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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending May 18, 1895.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN, NEW YORK, May 23, 1895. Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to May 18, 1895, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since May 11, 1895, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on May 18, 1895. Very respectfully, JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending May 18, 1895. CR.

1895. May 18	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$4,684 82	
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	4,695 52	
	Additional Public Parks Fund.....	115,169 47	
	Armory Fund.....	7,070 00	
	Block Tax and Assessment Map Fund.....	93 05	
	Board of Education—Building Fund.....	12,000 00	
	Bridge over Harlem River—Third Avenue.....	124 00	
	Bridge over Harlem River—Between First and Willis Avenues.....	30 00	
	Castle Garden, etc., Improvement of.....	164 58	
	Central Park—Construction.....	124 97	
	Change of Grade, 23d and 24th Wards.....	226 11	
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	256 58	
	Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	1,535 37	
	Corleary Hook Park—Construction and Improvement.....	214 71	
	Croton Water Fund.....	843 05	
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	203 45	
	Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock.....	8,090 00	
	Dock Fund.....	13,886 19	
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension.....	143 02	
	Excise Licenses.....	17,077 59	
	Fire Department Fund—For Sites, etc.....	2,600 50	
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	132,870 03	
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives.....	869 02	
	Morningside Park—Construction.....	162 05	
	Park Avenue—Improvement.....	37,500 00	
	Public Buildings—Seventh and Eleventh District Courts.....	24 00	
	Public Buildings—23d and 24th Wards, Crotona Park.....	2,010 25	
	Public Driveway—Construction.....	6,260 96	
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	234 02	
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,718 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	14,065 40	
	Riverside Park—Construction.....	3,197 07	
	Riverside Park and Drive—C. of C.....	84 79	
	School-house Fund.....	23,700 00	
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	112,017 73	
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	85 81	
	Van Cortlandt Park.....	605 30	
	Water-main Fund.....	13,610 47	
		\$538,250 28	
	Advertising.....	\$6 60	
	Aquarium.....	704 96	
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	3,246 14	
	Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	389 86	
	Babies' Ward Post-Graduate Hospital.....	1,160 22	
	Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	72 00	
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,051 49	
	Bridge over Harlem River Ship Canal—Maintenance.....	52 50	
	Bridges crossing Railroad—23d and 24th Wards.....	103 00	
	Bronx River Works.....	296 50	
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.....	315 00	
	Civil Service of the City of New York.....	208 14	
	Cleaning Markets.....	775 74	
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	57,092 40	
	College of the City of New York.....	295 99	
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	535 07	
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	29 20	
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	397 69	
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	1,861 35	
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	396 38	
	Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	12 00	
	Department of Buildings.....	50 00	
	Fire Department Fund.....	3,437 36	
	Free Floating Baths—Care and Maintenance.....	21 00	
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	925 01	
	Health Fund.....	466 66	
	Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.....	18,346 77	
	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	6,830 39	
	Hospital Fund.....	285 36	
	Improvement and Maintenance of Parks—23d and 24th Wards.....	1,056 47	
	Incidental Expenses of Sheriff's Office.....	150 00	
	Judgments.....	196 75	
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	1,041 47	
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	26,261 76	
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards.....	8,430 47	
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	14,367 42	
	Mothers and Babies' Hospital.....	855 00	
	New York Catholic Protectory.....	21,765 86	
	New York Foundling Hospital.....	25,200 43	
	New York Juvenile Asylum.....	9,567 12	
	New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	6,228 08	
	Normal College.....	107 44	
	Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	6,392 07	
	Parks outside of 23d and 24th Wards—Improvement and Maintenance.....	444 94	
	Police Station-houses—Rents.....	450 00	
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	694 66	
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	608 01	
	Public Charities and Correction.....	42,055 02	
	Public Instruction.....	306,325 25	
	Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	2,083 33	
	Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	102 50	
	Rents—Department of Public Parks.....	1,625 00	
	Rents.....	21,375 00	
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	5,094 05	
	Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	6,254 38	
	Repeating Streets and Avenues.....	2,500 00	
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	864 37	
	Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	5,455 69	
	Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	47 80	
	Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	1,479 50	
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	1,140 79	
	Sewers and Drains—23d and 24th Wards.....	308 00	
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,657 75	
	State Taxes and Common Schools for State.....	700,000 00	
	Street Improvements—For Surveying, etc.....	21 00	
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	2,604 55	
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	472 14	
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	9 68	
		\$1,326,364 19	
	Balance.....	\$1,087,032 12	
		\$2,951,546 59	

THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with DR. JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending May 18, 1895. CR.

1895. May 18	To Witness Fees.....	\$10 00	1895. May 11	By Balance.....	\$143 35
	Balance.....	133 35			
		\$143 35			\$143 35

May 18, 1895. By Balance..... JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain. \$133 35

1895. May 18	By Balance.....	\$1,728,217 44
	Taxes.....	\$57,575 39
	Interest on Taxes.....	2,507 05
	Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	30 30
	Arrears of Taxes.....	26,565 73
	Interest on Taxes.....	4,838 47
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	23,776 90
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	80,627 73
	Interest on Assessments.....	5,000 83
	Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	30 00
	Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	6 00
	Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	45 18
	Interest on Setting Meter.....	5 12
	Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—23d and 24th Wards.....	46 06
	Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—23d and 24th Wards.....	33 14
	Sundry Licenses.....	884 75
	Restoring and Repaving—23d and 24th Wards.....	51 00
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	754 25
	Tapping Pipes.....	330 50
	Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	17 37
	Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers Grammar and Primary Schools, 1895.....	83 33
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	5 00
	Street Incumbrance Fund.....	1,065 25
	Dock Fund.....	21 40
	Additional Water Fund.....	364 83
	General Fund.....	246 00
	".....	3 85
	".....	242 10
	".....	3 00
	".....	232 02
	".....	379 80
	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Washington Bridge Park Fund.....	12,656 80
	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Improvement of Riverside Park.....	5,000 00
	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Purchase of Stock and Plant—Department of Street Cleaning.....	20,000 00
	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Construction of Bridge over Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	60,000 00
	3 per cent. Additional Water Stock—City of New York.....	10,000 00
	3 per cent. Armory Bonds.....	10,000 00
	3 per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1895.....	200,000 00
	3 ".....	500,000 00
	3 ".....	200,000 00
		\$1,223,429 15
		\$2,951,546 59

May 18, 1895. By Balance..... JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain. \$1,087,032 12

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending May 18, 1895.

1895. May 11	By Balance, as per last account current.....	GILON.....	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	Street Imp. Fund.....	\$128 54		\$1,169,875 31		\$124,899 15
	Riv. Ave. Imp. Fd.....	494 49				
	Sundry Licenses.....	9,502 50				
	Market R. and F.....	7,872 50				
	Market Cellar Rent.....	105 00				
	Street Vaults.....	5,971 24				
	Dock and Slip Rents.....	56,346 50				
	Interest on Deposits.....	B'k of America.....				
	".....	B'k State of N. Y.....				
	".....	Chatham Nat.....				
	".....	Corn Ex. Nat.....				
	".....	Bank of N. A.....				
	".....	B'k of Republic.....				
	".....	U. S. Nat. Bank.....				
	".....	Merc. Trust Co.....				
	".....	Real Est. T. Co.....		80,480 79		
	Arrears Cro. W. R.....	Austen.....	\$1,975 40			
	".....	Gilon.....	1,225 60			
	Interest Cro. W. R.....	".....	216 55			
	Croton R. and P.....	Johnson.....	93,704 47			
	House Rent.....	O'Brien.....	677 70			
	Int. on Bd. and Mtge.....	".....	170 40			
	Ground Rent.....	".....	40 00			
	Water Lot Rent.....	".....	336 89			
	To Sink. Fd.—Red.....		\$117,740 89			
	To Sink. Fd.—Int.....					
	To Balances.....		1,132,615 21		\$225,246 16	
			\$1,250,356 10	\$1,250,356 10	\$225,246 16	\$225,246 16

May 18, 1895. By Balances..... JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain. \$225,246 16

THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with DR. JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending May 18, 1895. CR.

1895. May 18	To Jury Fees.....	\$408 00	1895. May 11	By Balance.....	\$23,513 00
	Balance.....	23,105 00			
		\$23,513 00			\$23,513 00

May 18, 1895. By Balance..... JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain. \$23,105 00

THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with DR. JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending May 18, 1895. CR.

1895. May 18	To Interest Registered.....	\$15,045 75	1895. May 11	By Balance.....	\$88,151 46
	Balance.....	73,105 71			
		\$88,151 46			\$88,151 46

May 18, 1895. By Balance..... JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain. \$73,105 71

### THE BOARD OF POLICE.

The Board of Police met on the 20th day of May, 1895. Present—Commissioners Roosevelt, Andrews, Grant and Parker.

Reports, Applications, etc., Ordered on File.

Chief of Police—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154. Superintendent of Telegraph—On completion of telegraphic connection between premises of Bernstein & Altmeyer, Nos. 315 and 317 East One Hundred and Third street, and Twenty-eighth Precinct Station-house. State Civil Service Commission, Albany—Approving action of Board of Police in adopting New York City Civil Service regulations. Secretary New York City Civil Service Board—Transmitting papers of candidates, and book containing Dr. Brown's physical examination. Secretary Civil Service Board—Relative to examination of S. J. Rosenthal. Taxpayer—Relative to Police Department and force. Contagious disease in the family of Captain James K. Price, Eighth Precinct. Contagious disease

in the family of Patrolman Bernard Smyth, Thirty-third Precinct. Contagious disease in the family of Patrolman Thomas O'Connell, Thirty-third Precinct. Death of Patrolman Maurice Hartnett, Eighth Precinct, 18th instant. A. Schermerhorn—Asking promotion of Patrolman William Galligan; file with record. Charles H. T. Collis—Asking promotion of Patrolman William Galligan; file with record. Melvin Mennery, Thomas B. Adams, James M. Mapes, Charles L. Hasher, William J. Sachse, James Ryan, W. H. Smith—For appointment as Patrolmen. Edward Thompson, Edgar D. Smith, E. J. Connolly—For appointment as Clerks. Dr. S. E. Milliken—For appointment as Surgeon. Ellis J. Stewart—Recommending appointment of Dr. Stewart as Surgeon. H. W. Hoops—Recommending appointment of Andrew W. Zinsler as Patrolman. A. S. Webb—Recommending appointment of George Bishop as Doorman. Report of Captain Cross, Fifth Precinct, inclosing \$3.20, proceeds of sale of strawberries, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund. Report of the Chief of Police, on application of the Carroll Box and Lumber Company, for appointment of Henry Young as Special Patrolman, was referred to Commissioners



Andrews and Parker for report, and to report generally upon the [subject of appointing Special Patrolmen.

*Applications for Retirement Referred to Committee on Pensions.*

Captain Joseph B. Eakins, Fifteenth Precinct, Captain Thomas M. Ryan, Thirty-first Precinct.

*Applications for Promotion Referred to the Chief of Police for Report as to Conduct and Efficiency.*

Captain Nicholas Brooks, Twenty-ninth Precinct; Sergeant Oliver Tims, Third Precinct; Sergeant Norman Westervelt, Fifth Precinct; Sergeant John H. Grant, Twenty-ninth Precinct; Detective-Sergeant Stephen O'Brien, Detective Bureau; Roundsman Patrick McGuire, Sixteenth Precinct; Patrolman George Kethman, Thirty-second Precinct; Patrolman Artemas W. Mitchell, Twenty-second Precinct; Patrolman Abram Minnerly, Thirty-second Precinct; Patrolman John W. Hinton, Twenty-ninth Precinct; Patrolman Thomas J. Maloney, Fifth Precinct; Patrolman Thomas Fitzpatrick, Twenty-seventh Precinct; Patrolman George C. Frost, Seventeenth Precinct; Patrolman James McCusker, Twenty-ninth Precinct; Patrolman Patrick Burke, Seventh Precinct; Patrolman Griffin H. Merritt, Thirty-fourth Precinct; Patrolman John L. Hyatt, Twenty-sixth Precinct; Patrolman Emil Stetter, Twenty-eighth Precinct; Patrolman Henry T. Murray, Eighth Precinct; Patrolman Henry A. Livingston, Sixteenth Precinct; Patrolman Edgar J. Barker, Fifth Precinct.

Communication from James Richardson, calling attention to newspaper clipping relative to Captain Richard O'Connor, was referred to the President.

*Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.*

From the Mayor—Inclosing communication from J. Washcroft, Chief of Police, Monroe, N. J.—Asking information relative to Police equipments. Empire City Subway Company—Relative to requisition for space in subways, and noting certain discrepancies in resolution. D. W. Craig—Asking temporary relief from court-reporting duty.

Communication from the Mayor—Notice of hearing on certain Senate bills on the 27th instant, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Communication from Dr. W. E. Andrews—Relative to Policemen in political and other clubs, and Resolved, That it be respectfully referred to Commissioners Parker and Andrews to report whether the law prohibiting Police officers from belonging to any political club or association will prevent them from enrolling in the election districts as provided by the rules governing the Republican County Committee.

Communication from the Automatic Gas Regulating Company—Proposing to attach gas regulators, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Resolved, That full pay, while sick, be granted to Patrolman Stephen J. Branigan, Nineteenth Precinct, from April 20 to May 7, 1895—all aye.

*Retired Officer—All Aye.*

Patrolman William B. Stanton, First Court, \$700 per year.

The Chief of Police reported the following transfers and assignments, which were ordered on file:

*Transfers.*

Sergeant Michael E. Foody, from Second Court to Thirteenth Precinct; Sergeant Watson Vredenburg, from Thirty-first Precinct to Second Court; Roundsman Thomas McGee, from Second Court to Twenty-fourth Precinct; Roundsman Matthew Campbell, from Seventeenth Precinct to Second Court; Patrolman Patrick F. Hunt, from Second Court to Twentieth Precinct.

*Assignments.*

Patrolman John McGinley, Twenty-second Precinct, detail three days; Roundsman Patrick White, Thirteenth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant, temporarily; Roundsman Ernest Schroth, Sixth Court, in charge until further orders; Sergeant Henry Stankamp, Twenty-third Precinct, in charge until further orders.

Resolved, That the Chief of Police be asked to make a report as to what form of record should be kept in the Station-houses to enable a Patrolman to report himself at the end of his tour of patrol duty.

Resolved, That authority be and is hereby granted to the Treasurer to direct employees in Treasurer's office to give bonds, if he so desires.

Report of the President relative to Civil Service examinations, Clerks for Civil Service work, etc., was ordered on file.

Communications from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, alleging inattention of Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct, in assisting street cleaning officials, and from Sheriff Tamsen, relative to the Police officers protecting Deputy Sheriffs, were referred to the Chief of Police, and the Board again calls attention to the resolution passed last meeting, that the Captains will be expected to see that the men do their duty, and to arrest any man who interferes with a City official, whether in the Sheriff's Office or the Street Cleaning Department, or any other department, and that we will not allow ignorance to be pleaded as an excuse for such non-performance of duty in any case that arises hereafter.

*Judgment—Dismissed.*

Patrolman Joseph Cassidy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty—all aye.

*Fines—Imposed.*

Patrolman George C. Strong, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, fifteen days' pay; Patrolman Franklin C. Cooper, Twenty-second Precinct, do, fifteen days' pay; Patrolman John H. Hurley, Twenty-third Precinct, do, five days' pay; Patrolman Patrick Donnellan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, do, fifteen days' pay; Patrolman William J. Haney, Thirtieth Precinct, do, two days' pay.

*Complaints Dismissed.*

Patrolman John Ryan, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman John J. Quinn, Twenty-second Precinct, do; Patrolman Louis G. McCord, Twenty-ninth Precinct, do.

*Communications Referred to the Chief of Police.*

From the Mayor—Inclosing communication from Mary Sturgis, No. 449 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, complaint of ball playing in street; inquiry of Bridget Doyle, as to her brother James O'Brien, asking character of B. F. Steinrich, No. 235 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Stephen Vail—Relative to violation of several sections of the Consolidation Act and Revised Ordinances. Health Department—Complaint of nuisance at Fourth and Park avenues, southeast corner of Thirty-fourth street, to cause arrest of persons who commit nuisance at place referred to. Alfred A. Whitman—Asking abatement of nuisance on vacant lot opposite his residence, No. 305 West Seventy-eighth street. James McDonald—Complaint of policy shop, No. 5 Minetta street. A. G. Reynolds—Complaint against his brother, Sergeant Delos Reynolds. Sundry anonymous complaints. Patrolman Michael J. Netterville—Asking transfer to Sanitary Company. Patrolman James D. Cuyes, Nineteenth Precinct—Asking transfer to Twenty-third Sub-Precinct. Dr. W. E. Andrews—Asking detail of Patrolman Samuel S. Cox, Sixth Court. J. Arthur Barrett—Asking detail of Patrolman Charles Maas, Thirtieth Precinct. E. B. Hinsdale—Commending conduct of Patrolman James Malony, Seventeenth Precinct. Donald Mackay—Relative to Patrolman James Malley, Seventeenth Precinct. Matthew Bunker, Michael E. Butler—Asking detail Patrolman John Murphy, First Precinct. W. C. Church—Asking detail Patrolman William Spolascio, Seventeenth Precinct. Lord & Taylor—Asking retention of Patrolman William McCullough, Seventeenth Precinct. J. F. Brainard—Commending Patrolman George Banks. Adam Weiner—Complaining of disorderly persons at No. 96 Allen street. J. Rodman—Complaining of pool room at No. 203 Front street. Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 22d day of May, 1895. Present—Commissioners Roosevelt, Andrews, Grant and Parker.

*Reports, Applications and Communications Ordered on File.*

Chief of Police—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154. Chief of Police—On complaint of J. S. Morrison, of street peddlers. Inspector Conlin—On communications commending Patrolman Thomas F. Waters, Nineteenth Precinct, for stopping a runaway, and Patrolman Patrick M. Evers, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for bravery at fires; both officers commended by the Board. Captain Eighteenth Precinct—On complaint against Patrolman Michael T. Donegan. Captain Twentieth Precinct—On complaint of John McGrow, that officers of Twentieth Precinct do not properly perform their duties. Captain Twentieth Precinct—On complaint of billiard and pool room, Eighth avenue and Thirty-first street. Captain Twenty-first Precinct—On complaint of John Cooney, of pool room No. 477 Third avenue. Captain Twenty-second Precinct—On complaint of B. H. Grefe, Jr., against No. 607 West Forty-sixth street. Captain Twenty-eighth Precinct—On complaint of A. Mother, of resort southwest corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Thirteenth street. Sergeant Eighth Precinct—On complaint of A. Browning, of liquor store corner Dominick and Varick streets. Sergeant Fourteenth Precinct—On complaint of F. Gibelin, of sidewalk obstructions No. 168 First avenue. Sergeant Sixteenth Precinct—On complaint of M. Roberts against Sergeant Lynch, Sixteenth Precinct. Sergeant Twenty-seventh Precinct—On complaint of ill-treated wife against policy dealers. Sergeant Fourth Precinct—On complaint of C. Dingman, of sidewalk obstructions, Broadway and Ann street. A Patrolman—Complaining of hours of duty. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman John Fay, Fourth Precinct. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Charles Davis, Seventeenth Precinct. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Peter Hogan, Twentieth Precinct. Andrew Rae—Complaining of Police officials. Garfield National Bank—Acknowledging receipt of signatures. George Behling, Patrick Norton, Thomas J. Walter—Applications for appointment as Patrolmen. C. W. Wagner—Recommending appointment of Gustav Schultz, as Patrolman. John F. Burkitt—Recommending appointment of Charles A. Turner, as Patrolman. J. R. Sheffield—Recommending appointment of Eugene J. Busher, as Patrolman. William P. Jones—Recommending appointment of Eliza Zettleron, as Matron. Mrs. G. L. Gillespie—Recommending appointment of J. N. Lockwood, as Matron. Annie Adams—For appointment as Matron. E. H. C. Goodwin—Asking promotion of Roundsman Michael Smith. Franklin Edson—Asking promotion of Captain Elbert O. Smith. H. C. Burleigh—Asking promotion of Patrolman John L. Hyatt.

*Applications for Promotion Referred to the Chief of Police.*

Roundsman Charles L. Schanwacker, Central Office; Roundsman William Butler, Second Precinct; Patrolman Michael P. Sweeny, Sanitary Company; Patrolman Louis De Gan, Third Precinct.

*Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk.*

Seaboard National Bank—Acknowledging receipt of signatures, and asking certain information. Anna M. Jackson—Asking that Ellen Collins be furnished with copy of rules relative to Doormen and Matrons. Mrs. H. A. Davis—Asking information as to collection of a debt against a Policeman. L. L. Thompson—Asking Police and Fire badges.

Court of Common Pleas—The People ex rel, Thomas Morgan against The Board of Police. Writ of certiorari. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

*Applications and Communications Referred to Committee on Pensions.*

Captain W. C. F. Berghold, Sixth Precinct—For retirement. Kate Murphy, widow of Patrick Murphy, late Patrolman—For pension. C. Murra—Information regarding Captains Joseph B. Eakins and Thomas M. Ryan.

Report of the Board of Surgeons on communication from C. W. Watson, N. Y. City Civil Service Board, alleging discrepancies between reports of Police Surgeons and Medical Examiner of Civil Service Board in certain cases, was referred to Dr. Young, Medical Examiner, Civil Service Board, requesting report.

*Communications Referred to Committee on Rules and Discipline.*

From the Mayor—Giving notice of a hearing at 3 P. M., 29th instant, on Assembly Bill No. 2744, as to pay of Surgeons and Doormen. Doorman Edgar Sharp, Twenty-second Precinct—Asking permission to appear before the Mayor at hearing on bill as to pay of Doormen.

Communication from William L. Somers, Resident Physician, Roosevelt Hospital, relative to attempt of Patrolman Charles F. McKeever, Tenth Precinct, to injure himself, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for immediate report.

*Communications Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.*

Automatic Gas Regulator Company—Proposing to furnish police buildings with Automatic Gas Regulator. William C. Haslitt—Asking appointment as Inspector, etc.

Application of Edward Murphy for reappointment as Patrolman was referred to Commissioners Grant and Andrews.

Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to notify the Chief of Police that the services of two officers will be required for the inspection of the delivery of coal under the contract with Meyer, Denker & Hoerig, commencing Monday, May 27, 1895, at seven A. M., foot of Fifth street, East river, and thereafter until the whole quantity of coal has been delivered.

Resolved, That Commissioners Grant and Andrews be and are hereby appointed to look into the matter of reinstatement of ex-officers of the force.

Resolved, That the resolution passed by the Common Council authorizing the Chief of Police to issue permits allowing trucks to stand along curb, etc., on Decoration Day, be referred to Commissioners Grant and Parker for immediate report. The Committee reported that it is not advisable to grant the permission, and said report was adopted by the Board.

Resolved, That the Board of Police hereby serves notice that if it discovers that any officer is evading the law against membership in political associations by any subterfuge whatsoever, they will regard it as a violation of that law.

Resolved, That the bill of Tiffany & Co., \$60, for four badges for the Commissioners, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the return in the case of Herman F. Ludwig be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That Rule 113 be and is hereby amended by striking out of the first paragraph all after the word "candidate," on the fourth line.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of eight hundred dollars, to enable the Treasurer of this Department to pay L. H. Dahlman for purchase of four horses, under resolution of the Board of Police, adopted April 19, 1895, and for account of appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1894, entitled "For Twelve Patrol Wagons, Including Horses, Harness, etc."

Resolved, That the amendment to Rule 1, proposed by Commissioner Grant, relative to examinations for membership in the Police force, and the form of certificate in each case, be and is hereby adopted.

Resolved, That Commissioner Andrews be authorized to print five thousand copies of certificate allowing free transportation for Police officers, on approval of the form by the Mayor.

Commissioner Roosevelt submitted a statement relative to the examination papers for promotion of William W. McLaughlin to the office of Inspector, which was ordered on file.

Details by the Chief of Police under Rule 32—filed.

*Communications Referred to the Chief of Police.*

From the Mayor—Asking character of George Schmitt, No. 460 East Fifty-seventh street; Peter Wooley, No. 612 East Eighty-fourth street; letter from J. R. Rives, concerning alleged swindle; A Heart-broken Wife, complaint of gambling at No. 211 East Fifty-third street. Board of Excise—Relative to hearing of complaints against Theiss Brothers and John O'Neil; relative to violations of excise law at No. 1075 Park avenue, No. 685 Second avenue and No. 7 Clinton place; report of rejection of application to carry on business at No. 56 Jefferson street under license issued to another; as to revocation of license to premises No. 71 Chrystie street and No. 380 Second avenue; asking character of Ann Grady, No. 353 Spring street. Sundry anonymous complaints. James Donegan—Complaint of disorderly persons in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues. H. Clay Trumper—Complaint of saloons being open during restricted hours. William Beaumont—Complaint of saloon northwest corner Amsterdam avenue and Eighty-third street. J. McNamara—Complaint of Roundsmen and Patrolmen in Twenty-first Precinct. A. Van Santvoord—Complaint of disorderly boys, Pier 29, North river. M. Suchmacher—Complaint of Officer Muller, Twenty-fifth Precinct. Mary Robinson—Complaint of Hurley's saloon, Tenth avenue and Seventeenth street. George Nuse—Complaint that no officer accompanied May party on 18th instant. R. C. Kittredge—Complaint of garbage, West Nineteenth street, in front of Nos. 151 and 155. Thomas L. Strong—Complaint of saloon corner Columbus avenue and Seventieth street. G. Majel, etc.—Complaint that Police Thirteenth Precinct do not prevent violation of corporation ordinances. E. Gaylor & Co.—Complaint of burglars on Broadway, between Eleventh and Seventeenth streets. F. W. Harris—Asking issue of order requiring officers to walk on a curb. S. W. Abbott—Asking detail of two officers to accompany an excursion of Bethany Presbyterian Sunday School, June 6. S. V. R. Cruger—Asking transfer of Sergeant Henry K. Woodruff to command Twenty-third Precinct. Captain A. W. Conover—Commending Patrolman John P. Kelly, Seventeenth Precinct. Thomas L. McClintock, City Vigilance League—Complaint of saloons being open during restricted hours, Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Precincts. C. A. Harned—Asking appointment of John Pierce as Special Patrolman. A. J. Murphy—Asking appointment of Charles Forget as Special Patrolman.

Resolved, That Joseph H. Pratt be and is hereby reappointed Patrolman, subject to examination to be made under such regulations as shall be prescribed by the Board of Police in pursuance of chapter 569, Laws of 1895, for the admission of persons into the Police force, etc.—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Secretary of the Civil Service Board for the detailment of Mr. Bell, and for the certification of a Stenographer and two Clerks to the Board of Police for the purpose of assisting the Civil Service examinations to be established by the Board.

*Judgments—Fines Imposed.*

Patrolman William A. Ahearn, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman Francis J. Clark, Fifth Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Frederick Hollenbeck, Ninth Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Hector Worden, Tenth Precinct, conducting unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John M. De Lay, Tenth Precinct, do, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Patrick J. Callahan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas F. Leonard, Tenth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Frank C. Boekell, Eleventh Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman James Doyle, Fifteenth Precinct, do, three days' pay; Patrolman James Fitzgibbons, Sixteenth Precinct, do, three days' pay; Patrolman Andrew Oppelt, Eighteenth Precinct, do, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William H. Duggan, Twenty-third Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Jacob Young, Twenty-fifth Precinct, do, ten days' pay; Patrolman John J. O'Brien, Twenty-eighth Precinct, do, three days' pay; Patrolman Herman C. Sturke, Twenty-eighth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman John C. Moore, Twenty-eighth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Conrad J. Nicholas, Thirty-first Precinct, do, four days' pay; Patrolman James J. Rooney, Thirty-second Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman George Haas, Thirty-third Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Floyd T. Gill, Thirty-fifth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Charles M. Donovan, Eleventh Precinct, do, four days' pay; Patrolman Frederick D. King, Twenty-fifth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Patrick H. Cash, Twenty-eighth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas J. Sweeny, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Alex. McGivney, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, four days' pay; Patrolman Louis Katz, Fourteenth Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Harry D. Adriance, Fifteenth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Charles S. Link, Nineteenth Precinct, do, five days' pay; Patrolman John Maher, Thirty-third Precinct, do, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Charles Becker, Second Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Joseph Reitman, Sixth Precinct, do, four days' pay; Patrolman Thomas Donnelly, Twenty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, fifteen days' pay; Patrolman Charles Elterich, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman Stephen G. Burke, Thirty-third Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Stephen G. Burke, Thirty-third Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Harry Van Zandt, Thirty-fifth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman William Keil, Seventh Precinct, do, three days' pay; Patrolman Martin Diviney, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Cornelius Walker, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman William F. Carey, Twenty-second Precinct, do, two days' pay; Patrolman Peter C.



Hilbert, Twenty-third Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Joseph B. Ward, Twenty-fifth Precinct, do, one day's pay.

#### Reprimands.

Patrolman William J. Redmond, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman George W. Beck, Tenth Precinct, do; Patrolman Albert E. Robbins, Thirty-second Precinct, do; Patrolman Frank H. Sisson, Thirty-second Precinct, do.

#### Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Thomas A. Mahaffy, First Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman James J. Riley, Fourth Precinct, do; Patrolman Thomas Rogers, Fifth Precinct, do; Patrolman George W. Beck, Tenth Precinct, do; Patrolman Philip F. Birmingham, Thirteenth Precinct, do; Patrolman William H. Klan, Fifteenth Precinct, do; Patrolman Joseph F. Gorman, Twentieth Precinct, do; Patrolman Frank P. Glennon, Twenty-fourth Precinct, do; Patrolman John J. Killilea, Twenty-fourth Precinct, do; Patrolman Thomas B. Farley, Thirty-first Precinct, do; Patrolman Dennis Doyle, Thirty-third Precinct, do; Patrolman John Sweeny, Thirty-third Precinct, do; Patrolman Matthew C. Riley, Thirty-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

#### Election Matters.

Resolved, That the resignation of James Casey, Inspector of Elections, Thirty-ninth Election District, Sixth Assembly District, be and is hereby accepted.

The President made the following statement: Before going on with the work, I am directed by the Board to make the following statement in reference to the appointment of Inspectors of Election, Poll Clerks and Ballot Clerks. Much complaint has been made to the Board of the character of these men appointed in the past. Under the law we appoint equally from each of the regular party organizations polling the largest vote at the last election, but we are not only empowered but required to see that these men are not only citizens of the United States and of the State of New York, but of good character, able to read, write and speak the English language understandingly; and they shall be examined as to their qualifications by the Board. Commissioner Andrews has been in consultation with the Chief of the Bureau of Elections as to some form of examination by which we will be able to test the intelligence of these men. Commissioner Grant has been requested to formulate some plan for testing the integrity of the men. We wish to have these men—men of integrity and men of intelligence, and we wish it to be understood now that, so far as possible, we shall, through our agents, exercise a personal supervision over the character and intelligence of these men, and that we shall welcome the advice and assistance of outside citizens of good character and standing in the community who may give us any information as to the men submitted by the regular party organizations, and we invite any information from any reputable source that will tend to establish either the good or bad character, the intelligence or lack of intelligence of any man recommended for one of these very responsible and important positions. I say this now, especially because I wish the party organizations—the managers of the party organizations—to know the attitude of the Board in advance, and to understand that we intend, so far as may be, to insist upon men of good character and intelligence filling these places.

Adjourned.

W. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 24th day of May, 1895. Present—Commissioners Roosevelt, Andrews, Grant and Parker.

#### Reports, Applications and Communications Ordered on File.

Chief of Police—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154. Captain Twenty-fourth Precinct—On complaint of F. Mullen of disorderly persons at Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues. Captain Thirtieth Precinct—On communication from A. R. Kendig, commending Patrolman Henry J. Wingardner. Captain Nineteenth Precinct and Sergeant Fourteenth Precinct—On communication from H. Abell, calling attention to certain hotels used as disorderly houses. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Bridget Doyle as to James O'Brien. Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of Department of Street Cleaning, that proper assistance is not afforded to its officers. Secretary Civil Service Board—Forwarding package of application papers. Committee Rules and Discipline—Recommending dismissal of complaint against Hostler James Carney, Thirty-fifth Precinct; approved. Chief Clerk—Of all members of the force who have served twenty years, and all detailed officers, pursuant to resolution of 7th instant. Edward Cooper—Recommending Patrolman J. J. Dinan for promotion. Edward C. McKay—Recommending Patrolman William M. Roosa for promotion. Counsel to the Corporation—Recommending Patrolman Francis B. Crowley for promotion. James P. Keenan—Recommending Patrolman Edward O'Neill for promotion. J. Mullen—Recommending Patrolman W. J. Mooney for promotion. Charles F. Wingate—Recommending Roundsman Samuel Hammond for promotion. W. H. Foote, Jr.—Recommending Roundsman Charles H. Kelly for promotion. J. Sabine Smith—Recommending Roundsman John O'Neil for promotion. Newspaper clipping—Recommending Sergeant Thomas McCormick for promotion. J. Levisberg—Commending bravery of Detective Sergeant Armstrong at a fire.

D. M. Sullivan, Jacob Gleckner, Henry P. Pfeiff, Michael O'Brien, George F. Dorsh—Applications for appointment as Patrolmen. Dr. Julius Solow, Dr. Preston W. Wright, Dr. W. M. Carhart—Applications for appointment as Surgeons. James F. Crout—Application for appointment as Stenographer. Bernard Weil—Application for appointment as Clerk. Thomas O'Brien—Application for appointment as Doorman. Mrs. John Flynn—Application for appointment of any kind. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Thomas Connolly, Thirteenth Precinct. Certain anonymous communications.

Report of Captain Copeland, Thirty-sixth Precinct, relative to employment of Charles F. Griffin as Steward on Steamboat Patrol, in place of Richard Winsten (resigned) was approved. Applications for Promotion Referred to the Chief of Police for Report as to Conduct and Efficiency.

Sergeant Edward Walsh, Fourth Precinct; Sergeant Patrick Leonard, Sixth Precinct; Sergeant Jacob Welsing, Twentieth Precinct; Roundsman Patrick Leonard, Fifth Precinct; Roundsman Ernest Schroth, Sixth Court; Patrolman Charles Phillips, Twenty-ninth Precinct; Patrolman J. J. Dinan, Seventh Precinct.

The Chief of Police submitted reports of the Commanding Officers of Precincts and Squads, relative to efficiency of Roundsmen, pursuant to resolution of 13th instant, which was referred to Commissioner Andrews.

The following applications for reappointment to the Police force were referred to the Board of Surgeons for examination and report. Peter Kenny, Ira J. Todd, Ralph Cullinan, John F. Kelly, Richard Deeves, in behalf of Isaac Bird, Bernard Karsh, George Spurgeon, Morry Lewick, in behalf of Edward Murphy.

#### Communications Referred to the Chief Clerk to Answer.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Inclosing letter from J. A. Bussing, addressed to the Mayor, asking permit for truck to stand on street Decoration Day. Richard J. McNamara, Young Men's Catholic Association—Asking if resolution relative to membership in clubs and associations means social as well as political clubs.

The following communications from the Board of Apportionment were referred to the Treasurer: Amending resolution relative to issue of bonds for purchase of property in Ridge street, Twelfth Precinct Station-house. Resolution transferring \$2,500 for purchase of horses. Resolution transferring \$1,700 for employment of Clerks for three months.

Communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, relative to complaint of Nicholas Greubel and others against stable in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Melrose and Courtlandt avenues, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to Mr. Greubel.

A proposal of the Knickerbocker Ice Company to furnish ice was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

The Committee on Repairs and Supplies reported that the proposal of the American Gas Control Company to furnish station-houses with automatic gas-saving governors had been accepted. Approved, under direction of said Committee.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, asking that the sworn answers of Captain P. H. Pickett and Patrolman David N. Wilbur in the complaint of Louis B. Wade be forwarded to him, was referred to the Chief Clerk.

Resolved, That the returns to writs in the cases of Frederick Timme and William Reilly be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That S. J. Rosenthal be and is hereby appointed Stenographer, with compensation of twelve hundred dollars per annum, subject to non-competitive examination when the Board of Examiners are appointed.

#### Retired Officer—All Aye.

Inspector Alexander S. Williams, First District, \$1,750 per year.

Resolved, That all applications for reappointment on the Police Force be referred to the Board of Surgeons for examination and report as to their qualifications for Patrolmen.

Details by the Chief of Police. Filed.

#### Communications Referred to the Chief of Police for Report, etc.

From the Mayor—Inclosing complaint of J. J. Sullivan, as to disorderly house No. 20 East Broadway. Neighbors—Complaint against saloon, No 157 Forsyth street. Board of Excise—As to character of Henry Hoover, No. 2359 Third avenue; license revoked, Nos. 43 and 45 Third avenue. Sundry anonymous complaints. General A. W. Averill—Complaining of cabmen at depots. D. D. Willis—Complaining of violation of Excise Law. Kenmore Club—Complaining against Patrolman Thomas Burke, Eighth Precinct. W. D. Hull—Complaining against saloon, No. 7 Clinton place. Peter E. Finnegan—Complaining against disorderly persons, foot Canal street, North river. Alexander H. Hoehn—Complaining against Patrolman D. O'Connor, Tenth Precinct. A. R. Coates—Complaining against ash and garbage cart, No. 87 Fifth avenue. William Dihur—Complaining against flower vendors in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Edward W. Disney—Relative to necessity of an officer at Bowery and Grand street. Charles H. Weller—Asking whereabouts of John Theil. A. G. Reynolds—Relative to former letter regarding Sergeant Delos Reynolds. Benjamin F. Carey—Relative to Sunday closing law. Andrew McNickle—Suggest-

ing detail of Patrolman Max Sparenberg, Third Precinct. Robert J. Wright, H. E. Cranston—Recommending Patrolman Edward O'Neil for mounted duty. John Kerr—Asking that Patrolman James B. Finnegan be assigned to Court duty. W. L. Littlefield—Asking that Patrolman Peter S. Fulton be transferred. E. J. Atkinson, Secretary Memorial Committee, G. A. R.—Inclosing copy of chapter 531, Laws of 1895—to grant leaves so far as the exigencies of the Department will permit.

#### Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Thomas G. Kennedy, First Precinct, conduct unbecoming officer, thirteen days' pay; Patrolman James E. Dougherty, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Philip F. Mahony, Tenth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman Philip F. Mahony, Tenth Precinct, do, one day's pay; Patrolman George Lahm, Twenty-second Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.

#### Reprimand.

Patrolman Alonzo M. Southard, Twelfth Precinct, conduct unbecoming officer.

#### ELECTION MINUTES.

##### Communications Referred to Chief of Bureau of Elections.

Elias Schavin, No. 182 Seventh avenue—Offering store as a polling place. F. E. Potter—Asking that name of C. W. Senior be withdrawn as Inspector of Election and Walter Watkins substituted.

##### Applications for Appointment Referred to the Chief of Bureau of Elections.

B. W. Jacobson, for Poll Clerk; Peter McLarty, for Inspector.

Resolved, That the plan for examination of election officers submitted by the Chief of the Bureau of Elections be and it is hereby approved, subject to such modifications as the Board may direct, and that officer is directed to prepare and make requisition for the necessary blank forms for the action of the Committee on Elections.

The Chairman of the Committee on Supplies will make the repairs to the court-room furniture requisite to the holding of the examination provided for by such plan. Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

##### Approved Papers for the Week ending June 1, 1895.

Resolved, That Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Central Park, North and East River Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission to the construction, maintenance and operation of the extensions or branches in Dey street and West Broadway, and as mentioned in the petition of said companies, for such consent and permission will be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for at least fourteen days in two daily newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law as amended, such advertising to be at the expense of the said petitioners.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 21, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 27, 1895, and the New York "Times" and the New York "Tribune" designated.

Resolved, That Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon, at the chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission to the construction, maintenance and operation of the extensions or branches in University place, Wooster street, West Fourth street and West Third street, and as mentioned in the petition of said companies for such consent and permission will be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for at least fourteen days in two daily newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law, as amended, such advertising to be at the expense of the said petitioners.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 21, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 27, 1895, and the New York "Press" and the New York "Sun" designated.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Compressed Air Motive Power Company, of the City of New York, to operate a car equipped with their system of propulsion, on the following lines of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, viz.: From the Belt Line stables at Fifty-fourth street and Tenth avenue to Tenth avenue, south on Tenth avenue to Thirty-fourth street, east on Thirty-fourth street to Ninth avenue, and thence on the tracks of the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, the consent of said Metropolitan Street Railway Company being hereto annexed, for the purpose of demonstrating its utility as a motive power, the work to be done and materials supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for ninety days from and after the date of the beginning of such trial.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 21, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1895.

Resolved, That the following-named persons, recently appointed or superseded as Commissioner of Deeds, and they are hereby corrected so as to read as follows: Morris Isaac, to read, Morris Israel; George B. Chapman, to read, George B. Campbell.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1895.

Whereas, By the death of Walter Q. Gresham, Secretary of State, the Nation loses a loyal son, a brilliant statesman, and an unflinching patriot, as fearless in his love of right as unsparing of his hatred of wrong in all places; and

Whereas, Walter Q. Gresham in all his military and civil career preserved his reputation and good name spotless, even those opposed to him politically were forced to concede his sturdy integrity in all the walks of life; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Common Council deeply deplore the untimely death of Walter Q. Gresham, and extend their deep sympathy to his surviving relatives; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed, and duly authenticated by the Clerk of this Board, be forwarded to the family of the deceased; and be it further

Resolved, That as an additional mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, by a rising vote, May 28, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Perry M. E. Church to place and keep transparencies on the following unused lamp-posts: one on the northeast corner of Franklin and Hudson streets, one on the northeast corner of Fourth and Jane streets, one on the southwest corner of Perry and Hudson streets, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only June 13, 1895.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. & W. B. Smith to place and keep a temporary staging in front of the premises Nos. 1128 and 1130 Broadway, for the purpose of getting in the fixtures of the Meriden Britannia Company in the second-story window, as it is impossible to get them up the stairway, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until one week from the day succeeding the Mayor's approval thereof.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Seigel & Co. to erect a showcase on the southwest corner of Third avenue and Seventy-seventh street, size to cover the areaway, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 21, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 31, 1895.

Resolved, That Douglas Knox, of Bainbridge avenue, near Travers street, New York City, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 28, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 31, 1895.

Resolved, That the bill of Dr. Herman Hackerling, for services rendered in the County Jail in the months of February, March and April, 1895, as physician, amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars, as certified to by the Sheriff, be and the same is hereby approved.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

[NOTE.—The resolution immediately preceding this was incorrectly printed on May 20, as having been approved May 7.]

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

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

May 25, 1895. 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 May 24, 1895:

Permits Issued—For sewer connections, 14; for sewer repairs, 6; for Croton connections, 21; for Croton repairs, 5; for placing building material, 16; for crossing sidewalk with team, 9; for gutter bridge, 2; for miscellaneous purposes, 22; total, 95.

Public Moneys Received—For sewer connections, \$140; for restoring pavements, \$129; for gutter bridges, \$2; for use of steam rollers, \$12; total, \$283.

Plans and Specifications Approved—Sewer in Cedar street, from Eagle avenue to Cauldwell avenue; Paving Webster avenue, from New York and Harlem River Railroad Bridge, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; Grading Fort Independence street, from Sedgwick avenue to Broadway.

Laboring Force Employed during the Week—Foremen, 6; Assistant Foremen, 9; Engineers of Steam Rollers, 3; Skilled Laborers, 3; Sewer Laborers, 12; Laborers, 534; Carls, 6; Teams, 57; Carpenter, 1; Pavers, 4; Pruners, 2; Machinist, 1; Cleaners, 4; total, 642.

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week, \$38,825.84.

Respectfully, LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1895.—Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, May 31, 1895.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, May 25, 1895	36	\$120 75
Monday, " 27, "	151	1,227 25
Tuesday, " 28, "	135	1,022 75
Wednesday, " 29, "	103	1,088 00
Thursday, " 30, "	Holi day.	
Friday, " 31, "	82	1,456 00
Totals.....	512	\$4,914 75

EDWARD H. HEALY, Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Public Works—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Public Administrator—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Corporation Attorney—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Bureau of Street Openings—Staats-Zeitung Building.  
Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.  
Department of Charities and Correction—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.  
Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.  
Department of Street Cleaning—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.  
Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Excise—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.  
Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house. 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9:30 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13. Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15.  
Superior Court—Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 36. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I, Room No. 34. Part II, Room No. 35. Part III, Room No. 36. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court of Common Pleas—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I, Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.  
City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Oyer and Terminer Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.  
Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.  
District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M.

daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Police Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

DAMAGE COM., 23D, 24TH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 567 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.  
Dated NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.  
DANIEL LORD,  
JAMES M. VARNUM,  
DANIEL P. HAYS,  
Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, May 31, 1895. Public notice is hereby given that open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held on the dates specified:  
June 6. EXAMINER, in Finance Department.  
June 7. INSPECTOR OF OFFENSIVE TRADES, Board of Health (must be a Civil Engineer).  
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:  
List 4899, No. 1. Paving 11th ave. from Kingsbridge road to the northerly curb-line of Fort George road, with macadam pavement with Telford foundation, and laying crosswalks.  
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 11th ave., from 169th st. to the north side of Fort George road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.  
All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.  
The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 29th day of June, 1895.  
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.  
NEW YORK, May 29, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:  
List 4856, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances, with branches, in Webster avenue, between 184th street and Moshulu Parkway.  
The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—  
No. 1. Both sides of Webster avenue, from 184th street to Moshulu Parkway, also the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area, viz.: Beginning at the northeast corner of 184th street and Webster avenue; thence running northerly through the centre line of Block 1057 to the southwest corner of 187th street and Vanderbilt avenue, West; thence easterly along 187th street to Lorillard place; thence northerly along Lorillard place to Pelham avenue; thence easterly along Pelham avenue to a point about opposite Arthur avenue; thence northerly to the Southern Boulevard to a point distant about 1,700 feet east of Webster avenue; thence northwesterly to the north side of Moshulu Parkway; thence northwesterly and following at a distance of about 200 feet north of Moshulu Parkway to Bainbridge avenue; thence northerly to the southerly boundary of Williamsbridge Reservoir, at a point distant about 200 feet easterly from Woodlawn road; thence northerly along the boundary of Williamsbridge Reservoir and Woodlawn road to Gun Hill road; thence westerly along Gun Hill road to the north side of Moshulu Parkway; thence southerly in a direct line to Van Cortlandt avenue at the intersection of the first avenue west of Jerome avenue; thence westerly along Van Cortlandt avenue to Aqueduct avenue; thence southerly along Aqueduct avenue to Kingsbridge road; thence running easterly along Kingsbridge road and including the south side thereof to Davidson avenue; thence southerly along Davidson avenue to St. James street; thence easterly along St. James street to Jerome avenue; thence southerly along Jerome avenue to Welch street; thence easterly and including the south side of Welch street to Fleetwood avenue; thence southerly and diagonally to the southeast corner of 184th street and Morris avenue; thence easterly and including the south side of 184th street to Creston avenue; thence easterly and including south side of 184th street to Ryer avenue; thence southerly and including both sides of Ryer avenue to 183d street; thence easterly along 183d street to Valentine avenue; thence northerly and including both sides of Valentine avenue to 184th street; thence easterly and following the line of 184th street to Webster avenue, opposite the place of beginning.  
All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 29th day of June, 1895.  
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.  
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, May 25, 1895.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following assessment lists are now under consideration by the Board of Assessors, viz.:  
4223. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Bradhurst avenue and Harlem river.  
4935. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to Harlem river.  
All persons who consider their property to have been injuriously affected by the regulating and grading of any of the streets and avenues above described, in consequence of a change of grade having been made therein, are hereby notified to transmit, in writing, the evidence relating thereto, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, No. 27 Chambers street, on or before 11.30 A. M. on the 4th day of June, 1895, at which time a public hearing will be given to all parties whose property may be affected by the aforesaid improvements.  
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.  
NEW YORK, May 23, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:  
List 4920, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances on both sides of the Southern Boulevard, from Brook avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and on the southerly side of the Southern Boulevard, from Brook avenue to the summit west of Brown place.  
List 4930, No. 2. Paving West street, from Battery place to Gansevoort street, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).  
The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—  
No. 1. Both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Brook avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; south side of Southern Boulevard, from Brook avenue to a point distant about 320 feet westerly from Brown place; both sides of Trinity avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; both sides of St. Ann's avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, from Southern Boulevard to a point distant about 150 feet westerly from Trinity avenue.  
No. 2. Both sides of West street, from West Eleventh to Gansevoort street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; also east side of West street, from Battery place to West Eleventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.  
All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.  
The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 22d day of June, 1895.  
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.  
NEW YORK, May 22, 1895.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, May 28, 1895.  
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING each of the following-mentioned fire apparatus 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 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 12, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:  
Three (3) first size hose wagons.  
Seven (7) second size hose wagons.  
One (1) first size regulation hook and ladder truck.  
Two (2) third size steel frame hook and ladder trucks.  
Separate bids must be made for each kind of apparatus.  
For the three (3) hose wagons above mentioned the amount of security required is \$800, and the time for delivery 90 days.  
For the seven (7) hose wagons above mentioned the amount of security required is \$1,800, and the time for delivery two within 90 days and the whole within 120 days.  
For the first size regulation hook and ladder truck above mentioned the amount of security required is \$800, and the time for delivery 90 days.  
For the two (2) third size steel frame hook and ladder trucks above mentioned the amount of security required is \$1,800, and the time for delivery 90 days.  
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, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, 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.  
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 contracts will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.  
The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.  
Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.  
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, 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 sums specified in the several forms of contracts, which are as follows:  
For 10,000 feet 2½-inch hose, Eureka brand..... \$4,500 00  
For 5,000 feet 2½-inch hose, Maltese Cross brand..... 2,500 00  
For 3,000 feet 3-inch hose..... 2,500 00  
For 5,000 feet 2½-inch P. G. hose..... 2,500 00  
—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,

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 his sureties for its faithful performance and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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, to the amount of five (5) per centum of the amount of the security required. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.  
Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute, the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.  
O. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD and AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, May 23, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Hose below enumerated to this Department 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 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 12, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:  
10,000 feet 2½-inch circular woven, seamless, multiply, rubber-lined, cotton fire-hose, Eureka Fire-hose brand, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.  
5,000 feet 2½-inch carbolized rubber-lined fire-hose, Maltese Cross brand, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.  
3,000 feet 3-inch carbolized rubber-lined fire-hose, Maltese Cross brand, to weigh not more than eighty (80) pounds per length, including couplings.  
5,000 feet 2½-inch rubber-lined fire-hose, P. G. brand, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.  
A separate estimate must be made for each of the four items.  
Special attention is directed to the test of the hose by the Fire Department and the guarantee of the hose by the contractor, required by the specifications.  
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 form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, 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.  
The hose is to be delivered within ninety (90) 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 several forms of contracts.  
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 debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.  
Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.  
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, 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 sums specified in the several forms of contracts, which are as follows:  
For 10,000 feet 2½-inch hose, Eureka brand..... \$4,500 00  
For 5,000 feet 2½-inch hose, Maltese Cross brand..... 2,500 00  
For 3,000 feet 3-inch hose..... 2,500 00  
For 5,000 feet 2½-inch P. G. hose..... 2,500 00  
—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 five per centum of the amount of the security required upon the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

## CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

NEW YORK, MAY 24, 1895.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, June 6, 1895, until 12 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for General Repairs to Steamer 'Thomas S. Brennan,'" and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office, No. 66 Third Avenue, or H. B. Parsons, No. 22 William Street; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

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

NEW YORK, MAY 21, 1895.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, 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 by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first Street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

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

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN FEATHERBED LANE, from Jerome Avenue to Aqueduct Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING FENCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Burnside Avenue to La Fontaine Avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN GILES STREET, from Sedgwick Avenue to Boston Avenue.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TREMONT AVENUE, between existing sewer in Webster Avenue and Vanderbilt Avenue, West.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BREMER AVENUE, from Jerome Avenue to summit north of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Street.

No. 7. FOR COMPLETING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, between Webster Avenue and Third Avenue, and in THIRD AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street and summit north of One Hundred and Eighty-first Street, and in BATHGATE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street and Tremont Avenue, and in WASHINGTON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street and Tremont Avenue, and in VANDERBILT AVENUE, EAST, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## ARMORY BOARD.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 22, 1895.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK FOR NEW FLOORS AND STAIRS IN TOWERS, GAS-PIPING AND ELECTRIC WIRING, GAS AND ELECTRIC FIXTURES, ELECTRIC BELLS, SPEAKING

TUBES, CONCRETE, ASPHALT, ETC., TAN BARK, FITTING-UP RIFLE RANGE, IRON GATES, PLUMBING, LOCKERS, DUMB-WAITER, KITCHEN RANGES, BELGIUM BLOCKS, SADDLE AND BRIDLE BRACKETS, ETC., TO COMPLETE THE ARMORY BUILDING AND FURNISH THE SAME WITH GAS AND ELECTRIC FIXTURES AND KITCHEN RANGES, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work for New Floors and Stairs in Towers, Gas-piping and Electric-wiring, Gas and Electric Fixtures, Electric Bells, Speaking Tubes, Concrete, Asphalt, etc., Tan Bark, Fitting-up Rifle Range, Iron Gates, Plumbing, Lockers, Dumb-waiter, Kitchen Ranges, Belgium Blocks, Saddle and Bridle Brackets, etc., to complete an armory building and furnish the same with Gas and Electric Fixtures and Kitchen Ranges, on the easterly side of Madison Avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth Street, in the City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board, at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., MONDAY, JUNE 10TH, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work for Completing the Armory Building, and Furnishing the same with Gas and Electric Fixtures and Kitchen Ranges, on the easterly side of Madison Avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth Street, New York City," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000).

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500). 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 Board who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 by the Comptroller.

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

surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the Architect, JOHN R. THOMAS, No. 160 BROADWAY, New York City.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Architect, at his office, No. 160 BROADWAY, New York City.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; EDWARD P. BARKER, President, Department Taxes and Assessments; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works; BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD; COL. WILLIAM SEWARD, Board of Armory Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 22, 1895.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK FOR FURNITURE, OPERA CHAIRS AND WINDOW SHADES, ETC., FOR AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, BETWEEN NINETY-FOURTH AND NINETY-FIFTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY, FOR THE N. G., S. N. Y.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work for furniture, opera chairs and window shades, etc., for an armory building on the easterly side of Madison Avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth Streets, in the City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., MONDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work for Furniture, Opera Chairs and Window Shades, etc., for an Armory Building on the easterly side of Madison Avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth Streets, New York City," for the N. G. N. Y., and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000).

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$150). 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 Board who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making



the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application to the Clerk of the Works, at the Armory, Madison Avenue and Ninety-fourth Street, New York City.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Plans may be examined and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Clerk of the Works, at the Armory, at Madison Avenue and Ninety-fourth Street, New York City.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; EDWARD P. BARKER, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works; BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD; COL. WILLIAM SEWARD, Board of Armory Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 22, 1895.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK IN MAKING THE ALTERATION AND ADDITION TO THE RIFLE RANGE IN THE SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY BUILDING ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF PARK AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM SIXTY-SIXTH TO SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.**

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work in making the alteration and addition to the Rifle Range in the Seventh Regiment Armory Building, on the easterly side of Park Avenue, extending from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh Street, in the City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board, at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., MONDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work in Making the Alteration and Addition to the Rifle Range in the Seventh Regiment Armory Building, on the easterly side of Park Avenue, extending from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-seventh Street," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250). Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or Clerk of the Board who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of CLINTON & RUSSELL, Architects, No. 32 NASSAU STREET, New York City.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Architects, at their office, No. 32 NASSAU STREET, New York City.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; EDWARD P. BARKER, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments; WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works; BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD; COL. WILLIAM SEWARD, Armory Board Commissioners.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, May 27, 1895.

### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

On Monday, June 10, 1895, at 10.30 A.M., the Department of Public Works will sell at Public Auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Wilson H. Blackwell, Esq., Auctioneer, the following articles, viz: Trucks, wagons, push-carts, stands, booths, furniture, packing-boxes, electric wire, telegraph poles, and a quantity of old scrap-iron.

The sale will commence at the Corporation Yard, No. 409 West One Hundred and Twenty-third Street, and will be continued at the yard in Fifty-sixth Street, between Eleventh and Twelfth Avenues, and will be concluded at the yard foot of Rivington Street, East River.

Cash payments, in bankable funds, at the time and place of sale, removal of all articles purchased within three days, and forfeiture of all articles not so removed, together with the moneys paid therefor.

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, May 27, 1895.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:**

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN CATHEDRAL PARKWAY, between Riverside Avenue and Boulevard.

No. 2. FOR SEWERS IN 79TH STREET (both sides), between Riverside and West End Avenues.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN 187TH STREET, between Kingsbridge Road and Amsterdam Avenue, WITH BRANCHES IN 11TH AVENUE (both sides), between 187th and 190th Streets, AND CURVES AT WADSWORTH, 11TH AND AUDUBON AVENUES.

No. 4. FOR EXTENSION OF OUTLET SEWER AT STANTON STREET, E. R., to connect with sewer built by Department of Docks at new bulkhead.

No. 5. FOR SEWERS IN WEST BROADWAY, between Barclay and Murray Streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN 4TH AVENUE, between 10th and 11th Streets.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN 4TH AVENUE, between 12th and 13th Streets, WITH ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO CURVE IN 12TH STREET.

No. 8. FOR LAYING WATER MAINS IN BURNSIDE, BOSTON, ST. NICHOLAS, MORNINGSIDE WEST, BAILEY, MANHATTAN, LIND, UNION AND BROOK AVENUES, AND IN 96TH, 101ST, 102D, 107TH, 108TH, 114TH, 132D, 133D, 137TH, 147TH, 156TH, 162D, 164TH, 168TH AND WOLF STREETS.

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

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

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

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

returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

### NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction, by James McCauley, auctioneer, all the buildings, sheds, etc., now standing on the lands recently acquired for the

MULBERRY BEND PARK.

Bounded by Mulberry Park, Baxter and Bayard Streets, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 10 o'clock A.M.

The sale will commence in front of premises numbered one on the catalogue, and continue in the order enumerated.

Catalogues may be had upon application at the office of the Department, Arsenal (Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue), Central Park.

### TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid at time of sale. Purchasers will be required to remove the buildings within thirty days from day of sale, and failing to do so they will forfeit the purchase money, and the Department at the expiration of that time may enter and remove the buildings and structures, or cause a resale thereof.

By order of the Department of Public Parks, CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, May 28, 1895.

### CLAREMONT RESTAURANT.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC PARKS will, at their offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 9.30 o'clock A.M., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, receive proposals for the privilege of conducting the restaurant known as the "Claremont," on Riverside Drive. Proposals must state the sum in gross, per annum, offered for said privilege, under the following terms and conditions:

1. Said privilege is for the term of two (2) years from the 1st day of July, 1895.

2. All repairs and alterations required to the said premises during the said term are to be made by the licensee at his own cost and expense.

3. The amount of license is to be paid in quarterly payments, in advance.

4. The business is to be conducted in a manner satisfactory to the Commissioners of Public Parks, who reserve the right to revise such scale of prices for refreshments as may be fixed by the licensee.

5. The licensee is to conform in all particulars to the requirements of the Excise Law.

6. The party to whom the privilege may be awarded will be required to furnish a bond, with two approved sureties, in an amount double the annual payment, for the faithful observance of the terms of the agreement. The Commissioners of Public Parks reserve the right to reject any and all bids that may be received for the privilege if they deem it for the interest of the City to do so.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks, CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, May 23, 1895.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 9.30 o'clock A.M. on Wednesday, June 5, 1895:**

No. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING-WALL AND APPURTENANCES ON THE WESTERLY LINE OF THE RIVERSIDE PARK, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fourth Streets.

No. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING-WALL AND APPURTENANCES ON THE WESTERLY LINE OF THE RIVERSIDE PARK, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Eleventh Streets.

No. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING-WALL AND APPURTENANCES ON THE WESTERLY LINE OF THE RIVERSIDE PARK, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Nineteenth Streets.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALK AND CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING-BASINS AND CULVERTS IN RIVERSIDE AVENUE, from Claremont place to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street.

No. 5. FOR PAVING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALKS OF THE CENTRAL PARK.

No. 6. FOR GALVANIZED WROUGHT AND CAST IRON RAILING ON THE SEVEN POOLS OF THE AQUARIUM IN THE CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING IN BATTERY PARK.

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

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,000 cubic yards foundation masonry.

3,600 cubic yards wall masonry, including piers.

2,010 lineal feet granite coping, including cap for piers.

50 cubic yards concrete in foundation.

65 lineal feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

130 lineal feet eighteen-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

1 surface-basin, three feet interior diameter, with twenty-four-inch cast-iron curb and grating.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for each of the items mentioned in the Engineer's estimate.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE, 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 TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,310 cubic yards foundation masonry.

4,520 cubic yards wall masonry, including piers.

1,935 lineal feet granite coping, including cap for piers.

10 cubic yards concrete in foundation.

70 lineal feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

740 lineal feet eighteen-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

70 lineal feet twenty-four-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

2 manholes complete.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for each of the items mentioned in the Engineer's estimate.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE, 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 TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,580 cubic yards foundation masonry.

5,180 cubic yards wall masonry, including piers.

2,175 lineal feet granite coping, including cap for piers.

50 cubic yards concrete in foundation.

200 lineal feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

206 lineal feet eighteen-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

60 lineal feet twenty-four-inch vitrified stoneware drain-pipe, including concrete foundation and covering.

2 manholes complete.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for each of the items mentioned in the Engineer's estimate.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE, 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 TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 4. ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,400 cubic yards of earth excavation.

900 cubic yards of rock excavation.

100 lineal feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.

775 lineal feet of old curb-stone taken up and reset.

980 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

2,480 square feet of old flagging taken up and relaid.

1 receiving-basin to be built, complete.

2 receiving-basins to be built, except cap and gutter stones and iron covers and guards.

50 lineal feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware pipe in culverts, to furnish and lay.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for each of the items mentioned in the Engineer's estimate.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be FORTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING 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 TEN DOLLARS per day.

Bidders are particularly cautioned that a provision in the contract authorizes the sum of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per lineal foot of the work done to be retained out of the contract moneys as security for keeping the whole work, when completed, in good order for a period of six months from the date of its acceptance by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, not including in the computation of the said period the months of December, January, February and March.

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 5. ABOVE MENTIONED.

160,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt, with concrete base.

18,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt, without concrete base.

Bidders are required to state a price per square foot for furnishing materials and laying a pavement of asphalt with concrete base; also a price, per square foot, for repairs with asphalt without concrete base, including the cleaning and preparation of the foundation.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the FIRST DAY OF OCTOBER, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE, 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 TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The bidder must deposit with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, at least two (2) days before making his bid, samples of materials he intends to use, as follows:

1st. Specimens of asphaltum and of asphaltic cement.

2d. A statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface.

3d. Specimens of sand intended to be used.

4th. Specimens of pulverized carbonate of lime intended to be used. And such specimens must be furnished to the Department of Public Parks as often as may be required during the progress of the work.

5th. Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric, and a product of the first quality, and from the mines designated in the contract.

No bid will be received or considered unless the deposits of materials referred to above are made with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks within the time prescribed, nor unless they conform to the requirements of the specifications.

Work or materials not specified, and for which a price is not named in the contract, will not be allowed for.

No. 6. ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation, all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work set forth in the specifications, estimates and form of agreement.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FIFTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 TEN DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract



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

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

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

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

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

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

#### TO LET.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC PARKS having established the Departmental office at the Arsenal Building, in the Central Park, the premises heretofore occupied by them as offices on the second floor of Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, under a lease which will expire May 1, 1896, are now vacant and to let for the period of the unexpired lease. Parties desiring similar offices are invited to inspect these premises. Further information may be obtained at the Arsenal, Central Park. Possession will be given at once.

D. H. KING, JR., G. G. HAVEN, J. A. ROOSEVELT, A. D. JULLIARD, Commissioners.

#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

##### NOTICE.

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

GEORGE E. WARING, JR.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1895.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Room 9, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, May 29, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 31st auction sale of unclaimed and Police property of this Department will be sold at Public Auction, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, of the following property, viz.:

Iron, Lead, Brass, Copper, Wire Window Blinds, Iron Bedsteads, Force Pumps, Folding Bed, Clocks, Lounges, Glass Case, Bedstead, Saddle Cloths, Saddles, Bridles, Harness, Water Coolers, Lanterns, Portable Washstands, Gas Fixtures, Milk Cans, Barrels of Dross, Carpet, Flags, Book-case Roll of Felt Paper, Bath-tub, Window-sash, Wagons, Sleigh, Hand Truck, Letter-press, Wardrobes, Window Shades, Oil Cloth, Picture Frames, Chairs, Bed Springs, Desks, miscellaneous Furniture, Pocketbooks, Knives, Razors, Scissors, Pistols, Revolvers, Guns, Umbrellas, Canes, Whips, Chests of Tea, Barrel Starch, Bags of Nuts, Castings, Dry Batteries, Kits of Clothing, Bale of Hide, Leaf Tobacco, Cement, Brass Cocks, Rope, Stoves, Paint, Sewing Machine, Tiles, Benzine, Salt, Sheet-iron, Hair, Brass, Belting, Case Lamp Shades, Wooden Handles, Mantel Cabinet, Rubber Hose, Wooden Indian, Baby Carriages, Velocipedes, Tricycle, Bicycles, cases of Salt, Gas-pipes, Hand-carts, Wheelbarrows, etc.; lot of miscellaneous property. For particulars see catalogues on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

#### NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at the college buildings, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Park avenues, Specification No. 2. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education or the College render their responsibility doubtful.

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

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

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

The 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.

ROBERT MACLAY, Chairman Executive Committee.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 28, 1895.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Eleventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 12, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 15.

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

Dated New York, May 29, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, June 12, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 79.

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

Dated New York, May 29, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 14.

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

Dated New York, May 28, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 64.

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

Dated New York, May 28, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 10, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus in Grammar Schools Nos. 28, 66, 80, 94 and Primary School No. 41.

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

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Sixth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 10, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 23.

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

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 10, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 2 and Primary School No. 36.

JAMES B. MULRY, Chairman, BERNARD GORDON, M. D., Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 10, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to Heating and Ventilating Apparatus in Grammar Schools Nos. 74 and 77.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman, JOSEPH FETRETCH, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 5 o'clock P. M., on Friday, June 7, 1895, for erecting Manual Training Buildings and Improving Lots and Premises of Grammar School No. 85.

JAMES A. FERGUSON, Chairman, J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, May 25, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, June 7, 1895, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School No. 31.

JAMES B. MULRY, Chairman, BERNARD GORDON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 25, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, June 7, 1895, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar School No. 21.

J. T. MEHAN, Chairman, JOSEPH H. OLIVER, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 25, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, for making Sanitary Improvements at Grammar Schools Nos. 22 and 36.

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

Dated New York, May 22, 1895.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, upon the request of the Department of Public Parks of the said City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands, property rights, terms, easements and privileges necessary to be acquired pursuant to chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, entitled, "An act to lay out, establish and regulate a driveway in the City of New York."

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 410 of the Laws of 1882, known as the New York City Consolidation Act, as amended by chapter 449 of the Laws of 1895, and the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the undersigned to a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of June, 1895, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the taxing of the costs, charges and expenses of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

A bill of said costs, charges and expenses is now on file in the office of the County Clerk of this County.

Dated New York, May 29, 1895.

GEORGE C. COFFIN, MATTHEW CHALMERS, HENRY HUGHES, Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the eighteenth day of June, 1895, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 24, 1895.

ARTHUR M. MASTEN, R. W. G. WELLING, FRANKLIN W. MOULTON, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to ISHAM STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Kingsbridge road and Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons inter-

ested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 24th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at his office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of June, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of the Kingsbridge road; on the south by the northerly side of Post avenue and westerly side of Tenth avenue; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Isham street and distant easterly 175 feet from the easterly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Isham street and distant westerly 175 feet from the westerly side thereof, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown on our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 21, 1895.

JAMES A. LAMB, Chairman, SAM'L R. ELLIOTT, PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to PLYMPTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Orchard street and Boscobel avenue, in the 23d and 24th Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Commissioners of Street Improvement of the 23d and 24th Wards of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 24th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 24th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of June, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Nelson avenue, distant about 124 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Boscobel avenue with the westerly line of Nelson avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with the said northerly line of Boscobel avenue to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of an unnamed street; thence northerly and parallel with said easterly line of said unnamed street to the southerly line of another unnamed street; thence westerly along the last-mentioned southerly line of said unnamed street, and by said line prolonged to a point on the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue and distant 76.43 feet from the northerly line of Boscobel avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue to the easterly line of Ogden avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Ogden avenue to a point distant 100 feet from the southerly line of Orchard street; thence easterly and parallel with said southerly line of Orchard street to the westerly line of Nelson avenue, and thence northerly along the westerly line of Nelson avenue, to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of July, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 23, 1895.

CHARLES W. WEST, Chairman, JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH, THOMAS J. MILLER, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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



affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, and on or before the 13th day of June, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of June, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 20, 1895.  
PETER B. OLNEY, GEORGE C. CLARKE,  
FRANKLIN BIEN, 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 to certain pieces or parcels of land for a Public Park at Avenue St. Nicholas, Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as selected, located and laid out by The Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 OF THE LAWS OF 1887,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, 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 to all the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for a Public Park at Avenue St. Nicholas, Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, heretofore selected, located and laid out by said Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, the same being more particularly described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Seventh avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and thence (1) running westerly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street for a distance of sixty-two feet and eleven inches (62' 11") to the intersection of said southerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street with the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence (2) running southerly along the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas for a distance of one hundred and twenty feet and three inches (120' 3") to the intersection of said easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas with the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence (3) running northerly along said westerly line of Seventh avenue for a distance of one hundred and two feet and six inches (102' 6") more or less, to the place or point of beginning, as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled "Map or Plan showing a Public Park at Avenue St. Nicholas, Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, etc., etc., filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on or about the 25th day of September, 1894."

The said Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, has determined that the entire expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park shall be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park, and said Board has also determined that the area within which said expense shall be so assessed shall be as follows: From the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street to the south side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and from the west side of Sixth avenue to the east side of Eighth avenue.

Dated New York, May 27, 1895. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 23, 1895.  
ROLLIN M. MORGAN, JOHN H. ROGAN,  
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining

the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of June, 1895, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 18, 1895.  
JULIUS M. MAYER, JOHN J. O'NEILL, WM. G. LYON, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, passed March 10, 1892, entitled "An act to provide for settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as Fort Washington Ridge road, in the City of New York, and in relation to the improvement thereof."

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO** section 16 of the act entitled "An Act to provide for settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as Fort Washington Ridge road, in the City of New York, and in relation to the improvement thereof," passed March 9, 1892, to the owner or owners and the occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected by the assessment hereinafter mentioned, that the undersigned, who were appointed Commissioners for the purposes named in said act by an order of the Supreme Court, filed in the office of the Clerk thereof on the 9th day of May, 1893, that

I. On the 14th day of May, 1895, we completed and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain open to inspection by all parties and persons interested, the assessment list containing the several sums assessed by us against all such parties and persons, lands and tenements as we have deemed to be benefited on account of the expense heretofore duly certified and stated to us by the Commissioners appointed pursuant to section 2 of said act, to have been, prior to the said act, actually paid or incurred by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for and on account of the work of regulating and grading or otherwise improving said road, and also incurred under and pursuant to the provisions of the said act prior to the date of our appointment, and the interest thereon calculated, as provided by said act, and also the sum estimated by the said Commissioners to be necessary to complete the work of regrading said road, as provided in the fifth section of said act.

II.—The said assessment list and our report in the premises will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of June, 1895, for confirmation.

III.—The lands embraced by such assessment are described as follows: All those parcels of land, houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands situated on both sides of Fort Washington Ridge road, from 159th st. and the Boulevard to its terminus at or near the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Sherman ave.; also, all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area: On the south by the northerly side of the Boulevard to the easterly side of the Public Drive; on the north by the southerly side of the Public Drive to its intersection with Kingsbridge road and Dyckman st.; on the east by the westerly side of the Boulevard and Kingsbridge road, from 158th st. to Dyckman st.; on the west by the easterly side of the Public Drive (west of Fort Washington Ridge road) northerly from 158th st. to its terminus; also both sides of Elwood st., from Naegle ave. to Kingsbridge road; also both sides of Sherman ave., from Kingsbridge road to Dyckman st., and east side of Kingsbridge road, from Naegle ave. to Dyckman st.

IV.—All persons whose interests may be affected by the said assessment, and who may be opposed to the same, are hereby requested to present their objections, in writing, to the undersigned Commissioners within twenty days from the date of this notice. Any person or party whose rights may be affected by the said assessment, and who shall object to the same or any part thereof, may, within the time specified, state his, her or their objections to the same, in writing, to the undersigned Commissioners, which statement shall not be received by us unless verified by his, her or their affidavits or the affidavits of other persons.

V.—On the 10th day of June, 1895, at 12.30 P.M., at our office, Room 76, No. 115 Broadway, in the City of New York, any person who may consider themselves aggrieved by such assessment, and who shall object thereto, as hereinbefore stated, will be heard by us in opposition to the same, and such hearing will be adjourned from time to time within the space of ten judicial days after the said date, until such person or persons shall be fully heard.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.  
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, WALTER STANTON, J. ROMAINE BROWN.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 20, 1895.  
HENRY W. GRAY, SAMUEL W. MILBANK,  
ROBERT L. LUCE, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City

of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.  
EDWARD FERRERO, JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,  
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 27, 1895.  
EDWARD FERRERO, JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,  
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 23, 1895.  
JOHN G. O'KEEFE, ISAAC RODMAN, ALBERT BACH, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 23, 1895.  
ALBERT BACH, JOHN G. O'KEEFE, ISAAC RODMAN, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 200 Broadway (Fifth floor, Room 25), on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 4 o'clock P.M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 200 Broadway; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at the opening of court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 22, 1895.  
JOHN JEROLMAN, Chairman; G. M. SPEIR,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Commissioners.  
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land extending from the easterly side of Jerome avenue at 162d street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river opposite 155th street and 7th avenue in the 23d Ward of said City, for the purpose of the construction of the JEROME AVENUE APPROACH, with the necessary abutments and arches to the new Macomb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem river in said City.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of June, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 22, 1895.  
LEWIS J. CONLAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 2,098 feet 2½ inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly line of the Boulevard, measured along the easterly line of the Boulevard, to a point on the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 2,022 feet 10½ inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, measured along the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from the Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Fort Washington Depot road, extending from Kingsbridge road to the Boulevard, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.  
JOHN JEROLMAN, Chairman.  
G. M. SPEIR,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of June, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 24, 1895.  
ARTHUR M. MASTEN, R. W. G. WELLING,  
FRANKLIN W. MOULTON, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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