electric Illuminating Company, elevator power, \$10.53; Edison Electric Illuminating Company, elevator power, \$11.12; William Eller, meals, \$4.50; Equitable Gas-light Company, gas, \$518.75; Burt Farmer, meals, \$4.25; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$372.49; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$258.72; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$187.50; S. A. French, repairing shields, \$21.84; S. A. French, hand cuffs, \$3.80; S. A. French, hand cuffs, \$3.80; Thomas Fox, horseshoeing, \$42.25; Thomas Fox, horseshoeing, \$33.25; E. P. Gleason Manufacturing Company, gas fittings, etc., \$127.95; Goss & Edsall Company, lime, \$7; Frank B. Hedenberg, window shades, \$3.97; Frank B. Hedenberg, window shades, \$12.98; Higgins & Co., hardware, etc., \$98.44; Higgins & Co., hardware, etc., \$186.11; Hilton, Hughes & Co., desk covers, \$9.88; Hilton, Hughes & Co., flannel, \$2.76; Hilton, Hughes & Co., table ware, etc., \$76.64; Howe Brothers, horseshoeing, \$51.01; J. H. Hunken & Son, horse feed, \$166.54; M. & J. B. Huntton, ice, \$14.88; Charles Jacob, expenses, \$77; Kane & Griffin, horseshoeing, \$71.75; Peter C. Karstens, meals, \$3.25; George Kleenan, removing manure, \$18; John L. Killilea, expenses, etc., \$37.89; Robert Leferts, soap, \$22.65; D. F. McCarthy, expenses, \$3.15; James McCafferty, expenses, \$46; John McLaughlin, expenses, \$8; William McKenna, horseshoeing, \$5; P. Malone, horseshoeing, \$49; Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, rent telephones, \$136.50; Moore & Co., printing, \$26.50; Moore & Co., printing, \$21; Hugh Nesbitt, painting, etc., \$480; Northern Gas-light Company, gas, \$40.16; New York Belting and Packing Company, rubber hose, \$8.15; Alexander Pollock, oil, \$7.21; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, cable, labor, etc., \$185; Empire City Subway Company, labor, etc., \$48.82; The Okonite Company, Okonite wire, \$25.50; Peters & Calhoun Company, leather, etc., \$85.99; Peters & Calhoun Company, horsebrushes, etc., \$49.60; Peters & Calhoun, harness, \$35; John G. Stark, repairing wagons, \$6.75; W. H. Schefflin & Co., drugs, etc., \$5.88; W. H. Schefflin & Co., sponges, \$33.37; W. H. Schefflin & Co., drugs, \$11.85; Smith Premier Typewriter Company, typewriter, \$55; Josiah Smith, disinfectant, \$62.50; George J. Stier, repairing wagons, \$23; Kate Travers, meals, \$110.10; Kate Travers, meals, \$22.65; Julia E. Tillman, meals, \$501; Terrell & Vroom, repairing platform, \$6.57; Terrell & Vroom, repairing floor, etc., \$19.06; Terrell & Vroom, repairing iron railing, \$25.08; Terrell & Vroom, repairing locks, \$4.25; Terrell & Vroom, repairing locks, \$1.45; T. & W. Thorn & Co., horsefeed, \$251.08; T. & W. Thorn & Co., coal, \$23.75; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$18; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$28; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$12.18; P. W. Valley, repairing chairs, \$4; P. W. Valley, repairing chairs, \$10.50; P. W. Valley, repairing lounge, \$16.75; Ward & Olyphant, coal, \$419.49; George W. Winant & Son, coal, \$108; George W. Winant & Son, coal, \$1.30; George W. Winant & Son, coal, \$43; George W. Winant & Son, coal, \$21.50; George W. Winant & Son, coal, \$43; George A. Wright, cleaning boilers, \$8; Wyckoff, Seamans & Co., copying ribbons, \$9; Wyckoff, Seamans & Co., typewriter, \$75; Charles M. Young, keeping horses, etc., \$107.50; Yonkers Gas-light Company, gas, \$102.72; George P. Gott, disbursements, \$60.38—total \$8,338.45.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., APRIL 27, 1895.

Estimated Population, 1,201,733.

Death-rate, 22.93.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

WEEK ENDING—													
Jan. 26.	Feb. 2.	Feb. 9.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 23.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	Mar. 16.	Mar. 23.	Mar. 30.	Apr. 6.	Apr. 13.	Apr. 20.	Apr. 27.
Phthisis	61	76	137	61	90	100	132	78	59	138	191	82	113
Diphtheria	205	159	150	170	176	211	180	184	203	209	212	212	190
Measles	65	61	60	79	94	120	159	152	147	154	189	202	231
Scarlet Fever	102	102	103	97	101	123	115	123	121	110	128	105	92
Small-pox	3	2	..	1	1	..	2	..	1	..	4	..	..
Typhoid Fever	10	14	5	3	8	4	7	9	2	6	4	5	7
Typhus Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	476	414	455	411	470	558	595	546	533	617	724	611	642

Marriages reported	548	Burial permits issued	885
Births	947	Transit permits issued	13
Deaths	885	Searches made	319
Still-births	61	Transcripts issued	243

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

Total.	Total last year.	Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes	885	781	1015.4	484	401	50	161	70	61	342	37	53	189	172
Diphtheria	28	46	44.9	15	13	..	4	7	15	26	2	..	..	..
Croup	9	17	19.1	6	3	..	2	3	3	8	1	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers	2	..	6.2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	19	15	18.6	13	6	..	5	12	1	18	..	..	1	1
Scarlet Fever	12	10	30.4	4	8	..	1	2	7	10	2	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	4	2.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever	3	..	4.3	2	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..
Typhus Fever	..	..	1.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough	17	6	11.5	4	13	1	8	5	2	16	1	..	..	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases	23	14	17.4	13	10	3	14	1	1	10	1	1	1	1
Phthisis	115	82	127.9	67	48	..	1	2	3	6	1	19	59	22
Other Tuberculous Diseases	19	19	..	10	9	..	5	3	3	11	1	..	3	4
Diseases of Nervous System	82	65	92.0	42	40	1	17	0	5	29	2	3	11	21
Heart Diseases	51	47	51.4	28	23	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	9	25
Bronchitis	41	22	53.5	19	22	1	24	5	2	32	..	..	1	3
Pneumonia	150	109	163.1	88	62	1	41	19	13	74	9	8	31	21
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs	16	25	..	12	4	..	2	..	2	4	..	..	3	7
Diseases of Digestive System	59	54	..	36	23	2	14	..	..	17	2	6	13	12
Diseases of Urinary System	50	50	..	29	21	..	..	2	2	3	1	..	12	19
Congenital Debility	55	50	..	30	25	38	15	2	..	55	..	..	..	..
Old Age	9	17	..	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Suicides	8	6	6.3	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Other violent deaths	36	36	36.1	21	15	..	1	..	..	1	3	3	19	9
All other causes	81	86	..	35	46	3	6	2	2	13	4	7	21	23

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and preternatural births.

§ State census, February 1, 1892, 1,801,739.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic.—Erysipelas, 3; Syphilis, 2; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 4; Influenza, 9; Puerperal Fever, 7.
Dietetic.—Alcoholism, 4.
Constitutional.—Cancer, 23; Tubercular Meningitis, 12; Tuberculosis, [etc.], 6; Tubercular Peritonitis, 1; Rheumatism, 5; Diabetes, 6; Rickets, 2; Purpura, 1; Gout, 1.
Nervous.—Convulsions, 6; Meningitis and Encephalitis, 23; Apoplexy, 28; Paralysis, 1; Insanity, 7; Epilepsy, 6; Myelitis, 2; Congestion of Brain, 2; Nervous Debility, 1; Chronic Hydrocephalus, 1; Locomotor Ataxy, 1; Chorea, 1; Spinal Sclerosis, 2; Glossopharyngeal Paralysis, 1.
Circulatory.—Embolism, 2.
Respiratory.—Laryngitis, 2; Congestion of Lungs, 1; Emphysema, 2; Hydrothorax, 1; Pleurisy, 4; Chronic Bronchitis, 4; Gangrene of Lungs, 1; (Edema of Lungs, 1).
Digestive.—Gastro-enteritis, 7; Gastritis, 8; Enteritis, 4; Cirrhosis, 10; other Diseases of Liver, 2; Peritonitis, 6; Obstruction of Intestines, 2; Stricture of Intestines, 1; Typhlitis, 3; Hernia, 4; Dentition, 1; Ulceration of Intestines, 5; Tonsillitis, 1; Ulcer of Stomach, 1; Ascites, 1; Ulcer of Duodenum, 1; Retro-pharyngeal Abscess, 2.
Genito-urinary.—Bright's Disease, 33; Nephritis, 15; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 1; Hydrophorosis, 1; Pelvic Cellulitis, 1.
Locomotor.—Spinal Disease, 1; Hip Disease, 3.
Integumentary.—Phegmonous Cellulitis, 2.
Accident.—Poison, 1; Fractures and Contusions, 11; Burns and Scalds, 1; Drowning, 6; Surgical Operations, 14; Electric Current, 1.

Other Causes.—Childbirth, 1; Puerperal Mania, 1; Umbilical Hemorrhage, 1; Foramen Ovale Open, 1; Atresia of Intestines, 1; Homicide, 2.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

	WEEK ENDING—												
	Feb. 2.	Feb. 9.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 23.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	Mar. 16.	Mar. 23.	Mar. 30.	Apr. 6.	Apr. 13.	Apr. 20.	Apr. 27.
Total deaths.....	952	921	958	889	893	864	872	887	900	873	892	913	885
Annual death-rate.....	24.86	24.04	24.99	23.17	23.26	22.49	22.68	23.06	23.38	22.66	23.13	23.67	22.93
Diphtheria.....	33	39	29	43	35	37	27	35	40	34	34	43	28
Croup.....	5	10	6	6	13	2	9	10	13	5	7	7	9
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	5	6	4	9	15	13	18	14	14	16	11	31	19
Scarlet Fever.....	10	9	16	15	29	15	13	20	21	23	10	10	12
Small-pox.....	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	2	1	8	4	3	2	3	1	2	1	3	4	3
Whooping Cough.....	4	8	5	10	7	6	9	12	7	15	6	17	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	10	2	12	8	12	11	9	18	8	15	6	20	23
Diarrhoeal Diseases under 5 years.....	6	2	10	4	9	8	7	11	3	12	4	11	19
Phthisis.....	112	122	121	110	106	109	119	123	112	95	105	105	115
Bronchitis.....	51	45	62	45	49	40	36	40	40	41	40	36	41
Pneumonia.....	203	144	177	153	137	158	142	145	111	165	171	161	150
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	17	25	22	22	25	21	19	16	20	19	13	22	16
Violent Deaths.....	41	43	43	42	25	36	39	37	48	43	52	35	44
Under one year.....	197	194	229	198	187	179	189	194	184	211	194	223	211
Under five years.....	315	314	341	317	347	332	318	336	346	345	345	386	342
Five to sixty-five.....	483	490	484	447	432	431	440	459	455	478	480	431	451
Sixty-five years and over.....	154	117	133	125	114	101	114	92	113	109	88	96	92
In Public Institutions.....	247	241	231	209	223	203	219	247	213	190	227	244	218
Inquest Cases.....	90	110	112	100	89	98	90	103	100	103	91	98	93
Mean barometer.....	29.983	29.680	29.820	29.732	29.812	29.838	29.899	29.943	29.839	29.827	29.958	29.812	29.959
Mean humidity.....	80	58	86	79	82	84	80	72	78	78	75	60	69
Inches of rain and snow.....	.40	.30	..	..	.55	.71	.88	..	.12	.49	2.06	..	.31
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	25.1°	11.43°	24.5°	30.4°	34.9°	35.3°	33.7°	33.5°	38.0°	40.4°	49.5°	51.5°	57.9°
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	39°	31°	35°	43°	58°	49°	54°	47°	52°	56°	64°	67°	84°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	16°	-4°	16°	16°	15°	15°	20°	23°	26°	25°	33°	41°	44°

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.									
	Scarlet Fever (Children).	Diphtheria.	Total.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever with Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Scarlet Fever with Measles.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever with Measles and Varicella.	Leprosy.	Measles with Diphtheria.	Total.	
Remaining Apr. 20.....	..	43	43	3	3	50	1	9	3	1	..	70	
Admitted.....	..	17	17	..	..	9	1	0	..	..	..	16	
Discharged.....	..	10	10	..	..	12	..	4	..	..	..	16	
Died.....	..	2	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	
Remaining Apr. 27.....	..	48	48	3	2	47	2	10	3	1	..	68	
Total treated.....	..	60	60	3	3	59	2	15	3	1	..	86	

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.						All Causes.
	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Phthisis.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Phthisis.	
First.....	1	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	10
Second.....	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Third.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth.....	7	6	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Sixth.....	1	3	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
Seventh.....	20	14	6	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
Eighth.....	1	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Ninth.....	1	4	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	29
Tenth.....	10	8	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	32
Eleventh.....	10	10	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	48
Twelfth.....	47	26	22	..	1	14	7	..	1	..	..	18	145
Thirteenth.....	10	7	2	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	23
Fourteenth.....	3	2	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
Fifteenth.....	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	19
Sixteenth.....	2	4	2	..	..	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Seventeenth.....	11	26	9	..	1	8	..	3	..	1	..	..	55
Eighteenth.....	6	31	3	..	1	6	1	3	..	1	..	..	35
Nineteenth.....	24	57	21	..	..	11	9	5	..	..	..	21	151
Twentieth.....	14	7	5	..	1	18	1	1	..	..	..	..	47
Twenty-first.....	6	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	34
Twenty-second.....	9	15	7	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	78
Twenty-third.....	2	3	8	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Twenty-fourth.....	3	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
Total.....	190	231	101	..	7	113	28	19	12	..	3	115	885

Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made.....	9,333
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses.....	7,042
“ tenement apartments (at night) to prevent overcrowding.....	303
“ private dwellings.....	147
“ lodging-houses.....	176
“ stables.....	71
“ slaughter-houses.....	852
“ other premises.....	742
Total number of citizens' complaints attended to.....	430
“ verified.....	291
“ found baseless, or nuisance already abated.....	139
“ original complaints by Inspectors.....	316
Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.	
Total number of inspections of milk.....	1,299
“ specimens examined.....	1,460
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	70
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	3,785
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	47,700
“ inspections of meat and fish.....	1,346
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	177,950
“ analyses of milk and other foods.....	32
“ experimental analyses.....	20

Analytical Work—Summary.

Milk—Found to be watered.....	7
“ Found to be skimmed.....	8
Milk—Found to be skimmed and watered.....	5
“ Found to be normal.....	5
Croton water—Complete sanitary analysis (see below).....	1
Well water—Found to be contaminated.....	2
Material—Found to contain chloral.....	2
Liquorice—Unadulterated.....	2

Analysis of Croton Water, April 26, 1895.

Result Expressed in Parts per 100,000.

Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Light yellow brown.
Odor (at 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.238
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.405
Phosphates, Phosphoric Acid (P ₂ O ₅) in.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites.....	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates (method of Martin and Berry).....	0.0383
Free Ammonia.....	0.0035
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0140
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	3.82
“ { After boiling.....	3.82
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.50
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored.....	4.50
Total solids (by evaporation at 230° Fahr.).....	6.00
Temperature at hydrant, 55° Fahr.	

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of cases visited by Inspectors.....	1,405
“ premises visited by Disinfectors.....	377
“ rooms disinfected.....	539
“ other places disinfected.....	..
“ pieces of infected goods destroyed.....	111
“ pieces of infected goods disinfected and returned.....	892
“ persons removed to hospital.....	26
“ primary vaccinations.....	640
“ revaccinations.....	1,986
“ certificates of vaccination issued.....	389
“ cattle examined by Veterinarian.....	523
“ glandered horses destroyed.....	1

Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.

Total number of premises visited by Inspectors.....	244
“ autopsies (human 2, animal 0).....	2
“ bacteriological examinations, general.....	46
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected diphtheria (true 105, pseudo 79; indelusive 46, viz.: Culture made too late in disease 24, insufficient growth on culture medium 4, culture medium contaminated 5, culture medium dried up 1, suspicious bacilli only found 9, no diphtheria bacilli were found, laryngeal cases 3).....	230
“ bacteriological examinations of convalescent cases of diphtheria, preceding disinfection.....	188
“ bacteriological examinations of healthy throats in infected families.....	37
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected tuberculosis (tubercle bacilli found 12, not found 12).....	24
“ points of vaccine virus collected.....	7,621
“ capillary tubes of vaccine virus filled.....	..
Amount of anti-toxine serum produced in c. c.....	2,050

Total number of dead animals removed from streets.....	731
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Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....	745
“ Attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders.....	237
“ civil actions begun.....	39
“ arrests made.....	10
“ judgments obtained in civil courts.....	2
“ “ criminal courts.....	15
“ permits issued.....	70
“ persons removed from overcrowded apartments.....	4

The 885 deaths represent a death-rate of 22.93, against 23.67 for the previous week and 20.94 for the corresponding week of 1894.

Contagious and infectious diseases show a slight increase, the number of cases reported of diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and small-pox being respectively 190, 231, 101, 7 and 0, against 196, 231, 92, 5 and 0 for the previous week, a total of 529 against 524. The increase of diphtheria was mainly in the Seventh, Tenth and Twentieth Wards, and the decrease in the Fifteenth, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. The increase of measles was most marked in the Fourth, Seventh, Seventeenth and Twenty-second Wards, and the decrease in the Tenth, Eleventh and Nineteenth Wards. The increase of scarlet fever was chiefly in the Twelfth Ward, and the decrease in the Tenth and Twenty-second Wards. Two of the 7 cases of typhoid fever were above Fortieth street, and 3 were below Fourteenth street. No case of small-pox was reported.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

NOTE.—On Wednesday, April 17, 1895, no quorum being present, the meeting stood adjourned.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, April 24, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Cannon and Green.

The Construction or Executive Committee recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in employing Daniel Carpenter as a Laborer, under Division Engineer Gowen, on April 16, 1895, at two dollars (\$2) per day, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in discharging George A. Hammond, Foreman of Diamond Drill party, to take effect as of April 18, 1895, be and hereby is approved.

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in discharging Michael Tierney, Laborer, with the Diamond Drill party, to take effect as of April 17, 1895, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the salary of Mattie Meadows, employed as Typewriter at the office of the New Croton Dam Division, is hereby increased from two dollars and fifty cents to three dollars per day, to take effect on April 25, 1895.

On motion of Commissioner Green, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bid-box be closed and the keys given to the President, and that the Secretary be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for constructing a highway or road and its appurtenances, etc., crossing the east branch of Reservoir “D,” in the Town of Kent, Putnam County, New York, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, and also to receive the checks of the bidders, and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids received for doing said work under the law.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was adopted.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 10,219 to 10,235, inclusive, amounting to \$541.04, and Vouchers Nos. 10,243 to 10,256, inclusive, amounting to \$1,800.29, and of estimate contained in Voucher No. 10,236, amounting to \$1,013.33.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the minutes of the meetings of April 3 and 10, 1895, were ordered approved.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Law Department.
LAW DEPARTMENT.—The Committee

Department of Public Works—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

Corporation Attorney—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau of Street Openings—Staats-Zeitung Building, Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Department of Charities and Correction—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.

Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.

Department of Street Cleaning—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.

Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Excise—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Coroner's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9:30 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9, Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, Chambers, Room No. 11, Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15.

Superior Court—Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 35, Special Term, Room No. 33, Equity Term, Room No. 35, Chambers, Room No. 33, Part I, Room No. 34, Part II, Room No. 35, Part III, Room No. 36, Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31, Clerk's Office, Room No. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of Common Pleas—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 23, 10:30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I, Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20, Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers 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.

Oyer and Terminer Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Police Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Nos. 37, 39, 45, 68, 72, 83, 86, 89, 93 and Primary School No. 3.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 1, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, for supplying New School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 16 and 41.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 1, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Sixth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 9, 1895, for supplying Furniture for Primary Schools Nos. 2 and 8; also for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., Primary Schools Nos. 2 and 8.

JOHN F. WHELAN, Chairman, **ALEXANDER PATTON, SR.**, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, April 26, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 9, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 3, 16, 41 and Primary Schools Nos. 13 and 24.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 26, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 2, 1895, for supplying Furniture, Item No. 3 of the Specifications, for the New School Building, northeast corner of First avenue and Ninth street.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 19, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 2, 1895, for supplying New Furniture for New School Building on northwest corner Church street and Weber's lane, Kingsbridge (Grammar School No. 66).

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 19, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 2, 1895, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar Schools Nos. 39, 46, 72 and 95.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 19, 1895.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, April 25, 1895. Public notice is hereby given that open competitive examinations for the positions below-mentioned will be held on the dates specified, at 10 o'clock A. M.:

May 2. FIREMAN OF STEAM ENGINES.

May 2. BRIDGE TENDER.

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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 4921, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Boston road to Trinity avenue.

List 4925, No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue, and in Claremont avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Claremont place.

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 Sixty-fourth street, from Boston road to Trinity avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive; both sides of Claremont avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and north side of Claremont place, from Riverside avenue to Claremont 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 3d day of June, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, May 2, 1895.

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

List 4906, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcher avenue.

List 4919, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Ogden avenue, from Birch street to Orchard 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 Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcher avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Ogden avenue, from Birch street to a point distant about 750 feet north of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line; also land bounded by Ogden and Aqueduct avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line and 750 feet north of ward line.

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 31st day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 30, 1895.

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

List 4910, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Kelly street, from Westchester to Prospect avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4912, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in George street, from Boston avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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 Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of George street, from Boston avenue to Prospect 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 27th day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 26, 1895.

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

List 4907, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Wales avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to Westchester avenue.

List 4918, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenance in Boston road, from summit north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to summit south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, with branch in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston road to summit west.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Wales avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block of Dawson street and One Hundred and Fifty-first street.

No. 2. Both sides of Boston road, from a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to a point distant about 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending about 177 feet west of Boston road.

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 27th day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 25, 1895.

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

List 4904, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from the west side of River avenue to the east side of Walton avenue.

List 4917, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Southern Boulevard and Willow avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from the east side of Walton avenue to the west side of River avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Elton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Willow avenue to Southern Boulevard, and west side of Willow avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 24th day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 24, 1895.

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

List 4909, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Freeman street, from Union avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

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 Freeman street, from Union avenue to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Prospect avenue, from Denman place to a point distant about 289 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 23d day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 23, 1895.

List 4916, No. 2. Sewer in Prospect avenue, from existing sewer in Westchester avenue to summit north of One Hundred and Sixty-third 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 Freeman street, from Union avenue to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Prospect avenue, from Denman place to a point distant about 289 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

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

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NEW YORK, April 23, 1895.

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

List 4817, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Dyckman street, from Hudson river to Exterior street.

List 4908, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second 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 Dyckman street, from Hudson river to Exterior street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth 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 22d day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

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

List 4907, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Wales avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to Westchester avenue.

List 4918, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenance in Boston road, from summit north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to summit south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, with branch in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston road to summit west.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Wales avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block of Dawson street and One Hundred and Fifty-first street.

No. 2. Both sides of Boston road, from a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to a point distant about 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending about 177 feet west of Boston road.

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 27th day of May, 1895.

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

NEW YORK, April 25, 1895.

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

List 4904, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from the west side of River avenue to the east side of Walton avenue.

List 4917, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Southern Boulevard and Willow avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

350,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.
55,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
3,600 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
400 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, 112 pounds to the bag.

450 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag. — will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York, until 9.30 o'clock A.M. on Wednesday, May 8, 1895.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall present the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Forage," with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).
Sixty-fourth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).
Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).
One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

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 his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the contract is \$2,000.

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 proposal and forms of contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

DAVID H. KING, JR., GEO. G. HAVEN, JAMES A. ROOSEVELT, A. D. JULLIARD, Commissioners of Public Parks.
NEW YORK, April 25, 1895.

DAMAGE COMMISSION, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 567 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of 1889, and chapter eight hundred and seventy-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, September 10, 1894.

DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,

Commissioners

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee for the Care, etc., of the Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 6, 1895, for supplying the College buildings on Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Park avenues, with 500 tons, more or less, of Egg Coal; 20 tons, more or less, of Stove Coal; 15 tons, more or less, of Nut Coal mixed, and 5 tons, more or less, of Nut Coal, all to be white ash coal, 2,240 pounds to the ton, and to be stored in the bins by the contractor; the bidder to name the mine from which the coal is to be supplied.

The Executive Committee reserves 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 proposals.

Two responsible and approved residents of this city are required as sureties.

Proposals to be addressed, "Executive Committee, College of the City of New York."

ROBERT MACLAY, Chairman Executive Committee.

ARTHUR McMILLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, April 23, 1895.

CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

ICE.
3,500 tons (more or less) prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered at Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and Hart's Island, in quantities as required, during the year 1895, and at Central Islip in car-loads of about 20 tons each. The weight to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name a uniform price per ton of 2,000 pounds for the entire quantity of Ice required, all of which shall be delivered at the different points named free of expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, May 9, 1895. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 27, 1895.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 23, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR CLOTHING FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Clothing, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, May 7, 1895.

3,500 Men's Winter Suits, complete.

800 Men's Overcoats, complete.

600 Men's Reefers or Pea Jackets, complete.

750 Attendants' Winter Blouses of "Assabet," "Middlesex" or "Waterloo" Flannel or Flannel known as Oakes Mill—"International," all of 24 ounces weight.

750 Attendants' Summer Blouses of "Assabet," "Middlesex" or "Waterloo" Flannel or Flannel known as "Metropolitan Police Summer Cloth," all of 16 ounces weight.

All to be supplied in conformity with the samples exhibited and the specifications, which latter shall be attached to the bidder's proposal.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HENRY H. PORTER, President.

JOHN P. FAURE, Commissioner.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 10, 1895.

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

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

(Reg. 46, Fol. 302.)

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 opening, widening and extending ELM STREET, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, in the Sixth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

A brief statement of the purposes for which we have been appointed is as follows:

To make 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 so required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening, widening and extending Elm street, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, in the Sixth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the City of New York.

The premises required for the said proposed improvement are shown in red color upon a map attached to the petition in the proceeding entitled as above and filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York with the petition and order appointing us Commissioners on the 27th day of February, 1895, and are described by metes and bounds in the said petition and order.

And to make a just and equitable estimate and assessment also of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened, widened and extended, 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, widening and extending 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 thereby.

And to perform all the duties required of us by chapter sixteen, title five 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 to or amendatory thereof and particularly the act known as chapter six hundred and sixty of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening, widening and extending Elm street, as aforesaid, 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, at our office, on the twelfth floor of the Lawyers' Title Insurance Company's building, No. 37 Liberty street, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 17, 1895); and we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the thirteenth day of May, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear said parties and persons in relation thereto.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 17, 1895.

CHARLES H. TRUAX,
WILLIAM G. CHOATE,
JOEL B. ERHARDT,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to Longwood avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), from Southern Boulevard to Tiffany street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 20th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our Damage and Benefit Maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at his office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 20th day of May, 1895.

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

Beginning at a point distant about 150 feet westerly from the westerly side of Worden street and about 290 feet southerly from the southerly side of Randall avenue, as laid down on the Tax Maps of the City of New York, which point is the intersection of the northerly side of the Eastern Boulevard and the easterly side of Craven street, as laid down on the final maps of streets and avenues filed on sections 3 and 4 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Thence running easterly along a line through the blocks, between Worden street and Winslow street, and Legget avenue and Ely street, to a point distant about 86 feet easterly from the easterly side of Ely street, and about 440 feet southerly from the southerly side of Winslow street, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which line is the northerly side of the Eastern Boulevard and which point is the intersection of the northerly side of the Eastern Boulevard with the westerly side of Barretto street, as laid down on the Final Maps and Plans above mentioned.

Thence running northerly along a line through the blocks between Ely street and Tiffany street, and Tiffany street and Barretto street, to the intersection of the southerly side of Lafayette road and the westerly side of Barretto street, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which line is the westerly side of Barretto street, and which intersection is the intersection of Lafayette avenue and the westerly side of Barretto street, as laid down on said Final Map and Plans; thence running northerly along a line through the blocks between Tiffany street and Barretto street to the intersection of the northerly side of Wetmore avenue with the westerly side of Barretto street, as laid down on said Tax Maps, which line is the westerly side of Barretto street, and which point of intersection is the intersection of the northerly side of Mohawk avenue and the westerly side of Barretto street, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans.

Thence still northerly and along the westerly side of Barretto street and Fox street, as laid down on said Tax Maps and said Final Maps, to a point distant about 110 feet southerly from the southerly side of Dongan street, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which point is the intersection of the southerly side of Dongan street with the westerly side of Fox street, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans; thence westerly along a line parallel with Dongan street, and through the blocks, between Fox street and Tiffany street, and Tiffany and Kelly streets, and Kelly street and Intervale avenue to the easterly side of Intervale avenue, as laid down on said Tax Maps, which line is the southerly side of Dongan street, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans; thence along the easterly side of Intervale avenue, and the easterly side of Dawson street, as laid down on the Tax Maps and said Final Maps, to a point distant about 570 feet southerly from the southerly side of Lane avenue, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which point is the intersection of the northerly side of Craven street with the easterly side of Dawson street as laid down on the said Final Maps and Plans; thence along a line parallel with Lane avenue, and through the blocks between Dawson street and Wetmore avenue, and Lane avenue and Legget street, to the easterly side of Wetmore avenue, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which line is the northerly side of Craven street to its intersection with the easterly side of Mohawk avenue, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans; thence southerly about 280 feet along the easterly side of Wetmore avenue, as laid down on the Tax Maps, named Mohawk avenue, on said Final Maps and Plans, to a point which is the intersection of the northerly side of Grinnell place with the easterly side of Mohawk avenue, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans; thence easterly, along a line through the blocks between Legget street and Bacon street, to a point distant southerly about 84 feet from the southerly side of Bacon street, and about 180 feet easterly from the easterly side of Spofford street, as laid down on the Tax Maps, which line is the northerly side of Grinnell place, and which point is the intersection of the northerly side of Grinnell place with the easterly side of Craven street, as laid down on said Final Maps and Plans, and more particularly shown on our Benefit Maps, deposited as aforesaid, all of which area affects blocks Nos. 2701, 2702, 2703, 2708, 2707, 2709, 2710, 2711, 2712, 2720, 2721, 2722, 2729, 2730, 2731, 2733, 2736, 2737, 2738, 2767, 2766, 2728, as shown on the Land Map of the City of New York.

Excepting from said area all the streets, avenues or roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out as the same is shown upon our Benefit Map, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 18, 1895.

JOHN G. BOYD, Chairman,
WELLESLEY W. GAGE,
ROBERT T. DYAS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York,

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 24, 1895.

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

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

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

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the P. M. noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

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

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for

the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 24, 1895.

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

JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

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

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 7, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 15, 1895.

LAWRENCE GODKIN,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
B. PERKINS,
Commissioners.

GEORGE H. BARNES, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Franklin avenue to 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, 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 a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventieth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing location, etc., of streets, avenues and roads within the area bounded by Third avenue and East One Hundred and Seventieth street, etc., etc., in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards May 9, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York May 11, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on May 16, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 9, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1895, at 9.30 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 claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1895.
G. M. SPEIR,
EDWARD TERRILL,
RIGNAL D. WOODWARD,
Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

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

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (May 7, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 15, 1895.
LAWRENCE GODKIN,
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
C. C. BALDWIN,
Commissioners.
EMIL F. MAURER, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 2,098 feet 2 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly line of the Boulevard, measured along the easterly line of the Boulevard, to a point on the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 2,222 feet 10 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, measured along the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from the Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Fort Washington Depot road, extending from Kingsbridge road to the Boulevard, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting therefrom, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to

the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.
JOHN IEROLMAN, Chairman.
G. M. SPEIR,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to FOX STREET, OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Robbins avenue to Prospect 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Fox street, or East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, Section 3 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, January 18, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 12, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of May, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 12, 1895.
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
HENRY GRASSE,
DANIEL O'CONNELL,
Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 18th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 18th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock, M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 18th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of River avenue, midway between Overlook avenue and Endrow place; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of River avenue to its junction with Jerome avenue; thence still northerly and along the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward-line; thence westerly and along the said Ward-line to the middle of the block between Inwood avenue and Macomb's Dam road; thence northerly and along the middle of the block between Inwood avenue and Macomb's Dam road to the southerly side of Macomb's Dam road; thence westerly and along the southerly side of Macomb's Dam road to its junction with Cromwell avenue; thence still westerly across Cromwell avenue, and at right angles to the same, to a point distant 125 feet westerly from the westerly side of Cromwell avenue; thence southerly and through the middle of the block between Second avenue and Cromwell avenue to the southerly side of Elliot street; thence westerly and along the southerly side of Elliot street and the southerly side of High Bridge street to a point midway between Marcher avenue and Boscobel avenue; thence southerly and through the middle of the block between Marcher avenue and Boscobel avenue, a distance of about 693.4 feet; thence westerly and about at right angles to Boscobel avenue to the westerly side of Marcher avenue; thence southerly and along the westerly side of Marcher avenue to a point which would meet a line drawn parallel to and midway between Overlook avenue and Endrow place; thence easterly and

along said last-mentioned line to the easterly side of River avenue, at the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as the same is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of June, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 17, 1895.
RIGNAL D. WOODWARD, Chairman,
JESSE S. NELSON,
JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to DECATUR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Kingsbridge road to Brookline 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 10th day of December, 1894, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 14th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Decatur avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing location, etc., etc., of streets, etc., within the area bounded on the south by East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, on the west by Maron avenue, on the north by Suburban street and on the east by the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, etc., and filed in the office of the Commissioners of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on the 6th day of April, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 10th day of April, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 11th day of April, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 12, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of May, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 12, 1895.
WILLIS HOLLY,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
FRANCIS L. DONOHUE,
Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 23d day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 23d day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets, from the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth streets, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, and westerly by the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers

thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 22, 1895.
MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
SAMUEL GOLDSTICKER,
EDWARD C. STONE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 24, 1895.
ALBERT B. BOARDMAN,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
CHAS. H. WEBB,
Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HALL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to Intervale 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, 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 a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Hall place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on June 13, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 8, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1895, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.
MYER S. ISAACS,
I. H. KLEIN,
JOHN W. D. DOBLER,
Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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