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COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS AGAIN RESUMED.

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

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,
No. 119 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, January 4, 1898.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

The Public Administrator, pursuant to chapter 610 of the Laws of 1895, section 242 of said act, herewith exhibits to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York a statement, on oath, of the moneys received by the Public Administrator for commissions and expenses, and of the total amount of his receipts and expenditures in each case in which the Public Administrator took charge of and collected any effects, or on which he administered on any estate, during the year 1897, with the name of the deceased, his or her occupation, the place of his or her residence at the time of his or her death, when known, and the country or place from which he or she came.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

Cases Heretofore Reported.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	Place of Residence at the time of Death.	Country or Place from which he came.	Total Amount of Receipts in 1897.	Total Amount of Expenditures in 1897, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors, and amount paid to next of kin, etc.
Cornelius Carlan.....	Tailor.....	New York.....	Unknown.....	\$524 27	\$5,403 12
Rosalie Baumann.....	Cook.....	".....	Germany.....	34 11	341 64
Francis Byrne.....	Tailor.....	".....	Ireland.....	10 32	114 25
Henrietta Baumann.....	Washing.....	".....	Germany.....	10 32	190 57
Anton Dickert.....	Butcher.....	".....	Bavaria.....	70	70
Kate Eddie.....	Cook.....	".....	England.....	17 15	259 66
Fredk. Kugel.....	Machinist.....	".....	Germany.....	3 70	107 88
Elizabeth Fallon.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	3 70	347 59
Bennie Faatz.....	".....	".....	Germany.....	2 01	2 01
Jacob Jadajczek.....	Farmer.....	".....	Poland.....	42 35	42 35
Ellen Halley.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	116 00	30 86
Charles Harrison.....	Laborer.....	".....	United States.....	3 82	103 17
Alexander Hume.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	53 48	512 18
Annie Dwyer.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	2 87	108 95
Anton M. Merk.....	Pianomaker.....	".....	Germany.....	37 59	37 59
Leonard W. Jerome.....	President of Club.....	".....	New York.....	13 70	13 70
Philipp Jaxheimer.....	Baker.....	".....	Germany.....	24 62	457 04
Catharine Delahenty.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	2 76	101 71
Otto Drier.....	Tinsmith.....	".....	Prussia.....	9 34	9 34
Louisa Kelly.....	Domestic.....	".....	United States.....	10 44	178 34
John Keleher.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	682 70	682 70
Christopher Kehr.....	Shoemaker.....	".....	Germany.....	89 10	1,028 75
James King.....	Laborer.....	".....	Ireland.....	34 64	34 64
Ernest E. Th. Manning.....	Cigarmaker.....	".....	Unknown.....	2 60	2 60
Sarah L. Lazarus.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Russia.....	5 00	5 00
John Gorman.....	Glassblower.....	".....	United States.....	42 00	42 00
Mary Hynes.....	Lodging-house.....	".....	Ireland.....	9 40	216 04
John Bergamini.....	Unknown.....	".....	Italy.....	25 78	76 59
Julia Hasenthal.....	Domestic.....	".....	Bavaria.....	13 59	13 47
Alexander Jonson.....	Janitor.....	".....	United States.....	13 47	13 47
Hannah McKeever.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Unknown.....	52 75	52 75
John W. Laidley.....	Salesman.....	".....	United States.....	52 85	52 85
Victoria Paul.....	Janitress.....	".....	Germany.....	7 97	165 43
Engelbert Steier.....	Tailor.....	".....	".....	678 24	678 24
Henry Michiavalli.....	Fisherman.....	".....	Italy.....	7 72	92 83
John D. Maynard.....	Salesman.....	".....	Massachusetts.....	14 44	14 44
Maria Michaels.....	Housework.....	".....	Germany.....	145 22	145 22
Paul Wares.....	Importer.....	".....	France.....	20 59	46 72
Charlotte Murphy.....	Domestic.....	".....	Spain.....	155 36	2,118 38
Albertine M. Mueller.....	Saloon.....	".....	Germany.....	335 64	6,040 73
Thomas F. Nolan.....	Plumber.....	".....	New York.....	13 29	309 87
Jane Nolan.....	None.....	".....	England.....	61 43	61 43
Ann Kelly.....	Washerwoman.....	".....	Ireland.....	19 80	243 06
Oscar Nagel.....	Coachman.....	".....	Russia.....	2 88	62 30
Henry Streving.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	26 72	566 69
Catharine Schneider.....	Janitress.....	".....	Germany.....	25 70	25 70
Wulf Rubenzek.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	43 20	43 20
Josephine Robert.....	None.....	".....	France.....	213 41	3,080 32
Ferdinand Schwachheim.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	2,176 08	2,176 08
Carl Struber.....	Broker.....	".....	Germany.....	165 52	165 52
Eva Weigel.....	Cook.....	".....	".....	82 55	82 55
Ellen Waters.....	Cleaner.....	".....	New York.....	14 35	14 35
Louise Schmidt.....	Dyer.....	".....	Germany.....	4 67	4 67
Theobald Zimmermann.....	Presser.....	".....	".....	44 42	44 42
Adella Zwiebeck.....	Tailorless.....	".....	Russia.....	12 90	171 55
Robustiano Herques.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	497 94	497 94
Henry Adams.....	Lawyer.....	".....	".....	3,940 34	3,940 34
Madelin E. Kendall.....	Copyist.....	".....	United States.....	175 50	175 50
John C. Congreve.....	Merchant.....	".....	England.....	78 21	173 24
James Nobey.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	219 67	205 84
John Stevens.....	Ironworker.....	".....	Ireland.....	72 34	2,068 61
Hermann Reinhard.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	1 20	1 20
Catharine Clark.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	833 47	833 47
Betty Trenks.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	103 54	103 54
Adolph Bloetner.....	Shoemaker.....	".....	".....	4 76	4 76
Adele Burchard.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	France.....	19 35	19 35
Joseph Due.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	3 25	3 25
Mary J. Bryan.....	Detective.....	".....	Germany.....	10 11	10 11
Ida Bloetner.....	Cook.....	".....	New York.....	16 14	16 14
Mary Buckley.....	".....	".....	Sweden.....	1 91	1 91
Amelia Svenson.....	Domestic.....	".....	Cuba.....	8 25	8 25
Antonio Summerfield.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	24 55	24 55
John Nold.....	Horsedealer.....	".....	".....	15 11	15 11
Sophie Geigel.....	Servant.....	".....	England.....	19 50	19 50
Ernest Makin.....	Unknown.....	".....	France.....	17 90	17 90
Ann Bohie.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	11 83	11 83
William Schoodt.....	Cook.....	".....	Ireland.....	952 51	952 51
Ellen Walsh.....	Housewife.....	".....	Italy.....	2 16	2 16
Giacomo Casali.....	Laborer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Alexander Lihme.....	Musician.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Cox.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
John Delaney.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Arnold J. B. Miller.....	Bookkeeper.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Kate Morosino.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Louis Merz.....	Bartender.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William Stitt.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Bessie Marcou.....	Manicure.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William S. Wilson.....	Clerk.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Littleton G. Garrettson.....	Lawyer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Louisa Yerner.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Kate Vaughn.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Emily Renn.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Patrick Hayden.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William Jones.....	Messenger.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Alice Howell.....	Beneficiary.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Harry Cecil Howell.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Annie Morris.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Julia Cullen.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Edward Von Kilanyi.....	Artist.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Carl Heidenreich.....	Barber.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Wilhelmina Spreen.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Charlotte E. Wilmarth.....	Housewife.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Bridget Sullivan.....	Nurse.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Abigail Busch.....	Fortuneteller.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Marian Brown.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Reardon.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Augusta Koehne.....	Nurse.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Charles Leleux.....	Servant.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Benjamin Hertubus.....	Carriagemaker.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary McNulty.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
August O'Keson.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Patrick McElroy.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Israel Anholm.....	Lumberman.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Guiseppi Cutajar.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Philip Lane.....	Peddler.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Hamilton Martin.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Alexander Kerkalde.....	Engineer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Rose Corrigan.....	Servant.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Lawrence Ryan.....	Fireman.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
George L. Kent.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Augusta Lagerlof.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Northwood.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Remigius Luger.....	Woodcarver.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Julia Graves.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
George Hoed.....	Engraver.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Charles Brown.....	Physician.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Gustavus Peters.....	Foreman.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
George MacNeill.....	Promoter.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Joseph S. Hamlin.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Ann Narian.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William T. Roberts.....	Engineer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Frank Shalak.....	Cornicemaker.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Jakob Schatz.....	Machinist.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Catharine Murphy.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Ernest Levin.....	Weaver.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William Eldridge.....	Steward.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Constantin Von Grimm.....	Artist.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Isabella A. Moroney.....	Seamstress.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Philomene Guilbert.....	Lady's maid.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William Ogiloy.....	Bookkeeper.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
John P. Sigg.....	".....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Bridget M. Wynne.....	Pupil.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Ferdinand Lapp.....	Waiter.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Henderson.....	Nurse.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Henry Max.....	Farmer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Gottfried H. Eblin.....	Baker.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Matilda Bieber.....	Washing.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Fred'k Bartholomew.....	Valet.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Maria Franklin.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Margaretha Grubert.....	Housework.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Carman.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Cecile Brinkmann.....	Housewife.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Robert Le Feore.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Edward Dioco.....	Inventor.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Olie Olsen.....	Carpenter.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Thomas Hughes.....	Cigar store.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
William F. Grossman.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
John T. Stark.....	Keelmaker.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Harriet F. Fields.....	Lodging-house.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Jacob Arwater.....	Driver.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Leopold Roth.....	Coachman.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Theo. Schafer.....	Porter.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Benj. Connors.....	Laborer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Bridget Berrell.....	Cook.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Nancy Gilmore.....	Laundress.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Daniel McCloud.....	Soldier.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Theo. Fable.....	Stableman.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Arthur Graham.....	Lettercarrier.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Louisa C. Hammerdin.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Patrick Flanagan.....	Porter.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Emma L. D. Malcom.....	Music teacher.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Vincenzo Spagno.....	Laborer.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Richard W. Stephenson.....	Sailor.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Faregle Gallagher.....	Miner.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16
Mary Biemesdorfer.....	None.....	".....	".....	2 16	2 16

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	Place of Residence at the time of Death.	Country or Place from which he came.	Total Amount of Receipts in 1897.	Total Amount of Expenditures in 1897, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors, and amount paid to next of kin, etc.	NAME.	OCCUPATION.	Place of Residence at the time of Death.	Country or Place from which he came.	Total Amount of Receipts in 1897.	Total Amount of Expenditures in 1897, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors, and amount paid to next of kin, etc.
Mary Armstrong.....	Housekeeper.....	New York.....	New York.....	.....	\$846 65	Frank Doelger.....	None.....	New York.....	Ireland.....	\$32 93	\$32 93
Mary Brown.....	".....	".....	Ireland.....	.....	303 30	Cecile Giellot.....	Chambermaid.....	".....	France.....	11 43	1 25
Louisa Nassana.....	Cook.....	".....	Italy.....	\$41 72	3,882 98	Marie Vallet.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	".....	10	10
Edward Peterson.....	Carpenter.....	".....	Sweden.....	1 40	58 28	Frederick Messner.....	Painter.....	".....	Prussia.....	48	48
Michael T. Gillick.....	Pickles.....	".....	Ireland.....	26 70	2,201 37	John Schloier.....	Tailor.....	".....	".....	52	52
Annie Carr.....	Cook.....	".....	".....	139 44	300 74	William Huber.....	Shoemaker.....	".....	Germany.....	30	30
Carl Beck.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	1 29	28 11	Emma Becker.....	None.....	".....	".....	552 30	552 30
Lizzie Connolly.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	25 30	1,217 57	John Gannon.....	Watchman.....	".....	Ireland.....	194 43	194 43
Ann Magut.....	".....	".....	Germany.....	12 06	1 70	William Dittmar.....	Laborer.....	".....	United States.....	134 10	116 60
Luigi Ginocchio.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	6 09	1 12	Ward Johnson.....	Unknown.....	".....	Sweden.....	5 27	5 27
John Karlson.....	Janitor.....	".....	Sweden.....	27 40	61 60	Ann bale Tondo.....	Laborer.....	".....	Italy.....	120 00	120 00
Edward Hirsch.....	Agent.....	".....	Germany.....	96 93	1 20	Adelbert Sell.....	Music teacher.....	".....	Germany.....	870 78	155 36
Mary Fahy.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	Sweden.....	27 40	61 60	Will am Schaefer.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	1 24	55
Eufoyne Forsell.....	Barkeeper.....	".....	Germany.....	27 40	61 60	Samuel Strober.....	Painter.....	".....	Austria.....	12 11	75
Charles Wanning.....	Confectioner.....	".....	Bavaria.....	34 99	1,835 87	Annie Gordon.....	Tailor.....	".....	Russia.....	1 00	30
Roman J. Zublof.....	Unknown.....	".....	Russia.....	58	1 50	George W. Lohman.....	Engineer.....	".....	Germany.....	433 95	433 95
Alphonse Knoben.....	Waiter.....	".....	Switzerland.....	3 25	507 00	Dennis White.....	Captain of scow.....	".....	Ireland.....	26 00	26 00
Ge rge Valent.....	Draughtsman.....	".....	Unknown.....	3 25	507 00	Nicola Lubrano.....	Laborer.....	".....	Italy.....	39 44	39 44
Charles Pauls.....	Barkeeper.....	".....	Germany.....	13 30	507 00	Louisa Cook.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	.....	.....
William Noebe.....	Waiter.....	".....	Unknown.....	13 30	507 00	George Buckland.....	".....	".....	England.....	436 80	436 80
Ther se M. Pourche.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Unknown.....	102 50	2,702 79	Margaret Schaler.....	Cook.....	".....	Germany.....	783 04	211 76
Patrick Roach.....	Musician.....	".....	Ireland.....	6 94	597 15	Louis Feldman.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	10,091 67	4,086 99
Theo. C. Clark.....	None.....	".....	New York.....	597 15	6 94	Ann Duggan.....	Porter.....	".....	Ireland.....	110 75	110 75
Daniel Taggart.....	Peddler.....	".....	Ireland.....	597 15	6 94	Carl S. Hood.....	Cook.....	".....	Germany.....	10 63	10 63
A-na Schmidt.....	Butcher.....	".....	Germany.....	7 10	97 31	Hannah Thompson.....	Unknown.....	".....	Canada.....	86 30	30 30
Oto Koch.....	None.....	".....	Italy.....	97 31	1,626 73	Rebecca D. Osse.....	Clerk.....	".....	Germany.....	141 60	5 54
Felice Bongano.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	9 50	1,635 77	David B. Loudon.....	None.....	".....	Scotland.....	651 75	651 75
Barbara Jordan.....	Housecleaner.....	".....	".....	34 49	1,635 77	Wm. L. Blanchard, etc.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	8,512 33	3,586 15
Magdalena Sticklin.....	Unknown.....	".....	Russia.....	27 96	1,635 77	Charles Bush.....	Opera singer.....	".....	Germany.....	26 10	11 11
Mary Kilb.....	None.....	".....	France.....	27 96	1,635 77	Armand Castelmery.....	Tailor.....	".....	France.....	2,217 88	656 85
Rachel Eisenberg.....	Domestic.....	".....	United States.....	84	167 44	Anthony Zintl.....	Seamstress.....	".....	Russia.....	76 96	64 25
Ann Dalton.....	U. S. Marshal.....	".....	Unknown.....	4 68	34 30	Ada A. Spinney.....	Musician.....	".....	Nova Scotia.....	146 16	146 16
Thomas C. Mack.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	United States.....	84	167 44	Richard Williams.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	England.....	24 22	24 22
Christine Armond.....	".....	".....	".....	84	167 44	Bridget F. Green.....	Laborer.....	".....	Ireland.....	7 8	3 70
Edward M. Scanlon.....	".....	".....	".....	84	167 44	John Mobeck.....	Actor.....	".....	Sweden.....	2 24	10
Elizabeth Wiley.....	".....	".....	".....	84	167 44	Henry Spencer.....	Cattle dealer.....	".....	Unknown.....	80	60
William F. Smith.....	Unknown.....	".....	United States.....	782 38	2,464 66	Emanuel Lowenstein.....	Shoemaker.....	".....	Austria.....	73	73
Alexander Godown.....	Janitor.....	".....	Ireland.....	802 91	802 91	Robert Koenig.....	Seaman.....	".....	Germany.....	112 20	112 20
John O'Brien.....	Coachman.....	".....	France.....	14 73	802 91	Nicola Lesizza.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	264 81	264 81
Caroline Martignon.....	Watchman.....	".....	United States.....	1 80	22 16	Robert Thompson.....	Unknown.....	".....	Scotland.....	161 07	161 07
Theodore Johnson.....	Caretaker.....	".....	New York.....	11 89	1 20	Henrietta March.....	Cook.....	".....	United States.....	52 00	52 00
Rosetta Roberts.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	267 50	267 50	Hans H. Jantzen.....	Artist.....	".....	Denmark.....	111 23	111 23
Annie L. Flanagan.....	Porter.....	".....	Germany.....	5 80	5 97	Timothy Riordan.....	Longshoreman.....	".....	Ireland.....	84 20	84 20
Julius Wachenodoff.....	Laborer.....	".....	Unknown.....	5 97	5 97	Joseph F. Arnold.....	Notary Public.....	".....	New York.....	10	10
Joseph Block.....	Chef.....	".....	Germany.....	31 52	1,165 70	Bridget Murphy.....	Washerwoman.....	".....	Ireland.....	95 23	95 23
Samuel Wilson.....	Servant.....	".....	Unknown.....	17 68	2 50	Angela Gottka.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	237 14	237 14
Kate Casey.....	Sawfiler.....	".....	Germany.....	12 88	74 78	John Ryan.....	Hod carrier.....	".....	Ireland.....	17 00	17 00
Henry Kluniknecht.....	Unknown.....	".....	Germany.....	213 59	40 76	F. J. Pierson.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	3 49	70
Phillip McCarron.....	Barber.....	".....	Ireland.....	20 00	5,138 17	Alberto Tedasco.....	Barber.....	".....	United States.....	3 00	3 00
Ernst Hoffman.....	Unknown.....	".....	Scotland.....	45 63	2,250 03	Philo N. McGiffin.....	United States Navy.....	".....	Ireland.....	3 20	3 20
Bridget Williams.....	Lodgers.....	".....	New York.....	22 75	108 68	Catharine Sullivan.....	Cook.....	".....	374 78	225 54	
Janet Macnamara.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Ireland.....	123 16	123 16	Isabella Armstrong.....	Boards.....	".....	3 72	3 72	
Rosa Fox.....	Laborer.....	".....	Germany.....	101 70	101 70	Louis Gerster.....	Bartender.....	".....	Unknown.....	55	55
Catharine Murphy.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Germany.....	148 81	14 90	Christian Gertner.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	75 32	75 32
Ann Egan.....	Nysterman.....	".....	England.....	299 49	14 90	Kate Mingay.....	Cigarmaker.....	".....	Germany.....	327 56	8 00
Patrick Farrall.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	5 27	6 18	Herman Muller.....	Cutlery.....	".....	Ireland.....	31 50	31 50
Nichols Belz.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	55 16	40 10	Carl Richter.....	Electrician.....	".....	Germany.....	1,189 23	490 11
Hattie Robinson.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	1 25	55 16	Michael Cody.....	Clerk.....	".....	Ireland.....	24 86	24 86
Michael Foley.....	Farmer.....	".....	Germany.....	627 02	55 16	John Kamena.....	Laborer.....	".....	Germany.....	112 32	112 32
Casette K. Orr.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	40 10	8 60	Charles E. Bennett.....	Sailor.....	".....	New York.....	244 75	244 75
Paul Reinhold.....	Waiter.....	".....	Germany.....	2 50	2 50	John Kris iansen.....	Domestic.....	".....	Norway.....	171 36	7 20
Willibald Rucker.....	Butcher.....	".....	Germany.....	1 20	2 50	Margaret Lanigan.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	5,371 74	5,371 74
Solly White.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	2 50	2 50	Hilda C. Johnson.....	Laundress.....	".....	Sweden.....	177 76	86 65
John Green.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	1 20	2 50	Mary A. Dixon.....	Domestic.....	".....	England.....	949 21	949 21
Herman Edelfort.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	2 50	2 50	Louisa A. Bergland.....	".....	".....	Sweden.....	146 75	24 90
Joseph McDermott.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	125 00	125 00	Pierre Borderez.....	Cook.....	".....	France.....	1 22	20
J. E. Mack.....	Tailor.....	".....	Germany.....	2 13	5 67	Otto F. Holtz.....	Tailor.....	".....	Germany.....	302 50	302 50
Felicks Petrowsky.....	Miner.....	".....	England.....	7 18	7 18	Albert Hart.....	Merchant.....	".....	New Brunswick.....	442 69	442 69
George Hardacre.....	Carpenter.....	".....	Germany.....	8 88	9 25	Thomas E. Martin.....	Waiter.....	".....	England.....	30 00	30 00
John Bienschoff.....	Unknown.....	".....	United States.....	5 02	5 02	Roger De Sillier.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	2 52	2 52
George A. Latourette.....	Engineer.....	".....	Austria.....	1,401 88	30 10	Carl Horst.....	Laundry.....	".....	Germany.....	68 03	61 55
Victor Rey.....	Washing.....	".....	Germany.....	10 10	20 58	Mary B. Dunbar.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	813 91	347 95
Jacob Tunnesson.....	Butcher.....	".....	Hungary.....	2 15	14 46	Rudolph Buhler.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	246 05	246 05
Bella Feldstein.....	Butcher.....	".....	Germany.....	4 56	548 75	John Cassidy.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	6,728 06	450 45
Frank Stadel.....	Musician.....	".....	Ireland.....	9 06	3,723 39	Elza Callahan.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	10 03	70
Daniel Sullivan.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	96 21	548 75	Maria Zick er.....	Housewife.....	".....	Germany.....	103 00	103 00
Lucia E. Stevens.....	Unknown.....	".....	Germany.....	112 86	80 41	Egisto Heretta.....	Draughtsman.....	".....	Italy.....	2,464 65	174 11
Elien Nelson.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	46 23	1,679 31	William Wright.....	Peddler.....	".....	Ireland.....	2,808 74	102 35
Freida Nesebach.....	".....	".....	Germany.....	5 57	1,974 61	Bridget Dunn.....	Seamstress.....	".....	Scotland.....	332 55	112 25
Elizabeth J. Watson.....	Tailor.....	".....	Germany.....	9 04	287 89	William L. Lyon.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	5 50	5 50
Margaret McCarthy.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	11 53	11 53	William J. McCarthy.....	Clerk.....	".....	New York.....	438 77	1 79
Herman Oelze.....	Bookkeeper.....	".....	United States.....	67 01	67 01	James Horstall.....	General Manager.....	".....	Germany.....	198 55	159 85
Margaretha Werling.....	Railroad guard.....	".....	Unknown.....	1,942 68	1,942 68	Kate Healy.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	88	88
Adolph Clausen.....	Unknown.....	".....	Germany.....	1,953 97	1,953 97	John A. Foster.....	None.....	".....	New York.....	88	88
Alexander W. Bennett.....	Cigarmaker.....	".....	Greece.....	19 60	4 10	Unknown man.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	48	.....
Christian H. Breyer.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	20,578 19	20,578 19	Caswell W. Wisdom.....	Asst. Superintendent.....	".....	United States.....	2 10	.....
Louisa Knost.....	Jeweler.....	".....	Germany.....	36 91	37 16	Elizabeth Butler.....	Laundress.....	".....	Ireland.....	278 09	190 27
George Lazrides.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	46 36	46 36	John Furlong.....	Engineer.....	".....	Ireland.....	144 50	106 20
William W. Miller.....	Waiter.....	".....	Germany.....	65 49	69 78	John Reichl.....	Factory hand.....	".....	Germany.....	11 90	10 00
Phillip Herberet.....	Cloakmaker.....	".....	Russia.....	30 20	1 25	Filomena Turso.....	Washerwoman.....	".....	Italy.....	176 08	85 90
Mary Clayton.....	None.....	".....	Spain.....	3 04	86 60	Marie Thoman.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	420 21	39 71
Louis Greth.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	202 00	100 45	Ellen Rooney.....	Scrubwoman.....	".....	Ireland.....	1 84	15
Sam. Persky.....	Laborer.....	".....	".....	459 27	326 75	William Peppin.....	Waiter.....	".....	United States.....	48	48
Antonio Cespada.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	231 29	231 29	Matilda James.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	1,038 91	159 76
Edward Coughlan.....	Housewife.....	".....	".....	200 72	231 11	Anthony Finn.....	Watchman.....	".....	Germany.....	1 92	1 92
William Burns.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	19 28	41 28	John Robinskie.....	Unknown.....	".....	New York.....	145 97	83 90
Sarah Duggan.....	Newsdealer.....	".....	Germany.....	1,030 02	51 21	Maggie Reilly.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	United States.....	90 29	90 29
Mary Duffy.....	Music teacher.....	".....	Italy.....	.....	.....	Kate M. Higgins.....	Domestic.....	".....	Unknown.....	5 21	20
Henry Schmidt.....	".....	".....	".....	.....	.....	Fretta S. Leach.....	Unknown.....	".....	England.....	30 15	30 15
Pietro Ferranti.....	".....	".....	".....	.....	.....	Elizabeth McKenzie.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	Ireland.....	64 10	64 10
Otto E. Salyman.....	Engineer.....	".....	Germany.....	Catharine Herrick.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	United States.....	800 55	800 55

Cases Not Heretofore Reported.

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Max Becker.....	Waiter.....	New York.....	Germany.....	\$747 42	\$172 40	Judson B. Hough.....	Minchinist.....	".....	United States.....	30 52	22 55
William F. Sauerlander.....	Machinist.....	".....	".....	32 61	32 61	Alexander Robertson.....	Bookkeeper.....	".....	Germany.....	190 05	187 22
August Bengston.....	Tailor.....	".....	Unknown.....	27 94	5 70	Otto Deuth.....	Waiter.....	".....	Germany.....	73 30	64 60
Margaretha Duffy.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	725 70	4 20	John J. Galnor.....	Music teacher.....	".....	Ireland.....	904 57	195 75
David Downes.....	Canalboat captain.....	".....	Unknown.....	26 80	26 80	Jacob Billingsstein.....	Sea captain.....	".....	Unknown.....	6 10	6 10
Arthur W. Rondier.....	Engineer.....	".....	France.....	20	1 15	Joseph Le Clair.....	Butcher.....	".....	France.....	243 64	243 64
Alice Fales.....	Domestic.....	".....	England.....	2 64	1 15	Giacoma Secondo.....	Singer.....	".....	Italy.....	4 84	70
Giovanna Pavesia.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	2 04	85	Sarah Murphy.....	Laundress.....	".....	Ireland.....	4 26	26
George Gunther.....	Fruit broker.....	".....	".....	234 89	234 89	Frances Porter.....	Shrmaker.....	".....	Unknown.....	150 25	116 82
John F. Matthews.....	Nurse.....	".....	Michigan.....	1,000 00	1 05	Oskar Jahnke.....	Draughtsman.....	".....	Germany.....	554 39	375 89
Emile Lindergen.....	Servant.....	".....	Sweden.....	4 86	1 70	William Burns.....	Laborer.....	".....	Ireland.....	20	20
Ellen Surl.....	Actor.....	".....	Ireland.....	151 27	70 00	Catharine A. Haywood.....	Waitress.....	".....	South Carolina.....	412 73	235 66

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William H. Coon.....	None.....	New York.....	Unknown.....	\$4 15	\$4 15	Alice McKenna.....	Washwoman.....	New York.....	Ireland.....	\$84 70	\$84 70
Herman Krause.....	Saloon.....	".....	Germany.....	14 82	100 40	Alexander Reidel.....	Opera singer.....	".....	Germany.....	100 00	10
Angelo Sacco.....	Laborer.....	".....	Italy.....	168 00	7 10	Leon Rath.....	Confectioner.....	".....	France.....	1 00	20
Catherine Ryan.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	755 34	5 00	Francis D. N. Nille.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	72 50	59 00
Mary Reis.....	Physician.....	".....	Austria.....	73 58	58 05	Lena Leichnering.....	Domestic.....	".....	Unknown.....	20	10
Ernst F. Hoffman.....	Music dealer.....	".....	Germany.....	10,516 79	104 80	William Groshang.....	Fieman.....	".....	Sweden.....	20	20
Mary Fitzgerald.....	Cook.....	".....	New York.....	230 79	4 00	Annie McDonald.....	Waitress.....	".....	Ireland.....	3 17	1 00
Margaret Finn.....	Nurse.....	".....	Ireland.....	12 36	86 50	Agnes C. Shea.....	Factory hand.....	".....	".....		25
T. P. Middleton.....	Clerk.....	".....	Unknown.....	88 49	88 49						
William Gould.....	Engineer.....	".....	England.....	29 70	48 20						
E. J. Prew.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	29 70	96 00						
Charles Hiscott.....	Merchant.....	".....	Ireland.....	73 76	2 10						
Samuel Burnside.....	Governess.....	".....	Sweden.....	181 21	57 25						
Hilma Sundgrew.....	Hairdresser.....	".....	Austria.....	8 18	8 45						
Adelbut Sabotka.....	Hairdresser.....	".....	Austria.....	242 92	97 43						
Hermann Muller.....	Needlework.....	".....	Germany.....	853 52	7 75						
Ellen Taylor.....	Candy store.....	".....	Ireland.....	97 43	133 25						
Catharine Burke.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	1,609 04	129 80						
Mary A. McGovern.....	Domestic.....	".....	".....	2,610 00	379 12						
Johann Kuhns.....	Newspaper stand.....	".....	Germany.....	379 12	32 87						
Louis Musterfeld.....	Bookkeeper.....	".....	".....	379 12	58 50						
Adolph Magunson.....	Tailor.....	".....	Sweden.....	32 87	60 90						
John L. Peake.....	Engineer.....	".....	New York.....	141 13	12,406 77						
Wilmer T. Richards.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	60 90	2,573 79						
James Gemmel.....	None.....	".....	New York.....	12,406 77	3,399 45						
Philip Friel.....	Peddler.....	".....	Ireland.....	2,573 79	157 10						
Ann Fitzgerald.....	None.....	".....	".....	3,399 45	10 70						
Gerhard Nelford.....	Painter.....	".....	Germany.....	50	50						
Harry Bowen.....	Gymnast.....	".....	United States.....	50	76 50						
Marcel Pinoli.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	132 27	243 01						
Anton Pokomey.....	Laborer.....	".....	Sweden.....	108 50	80 20						
Alfred Johnson.....	Merchant.....	".....	Germany.....	485 58	90 70						
William King.....	Domestic.....	".....	Finland.....	38 05	38 05						
Maria Hochella.....	Candy store.....	".....	Russia.....	257 73	91 50						
Gettie Weisman.....	Tailor.....	".....	England.....	2,000 00	61 65						
Henry Allez.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Hungary.....	100 76	57 40						
Paula Gratz.....	Laborer.....	".....	Ireland.....	144 00	39 26						
James O'Brien.....	Physician.....	".....	Greece.....	192 89	1 12						
Leon D. Courcoula.....	Peddler.....	".....	Russia.....	1 12	3 10						
Barnett Piltzstein.....	".....	".....	Germany.....	6 48	10 32						
Conrad Davis.....	".....	".....	Switzerland.....	10 32	1 70						
Martin Gysin.....	Silk weaver.....	".....	Ireland.....	32 77	123 40						
May Howard.....	Domestic.....	".....	Sweden.....	404 50	14 18						
John J. Ford.....	Proofreader.....	".....	Denmark.....	14 18	781 90						
Nellie Olson.....	Driver.....	".....	Switzerland.....	781 90	38						
Christian Neilson.....	Doctor.....	".....	United States.....	38	39 05						
Arnold Schittle.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Unknown.....	39 05	83 05						
Nathan Campbell.....	Cigarmaker.....	".....	".....	115 36	40						
Ida Horan.....	Midwife.....	".....	Germany.....	173 47	101 05						
August Richard.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	347 41	06						
Margaretta Kienle.....	Seamstress.....	".....	Ireland.....	101 25	38						
Caroline D. Morton.....	Domestic.....	".....	United States.....	06	1 31						
Mary Giblaine.....	Clerk.....	".....	".....	38	357 72						
Florence E. Noner.....	Servant.....	".....	Germany.....	1 31	7 25						
Kate F. Hoag.....	None.....	".....	England.....	357 72	1,004 80						
Caroline Stehle.....	Shoemaker.....	".....	Germany.....	7 25	14 81						
James McCall.....	Unknown.....	".....	Ireland.....	1,004 80	104 80						
Daniel Hoag.....	Barber.....	".....	Italy.....	14 81	220 85						
Michael Kennedy.....	Cook.....	".....	Ireland.....	1,250 74	17 10						
Vincenzo Cassino.....	Washerwoman.....	".....	".....	2,388 28	91						
Bridget Campbell.....	Plumber.....	".....	Sweden.....	33 44	131 15						
Maria Gallon.....	Domestic.....	".....	Unknown.....	33 44	51 45						
John Swanson.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	1,248 71	40 20						
Irene Cuff.....	Unknown.....	".....	Germany.....	51 45	5 11						
Ann Maher, etc.....	Clerk.....	".....	Unknown.....	5 11	0 28						
Henry Decker.....	Play writer.....	".....	Unknown.....	0 28	55 00						
William S. Davidson.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	55 00	1,237 78						
C. L. Greaves.....	Cabinetmaker.....	".....	England.....	1,237 78	109 85						
Caroline Ewing.....	Printer.....	".....	".....	109 85	368 29						
Joseph Gunther.....	Musician.....	".....	Switzerland.....	368 29	278 15						
Henry M. Cole.....	Sewing.....	".....	Ireland.....	278 15	134 10						
Joseph Hobday.....	Laborer.....	".....	United States.....	134 10	75 44						
Barbara Len.....	Ironworker.....	".....	Unknown.....	75 44	237 33						
John Mitchell.....	Coal dealer.....	".....	Germany.....	237 33	848 05						
Thomas Sweeney.....	Carver.....	".....	Russia.....	848 05	96 28						
Massey Brande.....	Watchman.....	".....	France.....	96 28	116 84						
Gustav Bauer.....	Sewing.....	".....	United States.....	116 84	105 25						
Abm. H. Baranclosky.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	3,257 02	32						
Maria Mathais.....	Waiter.....	".....	Germany.....	32	40						
Mary J. O'Connor.....	Carpenter.....	".....	Russia.....	40	28						
Bridget Crimmins.....	School teacher.....	".....	New York.....	28	619 88						
George Seidel.....	Coal dealer.....	".....	United States.....	619 88	179 80						
Wadyslaw Spiss.....	School teacher.....	".....	Ireland.....	179 80	3,276 43						
John J. Young.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	3,276 43	145 30						
Maria J. Thompson.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	".....	145 30	82 78						
Margaret Cronin.....	Laborer.....	".....	Switzerland.....	82 78	50 85						
Gaspar Karw.....	Carpenter.....	".....	Germany.....	50 85	199 44						
Edward Toggewiler.....	Chair-repairer.....	".....	Russia.....	199 44	319 54						
Appolonia Kiesselbach.....	Shirtmaker.....	".....	Unknown.....	319 54	4,072 58						
Gabriel Becker.....	Actor.....	".....	Switzerland.....	4,072 58	2,080 92						
Henry Clifford.....	Designer.....	".....	Ireland.....	2,080 92	587 55						
Herman Melzian.....	Laborer.....	".....	United States.....	587 55	1,349 71						
John O'Connell.....	None.....	".....	".....	1,349 71	122 00						
Lizzie M. Kelly.....	Domestic.....	".....	Germany.....	122 00	148 91						
Salome Simon.....	Domestic.....	".....	England.....	148 91	42 42						
Annie Hendres.....	Teacher.....	".....	Ireland.....	42 42	85						
John B. O'Reilly.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	85	9 00						
Bridget Duffy.....	".....	".....	".....	9 00	1 00						
Delia C. McMahon.....	".....	".....	".....	1 00	22 00						
Mary Clark.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	22 00	728 00						
Josephine Helm.....	Dressmaker.....	".....	Unknown.....	728 00	47 72						
John C. Crabb.....	Unknown.....	".....	England.....	47 72	320 59						
Justus F. Fischer.....	Barber.....	".....	Germany.....	320 59	2,052 22						
Agatha Sigwart.....	Housewife.....	".....	".....	2,052 22	10 00						
George Skerrett.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	10 00	156 33						
George Eschenlauer.....	Confectioner.....	".....	France.....	156 33	2,000 76						
John Brandl.....	None.....	".....	Germany.....	2,000 76	286 20						
Benjamin J. Decker.....	Telegraph operator.....	".....	New York.....	286 20	561 00						
Catharine Wynne.....	Seamstress.....	".....	Ireland.....	561 00	7 08						
Adolph Meyer.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	7 08	220 31						
Adolph Nathanson.....	Unknown.....	".....	".....	220 31	1 25						
Anton Nidoar.....	".....	".....	".....	1 25	4 50						
Peter Reilly.....	".....	".....	".....	4 50	43 83						
Thomas Earle.....	Laborer.....	".....	England.....	43 83	08						
Johann C. Loew.....	Sculptor.....	".....	Germany.....	08	2,449 90						
Paul Traeger.....	Baker.....	".....	Unknown.....	2,449 90	10						
William Crowley.....	Cashier.....	".....	Boston.....	10	88 92						
Anna M. M. Hemmerichin.....	Domestic.....	".....	Bavaria.....	88 92	1 20						
Honora Monahan.....	".....	".....	Ireland.....	1 20	1 20						
Bessie Hanley.....	".....	".....	".....	1 20	1 20						
Ellen M. O'Loole.....	".....	".....	".....	1 20	888 06						
John C. Bullitt.....	Lawyer.....	".....	United States.....	888 06	68						
Leopold Pernetz.....	Cutler.....	".....	Austria.....	68	5 94						
Carl W. Schultz.....	Unknown.....	".....	Unknown.....	5 94	42						
Henry King.....	Special Officer.....	".....	United States.....	42	6 00						
Margaret Ackerson.....	None.....	".....	Ireland.....	6 00	134 30						
Emil Sigward.....	Cook.....	".....	Germany.....	134 30	198 30						
William Leub.....	Boxmaker.....	".....	".....	198 30	14 30						
George H. Blanchard.....	None.....	".....	United States.....	14 30	60 00						
Charles Bachmann.....	".....	".....	".....	60 00	1 26						
Louis D. Rotanci.....	Watchmaker.....	".....	Saxony.....	1 26	71						
Mary Flynn.....	Painter.....	".....	Italy.....	71	180 90						
Edward Everts.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	180 90	2,530 90						
George Romig.....	Cutlery.....	".....	Germany.....	2,530 90	72 23						
Mina Girol.....	Saloon.....	".....	".....	72 23	24 00						
John Tyroll.....	Cook.....	".....	France.....	24 00	13						
Katharine Son tag.....	Clerk.....	".....	New York.....	13	20						
Martin Eriksen.....	None.....	".....	Unknown.....	20	4 38						
Mary Curran.....	Carpenter.....	".....	Norway.....	4 38	22 50						
Franz Thim, etc.....	Cook.....	".....	New York.....	22 50	258 22						
Michael Balzli.....	Laborer.....	".....	Germany.....	258 22	10 10						
Levin C. Dillon.....	Saloon.....	".....	".....	10 10	10 42						
Mary Lally.....	Inventor.....	".....	United States.....	10 42	35 51						
Elizabeth G. Dawson.....	Domestic.....	".....	Ireland.....	35 51	301 07						
Kuchi Madacho.....	Sister of Charity.....	".....	Massachusetts.....	301 07	1,007 99						
Thomas Lawler.....	Sailor.....	".....	Japan.....	1,007 99	16 53						
Johanna Barteld.....	Housekeeper.....	".....	Unknown.....	16 53	06						
			Germany.....	06	80 00						

Report of moneys unclaimed by next of kin and paid into the City Treasury during the year 1897, in addition to the estates received from the Department of Public Charities, from the Coroners, and the estates paid into the City Treasury pursuant to chapter 573 of the Laws of 1887.

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Ellen Waters	\$6 81	Kate McGuirk.....	\$5 00
Cornelius Carlan.....	5,169 60	J. McGuirk.....	1 00
Mary Reardon.....	473 21	Blewetts' Oyster House.....	2 20
Ferdinand Schwachheim.....	2,798 27	Matthew Pierson.....	2 20
William Schoodt.....	348 86	John Lynn.....	8 00
William T. Bentley.....	47 70	K. E. Smith.....	7 00
Fannie Greenberg.....	18 42	Ritchberg Smith.....	16 00
Mary Hamilton.....	45 00	Charles Sprague.....	103 07
Kate Ortiz.....	47 70	Arthur Sprague.....	103 07
Henry Minhardus.....	50 00	Michael McCaude.....	56 60
James Shyleck.....	10 00	Louis Zuckerman.....	32 30
Thomas Lahey.....	100 00	St. John's Lutheran Church.....	3 50
Evelyn B. Kelly.....	106 10	Michael J. Henry.....	25 00
Harriet Smith.....	725 52	Nina Collins.....	12 50
Ann Ryan.....	895 16	Peter Ganzoniero.....	9 50
Mary Kaiser.....	3 00	George Nugent.....	14 21
Joseph Middleton.....	50 00	John Weir.....	71 00
Unknown person.....	462 91	C. H. Hanson.....	07 00
Mary Stockel.....	50 00	William Hare.....	20 60
Louisa Walter.....	20 00	William Williams.....	2 80
Catharine Mathews.....	4 00	William H. Hare.....	2 80
Mary Keegan.....	13 00	Amanda M. Bentley.....	2 80
D. Mooney.....	2 57	J. B. Lennon.....	18 00
Mary Golinsky.....	1 10	Charles W. Saunders.....	6 00
Frances C. Senior.....	24 00	Jaques Roth.....	1 20
O. E. Bradford.....	44 30	L. de Vandreiul.....	15 00
E. H. McNamara.....	14 80	Mrs. Robinson.....	1 20
Wil iam H. Armstrong.....	50 00	Frederick Finch.....	45 00
Eliza Mannheiser.....	12 00	Charles McDonald.....	5 00
Hiram Bell.....	1 50	Paul Klund.....	8 80
Richard Sanford.....	1 83	Julia Caloin.....	21 00
M. Vandennymden.....	46 00	Thomas Roe.....	1 00
James Kehoe.....	163 38	J. R. Maggoine.....	1 40
George Brereton.....	3 62	German Picard.....	3 60
William Mohm.....	20 70	Jenny Lafay.....	3 60
Mrs. Rutenberg.....	5 44	William Gabriel.....	5 90
Mollie Hall.....	2 11	Margaret Dooley.....	4 90
Thomas Canary.....	05 00	John W. Ward.....	25 40
Joseph W. West.....	2 93	Anna S. Koening.....	14 40
Vaux Gibbs.....	8 00	Eva M. Stockmeyer.....	14 45
L. F. Bishop.....	16 00	Peter G. Svenson.....	70 50
Ellen Walsh.....	848 05	Hugh McKeon.....	327 50
Charlotte Murphy.....	456 80	Christopher Kehr.....	939 80
E. Dyerberg.....	1 66	Lucius McAdam.....	2 07
William Whelan.....	44 00	Besch & Co.....	1 00
C. B. Smith.....	11 50		
Henry H. Dyer.....	38 00		
		Total.....	\$14,994

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Catharine Ghio.....	\$1 31	Unknown man.....	\$2 07	Unknown man, 95th street, East river.....	\$0 10	Donald Tulloch.....	\$0 10
Esther J. Hampton.....	1 26	George Ferguson.....	41	Michael Reilly.....	1 00	Francisca or Frederika Meyer.....	50
Rudolph Frankel.....	80	Margaret Hermon.....	6 86	Peter Walen.....	2 55	Frederika Billings.....	50
Winnie Halloran.....	1 00	George Reynolds.....	5 12	James Smith.....	11	Robert Sands.....	2 80
Mary Herring.....	38	John Roemer.....	3 16	Edward C. Singo.....	1 03	Annie Vergey.....	26
Hannah Hastings.....	1 30	Rose Dungan.....	14 81	John Glynn.....	05	Andrew Stosik.....	1 32
William R. Haurand.....	54	John E. Baldwin.....	57	Charles A. Smith.....	83	Henry Mullen.....	50
Henry E. Hanson.....	2 77	Isabella Brunel.....	1 30	Charles Keller.....	21	Thomas Cogan.....	75
Henry Herman.....	4 40	William Morrissey.....	1 24	Eva Buffin.....	4 00	Madeline Danterville.....	2 57
John Fetheron.....	4 37	Margaret McGrath.....	74	Rebecca Lynch.....	06	Isaac Bogan.....	31
Edward D. Henson.....	15 34	Daniel Benard.....	39	Patrick Guion.....	1 05	John Callahan.....	22
Mary A. Hogan.....	25	E. G. Payson.....	30	Hugh McGowan.....	10	Millie Silverman.....	1 41
Deha Hollecher.....	36	Geon Trucker.....	4 35	Bernard Gormley.....	24	Erhardt Christian Bauer or Bau.....	10
Charles H. Harvey.....	1 78	Madeline E. Kendall.....	179 18	William Loeber.....	03	Bridget Wilson.....	25
Johanna Harrington.....	5 80	Ann Bohie.....	17 90	Annie Morales.....	3 05	Thomas Haren.....	2 00
Sidney Hull.....	1 10	Julia Hogan.....	173 15	Joseph Connolly.....	1 10	Howard S. Ingersoll.....	54
Rudolph Denicke.....	3 09	Jennie Kummel.....	21 98	Morini Giarro.....	52	Philip Edelman.....	50
William H. Coleman.....	6 38	August R. Ernst.....	108 86	Joseph Gannon.....	05	Peter Gramer.....	4 05
Frederick Hofer.....	15 47	Antonie Casani.....	20 51	Richard Shannon.....	64	William Bennett.....	1 07
Paul Huber.....	25	Elizabeth Harper.....	92 24	James McDonald.....	54	Edward Sucher.....	54
Thomas Duke.....	28	Chas. Ellison.....	24 88	Phillip O'Reilly.....	57	Joseph Beloch.....	62
Mary Gillen.....	1 65	Anny Wohlman.....	32 51	Patrick Ward.....	10	Joseph Beloch.....	02
Matthew Jacobson.....	3 00	James J. O'Mahoney.....	34 01	James Sheridan.....	8 02	Ellen Kenny.....	10 00
August Bohmer.....	2 50	Christine Welner.....	32 16	Brantly Mack.....	1 20	Liebe de Groat.....	48
James Knoch.....	58	Unknown man.....	33 65	Edward R. Mason.....	1 39	Thomas Carpenter.....	26
George H. Heller.....	40	Jacob Heinrich.....	80 21	Patrick Devlin.....	01	Catharine Cordes.....	39
Frank L. Kins.....	40	Martha Ferris.....	10 06	Mary Halligan.....	11	Samuel Holden.....	31
Martin M. Kellogg.....	30	Maria Hodney.....	14 05	Anthony Hess.....	13 05	Lena Kupperal.....	73
Quimper de Lamscol.....	30	Louis Champion.....	45 81	Joseph Meyers.....	61	Phillip Locklander.....	3 40
Adolph Kroft.....	1 16	Bridget McCue.....	7 26	Hannah Gallagher.....	1 00	Frank Diehl.....	05
Anton Koebel.....	6 82	William Junghaus.....	2 00	Jane Cunningham.....	1 40	Paul Kubala.....	05
Frederick F. Kruse.....	1 40	Betty Brown.....	23 07	Margaret Loscher.....	21	Daniel Sullivan.....	10
August Kretschmer.....	46	Mary Dinan.....	75 23	Margaret Walsh.....	47 13	Minnie Gaier.....	1 83
Esther Lewis.....	88	Lizzie Higgins.....	14 04	Johanna Downey.....	1 73	Ellen Welsh.....	4 74
Mary Lane.....	3 60	Ellen Sheridan.....	6 05	Barbara Meyer.....	25	Mary Stutzer.....	1 16
Joseph Propatzke.....	1 46	Paul Pishkalla.....	88 88	Jacob Brunhard.....	1 20	Patrick Driscoll.....	88
Otto F. Linsenmann.....	1 19	Ann Reardon.....	3 65	Francis Hughes.....	33	Emilie Gere or Geve.....	58
Isaac Lloyd.....	2 92	Roger DeSiller.....	2 88	Mary E. Casey.....	10	Charles H. Golden.....	3 25
John Logan.....	1 46	Kate Healy.....	50	Annie Hart.....	16	Charles Scott.....	36
August Lydecker.....	4 18	Vincenzo Spagno.....	50	Bridget Casey, alias Kate Kane.....	70	Rachel Greenbaum.....	1 15
Maria Holmstrom.....	1 35	Charles Pauls.....	50	Hector B. Meredith.....	25	Madeline Rearle.....	4 60
Helen Howard.....	1 95	Patrick Roach.....	11	Bridget Coughran.....	4 00	Kate Geoghegan.....	1 66
Richard Perkins.....	1 00	Charles Wanninger.....	50	Fannie Vens on.....	1 66	Ann Madden.....	1 50
Neil McLean.....	3 88	Edward Hirsch.....	62	Charles B. Lindener.....	53	Gesula Mallochio.....	2 56
Thomas McKown.....	80	Mary Carman.....	40	Charles B. Lindener.....	45	Morris L. Tauber.....	30
Margaret McCrady.....	2 10	Christiane Armond.....	15	Bessie Phillips.....	11	Edward Harkins.....	9 34
Elizabeth McCrady.....	1 28	Ann Kelly.....	23 93	Adolph Schmidt.....	2 36	Henry Prouse Cooper.....	28
Annie McCall.....	2 06	Anton M. Merk.....	18 09	Maria Flynn.....	16	Long Ah One.....	50
Maria McNamara.....	1 36	William Haslett.....	71 40	John O'Dwyer.....	98	Austin McCahill.....	36
Ellen McNamara.....	4 36	Mary Cox.....	98 21	George Nebal.....	3 01	Wolff Kleinberg.....	14
Bridget Carroll.....	7 23	John Delaney.....	23 90	Emily Porter.....	1 00	Rose Conklin.....	2 31
E. Hoewel.....	3 80	Kate Morosino.....	9 35	Mary Dooley.....	50	Michael Jones.....	3 81
Annie Romano.....	6 72	Louisa Verner.....	158 33	Mary Sweeney.....	30	Charles Dexheimer.....	3 00
Albert Price.....	2 86	Kate Vaughn.....	104 70	James Johnston.....	6 00	Charles Dexheimer.....	11
Albert Mazaro.....	11 20	Emily Renn.....	4 38	Josephine Johnson.....	2 05	Antonio Horaczek.....	1 07
Adam Maus.....	50	Patrick Hayden.....	26 03	James Fay.....	52	Robert F. Hannon.....	83
Robert Miller.....	92	William Jones.....	90 48	William Gray.....	54	John Doe.....	8 60
Catharine Mahoney.....	10	Carl Heidemich.....	2 29	Mary Graf.....	3 13	Peter Hass.....	35
Henry Merrifield.....	6 58	Julia Cullen.....	5 05	Ernest F. Dahl.....	28	Jacob Morrice, or Morrant.....	28
John Marsh.....	4 05	Annie Feltman.....	5 44	Hans Christensen.....	5 00	Abraham Danziger.....	18
Hermann Meyer.....	1 10	William Sullivan.....	3 38	James Flanagan.....	1 17	Herman Menchell.....	1 00
Gichi Mikky.....	1 60	Emily Welner.....	65	Annie Booth.....	33	William Casey.....	1 00
William O. Mulvrenen.....	46	Unknown man.....	3 11	Sarah Coleman.....	3 14	William Hackett.....	1 20
Johanna Moroney.....	60	Elmer Sears.....	1 20	Sarah Coleman.....	1 00	Leontine Anderhill, or Underhill.....	50
Joseph H. Moulton.....	76	Unknown man.....	10 40	Thomas Johnson.....	36	Michael Dwyer.....	1 39
William H. Morris.....	1 46			Jacob Kraus.....	10 20	John O'Connor.....	1 39
Rose Mansfield.....	10 30			Antonio Diego.....	34	Samuel S. Colby.....	25
Matthew McGrath.....	20			Henry J. Rolfe.....	76	Phillip R. Simonson.....	2 00
		Total.....	\$3,808 97	Elizabeth Smith.....	2 00	Stephen McCabe.....	20
				John J. Kehoe.....	1 01	Max Brogowitz.....	34
				Michael Whalen.....	87	Hugo Fietz, or Fritz.....	19
				John Eger.....	1 15	Simon Block.....	76
				Ellen Connolly.....	11	David B. Miles.....	25
				Giovanni Benesceneta.....	94	Mary Brine.....	02
				John Croughwell.....	1 00	Elizabeth Maybom.....	6 10
				James Blessing.....	2 03	Anna Villing.....	7 23
				John Bennenworth.....	1 55	Jessie Flannigan.....	2 00
				George Vassege.....	1 50	Jane Williams.....	26
				Julius Willis.....	02	Amanda Clark.....	1 00
				John Hudson.....	45	Augusta Barbara, alias Sharbeede, alias Jane Doe.....	17
				George A. Weeks.....	2 29	Ann Hays, or Harp.....	34
				Patrick Pryor.....	01	Emily Sands.....	30
				Unknown man, Bellevue Hospital, June 17, 1896.....	82	Mary Doe.....	05
				Carl Fink.....	11	Mary Brooks.....	16 06
				Frank Abbott.....	33	Emelia Nieding.....	3 41
				Martin Timmell.....	11	Celia Duffy.....	14
				Joseph Dooley.....	10	Hugh Connell.....	06
				Hattie Ward.....	95	John Birmingham.....	07
				Mary Hennessy.....	09	Hugh Reilly.....	30
				Susan Voelmle.....	20	Ferdin ad Ahles.....	01
				Rebecca Mash, or Mess.....	4 11	Herman Doefield.....	1 02
				Kate Hunter.....	03	John Keating.....	31
				Maria, or Eliza Gilhooly.....	15	Stephen Wilkins.....	33
				Mary Welsh, or Walsh.....	10	Charles Birkland.....	10
				Rose Laven.....	3 55	Frederick K. Wilson.....	10
				Minne Kruger, or Cruger.....	13	John Degler.....	55
				Mary J. Carney.....	28	Peter Evibel.....	1 08
				Hannah Murphy.....	1 00	Edward Cahill.....	05
				Lizzie Conway.....	1 00	Louis Oppenheimer.....	02
				Fannie Morange.....	62	Charles S. White.....	02
				Margaret Craig.....	50	Patrick McGrath.....	10
				Catharine Dowd.....	14	Thomas Sharkey.....	07
				Kate Johnson.....	11	Thomas Sharkey.....	36
				Ellen Vandewater, or Malloy.....	1 41	Francis Crocker.....	01
					14	Thomas McCooly.....	70
				Catharine Clark.....	85	Henry Simmons.....	1 00
				Elizabeth Ray.....	50	William Tait.....	5 00
				Catharine O'Donohue, or Donahoe.....	1 20	Felix Funk.....	18
				Ann Hannigan, or Flannigan.....	1 29	Martin Hilderbrandt.....	25
				Sarah Bell.....	1 80	Thomas E. Doyle.....	02
				Bridget Moran.....	55	Charles Stockinger.....	14
				Alice McGowan.....	2 17	William West.....	1 20
				Kittie Noll.....	25	Patrick Hogan.....	43
				Mary A. Quirk.....	22	Max Levy.....	25
				Mary J. Ernefried, or Mary J. Ehrenfried.....	13	Edward M. Plum.....	50
					1 49	Charles S. White.....	07
				Bridget Mullen.....	11	Theodore Waitman, or Hartman.....	62
				Amanda Sembrockner, or Steinbrocker.....	21	Harrison Brooks, or Books.....	02
				Emily Sands.....	01	E. P. Riecks.....	04
				Julia Alexander.....	1 30	Montague Winter.....	14
				Ann Dunn.....	2 00	William H. Woods.....	01
				Margaret R. Parnet.....	45	Gustave Held.....	05
				Bridget Farmer.....	09	Conrad Giede.....	07
				Elizabeth Fuller.....	25	William Kelleher.....	02
				Mena Grayson.....	18	Patrick Kelly.....	10
				Ellen Brennan.....	02	Archibald Closs.....	06
				Martha Harmon, or Harrison.....	1 00	John Dumont.....	10
				Anna Moore.....	10	Amos Hill.....	04
				Anna Moore.....	5 00	John Eagan.....	06
				Emma Anderson.....	2 20	Patrick Martin.....	70
				Maria Woolfe.....	1 00	Edward Heane.....	08
				Mary O'Sullivan.....	08	Prosper Romer.....	55
				Ellen Monaghan.....	1 51	Patrick Biggs.....	15
				Louisa Jeene.....	2 76	John Scheatz.....	6 53
				Eliza Kane.....	50	George F. Armstrong.....	15
				Julia Mahoney.....	1 00	John H. Hollings.....	1 00
				Mary Quinn.....	03	Joseph Manning.....	3 00
				Amelia Marks.....	2 07	Alexander Nortsch.....	05
				Ellen Johnston.....	18	John Alberman, or Altman.....	2 14
				Mary Zimmer.....	28	John Mannerling.....	10
				Mary Gorman.....	1 50	Patrick Gerrity.....	01
				Abbie Murray.....	5 04	Bernard P. Feeny.....	50
				Rebecca Purdy.....	75	Patrick Shea.....	01
				Mary Donoghue.....	05	Louis P. Howe.....	05
				Mary Considine.....	25	Frederick Eckhart.....	10
				Bertha Tengeen.....	37	John Taylor.....	45
				Mary Ann Johnston.....	35	August Jungblut.....	35
				Margaretta Fandel.....	51	Charles Severyn.....	2 01
				Adolphine Myer.....	1 00	Joseph Nagy.....	47
				Bridget McGuire, or Maguire.....	08	Adam Bowers.....	35
				Margaret Brown.....	50	John Collins.....	15
				Sarah Carroll.....	47	Joseph F. Hardy.....	08
				Ann Black.....	72	John W. Meiners.....	02
				Catharine Morse, or Moore.....	85	John Alanango.....	6 00
				Mary Cozans.....	45	William J. Hayes.....	10
				Margaret Brennan.....	20 25	Jacob Weiland.....	02
				Mary McCauley.....	50	Wilhelm Spanker.....	10
				Bridget Warren.....	6 76	John Eichler.....	2 60
				Mary Jane Crosby.....			

The Following Cases were Reported During the Year 1897 from the Department of Public Charities. The Cash Received was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$1,349.19.

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
James McNally.....	\$7 17	Emma Luckson.....	\$0 50	John Croughwell.....	94	Mary Brine.....	02
Francisco Messerlain.....	23	Francis Quinn.....	50	James Blessing.....	1 90	Elizabeth Maybohm.....	00
Robert Madhes.....	7 00	Nellie Lyons.....	1 00	John Bennerworth.....	3 00	Rachel Peters.....	6 10
Ernest Hoffman.....	06	Fritz or Chris Beltran.....	2 00	George Vasseage.....	2 03	Anna Villing.....	7 23
Dennis White.....	1 00	Fredk. Schumm.....	1 72	John Miller.....	1 55	Jessie Flannagan.....	2 00
Igmarr Olsen.....	85	John Stiger.....	50	Julius Willis.....	1 00	Jane Williams.....	26
John Costello.....	50	Fredk. Saers.....	2 35	John Hudson.....	02	Amanda Clark.....	1 00
Nick Igar.....	20 40	Fredk. Tenni.....	26	George A. Weeks.....	45	Augusta Barbara, alias Sharbeede, alias Jane Doe.....	17
Addie Smith.....	2 40	Margaret Neck.....	33	Patrick Pryor.....	1 49	Ann Hays, or Harp.....	34
Unknown woman, No. 15 Forsyth street.....	14	Duncan McCuzor.....	1 23	Unknown man, Bellevue Hospital, June 17, 1895.....	2 29	Emily Sands.....	30
William Martin.....	01	Mary Vincent.....	1 33	Carl Fink.....	2 01	Mary Doe.....	05
Otto Zigolski.....	58	Eugene Jagmetty.....	1 91	Frank Abbott.....	82	Mary Brooks.....	16 06
Andrew Carty.....	70	Leon Brandequin.....	25	Martin Timmell.....	11	Emelia Nieding.....	3 41
August Wise.....	1 00	Mary Keppel.....	51	Joseph Dooley.....	11	Celia Duffy.....	14
John Fahey.....	05	Daniel McAdam.....	1 00	Hattie Ward.....	10	Hugh Connell.....	06
Fred. Greisler.....	02	Carl Metternick.....	1 00	Mary Hennessy.....	95	John Birmingham.....	07
Kate Hass.....	05	William or Gottlieb Zickfeld.....	36	Susan Voelmle.....	09	Hugh Reilly.....	30
Sarah White.....	1 96	Charles Cooper.....	36	Rebecca Mash, or Mess.....	20	Ferdin nd Ahles.....	01
James Helloran.....	2 47	August Hasse.....	1 00	Kate Hunter.....	4 11	Herman Doefield.....	1 02
Marion Hawley.....	45	Maria Leslie.....	81	Maria, or Eliza Gilhooly.....	03	John Keating.....	31
Samuel Blumenthal.....	13	Mina Young.....	33	Mary Welsh, or Walsh.....	15	Stephen Wilkins.....	33
Kate Watson.....	85	William Strickler.....	45	Rose Laven.....	10	Charles Birkland.....	25
Maggie Hilton.....	1 00	Patrick Biggs.....	1 05	Minne Kruger, or Cruger.....	3 55	Frederick K. Wilson.....	10
Richard Stamford.....	14	John Travers.....	1 17	Mary J. Carney.....	13	John Degler.....	55
Charles Hoten.....	11	Catharine Fuller.....	75	Hannah Murphy.....	28	Peter Evibel.....	1 08
John Coffey.....	2 00	Bessie Reilly.....	1 89	Lizzie Conway.....	1 00	Edward Cahill.....	05
Patrick Johnson.....	50	Robert Scribner.....	1 60	Fannie Morange.....	1 00	Louis Oppenheimer.....	02
Elli. Smith.....	1 12	Jane Simpson.....	32	Margaret Craig.....	50	Charles S. White.....	02
Nicholas Ostron.....	8 00	Catharine O'Toole.....	55	Catharine Dowd.....	14	Patrick McGrath.....	10
Peter Minster.....	5 45	Mena Ritter.....	25	Kate Johnson.....	11	Thomas Sharkey.....	07
August Hirschoff.....	1 00	Jane Cleary.....	10	Ellen Vandewater, or Malloy.....	1 41	Thomas Sharkey.....	30
John Merriock.....	15	Bettie Goldback or Barbara Able.....	50	Catharine Clark.....	14	Francis Corken.....	08
Lena Galor.....	9 15	Patric k Walsh.....	7 00	Elizabeth R.....	14	Thomas McCooly.....	70
John Garry.....	15	Frederick Smith.....	90	Catharine O'Donohue, or Donahoe.....	50	Henry Simmons.....	1 00
Anten Bellar.....	5 00	Hannah Fitzgerald.....	49	Ann Hannigan, or Flannigan.....	1 20	William Tait.....	5 00
Mary Pryor.....	01	Philomena Rambeau.....	94	Sarah Bell.....	1 29	Felix Funk.....	25
William Hinchliffe.....	15	Margaret McGee.....	5 10	Bridget Moran.....	1 80	Thomas E. Doyle.....	02
Pasquale Papi.....	1 97	Carl Herold.....	1 17	Alice McGowan.....	55	Charles Stockinger.....	14
Fred. Hasse.....	34	Agnes Kelly.....	66	Kittie Noll.....	2 17	William West.....	1 20
Charles Olsen.....	02	Joseph Gaffney.....	1 00	Mary A. Quirk.....	25	Patrick Hogan.....	12
Giovanni Tote.....	06	Pauline Neher.....	85	Mary I. Ernefried, or Mary J. Ehrenfried.....	22	Patrick Hogan.....	43
J. R. Janvahro.....	6 21	Mary Bierman.....	1 02	Bridget Mullen.....	1 49	Max Levy.....	25
Henry Roding.....	14	Theresa Altenbraun.....	82	Amanda Sembrockner, or Steinbrocker.....	1 49	Edward M. Plum.....	90
Hannah Berns.....	05	Edwin R. Meade.....	52	Emily Sands.....	01	Charles S. White.....	11
James Reily.....	75	Otto Keck.....	30	Julia Alexander.....	21	Theodore Waitman, or Hartman.....	02
Patrick Gilligan.....	68	John Van Winkle.....	1 46	Ann Dunn.....	1 30	Harrison Brooks, or Books.....	02
William Gofin.....	51	Sarah McKenna.....	21	Margaret R. Parnet.....	00	E. P. Riecks.....	04
Peter Phillips.....	31	Kate Spiro.....	06	Bridget Farmer.....	45	Montague Winter.....	14
Michael Churchill.....	10	Bridget Boyle.....	05	Elizabeth Fuller.....	09	William H. Woods.....	01
Tony Passano.....	6 00	Catharine Rock.....	2 85	Mena Grayson.....	05	Gustave Held.....	05
George W. Brown.....	10 52	Sarah O'Dell.....	10	Ellen Brennan.....	25	Conrad Gled.....	07
Augusta S. Couch.....	1 10	Patrick F. Hurley.....	10	Martha Harmon, or Harrison.....	09	William Kelleher.....	02
Carl Voos.....	1 15	Bernard Perjosny.....	4 80	Anna Moore.....	1 00	Patrick Kelly.....	00
James O'Neill.....	47	Mary O'Brien.....	28	Anna Moore.....	10	Archibald Close.....	06
David Foster.....	3 72	Louisa Doriot.....	20	Emma Anderson.....	5 00	John Dumont.....	10
David Foster.....	15 76	John O'Brien.....	1 38	Maria Woolife.....	2 20	Amos Hill.....	04
Eliza, or Mary, Hobson.....	20	Emma King.....	15	Mary O'Sullivan.....	1 00	John Eagan.....	06
Unknown man, or John White.....	2 24	Ann McNesby.....	07	Ellen Monaghan.....	08	Patrick Martin.....	16
Thomas Walsh.....	4 00	Leon or Amid Meyer.....	2 25	Louisa Jeener.....	1 51	Edward Heaney.....	16
Henry Peterson.....	03	James McGraine.....	2 20	Eliza Kane.....	2 76	Prosper Romer.....	55
Phillip Ouisical.....	1 01	Michael Feeney.....	64	Julia Mahoney.....	50	Patrick Biggs.....	15
Petruchia.....	2 27	David Doyle.....	6 09	Mary Quinn.....	1 00	John Scheatz.....	6 53
Timothy L'Shea.....	1 43	Annie Frye.....	80	Amelia Marks.....	03	George F. Armstrong.....	15
William Keefer.....	06	Jane Tierney.....	22	Ellen Johnston.....	2 07	John H. Hollings.....	1 00
Alexander Kenny.....	45	John Weber.....	52	Mary Zimmer.....	18	Joseph Manning.....	3 00
John Bolton.....	95	Mary Joseph.....	28	Mary Gorman.....	28	Alexander Nortsch.....	05
Walter R. Savage.....	1 25	William Kerner.....	1 00	Abbie Murray.....	18	John Albmam, or Altman.....	2 14
Joe Ping.....	20	Rose Leonard.....	1 85	Rebecca Purdy.....	1 50	John Manering.....	10
Frank Williams.....	20	Laura Schauzer.....	60	Mary Donoghue.....	1 26	Patrick Gerrity.....	01
James Gibbons.....	20	Alice Lang.....	15	Mary Considine.....	54	Bernard P. Feeney.....	50
John P. Rottman.....	1 15	Cecelia Hoffman.....	25	Bertha Tengen.....	75	Patrick Shea.....	00
George Warren.....	6 26	Eliza Kelly.....	2 00	Mary Ann Johnston.....	25	Louis P. Howe.....	05
McIlmarry, or Murry.....	1 05	Jane Reilly.....	8 29	Margaretta Fandel.....	27	Frederick Eckhart.....	45
Unknown man, 85th street, East river.....	17	Lizzie Sayres.....	1 06	Adolphine Myer.....	35	John Taylor.....	10
Philip Schilling.....	05	Andrew Callahan.....	60	Bridget McGuire, or Maguire.....	51	August Jungblut.....	32
David Clark.....	22	Matilda Smith.....	47	Margaret Brown.....	1 00	Charles Severyn.....	06
William Carroll.....	1 09	Mary Cannon.....	7 61	Sarah Carroll.....	47	Joseph Nagey.....	2 01
Action Gortgen.....	09	George B. Curtis.....	06	Ann Black.....	08	Adam Bowers.....	35
August Dirks.....	23	Jane Doe or Sarah Ginsberg.....	4 42	Catharine Morse, or Moore.....	82	John Collins.....	15
Dominico Roche.....	20	George A. Francis.....	1 57	Mary Cozans.....	82	Joseph F. Hardy.....	08
Martin Gooagan.....	6 00	Nathan Stecker or Lathan Stacker.....	1 76	Margaret Brennan.....	75	John W. Meiners.....	02
Charles C. Durning.....	1 15	Elizabeth Shaffer.....	35	Mary McCauley.....	45	John Alanango.....	6 00
				Bridget Warren.....	20 25	William J. Hayes.....	10
				Mary Jane Crosby.....	6 76	Jacob Weiland.....	02
						Wilhelm Spanker.....	10
						John Eichler.....	2 00

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Mary A. Rogers.....	\$0 10	Patrick Costello.....	\$0 55	Frederick Shaw.....	\$0 45	Thomas Warkowski.....	\$1 60
Sarah Brady.....	2 00	Phillip Schafer.....	37	Nathan W. Leach.....	19	Patrick Farney.....	95
Frances Brainerd.....	25	Dietrich Plumb.....	05	Mary Osonterhouse.....	20	John F. Lane.....	31
Mary Sullivan.....	22	Charles Schottle.....	16	Louis Meyers.....	04	John Beckston or Bekecsy.....	24
Idaella Faerber, or Parhar.....	2 55	William Schenck.....	1 12	Fannie Stutcher.....	05	Mary Lynch.....	58
Margaret Hasbrouse, or Harbourn.....	09	Dennis Crowley.....	31	Johanna Fowaday.....	84	Rachel Fribach.....	2 60
Elizabeth Kaiser.....	47	Abraham Jonas.....	20	Christopher Vanderheider.....	15	Pierce O'Donnell.....	45
Mary Dugan.....	1 00	Ernest Wagner.....	25	John McCullough.....	24	Kate Linden.....	73
Margaret McLoughlin.....	05	Joseph Scherer.....	25	Mary Thompson.....	24	Annie Appleby.....	1 82
Jane McSherry.....	24	William Peterson.....	2 00	Abraham Paul.....	1 24	Frederick Byrns.....	99
Kate Bennett.....	1 05	William Flynn.....	15	Daniel Lyon.....	60	Henry Papp.....	1 25
Mary Blake.....	31	Edward Russell.....	56	Thomas Kelly.....	28	R. Hilfiker.....	18 81
Sarah Ann Atkins.....	27	August Salzburger.....	05	Charles Nedes.....	2 00	Exchange of foreign coin received in following estates:	
Elizabeth Hanlon.....	35	Adolph Fechter.....	09	Lee Ty.....	30	Mary Atwood, English silver.....	58
Mary Stuart.....	2 00	James Darrington.....	25	John Russell.....	25	Eliza Hanlon.....	4 83
Minnie McKenna.....	02	Abraham Heines or Henis.....	05	Joseph McManus.....	40	Louis Meyers, Canadian 25 cents.....	24
Eliza Garke.....	04	James Garrington.....	35	Henry Mende.....	2 00	Giza France, 3,500 reis.....	35
Margaret Farrell.....	1 31	Rheinhold Bauer.....	12	John Connor.....	15 82	Benesconta Giovanni, 20 francs and 2 1/2 gul- dens.....	4 78
Alice Guinan.....	39	Andrew Miller.....	02	Thomas Hackett.....	05	Samuel Momma, 1 gulden.....	40
Fannie Stover.....	20	Charles Wills.....	05	Joseph or James Adams.....	27	Dorothea Pendergrass, 2 coins.....	1 17
Mary Dooley.....	1 14	Edward McGrath.....	04	James Karr.....	25	James Phillips.....	4 83
Mary McGivine.....	35	Joseph T. Winkler.....	03	Thomas Fitzpatrick.....	6 50	Antonio Horaezeck, 1 gold coin.....	1 25
Kate McMorrow.....	2 30	Thomas Carragher.....	25	Mary Philps.....	85	Patrick Ryan.....	60
Julia Haggarty.....	1 90	Charles Koerner.....	10	Stephen Miller.....	1 00	Jacob or Samuel Mendle.....	1 10
Kate Stavicisky.....	22	Frank Lindner.....	13	Margaret Hodder.....	7 00	— Thevis.....	25
Catharine Schember.....	29	Joseph Murphy.....	10	Peter Burns.....	41	Walter Cotter.....	03
Bridget Connell.....	16 82	John H. Kechman.....	10	James Hyde.....	09	Ernest Gassil.....	18
Bridget Kelly.....	1 10	Esther Murphy.....	25	John O'Connor.....	25	John McLaughlin.....	1 60
Ellen Barton.....	29	Richard Hayes.....	1 67	Thomas Mitchell.....	4 85	John Kane.....	10
Kate Schultze.....	1 22	George Hooper.....	1 00	Max Schmidt.....	09	Unknown man, Fordham Hospital.....	70
Agnes Garrison.....	75	Mary Murray.....	1 20	William Anderson.....	85	John Owens.....	4 21
Josephine Slattery.....	50	Mary Desmond.....	1 15	Ellen Halstead.....	1 17	Patrick Delahunty.....	75
Catharine Murphy.....	1 05	Catharine Dunn.....	72	Jacob Baur.....	05	Fred. Haupt.....	1 00
Mary Rowland.....	2 81	Anna Engen.....	2 20	Patrick Driscoll.....	35	Otto Christian.....	53
Mary Duffy, or Collins.....	27	Mary Geary.....	8 00	Philip R. Simonson.....	39	Unknown man, No. 23 Bowery.....	3 55
Lizzie Carney.....	10	Hugh McGrath.....	1 82	Joseph Hanrahan.....	15	Jacob Dunning.....	2 50
Ellen Reynolds.....	42	Beatrice Aciaze.....	75	Charles Hagel.....	10	Maywood Biddle.....	5 00
Jane Kruit.....	46	Ellen Carroll.....	3 74	Abraham Glanberg.....	05	Anna Haggerty.....	
William Sharpe.....	1 28	John McCarthy.....	1 73	John O'Neill.....		Total.....	\$1,349 19
Joseph Collins.....	1 14	Albert H. Mertens.....	1 00	Otto Neyer.....			
Adam Springfield.....	6 00	Michael Brunic.....	1 00	Zachariah Cullen.....			
Henry Seiger.....	50	Jane O'Neal.....	3 74	Bernard Hughes.....			
Margaret Bloodgood.....	1 95	Joseph Bellosa.....	1 73	James Brady.....			
Gustaf Johnson.....	11 19	Margaret Barrett.....	1 00	Isaac Fass or Forst.....			
John Frewil.....	7 75	John Kenny.....	1 00				
Mary McCollough.....	3 48	Martin Kerrigan.....	1 00				
John Hopkins.....	10	William Breuner.....	5 25				
Richard B. Ryan.....	2 02	Bridget Reilly.....	3 10				
Elizabeth Wagner.....	1 14	Anna Neilson.....	3 10				
Bridget Feahan.....	4 29	Alice Dolan.....	51				
John Henry.....	9 00	Kate Noonan.....	1 00				
Levy Abt.....	53	Thomas Owens.....	1 10				
August Dunning.....	10 93	Michael Connors.....	3 46				
John Doe, alias Sven Scoldberg.....	5 00	Kate Miller.....	1 00				
William Cheever.....	1 00	Joseph Benz.....	1 34				
Stephen Hagan.....	25	Bridget O'Brien.....	1 20				
John Gallagher.....	1 15	Bessie Houston.....	34				
James McCarthy.....	1 15	Dennis Mahoney.....	2 00				
Fred. W. Taylor, or Toll.....	1 15	Bridget Waters.....	95				
Charles Goulding.....	1 15	Agnes Ross.....	75				
Michael Hart.....	16	Sarah McCartney.....	2 00				
Joseph Cluff.....	2 19	Thomas Clin. on.....	7 00				
John Bazenger.....	25	Charles H. Joseylyn.....	7 00				
Hugh Maher.....	20	John Desmond.....	2 85				
John W. McDermott.....	8 00	Patrick Doyle.....	1 89				
John Hargraves.....	2 00	William Harding.....	2 00				
John Everly.....	45	Sarah Daly.....	3 00				
Abram Stern.....	06	Michael Sullivan.....	2 00				
William Duval.....	05	John Becker.....	2 00				
Isador Blumberg.....	05	Edward McAlear.....	2 00				
Charles Mahaffey.....	25	Lawrence Matthews.....	2 00				
John Golden.....	1 00	Andrew McMillan.....	1 75				
John B. Spearwater.....	1 26	Frank Clark.....	51				
John B. Spearwater.....	1 26	Ann McDermott.....	51				
Patrick Ford.....	72	Maria Hoshid.....	1 50				
Moses Levine.....	12	Johanna Faust.....	2 03				
Julius Santowski.....	05	Michael O'Mara.....	75				
Theodore or Thomas Stanton.....	04	Ellen Kelly or Henderson.....	1 01				
Henry Evers.....	04	William Deverill.....	5 02				
B. Farrell.....	04	Sarah Thornton.....	30				
Robert Finke.....	05	George W. Wandell.....	3 00				
Robert Wick.....	25	Theresa Collins.....	2 50				
Hugh Reilly.....	15	Mary Nowak.....	30				
John Handy.....	19	Bridget Brady.....	1 00				
Frederick Weiss.....	16	Eliza Duffy.....	1 10				
Catharine Hobar.....	1 59	Mary Murphy.....	1 10				
Anna Quinn.....	01	Henrietta Bohl.....	94				
Bridget Heitsell.....	64	Margaret Water.....	01				
Mary Pierot.....	11	John Malone.....	01				
Mary Flynn.....	2 41	Robert Lacombe.....	25				
Bridget Holdome.....	3 60	Charles L. Tillman.....	25				
Joseph Valenine.....	3 00	Derrich Winter.....	05				
Sarah J. Thomas.....	15 00	William H. Reagan.....	20				
Ellen Kaughran.....	21 00	Edward S. Flannagan.....	05				
Maria Wisse.....	1 15	Wilhelme Theim.....	1 00				
Louis Smith.....	19	Walter Butler.....	08				
Marion Webster.....	12 10	Harry Johnson.....	08				
Emil Bidois or Bidevar.....	55	Frank Westervelt.....	01				
Melise Smith.....	13 75	James Dunn.....	01				
John Lund.....	1 07	Jeret Smith.....	1 50				
John Shields.....	12 06	Robert Lindsay.....	05				
August Selberbach.....	5 97	John McCarthy.....	57				
William O'Neil.....	50	Charles Marshall.....	06				
John C. Brown.....	2 50	William Malone.....	30				
Felice Bresson.....	2 11	Patrick Kerrigan.....	28				
Harris Franquillini.....	49	Alice Maxom.....	2 00				
Fritz Kohler.....	50	Daniel Leddy.....	7 10				
Statia Hogan.....	50	Mary Meehan.....	74				
Jane Phoenix.....	02	Thomas Duffy.....	50				
Henry Schmidt.....	2 00	Frank Dehne.....	50				
Hannah Early.....	17	Andrew D. Hunt.....	08				
John Breitholz.....	8 04	Dennis McCarthy.....	22				
Ludwig Meltzer.....	6 05	John Medgelki.....	08				
Isaac Rosenthal.....	1 37	Pasquale De Lillio.....	28				
Edward Waldman.....	78	John Blake.....	1 80				
Henry Prince.....	4 64	Bartolomej Birch.....	06				
Jonnie Gorman.....	65	John Kohler.....	25				
Mary Atwood.....	3 90	Robert Claybourne.....	1 60				
Annie Stein.....	08	Thomas R. Norris.....	05				
Benjamin Wager.....	80	Anderson Redd.....	1 00				
Mary Dinan.....	37	John Foley.....	24				
Marion Burrella.....	50	Patrick Tracey.....	01				
Zachariah Cullen.....	34	James M. Mullin.....	03				
Charles Frankel.....	30	George Flynn.....	1 00				
Theresa Scofield or Skopil.....	1 30	Frederick T. Byrnes.....	09				
Eugene Lovelock.....	28	Michael Cappozzali.....	10				
Catharine Keating.....	4 26	Mary Gorman or Keegan.....	05				
Mary F. Bibbins.....	02	Jim Hin.....	05				
James Handracks.....	06	Charles Cruger.....	22				
Michael Sweeney.....	9 06	John McCarthy.....	2 70				
John Dillon.....	70	Joseph Vesce.....	1 00				
Catharine Kurnan.....	35	John Kastauer.....	25				
John Carroll.....	46	Ann Hempe.....	03				
William Nelson.....	35	Kate Fox or Hartigan.....	1 20				
Dennis Flynn.....	45	Thomas Corcoran.....	03				
Henry Miller.....	25	W. Van Have.....	03				
Frederick Edge.....	40	John McGuire.....	01				
Catharine Brown.....	1 58	Julius Spaeth.....	30				
Mary McDonald.....	33	Frank Pratt.....	35				
Simon Herzfeld.....	2 52	Joseph Dooley.....	10 00				
Simon Herzfeld.....	1 55	John Veet or Feet.....	81				
Hilda Friss.....	15	Sarah Bloom.....	26				
William C. Bowen.....	22	Maria Diehl Koenig.....	93				
Ellen Kelly.....	13	Meyer Zeiglar.....	27				
Theresa Dunn.....	21	Bernard P. Feeney.....	6 17				
Mary Ann Nolan.....	50	August Henning.....	1 39				
Honora Sheehan.....	3 00	Emily Gross.....	2 17				
John Waldron.....	4 85	Kate Mitchell.....	4 00				
Kate Fox.....	10	Hugh McCabe.....	01				
Stephen McArdle.....	1 03	John Daley.....	1 01				
Julius Cohen.....	26	Morris Pendergast.....	1 00				
Edward Taylor.....	16	Jacob Sona.....	1 00				
Hester Thompson.....	1 60	Daniel Egan.....	10				
Martin Elseser or Elaser.....	13	Augusta Barbara.....	54				
John Ray.....	37	Mary Murry.....	05				
George Siger.....	13	Margaret Luscher.....	3 11				
Antonia Grilla.....	13	Dora Willman.....	3 72				
		Margaret Horn.....	09				
		Frederica Zackons.....	09				
		Eliza Leonard.....	09				

Proceeds of sale of personal effects received from the Coroners during the year 1897. The cash realized was paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$82.71.

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Herman Feilman.....	\$0 40	Unknown man, Tombs Prison.....	\$0 40
Leo Berthwart.....	40	Unknown man, Delaware House.....	1 36
Ernest Hoffman.....	24	Louis Seigel.....	85
William Western.....	22	Alfred Schloss.....	23
Charles Green.....	20	David Joseph.....	55
Dennis Driscoll.....	34	Frank D. Knapp.....	43
Mrs. Monroe.....	24	John Sullivan.....	09
Myer Souder.....	3 20	Frederick Messer.....	42
Unknown man, East river and Broome street.....	1 36	James Pettit.....	42
Catherine Burns.....	60	Frank Lomeo.....	1 28
Michael Quirk.....	2 40	Unknown man, 97th st. and West Drive.....	1 50
Christopher Weir.....	60	Unknown man, 107th st. and West Drive.....	1 28
Henry Hirsch.....	40	Ignatz Bubere.....	64
Edward Hirsch.....	40	William Sullivan.....	68
Maurice Foley.....	32	Mary Bosch.....	1 70
Albert Edson.....	1 40	Julius Isaac.....	77
Unknown man, Pier A, N. R.....	80	Moses Hunig.....	51
Unknown man, Blackwell's Island Pier.....	80	John Mertan.....	52
Thomas Smith.....	40	Unknown man, Central Park, south of Ar- senal.....	60
Vincenzo Koendino.....	80	Alfred Schloss.....	68
John Greenheizen.....	36	William Stenke.....	60
John Stroub.....	48	Yeta Steine.....	34
Alexander Charpeigen.....	10	Tenston Taylor.....	77
John Menker.....	24	Felix Henler.....	1 70
Maurice Foley.....	28	Estate of John McKucker.....	1 07
Nelson Burns.....	16	James Murphy.....	21
John D. Silbermann.....	48	Albert Celze.....	08
Peter Fleming.....	08	Thomas Franey.....	13
Francis Clede.....	88	James Pettit.....	83
Frank Ludulier.....	1 00	James Gill.....	13
Edmund Vallaris.....	3 28	Alexander Reyer.....	50
William Smith.....	40	Frederick Rohrsen.....	1 25
John Smith.....	24	George.....	83
John Mathewson.....	20	William Danielowsky.....	50
Givini Visetini.....	48	Frank F. Barnard.....	32
Elizabeth De Courcy.....	28	Unknown man (Eighty-fifth street and East river).....	60
William Moesner.....	60	Heinrich Dilz.....	51
Thomas Johnson.....	60	Carl Neil.....	1 60
Charles Schirmesier.....	56	Lazar Kraft.....	55
William Danelowsky.....	52	John Matter.....	1 50
Cyrus Drood.....	52	Charles R. Smith.....	2 31
Louisa Gean.....	58	George W. Brown.....	51
Philip Nickle.....	1 04	Aaron Garrison.....	1 48
Fred Haupt.....	60	Michael Wellington.....	40
Annie Bock.....	1 68	Michael Ferguson.....	40
Cora Trumble.....	1 12	Jessie Lee.....	48
Christian Otto.....	4 00	Manuel Jacobs.....	2 48
Unknown man (Fordham Hospital).....	1 56	Moritz Bassler.....	80
Albert Rosenberg.....	3 20	Albert Lovejoy.....	1 44
Louis Francois.....	68	Unknown woman.....	20
Heinrich Donnersberg.....	60		
Walter Hetzel.....	42		
Unknown man (West Farms).....			
Ernest Miller.....			

Proceeds of Sale of Effects Received from the Department of Public Charities during the Year 1897. The Cash Realized was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$381.39.

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Johanna Kopland.....	\$2 03	Peter Haas.....	\$0 90
Barbara Meyer.....	1 35	Ignatz Duerr.....	54
Margaret Walsh.....	90	Lena Starkey.....	77
Thomas Decodago.....	1 12	Mary Ehrenfried.....	1 62
August Hessler.....	54	Fannie Morance.....	54
Jacob Kraus.....	72	Emma Eaton.....	99
Michael Callahan.....	1 80	Ann Hanigan.....	1 08
Thomas E. Doyle.....	1 13	Margaret Hughes.....	90
James Fay.....	1 12	Mary Miller.....	2 14
Hans Christensen.....	2 48	Sarah Weinberg.....	1 35
Ernest Jacoby.....	90	Kate Hunter.....	1 52
Emma King.....	97	Mary Quirk.....	1 80
Catharine Rock.....	90	Maria Doetz.....	90
Mary Kepple.....	1 35	Elizabeth Smith.....	45
Mary Hauser.....	2 25	Margaret Miller.....	1 26
Emma Allen.....	1 44	William Ems Bombarch.....	1 26
Kate Spiro.....	1 08	Henrietta Albo.....	45
Barbara Abel.....	54	Louise Dupognac.....	45
Mary Leslie.....	1 06	Alice McGowan.....	1 89
Julia Berndt.....	90	Emily Rolan.....	72
Emma A. Neuman.....	90	Catherine Neuenhefer.....	2 25
Lottie Davy.....	2 37	Mary Kenyon.....	2 03
Carrie Stokes.....	8 10	Ann J. Hayes.....	1 53
August Haase.....	1 70	Catherine Starg.....	72
Emma Allen.....	1 35	Emilia Wieding.....	45
Philomens Rambeau.....	45	Joseph Kone.....	1 44
Julius Willis.....	90	Jane McCafferty.....	1 57
August Orth.....	1 13	Susa Voelonel.....	54
Geogre Busenge.....	90	Claron Louden.....	90
Alfred Huber.....	45	Catherine Stephens.....	2 25
Kate Spiro.....	30 60	Ellen Vandewater.....	14 85
Peter J. Johnson.....	90	Catherine Vedar.....	23
Richard Parker.....	90	Henrietta Berg.....	1 44
Henry L. Johnson.....	99	Jane Doe.....	1 12
Rose Conklin.....	1 89	Jane Kruit.....	1 62
Frederick Fisher.....	45	Margaret Coon.....	45
Jacob Chamberger.....	54	Celia Harvey.....	65
Ida Baun.....	2 66	Mary Graft.....	63
Louisa Keppler.....	3 15	Nora Paives.....	1 58
Mary Joseph.....	3 15	Ellen Barton.....	23
Anne Zerzey.....	54	Hannah Devery.....	22
Leontine Underhill.....	1 98	Dora Hoffman.....	1 17

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Daniel Sullivan.....	\$0 63	Bridget Wallace.....	\$0 72	Unknown man, foot of 5th street and East river.....	\$0 11	Louis Seigel.....	\$0 45
Minne Goleo.....	99	Catherine Betts.....	99	Robert Smith.....	65	Estate of Frank F. Barnard.....	08
Felicia Foderse.....	1 98	Helen Newberger.....	2 25	Maria Er kson.....	26	" John Straub.....	15
Elizabeth Hayes.....	45	Eliz. Weymer.....	72	William Marcom.....	35	" Heinrich Dily.....	03
Fredericka Meyers.....	22	Annie Leider.....	81	Patrick Neville.....	85	" John Huber.....	22
Aleck Sanders.....	22	Wilhelmina Bischoff.....	22	Ignatz Babere.....	\$4 52	" Frank Waginck.....	16
Mary Farrell.....	1 13	Mary Cuillinim.....	54	Less car-fare.....	10	" George P. Bromberg.....	01
Morris L. Tauber.....	4 95	Josephine Forbecke.....	72			Total.....	\$207 90
Frederica Belling.....	2 03	Annie Kolassi.....	45				
Charles Lehman.....	2 93	Annie Fineburg.....	2 70				
William Bennet.....	1 57	Bridget Eagan.....	1 13				
Liebe de Groot.....	99	Annie Troy.....	54				
Madeline Reil.....	1 26	Kate Schultz.....	4 50				
Rose Eichler.....	1 08	Johannah Buckley.....	45				
Rose Leonard.....	1 62	Mary Heaney.....	27				
Wilhelmina Schuler.....	63	Emma Stadler.....	1 44				
Howard S. Ingersoll.....	90	William Bennett.....	45				
Franciska Meyer.....	1 08	James F. Hardy.....	13				
Anserlen Newell.....	1 12	Joseph Beckleder.....	45				
Susan Wehrel.....	90	John Dismond.....	90				
James McGraine.....	22	Charles S. Bartelle.....	90				
John Veet.....	90	Thomas O'Neil.....	54				
Andrew Stosick.....	1 12	Elizabeth Boyd.....	9 00				
Mathilda Smith.....	1 80	Lawrence Mathews.....	99				
Leon Meyer.....	59	Victor Patterson.....	90				
Patrick Driscoll.....	1 58	William Pateron.....	45				
David Doyle.....	63	John Becker.....	45				
Peter Haas.....	90	Andrew McMillan.....	72				
Ignatz Duerr.....	54	Mary Bolz.....	99				
Lena Starkey.....	77	Emma Maranese.....	90				
Mary Ebnfried.....	1 62	Fanny Bun.....	83				
Fannie Morance.....	54	Hilda Friss.....	81				
Emma Eaton.....	99	Alice McLean.....	45				
Ann Hanigan.....	1 08	Kate McAuliffe.....	2 43				
Margaret Hughes.....	90	Josephine Mayers.....	1 62				
Mary Miller.....	2 14	Moses Lichterman.....	1 08				
Sarah Weinberg.....	1 35	Eduard Scott.....	63				
Kate Hunter.....	1 52	Kate Farley.....	09				
Mary Quirk.....	1 80	Margaret O'Hare.....	2 43				
Maria Doetz.....	99	Felice Bressen.....	32				
Elizabeth Smith.....	45	Louisa Barrett.....	27				
Margaret Miller.....	1 26	Hary Tumbol.....	45				
William Ems Bombarch.....	1 26	Mary McEvoy.....	09				
Henrietta Albe.....	45	Mary Ann Nolan.....	13				
Louisa Dupognac.....	45	Emma Roessler.....	1 71				
Alice McGowan.....	1 80	William C. Bowen.....	7 66				
Emily Kolan.....	2 25	Maria Becher.....	09				
Catherine Neuenhefer.....	2 03	Wilhelmina Remsen.....	09				
Mary Kenyon.....	1 53	Flora Archer.....	1 08				
Ann J. Hayes.....	72	Elza'eth Danger.....	2 14				
Catherine Starg.....	45	John Breitbolz.....	09				
Emilia Wieding.....	1 44	Christopher Vanderheider.....	2 70				
Joseph Kune.....	54	Thebold Zimmerman.....	2 25				
Jane McCafferty.....	90	Catharine Lee.....	36				
Susa Veelenel.....	2 25	Jane Phenix.....	58				
Claron Loudon.....	14 85	Fannie Vanston.....	2 03				
Catherine Stephens.....	23	Nathan W. Leach.....	15				
Ellen Vandewater.....	23	George Flynn.....	43				
Catherine Vedar.....	1 44	Mary Ann Griffin.....	09				
Henrietta Berg.....	1 12	John Whelan.....	1 68				
Jane Doe.....	54	Henry Dielfer.....	1 26				
Jane Kruit.....	45	Mary Marshe d.....	45				
Margaret Coon.....	45	Thomas Rockert.....	45				
Celia Harvey.....	45	Abraham Paul.....	72				
Mary Graft.....	1 58	Gustav Fair.....	58				
Nora Paives.....	23	Horatio Ozden.....	99				
Ellen Barton.....	22	Margaret Tuschler.....	09				
Hannah Dewery.....	1 17	Augusta Barbara.....	36				
Dora Hoffman.....	72	Fredericka Jackens.....	40				
Bridget Wallace.....	72	Elias Tuck.....	40				
Catherine Betts.....	2 25	Kate Linden.....	63				
Helen Newberger.....	72	Jacob Senn.....	1 70				
Eliz. Weymer.....	81	Adolph Roth.....	3 83				
Annie Leider.....	22	James E. Graham.....	15 30				
Wilhelmina Bi-hoff.....	54	Pierce O'Donnell.....	54				
Mary Cuillinim.....	72	Maud Robinson.....	63				
Josephine Forbecke.....	45	Henry Gattings.....	22				
Annie Kolassi.....	2 70	George Harian.....	89				
Annie Fineburg.....	1 13	Henry Fisher.....	5 85				
Brdget Eagan.....	45	Rachel Friebak.....	45				
Annie Troy.....	45	John Daly.....	1 00				
Kate Schultz.....	45	Morris Pendergast.....	1 40				
Johannah Buckley.....	27	Mary A. Sullivan.....	1 20				
Mary Meaney.....	1 44	Harriet Bauman or Barnum.....	1 00				
Emma Stadler.....	22	Immar Olsen.....	1 40				
James McGraine.....	90	Mary Mauts.....	1 20				
John Voet.....	1 00	Nellie Lyons.....	1 00				
Andrew Stosick.....	1 40	Mary Pettit.....	1 40				
Mathilda Smith.....	58	Annie Hanson.....	1 40				
Leon Meyer.....	63	James Halloran.....	1 40				
Patrick Driscoll.....		Total.....	\$381 39				
David Doyle.....							

The following Cases were Reported from the Coroners During the Year 1897. The Cash Received was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$207.90.

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Estate of Edward Hersch.....	\$0 57	Unknown man, 48th street and North river..	\$1 05	Louis Seigel.....	\$0 45	Estate of Frank F. Barnard.....	08
" Peter Massalla.....	1 92	Felix Henler.....	17 33	" John Straub.....	15	" Heinrich Dily.....	03
" Unknown man, East river and Broome street.....	3 00	Adolph Wesner.....	29	" John Huber.....	22	" Frank Waginck.....	16
" Unknown man, North river and 13th street.....	72	Unknown man, foot of West 52d street.....	03	" George P. Bromberg.....	01	Total.....	\$207 90
" Margaret Boland.....	10	Unknown man, West Farms road.....	05				
" Heinrich Esser.....	2 66	William Mandeville.....	10				
" Meyer Sonder.....	1 63	Unknown man, East river and 86th street.....	15				
" Michael Hurley.....	10	Unknown man, 83th street and East river.....	05				
" John McKusker.....	15	Martin O'Tool.....	11				
" Charles Voletto.....	48	Unknown man, Pier 14, East river.....	60				
" John Durr.....	16	Unknown man, Pier 36, North river.....	44				
" John Duane.....	1 40	Charles Joe, 33d Precinct.....	42				
" George Lee.....	1 45	Charles Olsen.....	1 00				
" Henry Hirsch.....	06	James Dolan.....	10				
" Michael Quirk, delivered.....	53 53	Carl Reid.....	4 92				
" Dennis Driscoll, delivered.....	13 00	George Scribner.....	11				
" Patrick Kehoe.....	88	Lazar Kraft.....	15				
" Cornelius Gaffney.....	2 88	Unknown man, Pier A, North river.....	03				
" Henry Fillmore.....	35	Unknown man, opposite Governor's Island.....	72				
" Daniel F. Maher.....	25	Unknown woman, East river, opposite Governor's Island.....	25				
" Unknown man, 176th street and Hudson river.....	07	Unknown man, Pier 21, East river.....	02				
" Maurice Foley.....	13	Unknown man, No. 56 Chrystie street.....	90				
" Charles Vanderberg.....	11	Unknown man, 11th street and North river.....	5 10				
" Joseph Goldstein.....	34	(\$5 redeemed).....	24				
" James Doran.....	73	Heinrich Dug.....	5 00				
" Henry Vehslage.....	90	Julius Erhard.....	17 00				
" James Murphy.....	35	Oleb Anderson.....	2 53				
" Stephen Garocy.....	25	Charles R. Smith.....	55				
" John Cutter.....	1 90	John Schmidt.....	1 38				
" Peter Brannagan.....	05	Unknown man.....	22				
Louise Eistic.....	27	Richard McGee.....	40				
Unknown man, No. 224 Seventh avenue.....	21	Frank Nicholson.....	05				
Vince Domitrio.....	36	Patrick O'Neil.....	2 00				
James O'Leary.....	24	Johh Berry.....	32				
Robert Uhlinger.....	1 00	John Steinhardt.....	25				
Vito Cabon.....	1 60	H. Donnersberger.....	31				
Unknown woman, foot of East 11th street.....	44	Michael Gier.....	04				
Unknown man, Central Park.....	01	Robert Marinout.....	33				
William Vay.....	65	Bernard Jansen.....	27				
David Joseph.....	75	Theodore Vehrern.....	33				
Leopold Stadler.....	08	Mary C. Fulton.....	05				
Herman Beck.....	\$8 45	Frank Julie.....	55				
Less car-fare.....	10	Bridget A. Cregen.....	13 00				
Matthew McGregor.....	06	William Deerbeg.....	2 03				
Bernard Schwab.....	85	Sebastine Gracco.....	75				
Luiue Blanchetti.....	25	Manuel Jacobs.....	\$1 70				
Xavier Kaiser.....	16	Charges.....	75				
Patrick Quinn.....	16	William Wellington.....	05				
Unknown man, 132d street and North river.....	\$5 00	Mathilda Laura Peters.....	06				
Less car-fare.....	10	Charles Bothe.....	15				
John Fulham.....	4 90	Sarah Shaugnessy.....	1 63				
John Sullivan.....	1 96	Unknown man, 97th street, West Drive, Central Park.....	1 84				
		Neils Peterson.....	1 99				
		Samuel Blumberg.....	70				

Cash Account for the Year 1897.

Balance on hand January 1, 1897.....	\$230,866 75
Cash received during the year 1897.....	241,960 41
	\$472,827 16
Cash disbursements during the year 1897.....	225,384 15
	\$247,443 01
Balance on hand January 1, 1898.....	\$247,443 01
Depositories:	
National Union Bank.....	\$60,095 99
Continental National Bank.....	46,000 57
Seventh National Bank.....	29,907 64
Phoenix National Bank.....	55,249 00
Germania Bank.....	37,699 00
Knickerbocker Trust Company.....	18,490 81
	\$247,443 01
Total amount paid into the City Treasury during the year 1897 for Commissions.....	\$8,436 13
Total amount paid into the City Treasury during the year 1897 for Intestate Estates.....	20,299 93
	\$28,836 06

City and County of New York, ss.:

William M. Hoes, the Public Administrator of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, according to his best knowledge, information and belief, the foregoing account contains a true statement of the moneys received by the Public Administrator for commissions and expenses, and the total amount of his receipts and expenditures in each case in which he has taken charge of and collected any effects, or on which the Public Administrator has administered on any estate during the year 1897, with the name of the deceased, his or her occupation, his or her place of residence at the time of death, if the same be known, and the country or place from which he or she came.

WILLIAM M. HOES.

Sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1898.

JAMES F. BUCK, Commissioner of Deeds for the City of New York.

On motion of Councilman Leich, the communication was received and referred to the Board of Aldermen for action.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the week ending January 15, 1898.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be, and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York:

Henry M. Jennings, County Clerk's Office, Manhattan.	Thomas Van Brunt, No. 518A Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.
Bernard Dunne, No. 622 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan.	Frank Anderson, No. 31 Monroe street, Brooklyn.
Charles E. Scott, No. 260 West Fifty-third street, Manhattan.	John T. Bladen, No. 108 Weirfield street, Brooklyn.
John Holdorf, No. 509 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan.	William H. Cunningham, No. 88 Vanderbilt avenue, Brooklyn.
Francis J. Rourke, No. 116 Cumberland street, Brooklyn.	Alexander P. M. Dow, No. 374 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
William H. Smith, No. 416 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.	Benjamin Marks, No. 60 Broadway, Manhattan.
Philip Weckesser, No. 1046 Dean street, Brooklyn.	Andrew J. Lyons, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
William Cavanagh, No. 180 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.	Alonzo F. Glover, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
Samuel H. Coombs, No. 442 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.	Sylvester J. Tormey, No. 61 Lawrence street, Brooklyn.
William H. Good, No. 415 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.	Edward H. Avery, Jay and Front streets, Brooklyn.
Herman Joerg, No. 1134 Halsey street, Brooklyn.	James J. Corr, No. 254 Hooper street, Brooklyn.
James A. Douglas, No. 194 Madison street, Brooklyn.	Hyman Newman, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
George W. Hoyt, No. 87 South Ninth street, Brooklyn.	Maurice V. Theall, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
Benedict Wells, Brooklyn.	John C. Cole, No. 214 Hoyt street, Brooklyn.
Thos. Lestrangle, No. 303 Adams street, Brooklyn.	Wm. H. Leverich, Brooklyn.
J. McPhillaney, No. 166 High street, Brooklyn.	J. Walsh, No. 289 Bridge street, Brooklyn.
Edward J. Noonan, No. 77A Hull street, Brooklyn.	James B. Murphy, No. 52 Duffield street, Brooklyn.
Chas. Tritschler, No. 1124 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.	John F. Sheedy, No. 64 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.
John G. Young, No. 322 Hart street, Brooklyn.	Chas. N. Pracht, No. 244 Hopkins street, Brooklyn.
Erastus H. Winchester, No. 182 Eleventh street, Brooklyn.	Edward Hartung, No. 361 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn.
Thomas E. Clark, Brooklyn.	Henry G. Goodwin, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
Joseph T. Griffin, No. 365 Eighteenth street, Brooklyn.	Thomas R. Goodwin, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
Anthony J. Doohor, No. 372 Court street, Brooklyn.	Thomas Fitzharris, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
Joseph E. Segrell, No. 22 Court street, Brooklyn.	Joseph N. B. Rawle, No. 175 State street, Brooklyn.
F. Bell-Fenwick, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.	Manhattan.
Henry Ulmann, No. 329 East Fifty-eighth street, Manhattan.	George W. Wills, Brooklyn.
Henry R. Hanlan, Brooklyn.	Thomas F. Farrell, Brooklyn.
William J. Lepine, Brooklyn.	Adolph Duhamel, Brooklyn.
Charles Hauslein, Brooklyn.	Charles J. Pasfield, Brooklyn.
Frederick C. Cabbie, Brooklyn.	Prosper R. Ferrari, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.
Joe Either, No. 72 First street, Manhattan.	
Benjamin Baruch, No. 249 East Houston street, Manhattan.	
John Donohue, No. 165 East Ninetieth street, Manhattan.	E. W. Edlington, No. 69 Glendale place, Brooklyn.
Peter J. Sheridan, Perot avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.	Edward F. White, No. 104 Main street, Astoria, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.
Joseph Heatherington, No. 701 Crescent street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.	
Joseph Jacobs, No. 114 East Broadway, Manhattan.	
B. Curry, Nineteenth street and Ninth avenue, Manhattan.	A. H. Ruck, No. 910 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.
Charles A. Watson, No. 234 Broadway, Manhattan.	Benedict S. Briody, No. 450 Nostrand avenue, Brooklyn.
Arthur N. Harris, No. 621 First ave., Manhattan.	Chas. B. Molley, Arlington avenue, near Schenck avenue, Brooklyn.
Edward R. Vollmer, Brooklyn.	George Tonkonogg, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.
H. H. Pettit, No. 4239 Fulton street, Brooklyn.	Frank Rosenbergs, No. 1751 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Louis Oxford, No. 486 Stone avenue, Brooklyn.	Henry L. Van Syckle, No. 2975 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
B. J. Pink, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.	
J. H. Larkin, Jr., No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.	
Everett Caldwell, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.	
J. Bayha, No. 600 Liberty avenue, Brooklyn.	
M. Goldbourg, No. 533 Stone avenue, Brooklyn.	

- Wm. M. Jenkins, No. 116 Covert street, Brooklyn.
 Henry G. Young, No. 1162 Liberty avenue, Brooklyn.
 David J. Molley, Arlington avenue, near Schenck avenue, Brooklyn.
 William H. Worth, No. 386 Seventeenth street, Brooklyn.
 John J. Kelly, No. 85 Sands street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph V. Sculley, No. 481 Second street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Short, Jr., No. 29 Elm place, Brooklyn.
 Thomas Moran, No. 59 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 W. S. Doyle, No. 261 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn.
 David B. Hutton, No. 734 Third avenue, Brooklyn.
 John C. Kiukel, No. 371 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 John B. King, No. 1253 Third avenue, Brooklyn.
 S. N. Gronberg, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Samuel F. Taggart, corner Seventeenth street and Fifth avenue, Brooklyn.
 James S. Milner, No. 176 Broadway, New York.
 John H. Kampf, No. 91 Court street, Brooklyn.
 W. F. Sett, Jr., No. 1320 Third avenue, Brooklyn.
 James J. Duffy, No. 548 Court street, Brooklyn.
 Eugene McCarthy, No. 481 Warren street Brooklyn.
 Frederick W. Sparks, No. 140 South Portland avenue, Brooklyn.
 Charles H. Kelly, Brooklyn.
 Archibald F. Commisky, Brooklyn.
 Charles W. Church, Brooklyn.
 Ralph Underhill, Brooklyn.
 Andrew A. Halsey, Brooklyn.
 George Eckstein, Brooklyn.
 H. A. Gubner, Brooklyn.
 Adrian T. Hegeman, Brooklyn.
 A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Brooklyn.
 Sidney V. Lowell, Brooklyn.
 Joseph F. Wright, Brooklyn.
 George L. Allin, Brooklyn.
 Robert Stewart, Brooklyn.
 Michael H. Keely, No. 45 Hubbard street, Brooklyn.
 Henry A. Smith, No. 186 Remsen street, Brooklyn.
 William P. Burke, No. 186 Remsen street, Brooklyn.
 Bertram N. Manne, No. 346 Union street, Brooklyn.
 Robert Stewart, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 August C. Hassey, No. 11 Avenue A, Manhattan.
 Walter T. Bennett, No. 95 Nassau street, Manhattan.
 Alvah Nickerson, clerk, Mechanics' Bank Building, Brooklyn.
 Harry M. Mulredy, clerk, No. 12 Sterling place, Brooklyn.
 William A. Meyers, clerk, No. 296 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.
 A. Lawrence Jensen, clerk, No. 365 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Frank E. O'Reilly, lawyer, No. 81 Keap street, Brooklyn.
 Louis Ehrenberg, clerk, No. 116½ Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn.
 John S. Stryker, clerk, No. 196 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.
 William F. Redmond, broker, No. 926 Pacific street, Brooklyn.
 John T. Ferrall, No. 515 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Oppenheimer, No. 92 Norman avenue, Brooklyn.
 Harvey T. Lewis, No. 167 Eckford street, Brooklyn.
 Jungen H. Trecharne, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Robert Spitzer, No. 19 Central place, Brooklyn.
 Benjamin Spier, No. 160 Clinton street, Manhattan.
 Frederick W. Forsythe, No. 229 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Manhattan.
 Michael Schnappauf, No. 60 Central avenue, Brooklyn.
 Charles P. Engelbrecht, No. 59 Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn.
 Edwin Nott Whitfield, No. 42 West Twenty-sixth street, Brooklyn.
 George O. Walbridge, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Martin W. Lettleton, Mechanics Bank, Brooklyn.
 Joseph E. Clark, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Rollin A. Breckinridge, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Frank Harvey Field, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Hugo Hirsch, No. 343 State street, Brooklyn.
 Emanuel Newman, No. 1076 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Charles H. Phillips, No. 144 Remsen street, Brooklyn.
 Ferdinand W. Buermyer, No. 2120 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 John M. Cahill, No. 68 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.
 Gus W. Hirsch, No. 607 Seventh avenue, Brooklyn.
 Herman P. Behrens, No. 333 State street, Brooklyn.
 James R. Davis, No. 488 State street, Brooklyn.
 Leon Hirsch, No. 425 Pulaski street, Brooklyn.
 Thomas Hovenden, No. 207 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Frank D. Wilson, No. 207 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Franklin Kelly, Grand and Putnam avenues, Brooklyn.
 Herman S. Bachrach, No. 712 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Samuel J. Levy, No. 712 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 S. H. Bachrach, No. 712 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Chris. C. Mollenhauer, No. 147 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Adolph Hoffman, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Guenther, Graham avenue and Meserole street.
 Charles Engert, No. 597 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
- Thomas Feeney, No. 299 Arlington avenue, Brooklyn.
 H. H. Torborg, No. 1043 Liberty Avenue, Brooklyn.
 H. A. Mandeville, No. 104 Van Sicklen avenue, Brooklyn.
 James Crooke McLeer, No. 445 Halsey street, Brooklyn.
 William E. C. Mayer, No. 649 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.
 Harvey O. Dobron, No. 244 Newkirk avenue, Brooklyn.
 Charles H. Hyde, No. 874 Park place, Brooklyn.
 Bernard Cruse.
 John Wolf, No. 123 Coffey street, Brooklyn.
 Geo. Groeber, No. 13 Walcott street, Brooklyn.
 John Hennessy, No. 301 Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn.
 James W. McMahon, No. 68 Walcott street, Brooklyn.
 Geo. W. Phillips, No. 32 Fourth place, Brooklyn.
 John J. P. Fagan, No. 26 Fourth place, Brooklyn.
 Paul A. Steeley, No. 136 Van Dyke street, Brooklyn.
 George Grover, No. 13 Walcott street, Brooklyn.
 P. H. O'Connell, No. 119½ Second place, Brooklyn.
 Joseph H. Craig, No. 188 Warren street, Brooklyn.
 Theodore Witte, Brooklyn.
 V. L. Haines, Brooklyn.
 John F. Berry, Brooklyn.
 George W. Sickels, Brooklyn.
 Sanders Shanks, Brooklyn.
 Andrew F. Van Thun, Jr., Brooklyn.
 Michael F. O'Brien, Brooklyn.
 John M. Ashton, Brooklyn.
 William Gallhofer, Brooklyn.
 Walter Thorn, Brooklyn.
 Joseph S. Cohen, Brooklyn.
 John M. Ashton, Brooklyn.
- Virtue L. Haines, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Theo. Witte, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 John F. Berry, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Sylvester J. Tormey, No. 61 Lawrence street, Brooklyn.
 J. Fred. Boughan, No. 57 Clifton place, Brooklyn.
 John J. Freeman, No. 288 Warren street, Brooklyn.
 Ernest Findersen, No. 1169 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
 George H. Barnsdall, No. 143 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.
 Robert Carter, clerk, No. 485 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.
 E. Grant Marsh, Brooklyn.
 Frank N. Lang, lawyer, No. 84 Prospect place, Brooklyn.
 Randolph H. Cole, lawyer, No. 144 Halsey street, Brooklyn.
 William H. Smith, clerk, No. 9 Willoughby street, Brooklyn.
 Fred Mayer, clerk, No. 685 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Rudolph Gunzenhauser, clerk, No. 577 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.
 T. D. Hoxsey, clerk, No. 236 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.
 Andrew H. Lemon, No. 45 Linden street, Brooklyn.
 George E. England, No. 20 Woodbine street, Brooklyn.
 Theodore F. Wich, No. 37 Jefferson street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Kaufmann, No. 280 Broadway Manhattan.
 Joseph R. Kunzer, No. 466 Decatur street, Brooklyn.
- George M. Anderson, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph Kelly, Grand and Putnam avenues, Brooklyn.
 Walter Cline, No. 165 Waverly avenue, Brooklyn.
 Thomas Fox, No. 641 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
 Fred. Anwell, No. 98 Ryerson street, Brooklyn.
 John H. Wolters, No. 473 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.
 Stephen Jacobs, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
 Eugene H. Smith, No. 62 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.
 Edwin A. Williams, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Frank F. Lyon, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Jay S. Jones, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Winfield S. Southerd, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.
 Wm. Schneckenburger, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Samuel Myers, No. 646 Marcy avenue, Brooklyn.
 Thomas E. Clark, Brooklyn.
 Frank H. Warland, Brooklyn.
 Henry C. Reilham, Brooklyn.
 Arthur P. Hilton, No. 379 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Minor R. Polly, Classon near Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.
 Robert J. Rudd, Brooklyn.
 Samuel J. Comfort, No. 84 Broadway and No. 248 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.
 Leopold Weil, No. 184 Humboldt street Brooklyn.
 Jacob Wertheimer, No. 184 Humboldt street, Brooklyn.
 Harry Deubert, No. 39 Meserole street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph A. Lanby, No. 372 South Third street, Brooklyn.
- Ralph Raphael, Brooklyn.
 Morris Grossman, Brooklyn.
 Gustav Kaiser, Graham avenue, Brooklyn.
 Charles F. Wolz, No. 752 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.
 Thomas H. Clough, No. 77 Devoe street, Brooklyn.
 William J. Le Pine, No. 275 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
 Abraham S. O'Brien, No. 93 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Nickolaus Dietz, Jr., Nos. 375-379 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Morris V. McDonald, No. 99 Broadway and No. 109 Taylor street, Brooklyn.
 Flavel N. Bliss, No. 534 Henry street, Brooklyn.
 Martin Stavenhagen, No. 29 Woodhull street, Brooklyn.
 Patrick T. Hickie, No. 80 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.
 Arthur H. Walkley, No. 55 Strong place, Brooklyn.
 John F. Paine, No. 207 Clinton street, Brooklyn.
 Luke R. Salt, No. 204 Montague street, Bklyn.
 Ida E. Reed, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
- Resolved, That B. F. Barnett be and he hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Michael J. Don, of No. 576 Second avenue, Manhattan, be and he is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds.
 Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York:
 Annie E. Merrett, No. 407 Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn.
 Theodore I. W. Cornwell, No. 772 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
 Henry E. Pickford, No. 1297 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 George W. Carman, No. 1297 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
- Resolved, That Thomas J. McCue, of No. 380 Pearl street, Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Robert P. Judge, of No. 150 Gold street, Brooklyn, be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Thomas F. Buttlings, of Brooklyn, be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York:
 John A. Lott, Jr., William C. Stratton, Freeman Clarkson,
 John D. Pray, Newell Lyon, Sydney H. Palmer,
 Richard R. Dikeman, James J. Smith, William J. Braffett,
 John Johnston, Albert C. Wheeler, A. Leonard Brougham,
 Eugene Sherck, E. J. Center, Robert A. Morrison,
 Charles Deckelmann, Jr., C. M. Burtis, Edward D. Childs,
 Arthur L. Tones, Samuel Irvine, Adolph W. Berg,
 Anna C. Colahan, F. Bell Fenwick, Charles Thomas,
 M. Shaler Allen, William G. Lawrence, Gilbert Conklin,
 Henry S. Petit, George A. Hughes, Benjamin F. Williams,
 Lewis McMullen, Jr., George W. Green, Abel R. Wood,
 Florence E. Bishop, Edward W. Van Vranken, Frank Cooley,
 James N. Redmond, Francis P. Brophy, I. Isaacsen.
- Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York:
 James C. Cropsey, John McAree, John S. Williamson,
 John T. Eno, Joseph H. Breaznell, Patrick H. Seahill,
 Edward W. Cooper, Ellen M. Little, Teunies Williamson,
 William Quayle, Jacob Hentz, Myers R. Jones,
 William F. Haemer, Merwin Rushmore, Samuel H. Annin,
 John Naumer, Charles A. Kenmore, John S. Griffith,
 Dwight Northrup, Abram L. Block, Samuel F. Irvine.
- Resolved, That Granvil G. McIntyre be and he hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Charles Wolfe, of No. 115 Nassau street, Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Frank Hochrein be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Lawrence E. McArdle, of No. 265 Broadway, New York, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Bessie J. Austin, No. 102 Vesey street, New York, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That the following-named persons be and are hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds of the City of New York:
 Ferdinand A. Kiemer, No. 198 Jefferson street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph B. Merkert, No. 806 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Eibertus A. Konter, No. 806 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 John W. Karl, No. 70 Jefferson street, Brooklyn.
 Charles G. Vampel, No. 310 Van Sicklen avenue, Brooklyn.
 Albert H. Blenderman, No. 813 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 George Salzgeber, No. 70 Stanhope street, Brooklyn.
 Frank J. Doyle, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.
 Augustus W. Bush, No. 127 Central avenue, Brooklyn.
 Peter Kinsey, No. 889 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn.
 Dennis Winter, No. 193 Knickerbocker avenue, Brooklyn.
 William F. Curry, Cortland street, Coney Island, Brooklyn.
 John H. Meehan, No. 1300 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn.
 John Bauer, No. 1003 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn.
 Robert Wylie May, No. 1446 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Gebhard Krauss, No. 22 Starr street, Brooklyn.
 William J. Bagley, No. 2 Sumner avenue, Brooklyn.
- Resolved, That Abraham G. Meyer be and hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Mayer C. Goldmann, Henry I. Weinberg and William T. Glover be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Robert L. Harron, No. 919 Cauldwell avenue, be and he hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That Edward V. Slawson, Frederick W. Rowe and Edgar D. Chase be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
 Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York, to wit:
 Llewellyn A. Wray, No. 1165 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 Frederick J. Gruner, No. 1579 Bergen street, Brooklyn.
 George A. Nelson, No. 487 Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn.
 Edward Pothier, No. 874 Greene ave., Brooklyn.
- Resolved, That Thomas R. Sheffield, of No. 101 Diamond street, Brooklyn, be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.
- Frederick J. Peacock, No. 499 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.
 C. W. Withey, No. 289 Monroe street, Brooklyn.
 William H. Marquand, No. 1562 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 James W. Foote, Brooklyn.

Resolved, That Henry A. Van Pelt, of No. 13 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That George F. Scannell and Edward C. Sheehy be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Samuel H. London, of No. 342 East Fourth street, in the City of New York, be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Adolph Oatman, No. 714 Seventh avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That William F. Freund, Joseph R. Bissinger and John Schwarzkopf be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Mr. Frederic Delano Weeks, of No. 58 Wall street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That William Dwight Teese, of No. 185 Ainslie street, Borough of Brooklyn, and David Teese, of No. 179 Grand street, Borough of Brooklyn, be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Walter E. Hedding, No. 31 Sands street, Brooklyn, and Oliver C. Hall, No. 245 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Austin E. Pressinger be and hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to wit:

John H. Vanderveer, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Frank N. Lang, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.

Gustav Kaiser, No. 180 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.

Charles Metz, No. 99 Nassau street, Manhattan.

Charles L. Sicardi, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn.

Randolph H. Coles, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.

Wilson S. Lewis, No. 111 St. James place, Brooklyn.

Louis J. Hamel, No. 225 East Seventy-first street, Manhattan.

James Murphy, No. 265 Broadway, Manhattan.

William F. Burns, No. 303 McDonough street, Brooklyn.

J. Bennett Hunter, No. 5 Jackson avenue, Queens.

G. E. Clay, No. 5 Jackson avenue, Queens.

Charles A. Tipling, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.

George Koch, No. 229 Oakley street, Queens.

Resolved, That James Murphy, No. 574 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Otto Wetzell, of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City of New York.

Resolved, That Ralston Fleming, No. 56 Pine street, New York, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That the following persons whose names are herewith appended, be and are hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York, to wit:

Frederick H. Chase, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Richards Mott Cahoon, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Resolved, That H. L. Van Syckel, No. 201 Cleveland street, Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office:

Townsend Wandell, Henry A. Van Pelt, Louis Bock,

Edward J. Healey, Alexander C. Montgomery, Edward J. Halligan,

Louis Bruckheimer, George F. Scannell, Daniel Sherry,

George H. Hyde, L. Hensel, Edward P. Holahan.

John C. McNeilly, Thomas H. Baskerville,

Richard L. Lush, William P. Rinckhoff,

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City of New York, in the places, respectively, of those whose names appear opposite, and whose term of office has expired, viz.:

William Richmond, in place of Charles A. de Arcy.

Gustav A. Rathowsky, in place of Edward Arthur G. Massey, in place of Michael J. Swann.

Max Monfried, in place of E. C. Sheehy.

Alfred I. Dittler, in place of Miss Jennie Scott.

O. Willett Hochstatter, in place of Sidney Smith.

Charles Comisky, in place of Peter Schultz.

Thomas Hogan, in place of David J. Solinge.

John Haldorf, in place of Miss Emma M. Voos.

Gustave Hafer, in place of Laurence A. Wells.

George William Wallace, in place of E. J. Wilkinson.

I. E. Rider, in place of William H. Broderick.

Bernath Krausz, in place of Edward J. Dwyer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 11, 1898.

Resolved, That Rooms Nos. 10, 11 and 12, in the City Hall, be and the same are hereby set apart for the use of the Hon. Augustus W. Peters, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 3, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, January 11, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, January 14, 1898.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's office on Friday, December 31, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., pursuant to notice.

The roll was called, and the following members were present and answered to their names:

The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Absent—The Comptroller.

The minutes of the meetings of December 24 and 29, 1897, were read and approved.

The Secretary presented and read the following report relating to the widening and extension of Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York:

SIRS—I have to report that on the 21st December, 1897, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, I have caused to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board, and left with him, copies of resolutions adopted by this Board on the 17th December, 1897, copies of said resolution being hereto annexed. They provide for the altering of the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, widening and extending Claremont avenue, from 150 feet north of One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Riverside Drive, 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

I do also report that I caused to be published in the CITY RECORD the notice required by law, a copy of which, together with the proof of the publication thereof, is hereto annexed.

Dated New York, December 31, 1897.

I am, very respectfully,

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Public Works offered the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, At a meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, held on the 17th December, 1897, the following resolutions were adopted by said Board:

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out, widening and extending Claremont avenue, from 150 feet north of One Hun-

dred and Sixteenth street to Riverside Drive, 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Claremont avenue distant 200 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence southerly and curving to the right, radius 250 feet, distance 189.53 feet; thence westerly and curving to the right, radius 95.6 feet, distance 77.20 feet, to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, distant 62.46 feet from Riverside avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, distance 137.54 feet, to the westerly line of Claremont avenue; thence northerly and along said line, distance 20 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning in easterly line of Riverside avenue distant 157.98 feet as measured along the said line northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifteenth street; thence northerly and easterly and in curved line to the right, radius 63.62 feet, distance 84.4 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence westerly and along said southerly line, distance 51.54 feet, to the westerly side of Riverside avenue; thence southerly and along said line, distance 49.33 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That such proposed action of this Board be laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and that full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a copy of the foregoing resolution and to cause to be published the notice required by law.

And Whereas, Said proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and full notice of the same has been published for ten days in the CITY RECORD, as appears by the report of the Secretary of this Board and the papers thereto attached; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out, widening and extending Claremont avenue, from 150 feet north of One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Riverside Drive, 50 feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, does hereby alter the map or plan of the City of New York so as to lay out, open and extend said street and establish the grades thereof as aforesaid, and does hereby lay out, open and extend the same and establish the grades thereof as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Claremont avenue distant 200 feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence southerly and curving to the right, radius 250 feet, distance 189.53 feet; thence westerly and curving to the right, radius 95.6 feet, distance 77.20 feet, to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, distant 62.46 feet from Riverside avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, distant 137.54 feet, to the westerly line of Claremont avenue; thence northerly and along said line distant 20 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning in easterly line of Riverside avenue distant 157.98 feet as measured along the said line northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifteenth street; thence northerly and easterly and in curved line to the right, radius 63.62 feet, distance 84.4 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence westerly and along said southerly line, distance 51.54 feet, to the westerly line of Riverside avenue; thence southerly and along said line, distance 49.33 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York does now proceed to certify three similar maps showing Claremont avenue as laid out, widened and extended as above, and that the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to file one of the said maps so certified in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, one in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, and one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks and the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The Commissioner then offered the following resolutions:

TO OPEN AND WIDEN CLAREMONT AVENUE, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET AND RIVERSIDE AVENUE.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening, widening and extending of Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street at their northwesterly intersection, and the widening of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue at their southeasterly intersection, should be acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the Commissioner of Public Works, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street at their northwesterly intersection, and the widening of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue at their southeasterly intersection.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street or avenue, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street at their northwesterly intersection, and the widening of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue at their southeasterly intersection so required, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Claremont avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street at their northwesterly intersection, and the widening of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue at their southeasterly intersection.

Resolved, That one-half the cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks and the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, relating to the action of the Board in the laying out and opening a public park or playground at Rivington, Goerck and Mangin streets, was presented and read:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 29, 1897.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

GENTLEMEN—I have received from your Secretary a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board on December 3, 1897, selecting, locating and laying out a public park or playground in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, on Rivington, Goerck and Mangin streets, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887 and of chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, and requesting me to take the necessary proceedings for opening such park or playground and acquiring the title thereto, as provided by the aforesaid acts of the Legislature.

Chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887 authorizes the Board to select, locate and lay out such and so many public parks in the City of New York, south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, as it may from time to time determine, provided, however, that no more than the sum of one million dollars shall be expended or authorized to be expended in any one year under the provisions of said act.

That act does not authorize the Board to lay out public playgrounds. Authority to lay out public playgrounds in the district east of the Bowery and Catharine street, and south of Fourth street, and to acquire title to the lands embraced therein, is conferred upon the Board by chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895.

Chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897 does not authorize the Board to lay out public parks or playgrounds, but simply amends section 5 of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, as to the manner and time of the vesting of title to any site already laid out, or which may thereafter be laid out, under the provisions of said Act of 1895.

It is to be observed that the resolution in question does not purport to have been adopted pursuant to the provisions of said Act of 1895, and having been adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Acts of 1887 and 1897, is not in proper form.

I also understand that the two similar maps, plans and profiles of such public park or playground were also adopted and approved by the Board under the provisions of said Acts of 1887 and 1897.

Condemnation proceedings being in derogation of the common law, the statute or statutes authorizing them must be strictly complied with.

I am of the opinion, therefore, that it would not be safe to proceed with the proceeding under the present resolution, and beg to advise you that a new resolution should be adopted, and new maps made, approved and filed, pursuant to the provisions of said chapters 320 of the Laws of 1887; 293 of the Laws of 1895, and 676 of the Laws of 1897.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Public Works offered the following resolution :

To RESCIND FORMER ACTION FOR THE LAYING OUT AND OPENING A PUBLIC PARK OR PLAYGROUND AT RIVINGTON, GOERCK AND MANGIN STREETS.

Resolved, That the resolutions adopted by this Board on the 3d of December, 1897, relating to the laying out, filing the maps of and acquiring title to the land bounded by Rivington, Goerck and Mangin streets, and a line parallel and distant one hundred and ninety-six feet northerly from Rivington street, in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, for a public park or playground, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks and the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The Commissioner then offered the following resolutions :

To LAY OUT A PUBLIC PARK OR PLAYGROUND AT RIVINGTON, STANTON, GOERCK AND MANGIN STREETS.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and of chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, does hereby select, locate and lay out a public park or playground in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows :

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Rivington street and Goerck street; thence northerly and along the easterly line of Goerck street, distance 196 feet; thence easterly and at right angle, or nearly so, distance 197 feet 8 inches, to the westerly line of Mangin street; thence southerly along said line of Mangin street, distance 196 feet, to the northerly line of Rivington street; thence westerly along said line, distance 79 feet 9 inches, to the plot of land located for a public bath-house; thence northerly at right angle or nearly so, distance 81 feet 4 1/4 inches; thence westerly at right angle, or nearly so, distance 79 feet; thence southerly, distance 81 feet 6 1/4 inches, to the northerly line of Rivington street; thence westerly along said line, distance 39 feet 11 3/4 inches, to the northerly corner of Rivington and Goerck streets, the point or place of beginning.

As shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles, accompanied with explanatory remarks made by the Department of Public Works, on the requisition of this Board, each of which is entitled "Map showing a Public Park or Playground, bounded by Rivington street, Goerck street, Mangin street and a line parallel and distant one hundred and ninety-six feet northerly from Rivington street, in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York."

Resolved, That the Chairman of this Board be and he is hereby directed to certify said maps, plans and profiles, together with such explanatory remarks in the manner provided in and by said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887; and the Secretary of this Board is hereby directed to file said maps, plans and profiles, so certified, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and one in the Department of Public Parks in said city.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement does hereby determine that said public park or playground, selected, located and laid out by said Board as aforesaid, should be opened and the title to the lands embraced therein should be acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the purpose of such park or playground, and does hereby request the Counsel to the Corporation to make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, in and for the First Department, and to take the necessary proceedings for opening said park or playground and acquiring the title to the lands embraced thereon, as provided and described by said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897.

Which were adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks and the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, advising that the resolution adopted by the Board fixing the date when title to Mount Vernon avenue, shall vest in the City, be rescinded, was presented and read :

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 24, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Esq., Secretary of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—On August 18, 1897, an order appointing Commissioners in the matter of opening Mount Vernon avenue, from Jerome avenue to the northern boundary of the City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, was duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York. The oaths of the Commissioners by said order appointed were entered in said Clerk's office on August 27, 1897. I notified you of this fact; and on September 20, 1897, the Board of Street Opening and Improvement passed a resolution directing that upon the 7th day of March, 1898, the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of said Mount Vernon avenue, from Jerome avenue to the northern boundary of the City of New York, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Since the passage of this resolution an appeal from the said order appointing the Commissioners in this proceeding has been argued in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, and a decision has been handed down reversing the order appointing said Commissioners, in so far as it relates to lands owned by Woodlawn Cemetery.

The order to be entered upon this decision is appealable to the Court of Appeals, and I presume that an appeal will be taken therefrom by the City. I would suggest, however, the advisability of rescinding your resolution of September 10, for, in case the decision of the Appellate Division should be affirmed, it might be deemed advisable to alter the lines of Mount Vernon avenue with respect to the land within that street not owned by the cemetery.

Respectfully yours,

WM. L. TURNER, Acting Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the resolutions adopted by this Board on the 10th September, 1897, fixing the date when title to the lands required for the opening of Mount Vernon avenue, from Jerome avenue to the northern boundary of the City of New York, shall vest in the City, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following report from the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards and the President of the Department of Public Parks, relating to the petition for a reduction of the assessment for the opening of Webster avenue, was presented and read :

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET,
December 28, 1897.

Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith the petition of property-owners, requesting that the City assume three-fourths of the expense for opening Webster avenue from Moshulu Parkway to Bronx River road.

The opening of Webster avenue, from Moshulu Parkway to Bronx River road, north of Woodlawn station, will make a continuous line from Willis Avenue Bridge to the northern boundary of the city. The City should be assessed, because the avenue gives access to Bronx Park. The property east of the Bronx river to about midway between Webster avenue and White Plains road from the said Bronx Park to the northerly line of the city should be assessed because it will give better and quicker facilities for reaching the city.

In addition to assessing the property east of the Bronx river, I would suggest that the City assume one-half of the expense, for the reason that the avenue, being about seven miles in length, will be an improvement which will benefit the people at large.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.
SAMUEL McMILLAN, P. P. Dept.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That so much of the resolution relating to the opening of Webster avenue, from Moshulu Parkway to Bronx River road, adopted by this Board on the 7th December, 1894, as provides "that the entire cost and expense of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby," be and the same is hereby amended so as to read that fifty per cent. of the entire cost of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and fifty per cent. upon the City.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following report from the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, on a petition for a public park at Morris Heights, was presented and read :

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET,
December 28, 1897.

Board of Street Opening and Improvement :

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith petition, etc., in reference to laying out a park at Cedar and Sedgwick avenues (Morris Heights), which was referred to me for report, and in reply I beg to say that a park in that locality would be of great value to the surrounding property, and would recommend that the plot lying between the Aqueduct property and bounded by Cedar avenue and Riverview terrace be included in the proposed park.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

Whereupon the Commissioner offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, deeming it for the public interest so to do, does hereby select, locate and lay out as a public park so much of the land lying between the Aqueduct property and bounded by Cedar avenue and Riverview terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as is now owned by the City; and the Department of Public Parks is hereby authorized and requested to lay out the same as a Public Park.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards be and he is hereby requested to prepare the necessary maps for filing, showing a public park on the land lying between the Aqueduct property, and bounded by Cedar avenue and Riverview terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, not owned by the City.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Board of the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, was presented :

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Esq., Secretary, Board Street Opening and Improvement :

SIR—In pursuance of a resolution adopted by your Board on the 5th day of November, 1897, I have to inform you that I have caused an application to be made to the Supreme Court of this State for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

On the 30th day of December, 1897, the order appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said proceeding was duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York. Emanuel Blumenthal, Albert Sanders and J. Barry Lounsbury, Commissioners named in said order, have duly qualified, and their oaths were filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of December, 1897.

As there are buildings on the land to be taken for the opening of said avenue, a resolution should now be adopted by your Board directing that the title to each and every piece or parcel of land within the lines of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, shall vest in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York, upon a date to be fixed by your Board, not less than six months from the 30th day of December, 1897, the date of the filing of the said oaths.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, The Board of Street Opening and Improvement, on the 5th day of November, 1897, adopted a resolution directing that, upon a date to be thereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who might be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-third Ward, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, so required, should be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; and

Whereas, The said Board has received written notice from the Counsel to the Corporation that Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment have been appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings to acquire title to said East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and that the oaths of said Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment were duly filed, as required by law, on the 30th day of December, 1897; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement directs that upon the 8th day of July, 1898, the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of said East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, so required, viz :

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of the Central Bridge approach (southerly of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street) with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street (legally opened as the Central Bridge approach).

1st. Thence easterly along the said southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street (Central Bridge approach) for 5 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 140 degrees 35 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 7.73 feet to the eastern line of said approach.

3d. Thence northerly along said line for 5 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Cromwell avenue distant 433 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Cromwell avenue for 100 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 390.61 feet to the eastern line of the Central Bridge approach.

3d. Thence northerly along said line for 127.42 feet.

4th. Thence southerly deflecting 168 degrees 48 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 20 feet.

5th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 45 degrees to the left for 7.07 feet.

6th. Thence easterly for 360.89 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the western line of River avenue distant 433 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of River avenue for 100 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 235 feet to the eastern line of Cromwell avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along said line for 100 feet.

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

PARCEL "D."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of River avenue distant 433 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of River avenue for 202.01 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 40 feet.

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 49 degrees 44 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 294.05 feet to the western line of Gerard avenue.

4th. Thence northerly along the said line for 202.01 feet.

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 40 feet.

6th. Thence northwesterly for 294.05 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Gerard avenue distant 200.37 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Gerard avenue for 154.76 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 139 degrees 44 minutes 52 seconds to the right for 278.57 feet.

3d. Thence easterly deflecting 46 degrees 44 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 17.53 feet to the northern line of the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

4th. Thence westerly along the said line on the arc of a circle of 25 feet radius for 27.48 feet.

5th. Thence westerly along said line for 112.46 feet.

6th. Thence northwesterly for 97.72 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-second street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on Sections 8 and 9 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of

the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 11, 1895, and October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 12, 1895, and November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York November 13, 1895, and November 2, 1895.

Dated NEW YORK, December 15, 1897.

—shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Board of the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the opening of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, was presented:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Esq., Secretary, Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—In pursuance of a resolution adopted by your Board on the 25th day of June, 1897, I have to inform you that I have caused an application to be made to the Supreme Court of this State for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward in the City of New York.

On the 29th day of December, 1897, the order appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said proceeding was duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York. Michael Sexton, Sidney J. Cowen and Myer Shoenfeld, the Commissioners named in said order, have duly qualified, and their oaths were filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of December, 1897.

As there are buildings on the land to be taken for the opening of said street, a resolution should now be adopted by your Board directing that the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, shall vest in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York, upon a date to be fixed by your Board, not less than six months from the 29th day of December, 1897, the date of the filing of the said notice.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Street Opening and Improvement, on the twenty-fifth day of June, 1897, adopted a resolution directing that, upon a date to be thereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who might be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, the title to any piece or parcel of land, lying within the lines of such East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, so required, should be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; and

Whereas, The said Board has received written notice from the Counsel to the Corporation that Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment have been appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings to acquire title to said East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, and that the oaths of said Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment were duly filed, as required by law, on the thirtieth day of December, 1897; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement directs that, upon the eighth day of July, 1898, the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of said East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, so required, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Third avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street (formerly First street, ceded by Gouverneur Morris, November 8, 1864).

- 1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Third avenue for 50.01 feet.
- 2d. Thence westerly deflecting 91 degrees 2 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 481.21 feet to the eastern line of Washington avenue.
- 3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Washington avenue for 50 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street (formerly First street).
- 4th. Thence easterly along the said northern line for 479.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Brook avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street (formerly First street, ceded by Gouverneur Morris, November 8, 1864).

- 1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Brook avenue for 12.48 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 126 degrees 46 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 146.03 feet to the western line of Washington avenue.
- 3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Washington avenue for 10 feet to the northern line of aforesaid East One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
- 4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of aforesaid East One Hundred and Sixty-third street for 138.62 feet to the point of beginning. East One Hundred and Sixty-third street is designated as a street of the first class.

As shown on section six of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 6th day of August, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 7th day of August, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 9th day of August, 1895.

Dated NEW YORK, November 23, 1897.

—shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Board of the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the opening of a public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, was presented:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Esq., Secretary, Board Street Opening and Improvement:

SIR—In pursuance of a resolution adopted by your Board on the 2d day of July, 1897, I have to inform you that I have caused an application to be made to the Supreme Court of this State for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening a public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, etc., in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

On the 29th day of December, 1897, the order appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said proceeding was duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York. Theodore E. Smith, Daniel F. Sheehan and James P. Archibald, Commissioners named in said order, have duly qualified, and their oaths were filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897.

As there are buildings on the land to be taken for the opening of said avenue, a resolution should now be adopted by your Board directing that the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of a public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, etc., shall vest in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York upon date to be fixed by your Board, not less than six months from the 29th day of December, 1897, the date of the filing of the said oaths.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Whereupon the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Street Opening and Improvement, on the 2d day of July, 1897, adopted a resolution directing that, upon a date to be thereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment, who might be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to a public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, so required, should be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; and

Whereas, The said Board has received written notice from the Counsel to the Corporation that Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment have been appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings to acquire title to said public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, and that the oaths of

said Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment were duly filed, as required by law, on the 31st day of December, 1897; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement directs that upon the 11th day of July, 1898, the title to each and every piece or parcel of land lying within the lands of said public place at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, so required, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the western line of Washington avenue.

- 1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 141.16 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 128 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 203.76 feet to the western line of Washington avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Washington avenue for 158.98 feet to the point of beginning.

Public place bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Washington avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Brook avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Washington avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street:

- 1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Washington avenue for 178.47 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street.

2d. Thence easterly along the said line for 37.81 feet to the western line of Brook avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the said line 24.31 feet to an angle point in the same.

4th. Thence southerly still along the said line for 181.92 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

5th. Thence westerly along the said line for 125.35 feet to the point of beginning.

As shown on Section 6 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on August 6, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on August 7, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on August 9, 1895.

—shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

The Commissioner of Public Works then offered the following resolution:

TO OPEN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETIETH STREET.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deems it for the public interest that the title to the land and premises required for the extending and opening of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Wadsworth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, should be acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the Commissioner of Public Works, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Wadsworth avenue.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street or avenue, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Wadsworth avenue, so required, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Eleventh avenue and Wadsworth avenue.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen—4.

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards offered the following resolutions:

TO OPEN BUCKHOUT STREET.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Buckhout street, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Ryer avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, should be acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Buckhout street, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Ryer avenue.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Buckhout street, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Ryer avenue, so required, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Buckhout street, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Ryer avenue.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

TO OPEN EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, should be acquired by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, so required, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—5.

TO OPEN CANNON PLACE.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Cannon place, from Giles place to East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward,

CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan.
 EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART, ANTONIO ZUCCA.
 Borough of the Bronx.
 ANTHONY MCOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.
 Borough of Brooklyn.
 ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.
 Borough of Queens.
 PHILIP T. CRONIN, DR. SAMUEL S. GUY, JR., LEONARD ROUFF, JR.
 Borough of Richmond.
 JOHN SEAYER, GEORGE C. TRANTER.

SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
 FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRITT, PARDON C. WILLIAMS, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, JUSTICES. A. FRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WM. LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.
 Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 21.
 Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 23.
 Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.
 Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.
 Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 16.
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 32.
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 24.
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 23.
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 22.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.
 Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JOSEPH F. DALY, MILES BEACH, ROGER PRYOR, LEONARD A. GRIGERICH, HENRY W. BOOKSTAYE, HENRY BESCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. EDMAN, JOHN SEDGWICK, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY K. BREEMAN, HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
 JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JAMES FITZGERALD, RUFUS B. COWING, JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Judges.
 JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

CITY COURT.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
 General Term.
 Trial Term, Part I.
 Part II.
 Part III.
 Part IV.
 Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, brown-stone building, No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN and W. M. K. OLCOTT, Justices; JOHN E. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK.
 Justices—Second Division—THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, HOWARD J. FORKER, JOHN L. DEVENNEY, JOHN COURTNEY and JOHN FLEMING.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.
 First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers street.
 WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
 HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
 GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
 HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.
 DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk. Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. PATRICK MCDAVITT, Clerk.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
 Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
 JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
 Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that

portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 318 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.
 Eleventh District—Northern part of Twelfth Ward. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHOUT, Clerk.

Borough of the Bronx.

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

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
 JOHN M. TIERNY, Justice.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—JACOB NEU.
 Second District—GERARD B. VON WART.
 Third District—WILLIAM SCHNITZSPAHN.
 Fourth District—ADOLPH H. GOTTING.
 Fifth District—CORNELIUS FURGUSON.
 Borough of Queens.
 First District—THOMAS C. KADEN.
 Second District—WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE.
 Third District—JAMES F. MCLOUGHLIN.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, CLAFENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR., THOMAS F. WENTWORTH, W. H. OLMSTEAD, EBEN DEMAREST, Secretary.
 First District—Criminal Court Building.
 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.
 Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.
 Second Division—MATTHEW J. SMITH, EDMUND J. HEALY, LUKE J. CONNORTON.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 18, 1898, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
 ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
 Dated NEW YORK, January 11, 1898.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 18, 1898, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
 ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
 Dated NEW YORK, January 11, 1898.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR CONVEYING pupils from Unionport to Public School 97 and return, in two stages, on every school-day from and including January 31, 1898, to and including April 29, 1898, as follows:

Stages will be required to run each school-day, from Second street and Avenue C, Unionport, and Sixth street and Avenue D, Unionport, along aforesaid avenues to the Westchester Turnpike and thence to Public School 97, Washington and Second streets, Westchester. These stages must start each school-day at 8.15 A. M., collecting pupils on their routes up to Westchester Turnpike and Avenue C, and at 3 o'clock on each school-day taking pupils from Public School 97 along Westchester Turnpike to Second street and Avenue C and Second street and Avenue D, respectively, and on the routes, discharging pupils at or near their residences, will be received by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Thursday, January 27, 1898, at 4 o'clock P. M.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

For terms of contract and for information as to further requirements inquire at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street.

The Committee reserves the right to cancel the contract at any time after April 15, 1898.

Dated NEW YORK, January 15, 1898.

HUGH KELLY, Chairman, Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, New York City, eleventh floor, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, January 24, 1898, for Improving the New Lots Adjoining and Premises of Public School 96.

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

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

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

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

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

The contractor shall provide bonds of suretyship of one of the several surety companies doing business in this city when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

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

It is required as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board

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

RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, CHARLES C. BURLINGHAM, Committee on Buildings.
 Dated NEW YORK, January 13, 1897.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of said Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, January 17, 1898, for Supplying Gymnastic Apparatus for Public School 96.

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

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

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

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

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

The contractor shall provide bonds of suretyship of one of the several surety companies doing business in this city, when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

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

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

RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, CHARLES C. BURLINGHAM, Committee on Buildings.
 Dated NEW YORK, January 6, 1898.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED until 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, January 26, 1898, at the office of the said Board, No. 66 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, for furnishing supplies for the use of the Department in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens for six months, from February 1, 1898, consisting of Groceries, Fish, Meat, Dietary Articles, Milk, Oats, Hay, Straw, Dry Goods, Stationery, Drugs, Paints, Oils, Engineers' Supplies, Plumbers' Supplies, Metal Ceilings, Lumber and other articles; also Burial of Pauper Dead, for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedules, with full particulars, can be obtained either at the above address or at No. 29 Elm place, Borough of Brooklyn.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, or money to the amount of ten per cent. of the aggregate of the bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner
 For the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 12, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES FOR the Department of Public Charities for 1898. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following Hospital Supplies will be received at the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, January 24, 1898. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid for Hospital Supplies," 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, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

A.—DRUGS.

More or less.
 pounds Agar-Agar, pap.
 15 pounds Bromoformaline, E. & A., 5 lb. b.
 1 dozen Carbogen.
 10 pounds Cresol, Pharm. Germ. III., 5 lb. b.
 25 pounds Earli, Filler's, pap.
 25 pounds Ether, Petroleum, boil. p. ab. 50-65° C., 1 lb. b.
 2 dozen Ext. Pancreatic, F. Bro. & F.

More or less.
 2 pounds Gum Damar, pap.
 2 pounds Gum Opium, denarcotized, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
 1 doz. Hydrastis, Lloyd's colorless.
 10 pounds Oil Juniper Berries, pure, 5 lb. b.
 1 pound Oil Pimento, pure, 1 lb. b.
 12 dozen box. Peptonizing Tubes, F. Bro. & F.
 8 barrels Plaster of Paris, Dentists', Knickerbocker Mills.
 5 pounds Root, Ipecac, powd., pap.
 5 pounds Root, Sanguinaria, powd., pap.
 10 pounds Root, Zedoary, powd., pap.
 50 pounds Seed, Stavesacre, powd., box.
 3 dozen Soap, Toilet, f. Office use.
 300 pounds Sugar, powd., finest confectioner's, freshly powd., in 25 lb. tins.
 10 pounds Sugar of Milk, "Prescription."

B.—CHEMICALS.
 14 pounds Acid Nitric, comm., 7 lb. b.
 27 pounds Acid Sulphuric, comm., 9 lb. b.
 3 dozen Alum Cones.
 20-25 grams Chloralamide.
 1 ounce Cumarin, r. v.
 1 pound Eucalyptol, 1 lb. b.
 3 dozen Gold and Sodium Chloride, 30 grains each.
 10 grams Homatropine Hydrobromate, 1 gm. v.
 4 pounds Iron Carbonate, sacch. (Vallet's), 1 lb. jars.
 10 pounds Iron, Dialysed, 1 lb. b.
 10 pounds Iron Nitrate, Solution, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
 8 ounces Lead Iodide, 1 oz. v.
 4 pounds Mercury Nitrate, Solution, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
 5 pounds Mercury, Mass (Blue Mass), 1 lb. jar.
 4 ounces Sodium Nitroprusside, 1 oz. v.

C.—PHARMACEUTICALS.
 N. B.—No bid for any article in this class will be accepted from any one who is not known in the drug trade as a regular manufacturer thereof and doing business in the territory of Greater New York.

5 pounds Extract Belladonna Leaves, U. S. P., 1 lb. jars.
 5 ounces Extract Colchicum Root, U. S. P., 1 oz. j.
 8 ounces Extract Ergot, U. S. P., 1 oz. j.
 5 pounds Extract Gentian, U. S. P., 1 lb. j.
 1 pound Extract Stramonium, U. S. P., 1 lb. j.
 4 pound Fl. Extract Cimicifuga, 1 lb. b.
 4 pounds Fl. Extract Convallaria Root, 1 lb. b.
 2 gallons Fl. Extract Liguorice Root, 1 g. b.
 4 pounds Fl. Extract Jaborandi, 1 lb. b.
 4 pounds Fl. Extract Lobelia, 1 lb. b.
 4 pounds Fl. Extract Mezereum, 1 lb. b.
 4 pounds Fl. Extract, Rumex Crispus, 1 lb. b.
 2 pounds Fl. Extract, Spigelia, 1 lb. b.
 2 pounds Fl. Extract, Stillingia, 1 lb. b.
 1 gall. Fl. Extract, Taraxacum, 1 gall. b.
 2 pounds Fl. Extract, Verba Santa, 1 lb. b.
 6-500 Pills, Aconitine, Duquesnell, 1-200 gr.
 70 pounds Pills, Bland, 5 grains, 1 lb. b.
 3 pounds Pills, Cathartic Vegetable, 1 lb. b.
 6-500 Pills, Iron (1 gr.), Quinine (1 gr.), Strychnine (1-40 gr.).
 6-500 Pills, Phosphorus, 1-50.
 4-1000 Trit. Tablets Arsenous Acid, 1-30.
 2-1000 Trit. Tablets Aconitine, 1-200.
 8-1000 Trit. Tablets Codeine, 1-5 gr.
 4-1000 Trit. Tablets Codeine, 1-6 gr.
 3-1000 Trit. Tablets Morphine, 1/4 gr.
 20-1000 Trit. Tablets Strychnine, 1-30 gr.
 1-1000 Antiseptic Tablets, Bernays' Special, 7 grs. Corrosive Sublimate, each.
 2-1000 Compressed Tablets, Lithium Carb., 2 gr.
 10-500 Antiseptic Nasal Tablets, Dr. Oppenheimer's Formula.

D.—SURGICAL DRESSINGS AND PLASTERS.
 5 pounds Cotton, Styptic, 1 lb. p.
 20 yards Gauze, Iodoform, 10 per cent., 1 yd. containers.
 2,500 pounds Lintine, 1 lb. pack.
 100 gross Belladonna Plasters, rubber base, porous, 5 x 7 1/2", containing not less than 0.3 per cent. of the alkaloids of Belladonna, 2 doz. in a box.
 2 dozen Cantharidal Plaster, 7" wide, 1 yd. rolls.
 2 dozen Mercurial Plaster, 7" wide, 1 yd. rolls.
 200 yards Mustard Plaster, on paper, 12", 5 yd. rolls.

E.—SUNDRIES.
 10 dozen Beakers, same as E. & A. No. 5573, Nos. 0, 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Bidders will please quote price for each size by the dozen. As it is impracticable to buy one size from one dealer and another size from another, the award will be made to the lowest bidder for the five sizes combined, irrespective of the bid on any single size.

10 gross Bottle Brushes, 4 sizes (see samples).
 12 Burettes, E. & A., No. 8657, 50 Cc. in 10.
 12 Burettes, E. & A., No. 8657, 25 Cc. in 10.
 6 "Acme" Bunsen Burners (sample).
 1 dozen Corkscrews, Lawrence (sample).
 6 dozen Evaporating Dishes, E. & A. 6174. Sizes 00, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4.

For the same reason as given under No. 793, the award will be made to the lowest bidder on the six sizes combined. The price per dozen to be also valid for a lesser quantity.

1 Dynamometer, Chatillon, 80 lbs. by 1 lb.
 12 dozen Glass Funnels, E. & A. 6390. Diameter: 1 1/4", 2 1/4", 3 1/4", 4 1/4".
 The note under No. 799 to apply also in this case.

4 barrels Gravel (about 300 pounds each), like sample.

2 dozen Measurers, Seiditz.
 24 Mortars, Wedgewood, of the following sizes: Nos. 0, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12.
 The note under No. 799 to apply also in this case.

12 Mortars, Glass, of the following sizes: 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz.
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10 reams Paper, Straw Wrapping, 20x30 (sample).
 2 Revolving Leather Punches (wheel with six punches).
 10 Steel Punches (like sample); two 1/4"; two 3/8"; two 1/2"; two 5/8"; one 3/4".

20 pounds Rubber Stoppers, like samples exhibited; various sizes.

4 Prescription Scales, Troemner's No. 64.
 5 Counter Scales, Ebony box, marble top, nick-pl. pans, 9".
 2 Dial Scales, Chatillon No. 046, 25 lbs. by 1 oz.

1 Dial Scale, Chatillon No. 047 B, with Brass Can, 25 lbs. by 1 oz.

4 sets Block Weights, avoid., 2 lbs. to 1/4 oz., nick-pl., in boxes with hinged covers.
 2 dozen sets Drachm Weights, Coin, to grs. 10 to 2.

3 dozen sets Grain Weights, Aluminum.
 2 doz. Vaporizers for Vapo-Cresolene.
 1 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 1 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.

1 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 1/2 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.
 1/2 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 1/4 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.

3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 2 oz. (sample).
 3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 4 oz. (sample).
 2 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 8 oz. (sample).
 6 Glas Graduates, 64 oz., Phenix, cone.

2 doz. Glas Graduates, 32 oz., Phenix, cone.
 2 doz. Ointment Jars, w. raised glass letters, white, opaque glass, st. top, 2 lbs.

More or less.

- 10 doz. Glass Labels, for W. T. & Co.'s "Improved Drawer Pulls."

F.—SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

N. B.—No bids will be received for any article in this list from any person or firm that cannot be reached directly by telephone from the Department wires, so that there may be no delay in emergency cases. Bids must be based on the descriptions furnished, or samples exhibited by the Department (to be seen at No. 66 Third Avenue), and not on the bidder's samples.

- 14 Ambulance Bags (like sample). Further details to be obtained at General Drug Department.

- 1 dozen Atomizers, double-bulb, Davidson's.
6 Bandages, Esmarch's, heavy white, 3", 3 yards.
6 Bandages, Esmarch's, with chain.
6 Bandages, Esmarch's, "Perfection."
6 Batteries, Faradic, Vetter's No. 3, complete.
3 Batteries, Silver Chloride No. 8, complete.
Renewal of Wilms Dry Cells for above and next.

- 2 Batteries, Silver Chloride, Galvanic No. 10, 50 cells.

- 2 dozen pair Battery Cords (sample).
1 dozen Battery Handles, interrupting.

- 1 dozen Battery Handle Sponge Tips (to fit 839).

- 12 dozen Bobbins (sample).
2 dozen Bottles, Flushing (style of Kny's 1863), 2 qt.

- 3 Buck's Extension, complete w. weights.
6 Bulbs, I. R., for Cautey.

- 2 dozen Bulbs, vulcan rubber, for Enema Syringes (sample).
4 dozen Caps, Stutzer's (Kny, 19620), small.

- 3 dozen Caps, Stutzer's (Kny, 19620), large.
4 dozen Catheters, Vergne's.

- 4 dozen Tubes Catgut, chromicized (see sample, containers may vary).
6 Catheters, double-current, male, silver.

- 4 Catheters, double-current, fem., silver, Kelly-Fritsch.
4 Cauteys, J. Reyniers & Co. (sample).

- 4 Centrifugal Machines, Litten's Latest.
3 dozen Centrifuge Tubes, glass, for preceding.

- 3 dozen Centrifuge Tubes, glass, Purdy's graduated per cent.
4 dozen Clamps, Arbery, Phelps' (sample).

- 4 dozen Clamps, Jacobs' (sample), assort. sizes.
6 dozen clips (Pinchcocks) for Alpha Fountain Syr.

- 2 dozen Dilators, Barnes'.
2 sets Dilators, Hanks' (18 in set).

- 6 Dilators, Ellinger Goodell.
12 pairs Eyeglasses (or Spectacles), with lenses as are usually kept in stock, as may be prescribed (style like sample).

- 12 pairs Eyeglasses, Protective (sample).
20 yards Felt (sample).

- 1 Forceps, Obstetrical, McLane's solid blade.
4 Forceps, Vulsellum, Skene's.

- 2 Forceps, Tenaculum, Skene's.
3 Forceps, Tongue, St. Luke's.

- 1 dozen Glasses, Cupping, sets of 3 sizes.
1 dozen Glasses, Cupping, w. rubber bulbs.

- 4 dozen bott. Horsehair, prep. (Lee, No. 2030).
6 Irrigators, Glass (Kny, 19697), 2,000 Gm., grad.

- 8 Irrigating Bottles (Kny, 17052), 3 gall., to fit stands.

- 12 Irrigating Stopcocks (Kny, 17131).
3 dozen Jars, Cylinder (Kny, 18112), 4" x 4".

- 2 dozen Jars, Cylinder (Kny, 18112), 5" x 5".
12 Jury Masts, like sample, sizes to order.

- 200 tub. Kangaroo Tendons, 4 in each, in albumen, in flame-sealed tubes, like sample.

- 12 Kettles, Croup, (sample).
4 Kettles, Fish, Agate, L. & Q., 16".

- 4 Kettles, Fish, Agate, L. & Q., 18".
2 dozen Knives, Plaster, IXL (sample).

- 2 dozen Knives, Shoe (sample).
6 Lactometers w. Thermometer (sample).

- 2 dozen Measuring Tapes, Linen, double scale, (Kny, 19241).
1 dozen Measuring Tapes, Steel, double scale (Kny, 19243).

- 2 dozen Mirrors, Throat, best, sizes 0 to 5, each w. handle.
6 Mirrors, Head, w. Band, Rosworth's.

- 3 dozen Needles, Cervix, assorted.
12 dozen Needles, Eye, assorted, to be selected.

- 1 dozen Needles, Glover's, assorted.
1 dozen Needles, Pease's, each 3 needles, w. detach. handle.

- 3 dozen Needles, Post Mortem.
4 Needles, Reverdin's.

- 4 Needle Holders, Bull's (sample).
4 Needle Holders, Russian (sample).

- 4 Needle Holders, Sims' (sample).
8 Oil Stones (sample).

- 12 Retractors, Lange's 10" or equivalent form.
3 dozen Sponges, Alb. Smith, any of 7 sizes.

- 3 dozen Sponges, Hodge, any of 5 sizes.
3 dozen Sponges, Wylie, any of 5 sizes.

- 12 Rules, Folding, inch and meter (sample).
2 Sayre's Suspension Apparatus, no tripod.

- 2 Sayre's Suspension Apparatus, tripod only.
2 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat. pg. 353, No. 379).

- 1 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat., pg. 353, No. 380).
1 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat., pg. 353, No. 382).

- 8 yards Shellac Board (see sample).
4 Sounds, Simpson's Grad. Uterine.

- 3 dozen Sounds, Steel, Urethral, best, plated, assort. sizes (sample).
2 sets Sounds, Steel, Urethral, best, double curve, case of 6.

- 6 Specula, Vag., Brewer's Bivalve.
3 dozen Specula, Vag., Ferguson's, assort.

- 3 Splints, Lewis, Femur, adult.
3 Splints, Lewis, Radius, adult.

- 3 Splints, Lewis, Tibia and Fibula, adult.
3 Splints, Lewis, Posterior Elbow, adult.

- 3 Splints, Volkman's (Sliding Foot Rest).
2 dozen Sponge Holders, Wylie's (sample).

- 12 dozen Spools Glass, "sample 922."
12 dozen Spools Glass, "sample 923."

- 6 dozen Spools Glass, Kelly's solid, "sample 924."
1 dozen Spoons, Volkman's, var. sizes.

- 6 Steel Porcelain Bowls, 15" (Kny, 17437).
6 Steel Porcelain Bowls, 17½" (Kny, 17437).

- 6 Steel Porcelain Foot Tubs (Kny, 18407).
6 Steel Porcelain Hot Water Cans (Kny, 18505).

- 12 Steel Porcelain Trays, 10½ x 12½ (Kny, 17820).
12 Steel Porcelain Trays, 12½ x 14½ (Kny, 17820).

- 6 Steel Porcelain Trays, 16½ x 18½ (Kny, 17820).
2 Sterilizers, Arnold's, oval, copper, Hosp'l size.

- 3 Sterilizers, Brown's, f. Catgut "pressure."
4 Stockings, Elastic (sample), fitted to order.

- 3 dozen Stop-cocks, H. R. (sample).
12 dozen Straps and Buckles (sample).

- 6 Strops, Razor, Reppenhausen's No. 17.
3 each, Syringes, H. R.—Kny, 19145, ¾, 1, 1½, 2, 3, 4 oz.

- 3 each, H. R. Pipes for above, Kny, 19160, D, F, K.
4 Syringes, Eye, Ear and Ulcer (sample).

- 40 dozen Tin Strips, like sample.
4 Thomas-Zeiss Hemocytometers, complete.

- 4 Red Corpuscle Pipettes for preceding.
4 White Corpuscle Pipettes for preceding.

- 4 Micrometers for Pipettes.
4 Tongue Depressors, J. R. & Co.'s hinged (sample).

- 4 Tonsilotomes, Mathieu's best, any size.

More or less.

- 12 Trachea Tubes (Double Canulas), h. rubb., any size.

- 6 Trachea Tubes (Double Canulas), silver, any size.

- 4 Transfusion Apparatus (f. saline transf. (sample)).

- 12 Trays, Glass (Kny, 17786), 7 x 12.

- 4 Trays, Glass (Kny, 17786), 9½ x 13½.

- 6 Trophines, Gault's, sizes: ½ or ¾, 1", 1½", 2, 3"

- 12 Trusses, ordin. single, like sample, to be fitted.

- 24 Tubes, Capillary, f. Hemoglobinometer, various.

- 6 dozen Tubes, Sterilizing (Kny, 19890).

- 6 dozen Tubes, Sterilizing, Markoe's (Kny, 19830).

- 1 dozen Urinals, Male, w. strap to fit (Goodyear No. 6).

- 2 Water Baths, complete (Kny, 19902).
3 Copper Steam Baths (sample).

- 500 feet Weather Strips, Roebuck's, sample.
75 ounces Wire, Pure Silver, sizes by Stubbs' scale.

- 2 dozen each Carbutt's X Ray Dry Photo. Plates. Sizes: 8 x 10, 11 x 14, 14 x 17, 16 x 20.

- 18 Erlenmeyer Flasks, ½ gall., wide m., E. & A. 632, together with two perfect corks (1½" thick) for each.

- 6 Condensers, glass, Allihn's, 12", E. & A., 6039, but with wide inlet and outlet.

- 4 sets (of 12 each) Cork Boreers, E. & A., 6053.

- N. B.—It is to be understood that prices given for a dozen of any article should be valid also for smaller quantities.

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First Avenue, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

The quality of the Hospital Supplies must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his 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 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 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.

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

Dated New York, January 11, 1898.
JOHN W. KELLER, President,
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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 614.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING AND EXTENDING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
NEW YORK, January 11, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR RYE STRAW. SEALED bids or estimates for furnishing Rye Straw during the year 1898, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, January 24, 1898.

RYE STRAW.

All rye straw to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1898.
205,000 pounds long, bright rye straw, weight and tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Rye Straw," 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, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1898,

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

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

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

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

CLASS I.—EXTENDING AND REPAIRING PIER.

(a) EXTENDING PIER.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 21,122 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 100,658 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 8,820 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 9" x 12", about 144 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 10", about 1,167 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 16", about 576 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 15", about 1,190 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,095 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 94 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 59,933 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 8", about 380 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 14", about 359 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 12", about 3,164 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 4,134 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 10", about 185 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 20,710 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 10", about 24,188 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 6", about 50 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 291,687 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks and Ferries to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions, with the exceptions noted in Items No. 2 and No. 5, required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified. And the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 3,664 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 2,096 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 350 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 71,600 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 282 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 5", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 8", about 3,312 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 12", about 801 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2½ x 8, about 950 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 1½ x 10", about 30 feet, B. M., measured in the work; total, about 126,491 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 1 required to do the work under this contract.

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,240 feet

specified in Item 22, required to do the work under the contract.

25. $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 26", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8" and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 6" square Wrought-iron spike pointed Dock-spikes, about 5,371 pounds.

26. $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " and $\frac{3}{4}$ " Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about 2,279 pounds.

27. Galvanized Wrought-iron Bands, Bolts, Mouth-pieces, Manhole-frames and Doors, etc., about 18,478 pounds.

28. Cast-iron Washers for $\frac{1}{2}$ " and $\frac{3}{4}$ " Screw-bolts, about 1,382 pounds.

29. Wrought-iron Washers for $\frac{3}{4}$ " bolts, about 54 pounds.

30. Labor and Material for Temporary Centres for Sewer-boxes.

31. Labor of every description for 682 linear feet of Oval Sewer.

(c) REPAIRING PIER.

32. Removing about 12,060 square feet of Deck and Sheathing, together with the Pumping Board and Ramp, Backing-logs, any Decayed or Broken Fenders, Checks, Riggers, Side-caps, Cross-caps, all the Oak Fenders, all the Fender-piles, etc., and the Mooring-posts and Corner Plates, etc.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

33. Yellow Pine Timber, 12 " x 12 ", about 33,384 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8 " x 8 ", about 2,656 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6 " x 12 ", about 720 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5 " x 10 ", about 1,975 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4 " x 10 ", about 40,054 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3 " x 10 ", about 36,215 feet, B. M., measured in the work—total about 115,004 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks and Ferries to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the Contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front, south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified, and the Contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

34. Yellow Pine Timber, 5 " x 12 ", about 3,330 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2 " x 4 ", about 1,907 feet, B. M., measured in the work—total, about 5,237 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 27 required to do the work under this contract.

35. White Oak Timber, 8 " x 12 ", about 3,920 feet B. M., measured in the work.

36. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles, 24.

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 33, 34, and 35 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

37. $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 20", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 20", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10" and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8" Square, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and Nuts, about 7,207 pounds.

38. $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " and $\frac{3}{4}$ " Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, and Lag-screws, about 3,439 pounds.

39. Wrought-iron Washers for $\frac{1}{2}$ " and $\frac{3}{4}$ " Screw-bolts and Lag-screws, about 205 pounds.

40. Cast-iron Washers for $\frac{1}{2}$ " and $\frac{3}{4}$ " Screw bolts, about 552 pounds.

41. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about 900 pounds each, 6.

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

CLASS II.—RIP-RAP.

43. Rip-rap stone furnished and put in place over the whole area of the extension, about 36,000 cubic yards.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans herein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for each class of 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.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer in Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of 150 days after the date of service of said notification; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in Class I., and a price per cubic yard for Class II., in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in both of the classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact, also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to, any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Common

Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New York, January 6, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: 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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, January 6, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 18, 1898, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL.

No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, CORN AND BRAN.

The works must be bid for separately.

No. 1.—ABOVE MENTIONED.

425 tons of Furnace or Broken Coal.

475 tons of Pea Coal.

To be delivered at such times, in such quantities and at such places in the parks of the Borough of Manhattan as may be required.

Bidders must state the kind of coal they propose to furnish.

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 2.—ABOVE MENTIONED.

180,000 pounds of Hay of the quality known as prime sweet Timothy.

120,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.

8,000 pounds of clean Rye Straw.

7,500 bushels of clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats.

75 bags of first quality ground Oats to weigh not less than 65 pounds to the bag.

4,000 pounds of clean, sound No. 2 Yellow Corn.

12,000 pounds of first quality Bran, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required at the points on the Central Park designated in the contract.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

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 Municipal Assembly, 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The Park Board 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 re-advertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received, but the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidders.

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

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,

AUGUST MOEBUS,

GEORGE V. BROWER,

Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 346 BROADWAY.

PUBLIC SALE OF CERTAIN PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following personal property of the Department of Street Cleaning will be sold at public auction in the yard of said Department, on the south side of West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Monday the 17th day of January, 1898, at ten o'clock A. M., viz:

About four (4) loads of brick of various sorts.

JAMES McCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, New York Life Building, No. 346 BROADWAY.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, COARSE SALT, ROCK SALT, OILMEAL, AND PINE-NEEDLE BEDDING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to which they relate, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, the nineteenth day of January, 1898, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of:

905,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Prime Hay.

235,000 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.

1,025,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

80,000 pounds first quality Bran.
3,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.
8,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt.
2,500 pounds first quality Oil Meal.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five days from the date of the receipt of notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will re-advertise and relet the work, and so on till the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, the names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or a guarantee or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, who shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; 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 sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all the bids, if, in his judgment, it is deemed best for the interest of the City. 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.

Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said city, for Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), or money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid, the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected.

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

JAMES McCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated New York, January 7, 1898.

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, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES McCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment, viz:

FIRST WARD.

MORRIS STREET—SEWER, between Greenwich street and Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris street, between Greenwich street and Broadway, and west side of Broadway, extending about 71 feet 4 inches north of Morris street.

FIRST, SECOND, FOURTH AND SEVENTH WARDS.

FRONT STREET—PAVING, between Whitehall and Roosevelt street, and from Montgomery street to a point about 200 feet east of Corlears street, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Front street, between Whitehall and Roosevelt streets, and both sides of Front street, between Montgomery street and Jack-on slip, also to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

FOURTH WARD.

ROOSEVELT STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Cherry and South streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Roosevelt street, between Cherry and South streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

FOURTH AND SEVENTH WARDS.

CATHARINE STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Cherry and South streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Catharine street, between Cherry and South streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

FIFTH WARD.

JAY STREET—CROSSWALKS, at the westerly side of Staple street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jay street and the west side of Staple street, to the extent of half the blocks, beginning at the westerly intersection of said streets.

SEVENTH WARD.

GOVERNOR SLIP—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS between Water and South streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Governor Slip, between Water and South streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

RUTGERS SLIP—BASIN, on the northwest corner of South street. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 14 to 35, inclusive, on Block No. 248.

SOUTH STREET—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Rutgers Slip. Area of assessment: East side of Rutgers Slip, between South and Water streets, and north side of South street, extending about 15 feet east of Rutgers Slip, on Lots Nos. 1 to 5, and 23 to 27 of Block No. 247.

SOUTH STREET—BASIN, on the northwest corner of Market Slip. Area of assessment: West side of Market Slip, between Water and South streets, on Lots Nos. 15, 18, 19, 20 and 21 of Block 250.

ELEVENTH WARD.

HOUSTON STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Lewis and Mangin streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Houston street, between Lewis and Mangin streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

TWELFTH WARD.
BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and Dyckman streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Boulevard Lafayette, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and Dyckman street, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

CATHEDRAL PARKWAY—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Rivers de avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Cathedral Parkway, from corner of Riverside avenue to a point about 170 feet east therefrom.

CATHEDRAL PARKWAY—BASIN, on the northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Cathedral Parkway, extending about 450 feet west of Amsterdam avenue; south side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, extending about 320 feet west of Amsterdam avenue, and west side of Amsterdam avenue, from Cathedral Parkway to One Hundred and Eleventh street.

COLUMBUS AVENUE, CROSSWALKS, at north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Columbus avenue to the extent of half the blocks north of the northeast and northwest corners of Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street; also north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, to the extent of half the blocks each side of Amsterdam avenue.

HAWTHORNE STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Seaman and Amsterdam avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hawthorne street, between Seaman and Amsterdam avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—SEWERS, both sides, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lexington avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, also the block bounded by Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, Park and Lexington avenues.

MORNINGSIDE AVENUE, EAST—FENCING VACANT LOTS, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets. Area of assessment: East side of Morningside avenue, East, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS PLACE—CROSSWALKS, at the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place to the extent of half the blocks north and south of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place; and to the extent of half the blocks west of St. Nicholas avenue, on both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street.

EIGHTY-NINTH STREET—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Riverside avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Eighty-ninth street, between West End and Riverside avenues, and west side of West End avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets.

NINETY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, from the Boulevard to West End avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, between the Boulevard and West End avenue, to the extent of half the blocks on the Boulevard and West End avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING at the northeast corner of Madison avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Eighth street for the distance of about 150 feet east of Madison avenue, and east side of Madison avenue for the distance of about 51 feet north of One Hundred and Eighth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—CROSSWALKS, at the west side of Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, to the extent of half the block west of Seventh avenue; also, west side of Seventh avenue for the distance of half the block, north and south of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, on the north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Lots 11 and 12 of Block 209.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER, south side, between Edgecombe and St. Nicholas avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between Edgecombe and St. Nicholas avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET—CROSSWALKS, at Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues, also CROSSWALK at One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Western Boulevard. Area of assessment: To the extent of half the blocks, east and west, from the intersections of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street with Edgecombe, Bradhurst and Convent avenues, also to the extent of half the blocks from the westerly intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Western Boulevard.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Hudson river and Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Hudson river; also west side of Boulevard for a distance of about 100 feet north and south of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—IMPROVEMENT BY THE ERECTION OF A VIADUCT, from St. Nicholas place to Macomb's Dam Bridge. Area of assessment includes 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: Manhattan street, from Hudson river to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Seventh avenue; Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to the East river, being the southerly boundary of the area; on the north by Dyckman street, from Hudson to the Harlem river; on the east by the Harlem river, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Dyckman street; on the west by the Hudson river, from Manhattan to Dyckman street, including the lots on both sides of the bounding streets and avenues.

FOURTEENTH WARD
BAXTER STREET—BASIN, on the southeast corner of Grand street. Area of assessment: South side of Grand street between Baxter and Mulberry streets.

NINETEENTH WARD
FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets, on Lot Nos. 69 to 72 of Block 1492; on Lot Nos. 1 to 4 of Block 1494; on Lot Nos. 4, 6 and 72 of Block 1495; on Lot Nos. 73 and 74 of Block 1496; on Lot No. 1 of Block 1497.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, southeast corner of Fifth avenue. Area of assessment: Includes the lots on the southeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Fifth avenue to the extent of about 100 feet on both street and avenue.

FOURTH AVENUE—SEWER, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fourth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD
BOULEVARD—PAVING, between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets. Area of assessment: Triangle, bounded by Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

COLUMBUS AVENUE—CROSSWALKS, at Seventieth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Columbus avenue, to the extent of half the blocks north and south of Seventieth street, and both sides of Seventieth street, to the extent of half the blocks east and west of Columbus avenue.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, on the southeast corner of Seventy-eighth

street. Area of assessment: Includes the lots on the southeast corner of Riverside Drive and Seventy-eighth street, to the extent of about 27 feet on Riverside Drive and about 130 feet on Seventy-eighth street.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD
BUNGAY STREET—SEWER OUTLET EXTENSION, from the end of the existing sewer at former Wetmore avenue to Long Island Sound. Area of assessment includes both sides of Bungay street, from Long Island Sound to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Truxton street, Dupont street, Poillon street and Arnold street, from Edgewater road to Wetmore avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Edgewater road to Robbins avenue; both sides of Edgewater road, from a point distant about 120 feet east of Arnold street to Whitlock avenue; both sides of Wetmore avenue and Randall avenue, from a point about 120 feet east of Arnold street to Wetmore avenue; both sides of Wetmore avenue, from Legget avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Whitlock avenue, from Legget avenue to Edgewater road; both sides of Austin place, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Timpon place, from St. Joseph street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Edgewater road to a point just west of Legget avenue; both sides of Fox street, from Westchester avenue to a point distant about 175 feet east of Legget avenue; both sides of Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to a point distant about 175 feet east of Legget avenue; both sides of Dawson street, from Robbins avenue to Legget avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Cauldwell avenue to Legget avenue; both sides of Beach avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; both sides of Prospect avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; both sides of Hewitt place, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Denman place; both sides of Tinton avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to Home street; both sides of Wales avenue, from the Port Morris Branch Railroad to Westchester avenue; both sides of Concord avenue, from Port Morris Branch Railroad to Kelly street; both sides of Robbins avenue, from Port Morris Branch Railroad to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; both sides of St. Joseph street, from Robbins avenue to Bungay street; both sides of Crane street, from Robbins avenue to Timpon place; both sides of Dater street, from Robbins avenue to Southern Boulevard; both sides of Cauldwell avenue, from a point distant about 450 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; both sides of Trinity avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to George street; both sides of Jackson avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Boston road; both sides of Forest avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Union avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Prospect avenue, from Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Westchester avenue, from Trinity to Prospect avenue; both sides of Cedar place, from Cauldwell to Westchester avenue; both sides of Denman place, from Cauldwell avenue to Prospect avenue; both sides of Clifton street, from Cauldwell to Union avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Cauldwell to Prospect avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Trinity to Prospect avenue; both sides of Teasdale place, from Cauldwell to Trinity avenue; both sides of George street, from Boston road to Tinton avenue, and both sides of Home street, from Boston road to Tinton avenue.

COLLEGE AVENUE—SEWER, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets. Area of assessment includes both sides of College avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between College and Courthand avenues.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, from Willis avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Willis avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets and avenues.

TRINITY AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Trinity avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, also, PAVING THE TRIANGULAR SPACE at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard, Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street from the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, between Third and Rider avenues. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Third and Rider avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue, to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Teller and Morris avenues. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Teller and Morris avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—BASINS, on the northwest and southeast corners of Tinton avenue; also, BASINS on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Webster avenue and on the northwest corner of Clark place and Jerome avenue. Area of assessment includes the north side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston road to Tinton avenue; east side of Tinton avenue, from Home street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; east side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Park to Webster avenue; west side of Jerome avenue and Macomb's Dam road, from Clark place to One Hundred and Seventieth street.

RAINBRIDGE AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway. Area of assessment includes both sides of Rainbridge avenue from Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting streets.

GILES STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Sedgwick and Boston avenues. Area of assessment includes both sides of Giles street, between Sedgwick and Boston avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

JEROME AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets. Area of assessment includes west side of Jerome avenue, extending about 415 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Davidson avenue; east side of Jerome avenue, extending about 306 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and north side of One Hundred and

Seventy-seventh street, extending about 314 feet east of Jerome avenue; block bounded by Jerome avenue, Davidson avenue, Hampden street and Evelyn place, and east side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Fleetwood avenue.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, and the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and the south side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Washington and Bathgate avenues.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—BASINS, on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to Samuel street, and the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Washington and Bathgate avenues. —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on December 15, 1897, and entered the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon or before February 13, 1898, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1897.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

UNION AVENUE, from the north side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Boston road; confirmed November 15, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes 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 Jefferson street and the southerly side of Jefferson street produced from a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; on the east by the westerly side of Prospect avenue, from the northerly boundary of area of assessment to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; and on the west by the easterly side of Tinton avenue, from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to the westerly side of Clinton avenue; thence by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of Jefferson street.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

FRANKLIN AVENUE, from Third avenue to Crotona Park; confirmed October 11, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Crotona Park, South, and said Crotona Park, South, produced and distant 400 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the south by East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence along Boston road to its intersection with Prospect avenue; thence along Prospect avenue to its intersection with Crotona Park, South; thence along a line drawn at right angles to Crotona Park, South, to the northern boundary of area of assessment; and on the west by Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-first street to Spring place or East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence along a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southern boundary of area of assessment.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon or before February 28, 1898, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 5, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by section 892 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the

Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the first day of May, 1898.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected; in the Borough of Manhattan at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and in the Borough of the Bronx, at the Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

THOMAS L. FEITNER,
 EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
 THOMAS J. PATTERSON,
 WILLIAM F. GRELL,
 ARTHUR C. SALMON,
 Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1897, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Scherhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of each week, at 3 o'clock p. m., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.
 DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
 LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 17, 1898, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 31st day of January, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of February, 1898, 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, January 15, 1898.
 ROLLIN M. MORGAN,
 ELISHA K. CAMP,
 JOSEPH D. CREMIN,
 Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Thomas F. Gilroy, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the laws amendatory thereof, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of acquiring real estate under said acts.

CORNELL DAM, FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING (CROTON FALLS).

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of John Quinn, Moses W. Taylor and Arnell F. Dickinson (who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by two orders of this Court, made at a Special Term thereof, held at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on December 21, 1894, and February 9, 1895, respectively), dated December 23, 1897, was filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office December 24, 1897.

The report consists of Parcels Nos. 1 to 16 inclusive, as shown on the map, and a stipulated parcel, as shown in a supplemental map; also Parcels Nos. 6 and 7 on the Katorah map, and submitted by stipulation; and of claims for contiguous damages.

Notice is further given that an application will be made to confirm the said report at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, on the 5th day of February, 1898, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated New York, December 30, 1897.
 FRANCIS M. SCOTT,
 Counsel to the Corporation,
 No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF SIXTH STREET, between Avenues B and C, in the Eleventh Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amend-

atory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 13, 1898, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 25th day of January, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1898, 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, January 12, 1898.
VERNON M. DAVIS,
WILLIAM H. BURKE,
FREDERIC A. TANNER,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northernly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southernly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue, in said city," and the various statutes amendatory thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 413 OF THE LAWS OF 1892, ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A DRAWBRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE PRESENT BRIDGE AT THIRD AVENUE IN SAID CITY," AND THE VARIOUS STATUTES AMENDATORY THEREOF, AND ALL OTHER STATUTES IN SUCH CASE MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD IN PART III, THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 20TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1898, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situate, lying and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northernly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southernly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892 and the various statutes amendatory thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided, the consent and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York to such acquisition having been first had and obtained, and the Commissioner of Public Works deeming it necessary that the same should be acquired for the aforesaid purpose, being the following lots, pieces or parcels of land, and bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Lexington avenue distant 44 feet northernly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street with the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and running thence easterly parallel to said northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 360 feet; thence northernly parallel with the westerly side of Third avenue 38 feet; thence southwesterly 54.63 feet; thence westerly parallel to the first-mentioned course and distant therefrom 16 feet 310 feet to the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and thence southerly along the said easterly line of Lexington avenue 16 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Lexington avenue with the northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and running thence northernly along said westerly line of Lexington avenue 60 feet; thence westerly parallel with said northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and distant therefrom 60 feet 405 feet to the easterly line of Park avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Park avenue 60 feet to the northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and thence easterly along said northernly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 405 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on a certain map entitled "Map of lands required for the widening of the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over Harlem river, chapter 413, Laws of 1892; chapter 716, Laws of 1896; chapter 660, Laws of 1897," which said map was duly approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York by resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of October, 1897, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 22, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, between First and Second avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888, AND THE VARIOUS STATUTES AMENDATORY THEREOF, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD IN PART III, THEREOF, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1898, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

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

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

Beginning at a point in the northernly line of Eighty-second street distant 100 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northernly line of Eighty-second street and the easterly line of Second avenue; running thence easterly along the northernly line of Eighty-second street 150 feet; thence northernly parallel with Second avenue 102 feet 2 inches to the center line of the block; thence westerly parallel with Eighty-second street and along said center line 150 feet; thence southerly parallel with Second avenue 102 feet 2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands in the block bounded by MOTT, BAYARD, MULBERRY AND CANAL STREETS, in the Sixth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 7, 1898, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 20th day of January, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1898, 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, January 6, 1898.
JAMES R. TORRANCE,
JOHN LARKIN,
PHILIP F. OLWELL,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park or playground, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 OF THE LAWS OF 1887, CHAPTER 293 OF THE LAWS OF 1895 AND CHAPTER 676 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD IN PART III, THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1898, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, said property having been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park or playground, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:
Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Stanton and Essex streets; thence northernly along the easterly line of Essex street, distance 298 feet 3 3/4 inches; thence easterly and parallel with Houston street, distance 175 feet 6 1/4 inches; thence northernly and nearly parallel to Norfolk street, distance 100 feet, to the southerly line of Houston street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 2 1/2 inches, to the southwesterly corner of Houston and Norfolk streets; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Norfolk street, distance 398 feet 2 1/2 inches, to the northernly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 47 feet 6 inches; thence northernly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches; thence westerly and parallel to Stanton street, distance 80 feet and 1/2 inch; thence southerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches, to the northernly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along the northernly line of Stanton street, distance 73 feet and 1/2 inch, to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles thereof, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Works, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park or playground bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement," one of which said maps is filed in the

office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks in said city.

Dated New York, December 23, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on JEROME AVENUE AND WALTON AVENUE (proposed) north of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 13, 1898, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 25th day of January, 1898, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1898, 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, January 12, 1898.
SAMUEL J. LEVY,
FERDINAND EIDMAN, JR.,
CORNELIUS DONOVAN,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH BOUILLON, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions 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, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD IN PART III, THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON FRIDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF JANUARY, 1898, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, said property having been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-third street, and thence (1) running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty-third street for a distance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence (2) running southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the northernly line of West Fifty-second street; thence (3) running easterly along said northernly line of West Fifty-second street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northernly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of 200 feet 10 inches to the place or point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street, and thence (1) running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street for a distance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence (2) running southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the northernly line of West Fifty-third street; thence (3) running easterly along said northernly line of West Fifty-third street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northernly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the place or point of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Parks, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park west of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York," one of which said maps is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks in said city.

The said Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, has determined that the proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park to be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park shall be twenty-five per cent., or one-quarter of such expense; and said Board has also determined that the area within which such expense shall be so assessed shall be as follows: On the north by Fifty-sixth street; on the south by Forty-eighth street; on the east by Ninth avenue, and on the west by Twelfth avenue.

Dated New York, December 24, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF KING STREET, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888, AND THE VARIOUS STATUTES AMENDATORY THEREOF, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD IN PART III, THEREOF, AT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1898, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northernly side of King street, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point in the northernly line of King street distant 150 feet 2 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northernly line of King street and the westerly line of Congress street; running thence northernly parallel with Congress street 100 feet; thence westerly parallel with King street 25 feet to the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8; thence southerly parallel with Congress street and along the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8, 100 feet to the northernly line of King street; thence easterly along the northernly line of King street, 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 15th day of October, 1897, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 4th day of November, 1897, Commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of ascertaining and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, as and for a public park in the Twenty-third ward of the City of New York, and proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not now owned or the title to which is not vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated for said public park by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, namely: On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell avenue as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of that point by the northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek and the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the lands now or formerly belonging to the West Side and Yonkers Railroad or Railway Company; thence running easterly and bounded by the lands of said company to Sedgwick avenue; thence again running easterly across Sedgwick avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street or the passageway leading from Sedgwick avenue to Summit avenue; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street or said passageway to the westerly line of Summit avenue; thence running southwesterly along the westerly line of Summit avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the westerly line of Ogden avenue; thence again running southerly in a straight line to the southeasterly corner of Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, the point or place of beginning, including all the lands within said bounds, excepting and reserving therefrom all public streets, avenues or places now laid out across or over any part of said land and shown on the official field maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

All parties and persons, owners, lessees or other persons interested in the real estate above described and to be taken for the purposes of said public park, or any part thereof, or affected by the proceedings had under or authorized by said act, chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof in support thereof as said owner or claimant may desire, within sixty days after the date of this notice (November 8, 1897), at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1898, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

And at such time and place, or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear the proofs and allegations of any owner, lessee or other person in any way entitled to or interested in such real estate, or any part or parcel thereof, and also such proofs and allegations as may be then offered on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, November 8, 1897.
CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioners.

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