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#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS-COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET,

New York, August 14, 1897.

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

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Public Moneys Received during the Week.—For Croton water rents—Regular rates, \$21,373.50; meter rates, \$55,417.59; for penalties, water rents, \$532.30; for tapping Croton pipes, \$211; for sewer permits, \$444.82; for restoring and repaving—Special Fund, \$7,175; for redemption of obstructions seized, \$16.50; for vault permits, \$1,010.64—total, \$86,181.35.

Public Lamps.—6 new lamps erected and lighted, 50 old lamps relighted, 64 lamps discontinued, 4 lamp-posts removed, 3 lamp-posts reset, 66 lamp-posts straightened, 3 columns releaded, 4 service pipes refitted, 2 stand-pipes refitted.

Permits Issued.—47 permits to tap Croton pipes, 36 permits to open streets, 20 permits to make sewer connections, 28 permits to repair sewer connections, 115 permits to place building material on streets, 29 permits, special; 2 permits to construct street vaults.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.—192 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 1,092 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 3,600 lineal feet of sewer relieved, 33,126 lineal feet of sewer examined, 3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid, 30 manhole heads reset, 2 basin heads reset, 14 new manhole heads and covers put on, 1 new basin cover put on, 8 new basin grates put in, 1 new basin hood put in, 4 new manhole covers put on, 119 cubic feet of brickwork built, 12 square yards of pavement relaid, 4,706 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 17 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Obstructions Removed.—21 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavement.—2,601 square yards of pavement repaired.

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Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending August 7, 1897.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TRAMS.	CARTS
Aqueduct-Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	50	127	8	×3
Laying Croton Pipes	61	4.00		
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc		125	4	22
Bronx River Works-Maintenance and Repairs	I	16	3	
Supplying Water to Shipping	τ8 τ8			
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers	τ8	32		9
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements	191	247	5	78
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Mamtenance of	28 .	72	29	10
Roads, Streets and Avenues	IX	23	7	2
Total	365	642	56	134

Requisitions on the Comptroller .- The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$53,927.29.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 15th day of September, 1897. Present-Commissioners Moss,

Leave of Absence Granted.
Patrolman Edward J. Willigan, Seventh Precinct, thirty days, half pay, sick.

Masked Ball Permits Granted. Louis Lange, at Tammany Hall, September 18; William Rose, at Tammany Hall, Septemer 5; Mrs. Lewis, at Webster Hall, September 11.
Sundry reports and communications were ordered on file, copies to be forwarded, etc.

Communications Referred to the Treasurer.

Comptroller—Weekly financial statement. Chief of Police—Inclosing \$25. Masked ball

Communications Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Department of Docks—Relative to driving spars in Harlem river, foot of One Hundred and Twenty-second street. Comptroller—Inclosing notice from Department of Buildings—Relative to unsafe condition of Fifth Precinct Station-house.

Communications Referred to Commissioner Smith. Corporation Counsel—Relative to acquisition of property in Nineteenth and Thirty-fifth Prets. Thirty-third Precinct—Commending Patrolmen James Frawley and Peter J. Hunt, Thirty-Precinct. The matter of F. G. A. Rice.

Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

Mayor—Letter of acknowledgment of Sarah Uhrman. Department of Buildings—Asking information as to steam boilers. Lyman Bishop—Asking address of an officer. M. Miller—Asking pistol permit.

Application of Joseph C. Mulford for blank appointment papers, was referred to the Civil

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Communication from the Board of Electrical Control, notice of permit to the Empire City Subway Company to construct subways, was referred to the Superintendent of Telegraph.

N. Y. Supreme Court—Summons and complaint. Mary E. Van Houten against Patrolman Thomas Devine. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Fourth District Court—Summons and complaint. Joseph Thalman against the Property Clerk. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Sundry communications and complaints were referred to the Chief of Police for report, etc.

The Chief of Police reported the following transfers, etc.:

Patrolman Thomas Kelly, from Fourteenth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct; Roundsman Patrick Leonard, from Fifth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct; Roundsman William Londrigan, from Nineteenth Precinct to Fifth Precinct; Patrolman Robert M. Day, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct, detail as Doorman; Patrolman Charles Connolly, from Thirtieth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct; Patrolman Michael Nolan, from Nineteenth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct; Roundsman Daniel Curtin, from Eighteenth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct; Roundsman William J. Ennis, from Nineteenth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct; Roundsman John M. Polly, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct; Roundsman John Jackel, from First Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct; Roundsman John Jackel, from First Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, Second Inspection District; Sergeant H. W. Schlottman, from Detective Bureau to Second Precinct; Roundsman Edward Lick, from Second Precinct to Twentieth Precinct Precin Sergeant H. W. Schlottman, from Detective Bureau to Second Precinct; Roundsman Edward Lick, from Second Precinct to Twentieth Precinct; Patrolman Robert J. Fitzgerald, from Eleventh Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct; Patrolman William Williamson, from Thirty-second Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct; Patrolman William A. Clark, from Nineteenth Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct; Roundsman David A. Gillespie, from Sixteenth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct; Patrolman Patrick Lenihan, from Twentieth Precinct to Seventeenth Precinct; Patrolman Robert H. Hart, from Twenty-first Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct; Patrolman William Power, from Nineteenth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct: Patrolman Lames Regan, from Sixteenth Precinct H. Hart, from Twenty-first Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct; Patrolman William Power, from Nineteenth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct; Patrolman James Regan, from Sixteenth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct; Patrolman Michael McCarthy, trom Twenty-third Precinct to Seventh Precinct, detail on river front; Patrolman David S. Porter, from Eighteenth Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct; Patrolman Henry M. Niggersmith, Bicycle Squad; becail special duty; Patrolman Samuel W. Johnson, from Fifteenth Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman John J. Collins, from Second Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman John D. Conneally, from Thirtieth Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman Nicholas Illich, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman Nicholas Illich, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman, from Fourteenth Precinct to Bicycle Squad; Patrolman Alex H. Howry, from Second Precinct to Central Office; Patrolman Jacob G. Eberle, from Fifth Precinct to Central Office, Third Inspection District; Patrolman George V. Creede, from Fifth Precinct to Central Office, Third Inspection District; Patrolman George V. Creede, from Fifth Precinct to Fifth Precinct, remand to patrol; Patrolman Andrew Donohue, from Ninth Precinct to Fifth Precinct, remand to patrol; Patrolman Andrew Donohue, from Ninth Precinct to Fifth Precinct, remand to patrol; Patrolman Richard J. Clarson, from Ninth Precinct to Fifth Precinct; Patrolman Philip F. Faubel, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman Thomas C. Cosgrove, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman Thomas C. Cosgrove, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman Thomas C. Cosgrove, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman Thomas C. Cosgrove, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman Thomas C. Cosgrove, from Nineteenth Precinct to Central Office, First Inspection District; Patrolman J

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

Patrolman John Dimond, Fifteenth Precinct, from August 14 to August 20, 1897; Patrolman

Patronnan John Dinnond, Fitteenth Freemet, from August 14 to August 25, 1897, Fattonnan Adolph Hummell, First Precinct, from April 2 to August 25, 1897.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money for the month of August, 1897—all aye:

For fines imposed, \$1,030.58; for absence without pay, \$8,443.11; for sick time deducted, \$6,559.80; for two per cent. deducted, \$10,774.59—\$26,808.08.

Resolved, That the following bill be approved and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all ave:

James P. Tucker, costs, disbursements, etc., \$112.45.
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

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of four hundred and fifty-nine dollars and fifty-two cents, to enable the Treasurer to pay bill presented by John Du Fais, Architect, for professional services rendered in preparing general drawings and specifications for the Ninth Precinct Station-house, Charles street, City of New York, under an appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, October 14, 1895; and that the Treasurer of the Police Department is hereby authorized and directed to pay the amount herein precified on precinc of the warrant from the Comptroller, the Architect having field a final bill specified on receipt of the warrant from the Comptroller, the Architect having filed a final bill

specified on receipt of the warrant from the Comptroller, the Architect having filed a final bill dated August 24, 1897—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of four hundred and fifty-one dollars and fifty-seven cents, to enable the Treasurer of the Police Department to pay John Du Fais, being balance due for professional services for preliminary drawings, general drawings and specifications, and details and superintendence of the construction of Charles Street Station-house, Nos. 133, 135 and 137 Charles street (Ninth Precinct); and that the Treasurer of the Police Department is hereby authorized and directed to pay the amount herein specified, on receipt of the warrant from the Comptroller—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of fifty-five dollars and fifty-two cents, to enable the Treasurer to pay bill presented by Henry Waring Howard, Jr., for salary as Clerk of the Works, account Construction of the Ninth Precinct Station—

house, on lots Nos. 133, 135 and 137 Charles street, under a resolution adopted by the Board o Police September 25, 1896 (from July 24 to August 24), chargeable to appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 14, 1895; and that the Treasurer of the Police Department be authorized and directed to pay said Henry Waring Howard, Jr., the amount herein specified on receipt of the warrant from the Comptroller—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of five hundred and eighty-one thousand tour hundred and thirty dollars for the month of September, 1897, being one-twelfth part of the total amount appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit—all aye:

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"Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Surgeons and Uniformed Force," \$555.140.75; "Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc.," \$11,268.33; "Supplies for Police," \$10,687.60; "Police Station-houses, Alterations and Repairs," \$2,916.66; "Contingent Expenses of Central Department, etc.," \$916.66; "Bureau of Elections—Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk," \$500— Total, \$581,430.

Resolved, That Rule 120 be amended by adding thereto the following paragraph:

The Chief of Police and Commanding Officers of districts, precincts and squads may authorize any member of their respective commands to leave the limits of the City of New York during a day or night off duty, provided, however, that the number of Officers thus absent shall not at any one time exceed ten per cent, of the total force of such district, precinct or squad. A record of every such absence shall be made in the blotter of the command to which the member thus excused belongs

Resolved, That Rule 302 be amended so as to read as follows: Captains shall report weekly to the Chief of Police and to the President of the Board of

Captains shall report weekly to the Chief of Police and to the President of the Board of Police, the location of all houses of prostitution and assignation, bed houses, places used for gambling, lottery, policy and pool-selling purposes, concert saloons, dives and other places where dissolute, degraded or lawless people congregate, and all suspicious places, and places where it suspected that violations of laws are planned or occur. In said reports they shall state the general condition of their precincts, and whether the laws and ordinances are being carefully and thoroughly enforced, and especially what steps have been taken to enforce the liquor tax law, and the laws and ordinances relating to the various crimes above mentioned, and what arrests have been made in such cases.

They shall also state what members of their commands have done duty in plain clothes and what services they have performed—all ave.

what services they have performed-all aye.

Whereas, Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, known as the Greater New York Charter, con-Whereas, Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, known as the Greater New York Charter, consolidates into one department the Police Departments of the City of New York, Brooklyn, Long Island City, Richmond county, the Police of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, and the Park Police of New York and Brooklyn; and
Whereas, The said Charter declares that the headquarters of the Central Bureau of Detectives of Greater New York shall be at Police Headquarters in the Borough of Manhattan, and presumably the headquarters of the entire Department will be located at the present Police Headquarters in the City of New York; and
Whereas, It is desirable to have at these Headquarters specific information in regard to the

Whereas, It is desirable to have at these Headquarters specific information in regard to the uniformed force, clerical force and equipment of the several aforesaid Police Departments, for the guidance and assistance of the new Board of Police Commissioners and Chief of Police to be appointed under the Greater New York Charter, as well as for the information of the employees and officers new policy at these Headquarters.

appointed under the Greater New York Charter, as well as for the information of the employees and officers now on duty at these Headquarters.

Resolved, First, That the Police Commissioner of Brooklyn, the Board of Police Commissioners of Long Island City and Richmond County, the Park Commissioner of Brooklyn, the Board of Park Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, be respectfully invited and requested to furnish this Departments the following information and data concerning their respective Departments.

(a) Complete rolls of the number of force arranged according to rank, name, precinct, date of

(a) Complete rolls of the uniformed force arranged according to rank, name, precinct, date of appointment, place and date of birth, and the salaries paid to each.

(b) Complete rolls of all other employees, arranged in classes, date of appointment and salaries paid to each.

(c) The location of the headquarters, and the number and location of the various stations and sub-stations, and the number of the uniformed force assigned to each station and sub-station.

(d) The number of Detective Officers or Sergeants and where assigned to duty.

(e) A roll of the Police pensioners and the amount of pension paid to each per annum.

(f) The amount of the Police Pension Fund.

(g) The appropriations asked for or authorized for the year 1898.

(h) The number of Mounted Police; the number of patrol wagons; the number of steamboats or other boats, it any, and where stationed, and in general a statement showing the Police equipment of each department.

Second, It is suggested that rolls of employees and financial statements be completed as

Second, It is suggested that rolls of employees and financial statements be completed as of the 31st day of October, 1897, and that the entire data be submitted to this Department at the earliest practicable date thereafter.

Whereas, Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, known as the Greater New York Charter, consolidated along with other municipalities the towns of Newtown, Flushing, Jamaica and a part of the Town of Hempstead in the County of Queens; and

Whereas, Section 1581 of the said act expressly abolishes the towns of Newtown, Flushing and Jamaica and all of the incorporated villages in that part of the County of Queens included within the Greater City of New York.

Resolved, that the Supervisors of the city towns and the President or Trustees or other local.

Resolved, that the Supervisors of the city towns and the President or Trustees or other local authorities in the aforesaid villages be respectfully requested and invited to furnish this Department with the following information;

1st. The names, grade or rank, date of appointment, place and date of birth, and salary of all local Police officials, peace officers, or other officials, who are regularly employed on Police duty.

2d. The total amount of money appropriated or asked for for the year 1898 for local Police

Resolved, That the proposal of Thomas C. Dunham to furnish window glass, as per schedule, for the sum of two hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy-three cents be and is hereby accepted. On reading and filing communication from John Du Fais, Architect of the building of the new station-house, prison and stable for patrol wagons, Nos. 133, 135 and 137 Charles street, for the Ninth Precinct, under contract with James P. F. Kelly & Co., for the sum of \$86,560;

Resolved, That the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and is hereby respectfully requested for the alteration of the plan of the buildings erected under the terms and specifications of such contract, to include the tollowing work not heretofore mentioned therein, namely:

Iron grille over front entrance doors, raising parapet walls, additional plate on truss, added drain in prison, inclined floor under Sergeant's water-closet, excess in cost of Westinghouse motors over Lindell motors specified, plastering walls and ceilings in gymnasium and drying-room, plate for bells, one 6-inch gong, angle irons on cells, added bells to Sergeants' and Matron's rooms, prison skylight lifts, Rider engine, wooden cornice strips in halls, Logan stall floors, chair rail in sitting-room, vault light lifts, additional cost for porcelain sink in stable, whitever was been leaves from troot belown, wheel grants have made in rison, oak platform, additional room. shed, leader fir m front balcony, wheel-guards, box-guard in prison, oak platform, audience room; gas and electric wiring on Sergeants' desk, glass panels in stable doors, gilding on front, finishing all floors, letters on dormitory doors, iron fence, women's prison; fittings, Sergeants' desk; partition about gas-engine, painting of guard-room, Inspector' offices, etc., enameled wash trough in basement, extra bolts on doors. All at a cost not to exceed one thousand seven hundred dollars—all ave.

dollars-all ave. On recommendation of Commissioner Smith, it was

Resolved, That the cap for Doormen, of the same style and material as sample shown by him, made by S. A. French, to cost one dollar and forty cents each, be and is hereby adopted; the same to be procured through the Bureau of Clothing and Equipment, for and on account of said French, and without liability to this Department.

Communication from John J. Brady, relative to renewal of lease for additional accommoda tions for Thirty-third Precinct, and stating that letters of administration of estate owning such premises have been issued to Michael J. Cunningham, was referred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for consideration in connection with renewal of lease requested by the Board of Police, September 8, 1897.

Resolved, That Patrolman James McGrath, Sanitary Company, be granted permission to receive a reward of twenty-five dollars (subject to the deduction under the rule) from the Medical Superintendent, Matteawan State Hospital, Fishkill, N. Y., for the return of Fannie Korn, who had escaped from custody.

Patrolman Daniel T. Hickey, Fifteenth Precinct.

Applications for Advance to Grace, Denied.

Patrolman Charles E. Slevin, Eighteenth Precinct; Patrolman Henry J. Walton, Twentieth Precinct; Patrolman Alexander Bloch, I wenty-seventh Precinct; Patrolman Lawrence R. Grant, Twenty-seventh Precinct; Patrolman Rush A. Webster, Twenty-eighth Precinct; Patrolman William H. Bell, Thirty-eighth Precinct.

Advanced to Fourth Grade.

Patrolman James E. Drexler. Twenty-sixth Precinct, September 12, 1897; Patrolman Arthur C. Tillman, First Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman John Bridinger, Seventh Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman John Bridinger, Seventh Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Patrick J. Johnson, Fourteenth Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Henry A. Henck, Nineteenth Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Emil Geisler, Twenty-first Precinct, September 7, 1897; Patrolman John F. Deboe, Twenty-first Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman John Bachmann, Twenty-third Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman John D. Coughlin, Twenty-

third Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman William A. Ryan, Twenty-third Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman William M. Kieley, Twenty-third Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman John Daly, Twenty-fifth Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman James Sullivan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, September 4, 1897; Patrolman Patrick J. Darcy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, September 12, 1897; Patrolman Thomas E. Donlon, Twenty-ninth Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Frederick L. Cummings, Thirty-second Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Henry Cramer, L. Thirty-third Precinct, September 2, 1807

Frederick L. Cummings, Thirty-second Precinct, September 2, 1897; Patrolman Henry Cramer, Jr., Thirty-third Precinct, September 2, 1897.
Resolved, That the charges against the following officers be approved:
Sergeant John Hatton, Fourth Precinct; Sergeant Charles Formosa, Twenty-second Precinct.

\*Fudgments-Fines Imposed.\*

Patrolman John E. Rogan, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, seven days' pay; Patrolman William H. Dudley, Twenty-eighth Precinct, do, six days' pay; Patrolman John W. Colgan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, do, seven and one half days' pay; Patrolman Henry L. Scharnikow, Twenty-sixth Precinct, do, seven and one-half days' pay; Patrolman John J. Farnan, Thirtieth Precinct, violation of rules three days' pay.

\*\*Complaint Dismissed—All Aye.\*\*
Captain Michael Sheehan, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

The Board here took a recess.

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After recess. Present—Commissioners Moss, Parker and Smith.

The following proposals for furnishing all the labor, and furnishing and erecting all the material necessary for the furnishing and equipment of the new Ninth Precinct Police Station-house, etc., were opened, read and referred to the Chief Clerk for report.

No. 1. Thomas M. Farley, \$2,224.84; No. 2. The Manhattan Supply Company, \$2.619.

\*\*Fudgment—Fine Imposed.\*\*

Patrolman Louis J. Weil, First Precinct, neglect of duty, twenty days' pay.

\*\*ELECTION MINUTES.\*\*

Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "C" be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed, who have resigned, failed to qualify, etc.

That said list be approved and ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections, and the Chief of the Bureau be directed to issue the necessary notices to said persons and qualify them according to law.

"C."

REPUBLICANS.										
E.D.	A. D.	NAME.	IN PLACE OF	CAUSE,	39 21	1			J. M. Ames P. F. Reilly	appear.
8 10	2	Henry G. Brock- meyer	Horace P. White William Donovan	Failed to appear. Rejected. Failed to	15 23 1 23 16 2	2 A. 3 S. R.	J. Hend A. Corry L. Eldri	dge	F. J. Sharkey G. Letart M. F. Mellis W. R. Vaughan	
2	7 7	Thomas Wiley Benjamin B rastein C. Rosenheim	R. Biackwood G. Coates	appear.	8 24 19 20 3 27	4 He 6 B. 7 D.	F. Melro M. Keel	Frank se	J. Levet, Jr A. A. Bernhardt P. Ri s O B. Sanger	"
7	680	S. H. Gittleman J. Diamond F. B. M Iler	M. Kojawsky E. Sheridan	16	24 27 20 28	7 G. 8 E.	R. Fan I	ier t	G. W. Linnell C. McGinness J. G. Heibel H. H. Long	Rejected Failed t
9 5 0	11 13 14	C. R. Jones J. S. F. Donohue D. J. Corbitt F, A. Weiner Benj, Or	L. Bantz J. F. Bergesch	**	12 30	o H.	Lehman Tyro er		M. Green	
3	15	G. Schroeder	A. W. Franck S. Woydick M. Groves	"	18 34 34 35	1 Th	eodore A O. Tobia: alter D.	A. Neale. Briggs	B. E. Buckley O. Bjockman W. F. Schmid R. L. Woolley	
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5 7	20 20	C. J. Haenlein, Jr W. F. Daly	J. S. Stone J. W. Shortell D. T. Heaney A Kirker		26 31 7 33 21 27	1 H. 3 Jo 7 Isa	C. Kenn hn Jacob aac Maye	edy ers	F J. Moore	**

Resolved, That the persons named in list marked "D" be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several Districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed, who have resigned, failed to qualify, etc.

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"D."

E. D. A. D.	NAME,	IN PLACE OF	CAUSE.	2	25	Thomas Reilly		appear.
5 1	P. H. Phillips	E. Harris	Faded to	5	27	E. G. Weller T. V. Butler G. J. Meulton	W. Kline O. Flowest	Declined.
17 2	Henry Raphael	W. O'Toole		18	28			appear.
17 3	John Word	E. F. Butler	4.6	Q	20	H. L. Wendt	E. A. Hayes	**
2 4	Jos. M. Altschal	T. F. Sullivan	44	24	20	A. I. Robinson	A. T. Dargan	**
		H. F. Whalen		27	20	J. Meikel	T. P. McNamara	**
		J. Haley	**	10	22	A. S. Pratt	J. Meehan	66
2 7	Tenny H. Rodgers.	C. H. Billings	**	20	10	I. Dool v	I. Hau ermann	14
		R. P. Murghy	44	21	22	Wm. Cuff	I. F. Wilson	
		H. M. Fay	46	Y.4	24	Jas. F. Reynolds	F. White	
		D. J. Sharkey	**	22	34	Edw. G. Sexton	I. I. Duggan	**
		I. Gormley		25	24	John H. Benuz	I. T. Lawlor	44
		T. W. Kennedy	**	2/	24	Francis X. Kelly	I. H. Kelly	44
		E. Gorman	44	70	33	Louis L. Conway	S.T.C. Weber	Rejected.
		D. McCarthy	44	19	33	Frank () Sauvan	G. Koestel	Fa led to
7 10	Amasa Saring Ir	H. Schonhert	44	-	35			appear.
2	D W Dollard	S. Harris		29	35	Jos. L. Sharkey	W G Finger	Re ected.
2 10	Wm.C. Mohr	C Ambaitan	**	54	35	Fredle P Marvin	E. S. Larkin	Failed to
	Charles For ter			1	1		C. D. Later.	appear.
		F. McGinness		15	24	Thos. S. Archer	I I Richel	
		I. W. Ware	44	0	11	Jos. F. Hanley	I W Kareney	11
			46	2	34	Samuel Hollander	I D McGrath	44
		W. J. Brennan		3	34	Samuel Honander	J. F. McGrath	11
		J. Maguire	**	25	30	Martin Fallon	W. Masterson	Failed to
		G. Wahmann					W. Masterson	
		P. Dougherty	**	38	21	D	W II Downalds	appear.
		E. M. M. Cafferty	"	13	10	Denis J.Gallagher.	W. H. Keynolds	Resigned
	Wm. N. Mott			II		William Van Eiff		**
21 23	P. J. McLaughlin	W. J. Devlin	**		1	Michael Co ta	F. C. Mei tzer	

Application of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections for the use of the Court Room and adjoin-

Application of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections for the use of the Court Room and adjoining room on September 20 and 21, to qualify Election Officers, was granted.

Resolved, That in the case of the contract between the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, party of the first part, by the Board of Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York, and F. K. Plumbly, party of the second part; the party of the first part hereby consents that the party of the second part may assign or give a power of attorney for \$1,000 of the moneys coming due for the year 1897 on the said contract.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 8, 1897.
The Board of Commissioners met this day.
Present—President James R. Sheffield, in the chair, and Commissioner O. H. La Grange.
OPENING OF PROPOSALE FOR FURNISHING FOR NEW FIRE POATS.

OPENING OF PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE PUMPS FOR NEW FIRE-BOAT.
Affidavit as to due publication of advertisement for proposals was read and filed, and

approved forms of contract submitted. Estimate was received, as follows: American Fire-engine Company, \$8,500, with security deposit, \$225. Referred to the

Comptroller for action on sureties. Consultation with Heads of Bureaus.

Present—Superintendent of Stables, Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops, Inspector of Combustibles, Building Superintendent, Medical Officer Lyons, Fire Marshal and Chief of

Department.

The minutes of meeting held on the 1st instant were read and approved. COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

were disposed of as follows:

Expenditures Authorized.

Drawing instrument and material, \$50; one horse, \$225; repairs to fire-extinguishers and rubber tires, etc., \$250; repairs to Amoskeag engine No. 519, \$262.30.

Referred.

Transcript of judgment for \$177.06 of L. Cahn & Sons against Fireman John J. Hannan. To the Attorney to prepare charges.

Transcript of judgment of 177,00 of Elements of the Attorney to prepare charges.

Requisition of Superintendent of Stables for chairs and linoleum for Hospital Stables. To Acting Purchasing Agent for estimate of cost.

Relative to a site at No. 119 Maiden Lane. To the President.

Recommendation of Chief of Department that proposals for furnishing hose be accepted. Application of George T. Patterson to have fire-alarm connection transferred to his new residence;

ordered. Report of loss of transportation certificate and money by Engineer Coyle, Engine 7, with reports of investigation. Report of injury to Firemen 1st grade Patrick F. Lucas and John Dempsey. Request of Western Union Telegraph Company, for permission to string wires on Department poles on One Hundred and Seventh street; approved. Suggestions from American Electric Heating Corporation, that the Department regulation requiring automatic cut off on electric flat irons be also applied to gas-heating irons. Proposition of New York Telephone Company, for the reconstruction of pole lines on certain streets; approved. Statement of condition of appropriation. Receipt for security deposit. Copy of annual report of Law Department for 1896. Report of Acting Captain of Twelfth Precinct (Police) in relation to false alarm from box 249. Information from Civil Service Commission that Henry C. Clark is eligible for appointment to second grade Clerk. Relative to the needs for an engine or hose company for the district north of the Southern Boulevard. Offer of George C. Goeller to sell site at north side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street for the use of the Department. Offer of Philip A. Smith to sell site on and Forty-sixth street for the use of the Department. Offer of Philip A. Smith to sell site on north side of Thirty-second street for the use of the Department.

The President reported the detail of Clerk Louis O. Winkelbach as acting Purchasing Agent

from this date. Action approved.

CONTRACTS AWARDED. For erecting a building on One Hundred and Fortieth street, to H. Probst, One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Washington avenue, for \$21,577.

For furnishing hose, to Eureka Fire Hose Company, No. 13 Barclay street, for \$2,200.

For furnishing hose, to Columbia Rubber Company, No. 66 Reade street, for \$1,550.

For furnishing hose, to Peerless Rubber Company, No. 16 Warren street, for \$450.

For furnishing hose, to New Jersey Car Spring and Rubber Company, Jersey City, N. J., for

\$450 For furnishing hose, to Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, No. 35 Warren

street, for \$3,025.
On motion of Commissioner La Grange, the Commissioners of Accounts' suggestions as to the pay-rolls was referred to the President, to consult with the Comptroller.

On recommendation of Superintendent of Telegraph, it was ordered that specifications and forms of contract be prepared for the continuation of subway construction in placing cables with a view to completing the subway system south of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

The action of the Acting President, directing the Superintendent of Telegraph to confer with the contractors for the underground trolley work on Madison avenue, and to obtain a proposition from them for putting down telegraph subway between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets, was approved.

On recommendation of Chief of Department, it was ordered that the name of ununiformed Engineer Thomas McGuire, Engine 43, be placed on the Roll of Merit, for rescuing from drowning, at personal risk, Gundo Frederick, aged eighteen months, on the 29th ultimo.

Request of Otis Brothers, for additional extension of fifteen days' time on their contract for building shaft and elevator at Repair Shops, was granted.

The application of Ahneman & Younkheere, contractors for alterations and repairs to quarters Engine 52, for an extension of time on their contract from the 25th ultimo, was granted.

BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.

Schedule 177 of 1895—total, \$47.36; schedule 152 of 1896—total, \$904.78; schedule 153 of 1896—total, \$211.00; schedule 75 of 1897—total, \$5,184.86; schedule 76 of 1897—total, \$1,884.09; schedule 77 of 1897—total, \$162,740.76; schedule 78 of 1897—total, \$1,856.46.

The Comptroller having returned the proposal of James Carroll for altering and repairing quarters Engine 30, with information that the sureties had failed to qualify, the action of the Secretary notifying Mr. Carroll to appear before the Board was approved, and the matter laid over, with directions to again notify Mr. Carroll.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary. Adjourned.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

EXTRACTS FROM THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 18, 1897.

Central Office—Proposal of Seabury & Johnson, for 220,000 yards of bleached absorbent gauze, at \$0.0175 per yard, was accepted and filled, the same being the lowest bid, the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Proposal of the Trayer Electric Construction Company to make necessary repairs and to install one new motor and generator for the sum of \$41. Accepted

Lodging-house for Homeless Men—Proposal of P. Kelly & Sons to do the necessary repairing to brick-work, stone-work and pavement, for the sum of \$25. Accepted and filed.

Bellevue Hospital—Proposal of the Glasgow Iron Works for repairs to locomotive boiler, for the sum of \$8.60. Accepted and filed.

Metropolitan Hospital—Proposal of the Glasgow Iron Works for certain work on boiler, for \$59.20. Accepted and filed.

Appointments, Resignations and Dismissals.

September 7—James F. Leahy, Night Officer, Lodging-house, resigned, in lieu of dismissal. September 10—G. T. Garrison, Skilled Helper, Bellevue Hospital, resigned; William Beatty, Skilled Helper, Bellevue Hospital, reinstated at \$360. September 6—Rose Wertz, Waitress (personal), Bellevue Hospital, appointed at \$240. September 15—James L. McDermott, Hospital Orderly, Bellevue Hospital, salary increased from \$360 to \$480.

September 14—Alexander Whitby, Cook (temporarily), Fordham Hospital, appointed in emergency, \$600. Semptember 1—J.F. Wood, Nurse, Fordham Hospital, salary increased from \$150 to \$180.

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September 16—Rose Blake, Superintending Cook, City Hospital, appointed, \$240. September 8—Tracy L. Voorhees, Nurse, City Hospital, resigned. September 15—P. J. Maloney, Morgue-keeper, City Hospital, temporary appointment, \$216.

September 15—Julia Harrington, Nurse, Almshouse, salary increased from \$144 to \$180. October 1—Mrs. R. Fayette, Seamstress, Almshouse, transferred from Bellevue Hospital.

September 19—Annie Riordan, Nurse, Metropolitan Hospital, salary increased from \$120 to \$180.

September 15—Emma E. Polhamus, Matron, Infants' Hospital, appointment, \$420. October 15—Annie Barrett, Matron, Infants' Hospital, resigned. H. G. WEAVER, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

NEW YORK, September 20, 1897.

Operations for the week ending September 18, 1897: Operations for the week ending September 18, 1897:

Plans filed for new buildings, main office, 18; estimated cost, \$591,000; plans filed for new buildings, branch office, 41; estimated cost, \$296,200; plans filed for alterations, main office, 16; estimated cost, \$23,850; plans filed for alterations, branch office, 20; estimated cost, \$12,275; buildings reported as unsafe, 56; buildings reported for additional means of escape, 29; other violations of law reported, 169; unsafe building notices issued, 103; fire-escape notices issued, 35; violation notices issued, 371; unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution, 1; fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution, 9; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 134; iron and steel inspections made, 7,894; complaints lodged with the Department, 67.

STEVENSON CONSTABLE Superintendent of Buildings

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent of Buildings. WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

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

September 25, 1897. To the Supervisor of the City Record:
SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending September 22, 1897:

Permits Issued—For sewer connections, 46; for sewer repairs, 2; for Croton connections, 32; for Croton repairs, 4; for placing building material, 32; for crossing sidewalk with team, 12; for miscellaneous purposes, 29—total, 157.

Public Moneys Received-For sewer connections, \$485; for restoring pavements, \$65.24-

total, \$550 24.

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Laboring Force Employed during the Week—Foremen, 33; Assistant Foremen, 21; Engineers of Steam Rollers, 5; Sewer Laborers, 38; Laborers, 669; Engineman, 1; Inspectors Sewer Connections, 2; Toolmen, 12; Stableman, 1; Truckman, 1; Oilers, 4; Carts, 20; Teams, 122; Carpenters, 3; Pavers, 8; Pruner, 1; Blacksmith's Helpers, 4; Machinists, 2; Sweepers, 6; Mason, 1; Flaggers, 12; Sounders, 230; Stokers, 2; Cleaners, 4—total, 1,202.

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week, \$72,837.60.

Respectfully, 1 OUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks called in accordance with section 3, article 1, of the By-laws, held Friday, August 27, 1897, at 12 o'clock M. Present—President O'Brien and Commissioner Einstein.

Absent-Commissioner Monks.

The Board proceeded to open estimates for repairing the platform at the foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river, under Contract No. 595; and for removing the existing pier and shed at the foot of Gansevoort street, and for preparing for and building a new pier near the foot of Gansevoort street, North river, under Contract No. 603, a representative of the Comptroller being

#### Contract No. 595.

Two estimates were received, as follows:	
John W. Flaherty, with security deposit of	\$70 00
Walls & Van Riper	70 00

In consequence of the discrepancy between the time up to which bids would be received on Contract No. 595 as advertised in the CITY RECORD and the time as specified in some of the specifications which had been distributed, the Board, upon the advice of the Counsel to the Corporation, returned the bids unopened to the respective bidders.

#### Contract No. 603

Seven estimates wer	e received, as i	follows:	
John W. Flaherty, with s	ecurity deposit	of \$1,350	\$73,493 00
Eugene Lentilhon,	***	1,350	67,490 00
P. Sanford Ross,	46	1,350	66,650 00
William H. Jenks,	**	1,350	73,773 00
Bernard Rolf,	**	1,350	73,373 00
George W. Rogers,	46	1,350	74,600 00
Speerin & Preston,	69	I,420	73,975 00

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for removing the existing pier and shed at the foot of Gansevoort street, and for preparing for and building a new pier near the foot of Gansevoort street, N.R., under Contract No. 603, be and hereby is awarded to P. Sanford Ross, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the surecise by the Comptroller.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by above bidders at the time of submitting their estimates.

On motion, the Board adjourned. CHARLES J. FARLEY, Assistant Secretary.

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Docks held Friday, August 27, 1897, at 12.20 o'clock P. M.

Present—President O'Brien and Commissioner Einstein.

Absent-Commissioner Monks.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported that he approved the plans for the Recreation Building and Pier at the foot of Christopher street, North river.

On motion, said plans were approved by the Board.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief recommending that repairs be made to Pier foot of West Thirtieth street, was ordered on file and said repairs ordered.

On motion, the Board adjourned. CHARLES J. FARLEY, Assistant Secretary.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

ORDINANCE to amend certain sections of the Revised Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, adopted March 9, 1897, and approved

Resolved, That section 389 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

as follows:

Every cart, truck, wagon, dray, or other vehicle drawn by one or more horses or other animals which shall be kept, used, driven or employed for the transportation or conveyance of goods, wares, merchandise, or other articles, from place to place, within the city of New York, for hire, wages or pay for such transportation, shall be deemed a "public cart" within the meaning of this article, and every person who shall set up, or so keep, use or employ any such public cart without first obtaining license therefor from the mayor of said city, as is hereinalter provided, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance, and subject to the penalties for violating municipal ordinances.

A public cart within the meaning of this article does not apply to the wagons of express companies, as referred to in article XI., section 497—(Express Wagons.)

Resolved, That section 394 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended to read as

Every public cart shall have license numbers painted on each side of the body of the vehicle, where it can be readily seen, as provided by the mayor, or mayor's marshal, and the driving of a public cart within the meaning of section 389, without such numbers, as hereinbefore directed, shall be deemed a violation of this article. The unauthorized possession of a cart, or other vehicle, with a license number so affixed, as hereinbefore provided, shall be deemed a violation of this article.

Resolved, That section 403 of the said ordinance be and the same hereby is amended to read

Every driver of a public cart, while at work, shall conspicuously wear a badge, with the number of the truck license engraved thereon, of the cart or truck he is driving. The badge to be of a style prescribed by the mayor or mayor's marshal. This badge to be the property of the truck owner and shall be furnished him by said mayor's marshal to the truck owner at a cost not exceeding fifty cents each. Duplicates shall be furnished likewise at the same price in the case of ioss or for other reasons. Failing to comply with any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed a violation of this article. The unauthorized possession of a badge as issued for a driver of a public cart shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance and liable to penaltics as such. as follows:

The above does not apply to the drivers of wagons of express companies as referred to in article XI., sections 501, 502, 503—(Express Wagons.)

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 7, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. Friend to place, erect and keep show-windows in front of his premises, No. 121 Norfolk street, provided said show windows do not exte d more than twelve inches from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during

the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 14, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September

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Club to parade through the streets of the city in coaches, with a band of music, in the morning and on the evening of Monday, September 20, 1897, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

Resolved urther, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in the City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended in the territory bounded by the Bowery, Division street, Clinton street and Hou-ton street for the evening of Monday, September 20, 1897.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 7, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September 21, 1807.

21, 1897.

Resolved, That the Citizens' Union of the City of New York be and they are hereby permitted to suspend a banner across the street in front of Nos. 39 and 40 East Twenty-third street, the same to be used only for the portraits, names and platform of said union, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to last

only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 7, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Paragon Social Club to parade with a wagon and bell from East Houston street to Thirty-fourth street and up and down all side streets from the East river to Third avenue, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for September 16, 17 and

18, 1897.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 7, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September

21, 1897.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Gilbert Cobb to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the elevated railroad stairs on the southwest corner of Eighteenth street and Third avenue, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of subdivision 3, section 86, of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroad, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen September 3, 1896, and repassed on October 6, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 7, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 21, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in the City of New York, so far as it may apply to the line of march of the James E. March Association in the territory bounded by Tenth street, First avenue, Allen street, Division street, Park Row, Chambers street and the North river, be and the same is hereby suspended for the evening of Tuesday, September

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 14, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, September 23, 1897.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

RAILROADS-The Railroad Committee will hold a meeting on every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall. WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk, Common

Council.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 68 of chapter 4to, Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, with in the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street num-

bers, and all changes in such subordinates or salarie's shall be so published within one week after they ar made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

IOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.
Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 F. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. 10 12 M.
Bureau of Licenses—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 F.M.

M. Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P.M.
Aqueduct Commissioners-Stewart Building, 5th

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P. M. Department of Public Works-No. 150 Nassau street,

9 A. M. to 4 P.M.

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-thira
and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and
Seventy-seventh street and 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

Auditing Bureau-Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Build-

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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, O. A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Chambertain—105, 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.

Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M.

Corporation
to 4 P.M.
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal
Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Eureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West
Broadway.

oadway. Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Charities-Central Office, No. 66
Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Correction-Central Office, No. 148

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Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148

East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Examining Board of Flumbers— Meets every
Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue,

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 treet, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park.

Sixty-tourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P. M.;

Saturdays, 12 M.

Contral Parks—Battery, Pier A. North river. Department of Docks-Battery, Pier A, North river,

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. 126s Broadway.
Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M.
to 4 P. M.

to 4 P. M.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment-Stewart
Building.

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

Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry

Folice Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry Street, 9 A.M. 10 4 P.M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Sheriff 's Office—Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 9 Chambers street, 0 A.M. to 4 F. M.

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

Commissioner of Jurors-Room 127 Stewart Build-Itg, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
County Clerk's Office-Nos. 7 and 8 New County

Court-house, 9 A. M. 10 4 P. M.

District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court

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.
Governoy's Recome—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.

Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house. 10.3c

A. M. to 4 P. M.

A M. to 4 P. M.
Appellate Division, Supreme Court-Court-house,
No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court Supreme Court-County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4

P. M. Criminal Division, Supreme Court-New Criminal

Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 p. M.

Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.

Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adiourns 4 p. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 p. M.

City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20: Part II., Room No. 21: Fart III., Room No. 15: Part IV., Room No. 19: 10 A. M. to 4 p. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10. City Hall. General Term, Room No. 10: 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. General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday from a A. M. clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday from a A. M. clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday from a A. M. clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday from a A. M. to 4 p. M. Second 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. Second District—Corner of 9 A. M. to 4 p. M. To 17 District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open 9 A. M. to 4 p. M. Fourth District—No. 35 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh daily. Seventh District—No. 152 East Fifty-seventh Street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 154 East Fifty-seventh District—No. 155 East Fifty-seventh District—No. 150 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 p

#### CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

New Criminal Court Building, New York, September 18, 1897.

E XAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLlows:

Wednesday, September 29, 10 A. M., MASON BUILDING INSPECTORS. This will be a written technical examination. Candidates will subsequently be required to pass an oral examination, consisting of reading plans and other practical matter.

Tuesday, October 5, 10 A. M., FEMALE JUNIOR CLERKS.

LERKS. Friday, October 15, 10 A. M., HOUSEKEEPER. Wednesday, October 20, 10 A. M., BOOKBINDER. S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 18, 1897.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRAtion day in the Labor Bureau will be Friday,
and that examinations will take place on that day at
1 P. M. S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

#### DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC CHARITIES, NO. 60 1HIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, September 24, 1897.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC Charities, at Blackwell's Island stable, on Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at 3,30 o'clock P. M., the following, viz.: 1 one-horse Lawn Mower.

Feed Cutters, 2 Coal Carts.
Harrow.

2 Feed Cutters,
2 Coal Carts,
1 Harrow,
1 Mare,
1 Wagon,
1 Ambulance,
2 Horses,
All the above to be received by the purchaser at Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and removed theretrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.
Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent, of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the General Storekeeper, at Blackwell's Island, in cash or certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioners reserve the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Public Charities the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale.

H. L. BAIN. Purchasing Agent.

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#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE 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 5204. No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Trisity avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

List 5410. No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Giles street, from Sedgwick avenue to Boston avenue.

List 5452. No. 3. Laying crosswalks across Jay street, at the westerly side of St ple street.

List 5453. No. 4. Laying crosswalks across Columbus avenue, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

List 5450. No. 5. Paving the triangle on the westerly side of the Boulevard, between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, with asphali.

List 5460. No. 6. Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, at the westerly side of Seventh avenue.

List 5461. No. 7. Laying crosswalks across St. Nicho-

dred and Thirty-seventh street, at the westerly side of Seventh avenue.

List 5461, No.7. Laying crosswalks across St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fitty-third street.

List 5462, No. 8. Laying crosswalks across Columbus avenue at the northerly and southerly sides of Sevendark across

avenue at the northerly and southerly sides of Seventieth street.

List 5484, No. 9. Receiving-ba in on the southeast corner of Baxter and Grand streets.

List 5485, No. 10. Storm-overflow to receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Rutgers Shp and South street.

List 5490, No. 11. Paving Ninety-eighth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, with asphalt blocks.

List 5491, No. 12. Sewer and appurtenances in Coilege avenue, from the existing sewer in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to One Hundred and Forty-sixth 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 Trinity avenue, from One Hun-dred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third

street.

No. 2. Both sides of Giles street, from Boston avenue to Sedgwick avenue, and to the extent of half the block

No. 3. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of Jay street with the westerly side of Staple

street.

No. 4. To the extent of half the block from the inter-section of Columbus avenue with the northerly side of One Hundred and I wenty-third street.

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No. 5. Triangle bounded by Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and the westerly side of seventh avenue.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place with the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street.

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No. 9. South side of Grand street, from Baxter to

southerly siles of Seventies street.
No. 9. South side of Grand street, from Baxter to Mulberry street.
No. 10. Block 243, lot numbers 14 to 35 inclusive.
No. 11. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 12. Both sides of College avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Courtlandt avenue to College avenue.
All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.
The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 29th day of October, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman: PATRICK M.

October, 1897. J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD Mc-CUE, Board of Assessors. NEW YORK, September 28, 1807.

DUBLIC 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 5454, No. 1. Fencing the vacant lots on the southeast corner of Riverside Drive and West Seventy-eighth street.

street.

List 5466, No. 2. Fencing the vacant lots on Morningside avenue, East, between One Hundred and Twentieth
and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

List 5469, No. 3. Fencing the vacant lots on the north
side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from
Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 5474, No. 4. Receiving-basins and appurtenances
on the northeast and northwest corners of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and
East One Hundred and Eighty-third streets.

List 5486, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging east side of Fifth avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street. List 5487, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurbing northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighth street and Madison avenue, extending about 50 feet each on avenue and street.

List 5489, No. 7. Fencing the vacant lots on the southeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Fifth 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. South side of Seventy-eighth street, extending about 130 feet 3½ inches easterly from Riverside Drive, and east side of Riverside Drive, extending about 27 feet 6 inches south of Seventy-eighth street.

No. 2. East side of Morningside avenue, east from One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

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No. 3. North side of One Hundred and Forty third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Biock 2020, Lot Nos. 11 and 12.

No. 4. West side of Jerome avenue, extending about 413 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Davidson avenue; east side of Jerome avenue, extending about 306 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-third street, and north side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Fleetwood avenue.

third street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Fleetwood avenue.

No. 5. East side of Fifth avenue between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets; on block 1492, Lot Nos. 69, 70, 71 and 72; block 1495, Lot Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4; block 1495, Lot Nos. 4, 69, 70, 70½, 71½, 71 and 72; block 1496, Lot Nos. 73 and 74, and block 1497, Lot No. 1.

block 1496, Lot Nos. 73 and 74, and block 1496, No. 1.
No. 6. North side of One Hundred and Eighth street, extending about 145 feet east of Madison avenue, and east side of Madison avenue, extending about 50 feet 11 inches north of One Hundred and Eighth street.
No. 7. Southeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Fifth avenue, extending about 100 feet on Seventy-seventh street, and about 102 feet 2 inches on Fifth avenue.

seventh street, and about 102 feet 2 inches on Fifth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed 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 October, 1807.

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

New York, September 22, 1897.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until Monday, October 4, 1897, and until 3,30 o'clock P. M. on said day, for Erecting a New School Building at Brook avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street; also for Furnishing, Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for new Public School 63, Fulton avenue and 173d street.

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

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

successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

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

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

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

character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters Fire Department, New York, September 23, 1837.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 500 feet of 1½-inch Carbolized Rubber "Test" brand of Fire Hose; 500 feet of 2½ inch Carbolized Rubber "Test" brand of Fire Hose; 500 feet of 5-inch Carbolized Rubber "Test" brand of Fire Hose will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Special attention is directed to the test of the hose by the Fire Department and the guarantee of the hour hamed.

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

For information as to the description of the hose to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

Proposals must be for all the hose called for in the specifications.

The hose is to be delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each

day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at the sum specified in the form

day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at the sum specified in the form of contract.

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

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

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

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

Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by ither a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of (50) Fifty Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forletted to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but it 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 within five days after written notice that the same has been 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 it 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.

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

NEW YORK, September 23, 1897.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING the materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting two buildings for the Fire Department. One to be erected on the easterly side of Ogden avenue, 195 feet north of Devoe street, and one to be erected on the east side of Forest avenue, 450 feet, more or less, north of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A.M., Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Separate proposals must be made for each building. Proposals must be made for all the work contained in the specifications.

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

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The building is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and eighty (180) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of seven Thousand Five Hundred (7,500) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Three Hundred and Seventy-five (375) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the

as provided by law.

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

HEAEQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, Nos. 157 AND 59 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, Sep-159 EAST 512. tember 17, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in altering and repairing the building of this Department occupied as Quarters of Engine Company No. 30, at No. 253 Spring street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, September 29, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested fit 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, chiet 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 testimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the 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.

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Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of businessor residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties to its faithful performance in the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred (1,700) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder of freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroiler, or money to the amount of Eighty-five (85) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. La GRANGE and THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

RULES AND REQUIREMENTS OF THE Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, City of New York, for the installation of electrical apparatus, etc., for electric light, power and heat, adopted 1897, as provided for by section 44, chapter 275 of the Laws of 1892 (amending chapter 410, Laws of 1882, section 5171/2).

HEADQUARTES FIRE DEFARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, September 4, 1807.

A, 1897.
Notice is hereby given that the amendments to the rules of this Department dated August 7, 1897, governing electrical installations, etc., and published in the CITY RECORD, will not be enforced until the 15th of

#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, No. 32 CHAM-BERS STREET.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, COARSE SALT, ROCK SALT, OILMEAL, AND GREEN PINE-NEEDLE BEDDING.

PINE-NEEDLE BEDDING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

STIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELopes and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to which they relate, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of the eighth (8th) day of October, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of:

1,630,000 pounds of clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other gram, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

905,500 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Prime Hay.

\$3,300 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.

4,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.

10,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.

112,500 pounds first quality Oreen Pine-needle Bedding.

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67,000 pounds first quality Bran.
The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will readvertise and relet the work, and so on till the contract be accepted and executed.

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

than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or a guarantee company incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand (\$ro,oco) Dollars, and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above Alis Liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject any or all the bids, or to select the bid or bids, the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, be deemed best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in a

All bids must be made with reference to the form of Contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected. The form of the agreement (with specifications), showing the manner of payment for the articles, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

e Department. GEORGE E. WARING, Jr., Commissioner of Street

Dated New York, September 25, 1897.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in the Criminal Court Building.

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 17,

No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, September 17, 1897.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 36th auction sale of Police and Unclaimed Property will be sold at Public Auction, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., of the following property, viz.: Male and Female Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Satchels of Clothing and Toilet Articles, Tools, Telegraph Material, Sewing Machine Tops, Horse Blankers, Pocketbooks, Knives, etc., Margerine Matting, Tarpaulin, Macaroni, Pumps, Lap Robe, Baking Powder, Metal Ornaments, Harness, Bird Food, Moulds, Pails, Brooms, Asbestol, Toys, Canned Goods, Rugs, Gurs, Swords, Whips, Umbrellas, Canes, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Furniture, Iron Bedsteads, Iron, Lead and Metal and Miscellaneous Articles, For particulars see catalogue on day of sale.

JOHN F, HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

Police Department—City of New York, 1896.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of
New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the
tollowing property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing,
boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods
liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from
prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
IOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$355,000.00 OF THREE PER CENT. STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED, BY AN ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE PASSED MARCH 14, 1889, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF New York, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until TUESDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the tollowing-described Registered Bonds of the City of New York, bearing interest at three per cent. per annum, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE.	
\$350,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for new grounds and buildings for the College of the City of New York	168, Laws of 1895; chapter 608,		May 1 and Nov. 1	
5,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York known as "High School Bonds."	Sections 132 and 134. New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 412, Laws of 1897, and resolution Board of Estimate and Apportion- ment, July 28, 1897		May 1, and Nov. 1	

This stock is exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted July 2,

CONDITIONS provided by section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 103 of the Laws of 1897:

No proposal for bonds or stock will be accepted for less than the par value of the same.

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Each bidder must deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of the said Comptroller upon a State or National Bank of the City of New York, Two PER CENT. of the amount of the proposal, including premium. No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit. All such deposits will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after decision as to the highest bidder or bidders has been made, except the deposit or deposits made by

such highest bidder or bidders. If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after the service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the Chamberlain of the City of New York the amount of the stock or bonds awarded to him or them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, if any, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount of such deposit or deposits shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such refusal or neglect.

The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law.

The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed to a such as a control of the surfaced in a such as a control of the surfaced in a such as a control of the surfaced in a such as a su

by the persons whose the sace there, especially obtained by law.

The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonos of the Corporation of the City of New York," and then inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 14, 1897.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND

THE INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1897, ON the Registered Eonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September to November 1898.

The Transfer Books with the Closest State of November 1, 1897.

The interest due November 1, 1897, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York, will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 100 Broadway.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

ASHBEL, P. FITCH, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 15, 1897.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPEN-

ING STREETS AND AVENUES.

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

ing-named street in the

NINETEENTH WARD.

EXTERIOR STREET—from the centre line of East
Sixty-fourth street to the northerly line of East Eightyfirst street; confirmed July 13, 1897, entered
September 9, 1897. Area of Assessment: All
those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York,
which, taken together, are bounded and described as
follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the
blocks between East Ninetieth street and East Ninetyfirst street; on the south by the middle line of the blocks
between East Fifty-eighth and East Fifty-ninth streets;
on the east by the bulkhead-line, East river; on the west
by a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant
westerly too feet from the westerly side thereof.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the

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

Solidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before November 8, 1897, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 11, 1897.

#### OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"NEW YORK PRESS," "NEW York Tribune."
Evening—"Mail and Express," "News,"
Weekly—"Leslie's Weekly," "Weekly Union."
German—"Staats-Zeitung."
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVE-NUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.

NUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.

NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

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

STEVFNSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

Department of Public Parks,

Department of Public Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, New York, September 11, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M., of Monday, September 27, 1897.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO ERECTI AND COMPLETE, SO FAR AS HEREIN SPECIFIED, THE NEW SOUTHWEST CORNER WING AND LECTURE HALL BUILDING AND ENLARGEMENT OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, IN THE MANHATTAN SQUARE, including all the Necessary Blasting and Excavating, Blind and other Drains, Foundations, Concreting, Brickwork, Rubble-stone Work, Filling and Ramming of Trenches, Grading, Masonwork, Granite and other Stonework, Plastering and Steel, Galvanized Iron and Wirework, Copper and other Metalwork, Skylights, Glazing, Roofing, Flashings, Snow-guards, Guttering, Leaders, Plumbing, Gas and other Pipes, Car-Skylights, Glazing, Roofing, Flashings, Snow-guards, Guttering, Leaders, Plumbing, Gas and other Pipes, Carpenter-work, Door and Window Frames, Doors, Sashes, Glass, Painting, Steps, Platforms, Cleaning, Pipes, Valves, Electric Work and Alterations to and Connections with Present Buildings and other Works.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ne price or lump sum for which they will execute the

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be-three hundred days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Fifty Dollars

The amount of the security required is One Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars.

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

done.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects

fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the varietication 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 te execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or perso

as surety or cherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the contract which the successful b dder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, and also at the office of the architects, Cady, Berg and See, No. 31 East Seventeenth street.

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

N. B.—The time for the reception and opening of the bids or proposals invited by the above advertisement is extended to Monday, October 4, 1897, at two oblock P. M. By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks. WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

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

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-IHIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK, July 26, 1897.

AUCTION SALE.

THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards will sell at Public Auction, by James McCauley, Auctioneer, Emildings and parts of Buildings, Fences, etc., now standing within the lines of—18t. La Fontaine avenue, from Tremont avenue to Quarry road.

2d. Arthur avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

th street. Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to Pelham

h. East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, in Third avenue to Southern Boulevard.

b. East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from hern Boulevard to Bronx Park.

b. East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, a Southern Boulevard to Beston road.

b. Charlotte street, from Jennings street to Cr. tona

Freeman street, from Southern Boulevard to

Westchester avenue.

oth Tiffany street, from Longwood avenue to Intervale aven. c.

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roth. Longwood avenue, fr.m Westchester avenue to
Southern Boulevard.

rtth. Rogers place, from Dawson street to East One
Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

rzth. Pontiac place, from Trinity avenue to Robbins

13th Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard

14th. East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from

Mott avenue to River avenue.

15th. Shiridan avenue, from East One Hundred and Fifty third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first

notes. East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, om River avenue to Walton avenue, and from Mott

om River avenue to watton avenue, and the enue to Sheridan avenue. 17th. East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, om River avenue to the Concourse. 18th. East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, om Sheridan avenue to the New York and Hark m

10th. Morris avenue, from the east side of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Grand Boulevard and

Eastburn avenue, from Belmont street to the 20th Eastburn avenue, from Belmont street to the Concourse.
21st. Anthony avenue, from Clay avenue to Burnside avenue.
22st. East Cap Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.

avenue.

22d. East Cne Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Creston avenue to Ryer avenue.

23d. Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Fighty-eighth street.

24th. Loring place, from Hampden street to Fordham road.

road.
25th East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street,
from Valentine avenue to Webster avenue.
26th. Bainbridge avenue, from Kingsbridge road to
Southern Boulevard.

27th. Potter place (East Two Hundred and Fourth street), from Jerome avenue to Mosholu Parkway. 28th. Gun Hill road, from Jerome avenue to the

Napier avenue, from Eastchester avenue to Mt

Vernoa avenue.

3cth. Oneida avenue, from Eastchester avenue to Mt.
Vernon avenue. n avenue. . Katonah avenue, from Eastchester avenue to

31st. Katonah avenue, from Eastchester avenue to Mt. Vernon avenue.
32d. Martha avenue, from Fast Two Hundred and Thirty-hith street (formerly Willard street) to the northern boundary of the city.
33d. Clifford's reet, from Fastchester avenue to the Bronx river.

Bronx river.

34th. Willard street, from Mt. Vernon avenue to the Bronx river.

Opdyke avenue, from Mt. Vernon avenue to the

onx river. 6th. Oakley street, from Mt. Vernon avenue to Verio

avenue.

37th. Kemble street, from Mt. Vernon avenue to Verio avenue.

— on Monday, October 4, 1897, at 10 o'clock A.M., and the tollowing days if necessary.

The sale will begin with, and in front of, premises numbered one on the catalogue.

Payments to be made in bankable funds at the time of sale.

sale.

Buyers to remove all incumbrances within thirty days from date of sale and to be liable for any and all damages by reason of the occupancy or removal of the said property, or any part of it.

For further information and for catalogues apply at the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

By order of the Commissioner.

By order of the Commissioner, IOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

## DE PARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, September 20, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chiet Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Friday, October 1, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1 FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVE

second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1, FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN TENTH STREET, between Avenues A and C, AND IN AVENUE A, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

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 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 memi er of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof

therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its taithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neelect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum 19 which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1701. obtained in Room No. 1701.
CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public

COMM SSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, September 15, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. DIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A scaled envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the biader indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, comer of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'cacek M. on Fuesday, September 28, 1892. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour abovementioned.

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No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TERRACE VIEW AVENUE, SOUTH, ON MARBLE HILL, from Kingsbridge avenue, running around in a cicular direction until it reaches Broadway a d Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS IHEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING JANSEN AVENUE, ON MARBLE HILL, N. Y. CITY, from Terrace View avenue, North, to Terrace View avenue, North, to Terrace View avenue, South, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND PLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING KINGSBRIDGE AVENUE (MARBLE HILL, trom Terrace View avenue to the intersection of Van Corlear place, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND TLAGGING SILEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TERRACE VIEW AVENUE ABOUT 100 FEET

NORTH OF UNITED STATES CHANNEL LINE, from Broadway to Kingsbridge avenue, AND SEITING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDE-WAEKS THEREIN.

No. 5, FOR REGULATING AND GRADING WICKER PLACE, ON MARBLE HILL, N. Y. CITY, from Jansen avenue to Kingsbridge avenue, AND SEITING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 6, FOR FLAGGING, REFLAGGING, CURB-ING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON SIXTY-NIN'I H STREET, from West End avenue to Twelfich avenue.

Twelfth avenue.
No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING
WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT TWO STRIPS ON
THE PRESENT PAVEMENT OF THE CARRIAGEWAY OF DESBROSSES SIREFT, from Hudson street to the ferry (where not within the limits of

grants of land under water].

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH
ASPHALT PAVEMENT TWO STRIPS ON THE
PRESENT PAVEMENT OF THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ELEVENTH AVENUE, from Forty-first
to Forty-second street, AND FORTY-St.COND
STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Ferry-house,
North river

PRESENT PAVEMENT OF THE CARRIAGE-WAY OF ELEVENTH AVENUE, from Forty-first to Forty-second sueet, AND FOR IY-SECOND STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Ferry-house, North-river.

No. o. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CON CRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from Fourth to Firth avenue (except from Fourth to Madison avenue).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him 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 lair and without collusion or traud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties or its faithful performance, and that if he shall retuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which he Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount to be calculated upon the estimate how he have had be a become panied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, they will pay to the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the pe

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor for Nos. 7, 8 and 9, in Room No. 1733 for Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORdinances of the Common Council, approved March 30, 1897, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, vis.: "Hoistways may be placed within the stoop lines, but in no case to extend bee, ond five feet from the house-line, and shall be guarded by iron railings or rods to prevent accidents to passers-by."

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

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

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

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

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE IS HERBBY GIVEN THAT THE practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 5, Article XIV, section 251, Revised Ordinances of 1897, which reads: "All curb-stones \* \* \* shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curb-stones provided by the City or not.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS-COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PLUMB-bers, to whom license has been or may be issued to make and connect service pipes, tor conducting water to houses and tenements with the dis ributing pipes in this city, after said pipes have been tapped, and to make connections with sewers or drains from houses

and tenements with the sewers or drains in the streets or avenues of this city, that such license will be revoked in the case of any plumber who permits another to use his license and to do the work of a master plumber without holding a certificate of competency from the Examining Board of Plumbers; or who violates any of the regulations which have been or may hereafter be established by the Department, respecting the introduction and use of the Croton water and connections made with sewers and drairs. drairs.
CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public
Works

#### DAMAGE COMM .- 23-24 WARDS.

DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act
"providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of
"damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason or
"changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant
"to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the
"depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and
"Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, of
"otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and
supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that
public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New
York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each
week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice
Dated New York, October 30, 1895.
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE
W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.

V. STEPHENS, Commissioners. LAMONT McLoughlin, Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS WILL SELL at public auction to the highest bidder, on October 8, 1897, at 100 o'clock A. M., the following described old material:

At the foot of Gansevoort Street, North River.

About 35 Pile 1 uts, average length, about 75 Pile 1 uts, average length, about 75 Pile Points, average length, about 75 Pile Points, average length about 75 Pile.

About 35 Old Piles, average length about 25 Pilet.

About 60 Old Piles, average length about 25 Pilet.

Lot No. 2.

Lot No. 3.

One pile of old galvanized iron, tin and metals of various sorts, about 35 cubic yards.

Lot No. 4.

At the Foot of West Thirty-fourth Street, North River.

One rait of old timber, about 26 feet by 21 feet, by about 3 feet deep.

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Lot No. 5.

At the Tim'er Basin at the Foot of West Seventy-fifth
Street, North River.

Raft of old timber, about 36 feet by 20 feet, about 8 about 3 feet deep.

feet deep. Rait of old timber, about 38 feet by 24 feet, about 4

feet deep. Raft of old timber, about 40 feet by 21 feet, about 4 Raft of old timber, about 50 feet by 25 feet, about 4

et deep. Raft of old timber, about 33 feet by 20 feet, about 5. feet deep.
Raft of pile tops, about 3 feet by 11 feet, about 5 feet

TERMS OF SAIF.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M. and be continued in the following order:
1st. At the foot of G insevoort street, North river.
2d. At the foot of West Thirty fourth s. rect.
3d. At the Timber Basin foot of West Seventy-fifth street.

street.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct, but the Department will not make any allowance from the purchale money for short deliveries on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bics.

If the purchaser or purchasers fail or fails to effect the removal of the material within ten days from the date of sale, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money or moneys a d the ownership of the material.

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale An order will be given for the material purchased.

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

SUPREME COURT.

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 hereditam ints required for the purpose of widening WENDOVER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Brook avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—Fhat we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, to us, at our office, Nos. co and g2 West Broadway, minth floor, in said city, on or before the 27th day of October, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 27th day of October, 1897, and lor that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 11,30 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, Nos. 50 and 29 West Broadway, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of October, 1897.

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 bou

easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Claremont Park and distant 105 feet westerly from the easterly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Confirmed.

Dated New York, September 21, 1897.

BENJ. F. GERDING. Chairman, WILBER McBrlDE, JULIUS H. FOX, 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 Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and linds necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the Lity of New York on the North river, between Jane and Horatio streets, and between West street and Trirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses, together with a statement of the amounts previously taxed, to whom the same were payable and the date of such taxation, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part L. to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of October, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, together with said statement, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New Y. SK, September 24, 1897.

JNO. DELAHUNTY, Chairman; WILBUR LARREMORE, WM. H. McCARTHY, 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 Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and pos ession of the uplands, lands, wharf-prop rty, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Horatio and Gansevoort 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.

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Dated New York, September 24, 1897.

ALBERT B. BOARDMAN, Charman, ARTHUR, M. KING, JNO. H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.

John A. Henneberry, Clerk.

In the matter of the appl cation of The Mayor, Aldertimen and Common Ity of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, wharf-property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between West Twe, thand Jane streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan herstofare adopted by the said De\_artment of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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Dated New York, September 24, 1897.

WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman, FREDERICK S. PARKER, JNO. H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening DATER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Port Morris B anch of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been herete fore lad out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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Dated New York, Septenber 17, 1897.

THEO, T BAYLOR, J. HENRY HAGGERTY, EDWARD A. CONE, Commissioners.

John P. Dunn, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been here-toore acquired, to the lands, tenements and here, itaments required for the purpose of opening HOLLY STREE1 (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mount Verson avenue to the nor-hern boundary of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL

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

Dated New York, September 16, 1897.

NESTOR A. ALEXANDER, THOMAS NOLAN, Commissioners.

John P. Dunn, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, on the 1st day of October, 1897, at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, September 16, 1897.

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Dated New York, September 16, 1897.

JACOB E. SALOMON, HENRY ALLEN, JOHN H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons inter-ested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and im-proved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to

VV 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 pers in interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadvay, muth floor, in said city, on or before the 19th day of October, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 19th day of October, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, there to remain until the 20th day of October, 1897.

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. 20 nthe north by the middle line of the blocks between E st One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and Fordham road, from the middle line of the blocks between Loring place and Sedgwick avenue and said middle line produced to the middle line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Eighty-first street and oistant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; themee by the prolongation of a ine drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and oistant 200 feet southerly from the middle line of the blocks between Aqued

County of New York, at the County Court-noise in the City of New York, on the 22d day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 13, 1867.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, Chairman, JOSEPH E. McMAHON, JOSEPH KAUFMANN, Commissioners

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEVENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper euthority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads.

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that d. y, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of certain streets or avenues, known as East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to Newans place (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 355.04 feet northerly from the inter-ection of the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street (measured along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse):

1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse (1965).

2. Thence easterly deflecting 85 degrees 20 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 281.65 feet to the Western line of Valentine avenue.

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

4th. Thence westerly for 286.53 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Valentine

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Valentine avenue distant 414.88 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Valentine avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street (measured along the eastern line of Valentine avenue).

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

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 235 feet to the western line of Tiebout avenue.

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

4th. Thence westerly for 235 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Marion avenue distant 500 27 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Marion avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street (measured along the western line of Marion avenue).

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Marion avenue for 50.25 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 94 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 116.67 feet.

3d. Thence still westerly deflecting 1 degrees 43 minutes 55 seconds to the left for 120 of 120 feet.

4th. Thence still westerly deflecting 1 degree 32 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 113.88 feet to the eastern line of Marion avenue for 50 feet.

5th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 158.88 feet.

7th. Thence still easterly for 100 39 feet to the point of beginning. PARCEL "C."

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STEVENS PLACE.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street distant 125 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street with the west raline of Marion avenue (measured along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street).

ine of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street),
1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East
One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street for 40.30 feet.
2d. Thence southerly deflecting 79 degrees 1 minute
34 seconds to the left for 318.11 feet.
3d. Thence easierly deflecting, 102 degrees 30 minutes
30 seconds to the left for 40.97 feet.
4th. Thence northerly for 309.56 feet to the point of beginning.

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East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Stevens place are designated as streets of the first class, and are shown on section 17 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City or New York on December 27, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1895; in the office of the State of New York on December 28, 1895.
Dated New York, September 17, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HYATT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), trom Mount Vernon avenue to the northern boundary of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, at the conty Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th (a yof September, 1897, at 10, 30 o'clock in the fore-noon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New YORK, Sectember 15, 1897.

C. W. WEST, FREDERICK HULBERG, JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, Commissioners.

John P. Dunn, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been here-tofore acquired, to AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Tweltth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1897, at the opening of the Count on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard there in, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Audub in avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred Seventy-fifth extract distant one to the restelland of the City of the property of the content of the country of the City of the Hundred and Seventy-fifth extractions of the country of the City of the Country of the City of the Work, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 200 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 200 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street distant 370 feet westerly from the west rly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel to sail avenue, distance 200 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 200 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and and Eightieth street dis ant 370 feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 210, 50 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 20, 50 feet, to the northerly I ne of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 370 feet westerly along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 20,50 leet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 370 feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 170 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 170 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet; to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-second street dista t 370 feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterd m avenue; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 184,67 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-thrd street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, di tance 184,67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southerly, di tance 184,67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, di tance 184,67 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said line distant 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly, distance 80 feet; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 444,67 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence westerly, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 80 feet; thence southerly, distance 80 feet; thence northerly and parallel with sa d avenue, distance 124,83 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 80 feet; thence northerly and parallel with sa davenue, distance 124,83 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundr

seventh street; thence easterly, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty eighth street distant 370 feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel to said avenue, distance 1,230,65 feet; thence deflecting to to left radius 220 feet, distance 345.57 feet; distance 26 of feet, to the easterly line of Fort George avenue; thence southerly and along said easterly line and 11 a curved line to the right radius 600 feet, distance 200, 30 feet; thence southerly and still along said easterly line and in a reverse curve to the left radius 350.67 feet, distance 51.51 feet; thence northerly and casterly and in a curved line to the right radius 180.65 f et, distance 201.3 feet; thence cas erly and southerly and in a curved line to the right radius 180.65 f et, distance 219.07 f.et; thence southerly and it angent thereto and parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 450 feet westerly therefrom, distance 1,290,60 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence easterly and along said line, distance 80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Sid avenue to be 80 feet wide between the lines of One Hundred and Seventy-fit byteet and Fort George.

Street; thence easterly and along said line, distance 86 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Sild avenue to be 86 feet wide between the lines of One Hundred and Seventy-fift hatreet and Fort George avenue, and is shown on certain maps entitled "Map or Survey showing Streets, Roads and Pabli: Squares and Places th thave been laid out by the Comm sioners of the Central Park within that part of the Ui y of New York to the northwardly of the son herly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in pursuance of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the laying-out and maproons of certain portions of the City and County of New York,'" passed April 24, 1855, and filed by said Commissioners in the office of the Department of Public Works, the office of the Department of Public Parks and the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 25th day of May, 1859, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 25th day of May, 1859.

Dated New York, September 17, 1837.

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

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

Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL.
of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason
of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be
presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the
Supreme Court, at a Sp cial Term thereof, Part I., to
be held in and for the Ci y and County of New York, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on
the 4th day of October, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the
forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel
can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs,
charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of
the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to
remain for and during the space of ten days, as required
by law.

Dated New York, September 17, 1897.

Dated New York, September 17, 1897.

ROBERT STURGIS, CHARLES H. BABCCCK,
WM. F. TZPATRICK, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of I'he 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, tenement and hereditaments required for the purpose of pening ORCHARD STREET (or East One Hundred and

Sixty-ninth street), (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Boscobel avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

Sixty-ninth street), (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Boscobel avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

We fatimate 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 lost and invoced 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 interest—in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objection the said thereto, do present their said objection the day of October, 1807, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the week days next after the said oth day of October, 1807, and office on each of said ten days at 12, 20 o'clock p. M. Second office on each of said ten days at 12, 20 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 Etree of the said the

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor. Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the SCUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTHSTREET AND THE WESTERLY SIDE OF LENOX AVENUE, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various
statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given
that an application will be made to the Supreme Court
of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said
Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County
Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of
October, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day,
or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon,
for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in
the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

or as soon hereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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

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

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Lenox avenue distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street with the westerly line of Lenox avenue; running thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and along the northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 89, 100 feet; thence northerly parallel with Lenox avenue 25 feet in inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly line of Lenox avenue 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to

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

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS
of Estimate and Assessment Missioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons inter-ested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and im-

proved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, to us at our office, Nos 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 23d day of October, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of October, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 9.300'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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, there to remain until the 25th day of October, 1897.

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, Work, which taken

day of October, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.; On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-sevenih street, on the south by the northerly side of McClellan street, on the south by the northerly side of McClellan street, on the ast by a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant roo feet easterly therefrom, on the west by a line drawn parallel to the westerly therefrom, as said streets are shown upon the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upou our benefit maps deposited as afferesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 20, 1897.

Dated New York, September 20, 1897.
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, Chairman; ROBT.
WENSLEY, JACOB RATZ, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

Herry de Forest Baldwis, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldernien 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 herediaments required for the purpose of opening EMMERICH PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Heath avenue to Kingsbridge road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, to us at our office, Nos go and 92 West Broadway, minth floor, in said city, on or before the 23d day of October, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of October, 1897, 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 docu

ance 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway. In said city, there to remain until the 2sth day of October, 1897.

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 100 feet west of the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and running thence southeasterly on a line parallel to the northeasterly line of Kingsbridge road and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Sedgwick avenue; thence southeasterly is de of Sedgwick avenue; thence southeasterly herefrom to a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Sedgwick avenue; thence southeasterly therefrom to a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly therefrom to a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly therefrom to a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly side of Sedgwick avenue and Bailey avenue and drawn at right angles to the middle line of the block between Secgwick avenue and Bailey avenue; thence westerly along said last mentioned line perpendicular to the middle line of the block between Secgwick avenue and Bailey avenue; thence westerly side of Bailey avenue; thence westerly side of Bailey avenue to a point too feet west of the westerly side of Harlem for the middle line of the block between Secgwick avenue and Bailey avenue; thence northerly on a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Harlem fiver tence westerly from the westerly side of Harlem river tence and Heath avenue and distant too feet west of the westerly side of Harlem river t

aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

port be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 18, 1897.

JAMES S. ALLEN, Chairman; J. STEARNS, ISAAC T. BROWN, Commission Henry de Forest Baldwin, Clerk.

Henry de Forest Baldwin, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET AND THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelith Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAP-ter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of October, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

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

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

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, distant 325 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard unth the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; running thence northerly parallel with the Boulevard 199 feet and 10 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 150 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1897.

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place of beginning.
Dated New York, September 20, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL. Of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of October. 1897, at 10,30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, September 17, 1897.

ROBERT STURGIS, DAVID J. LEES, JOHN MURPHY, 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 Com-monalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WADSWORTH AVENUE, from Kings-bridge road, near One Hundred and Seventy-third street, to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, in the City of New York.

street, to Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, in 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 supplemental and amended 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, Nos. go and og West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 4th day of October, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 4th day of October, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 150 Nassau street, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of October, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our as-essment tor benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels ot land situate.

with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 150 Nassau street, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of October, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our as-essment 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 a line drawn parallel to Fort George avenue and distant 150 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, distant about 650 feet easterly from the casterly side of Eleventh avenue, running thence westerly along said line to the easterly side of Eleventh avenue; thence along a line drawn at right angles to Eleventh avenue to a point distant 150 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence along a line parallel to Farview avenue, and distant 150 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence along said line to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence along the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence along the easterly side of Kingsbridge road to a point distant about 75 feet northerly from the northerly side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence along a line drawn at right angles to Kingsbridge road to a point distant 150 feet westerly from the northerly side of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street richence along a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant 150 feet westerly from the westerly side of One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence along a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant 150 feet westerly from the easterly side of One Hundred and Seventieth street; to a point distant about 26 feet northerly side of One Hundred and Seventieth street to a point distant 150 feet westerly from the easterly side thereof to a point distant about 26 feet northerly on a line parallel to Eleventh avenue; thence northerly on a line parallel with Eleventh avenue and distant 150 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to a point distant about 26 feet northerly fr

such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of October, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 20, 1897.

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

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Alder-men and Commonalty of the City of New York, rela-tive to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and here-

ditaments required for the purpose of opening MARION AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Mosholu parkway, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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 to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, to us at our office, Nos. oo and 29 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 18th day of October, 18g9, and that we, the said Commissioners, will bear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of October, 18g9, and that we, the said Commissioners, will bear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of October, 18g9, and that we, the said comments used by as in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. op and 22 West Broadway in the said city, there to remain until the 18th day of October, 18g9.

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 westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hund

connrmed.
Dated New York, September 3, 1897.
JOHN LARKIN, Chairman, GEORGE E. HYATT,
JOHN C. McCARTHY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. Dunn, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BOSCOBEL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Undercliff avenue to Boscobel avenue, south of the Washington Bridge, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the

class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of September, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentoned street or avenue, the same being particularly set torth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk ofthe City and County of New York on the 7th day of September, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the actentitled "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

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk

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