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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, May 28, 1896. Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR - I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of the Board of Health of the Health Department of the City of New York for the quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Very respectfully,
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, April 1, 1896.

WORK PERFORMED BY THE SANITARY BUREAU

During the Quarter Ending March 31, 1896.

The following is a summary of the operations of the Sanitary Bureau, which is charged with the duty of inspecting and reporting, in proper form, all nuisances or causes of danger to the public health, with the execution of the orders of the Board, and with the care of contagious diseases.

The number of inspections and reinspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police was 224,273, classified as follows:

By the Sanitary Inspectors.....	34,599	By the Division of Contagious Diseases.....	28,029
By the Sanitary Police Inspectors.....	74,766	By the Division of Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.....	3,507
By the Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	83,372	Total.....	224,273

The number of complaints returned was 15,084, classified as follows:

By the Sanitary Inspectors.....	9,078	By the Division of Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.....	150
By the Sanitary Police Inspectors.....	5,682	Total.....	15,084
By the Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	174		

The number of complaints received from citizens was 5,889, all of which were referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

The Sanitary Superintendent, during the same period, under instructions and authority of the Board, granted 301 permits to discharge cargoes, under proper vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port; 210 permits to scavengers to empty privies; 7 permits to land rags (in bulk), under bonds, and 568 miscellaneous permits under the Sanitary Code.

The following is a summary of the work performed by the Sanitary Inspectors: Number of inspections and reinspections made, 34,599; number of complaints made, 9,078.

The following premises and locations have been inspected and reported upon by the Sanitary Inspectors, a summary of which is as follows:

Summary of Inspections.

NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Cause.	No Cause.	Total.
Tenement-houses.....	12,178		12,178
Lodging-houses.....	1,612		1,612
Private dwellings.....	983		983
Other dwellings.....	778		778
Public buildings.....	4		4
Other buildings.....	205		205
Manufactories and workshops.....	366		366
Stores and warehouses.....	3,520		3,520
Stables.....	271		271
Sunken and vacant lots.....	449		449
Public highways.....	31		31
Receiving-basins and public sewers.....	14		14
Dumps and dumping grounds.....	11		11

The following is a summary of reports made by the Sanitary Inspectors, with the result of inspections:

NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Cause.	No Cause.	Total.
Plumbing.....	3,436	300	3,736
Draining.....	1,533	304	1,837
Ventilation.....	394	93	487
Light.....	602	39	641
Overcrowding.....	1	1	2
Dangerous structures.....	36	9	45
Stables.....	91	29	120
Manure vaults.....	7	1	8
Public highways.....	2	1	3
Repairs.....	2,341	213	2,554
Cellars and basements.....	373	143	516
Privies and water-closets.....	2,268	255	2,523
Cesspools.....	54	16	70
Chimneys.....	54	10	64
Croton water.....	130	22	152

NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Cause.	No Cause.	Total.
Cows, etc.....	18	3	21
Fowls.....	42	12	54
Filth.....	3,037	290	3,327
Sunken and vacant lots.....	161	56	217
Sewers and receiving-basins.....	3	3	6
Ash receptacles.....	178	82	260
Dangerous buildings.....	1	1	2
Wells.....	5	1	6
Janitors.....	16	1	17
Croton-mains.....	1	1	2
Noise.....	1	1	2
Fire-hydrants.....	2	1	3
Total.....	14,981	1,881	16,862

NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Cause.	No Cause.	Total.
Number of inspections and reinspections.....	34,599		34,599
Number of inspections on—			
Complaints and reports forwarded for Board's orders.....	8,121		8,121
Complaints and reports forwarded to Sanitary Superintendent.....	957		957
Complaints, negative reports.....	2,276		2,276
Miscellaneous.....	9,142		9,142
Total.....	20,496		20,496
Number of reinspections on—			
Orders forwarded.....	12,639		12,639
Miscellaneous.....	1,404		1,404
Total.....	14,103		14,103
Number of visits to Court.....	145		145
“ visits to Department.....	1,357		1,357
“ Inspectors (weekly average).....	40		40

Two Inspectors devote their entire time to inspection of lodging-houses.

The following is a summary of the work performed by the corps having charge of foods and chemicals:

Inspections made.....	83,372
Analyses made.....	679
Citizens' complaints received.....	459
Citizens' complaints held over since last report.....	35
Complaints made and returned to Sanitary Superintendent.....	174
Original complaints by Inspectors.....	117
Citizens' complaints returned for orders.....	57
Citizens' complaints returned as negative.....	409
Citizens' complaints under observation.....	28
Days at Court or Department.....	1,167
Arrests made.....	65
Held on bail.....	60
Trials at Special and General Sessions.....	136
Orders received.....	269
Orders complied with.....	215
Orders not complied with.....	63
Pounds of milk, fruit and foods, meat and fish, condemned and seized.....	853,880

Milk Inspections.

Inspections made.....	18,749
Specimens examined.....	19,962

Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
Drugs.....	300	Pineapples.....	395
Egg plant.....	1,750	Potatoes.....	7,100
Figs.....	310	Plums.....	50
Grape fruit.....	5,300	Pears.....	1,450
Grapes.....	9,450	Quinces.....	450
Green peas.....	200	Spinach.....	500
Lettuce.....	1,050	Squash.....	1,900
Lemons.....	5,550	Tomatoes.....	3,625
Olives.....	50	Vegetables.....	3,735
Oranges.....	121,885		
Onions.....	1,700	Total.....	461,725

Pounds of fruit condemned.....	411,410
“ vegetables condemned.....	46,010
“ canned goods condemned.....	3,895
“ groceries condemned.....	110
“ drugs condemned.....	300
Total.....	461,725

Meat and Fish Inspections.

Inspections made.....	21,114
Citizens' complaints received.....	42
Citizens' complaints returned as negative.....	42
Citizens' complaints under observation.....	5
Permits issued.....	471
Days at Court or Department.....	127
Nights of special work.....	5
Trials at Special or General Sessions.....	39
Fines collected at Court.....	\$20 00
Pounds of meat and fish condemned.....	392,059

Condemned and Seized.

Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
Beef.....	30,785	Poultry.....	34,650
Veal.....	117,251	Game.....	8,700
Sheep.....	33,590	Fish.....	64,450
Hogs.....	92,668		
Assorted meats.....	9,965	Total.....	392,059

Carcasses Condemned and Seized.

Pounds.	Pounds.
Beef.....	59 3/4
Veal.....	2,210 1/2
Sheep.....	343
Hogs.....	746
Total.....	3,367 3/4

Inspections made of fish stores.....	1,904
“ stands.....	2,294
“ licensed vendors.....	3,420
“ commission houses.....	6,679
“ butcher shops.....	1,440
“ slaughter-houses.....	2,561
“ packing-houses.....	143
“ ice-houses.....	1,150
“ vessels.....	503
“ railroad depots.....	145
“ stock yards.....	531
“ markets.....	344
Total.....	21,114

Work Performed by Assistant Chemists.

Analyses made.....	487
Experimental analyses made.....	192
Lactometers tested.....	13
Thermometers tested.....	8
Days at Court or Department.....	259
Nights of special work.....	3

Summary of Analyses Made.

Ammonia.....	1	Experimental analyses.....	192
Beef.....	1	Fur boa.....	1
Bread.....	1	Garbage.....	1
Candy.....	4	Ice.....	4
Cream.....	30	Icing.....	1
Coffee.....	1	Liquid.....	1
Chocolate.....	1	Meat.....	1
Colors.....	2		

THE FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF THE WORK PERFORMED BY THE SANITARY POLICE:

Inspections and reinspections made.....	74,766
Complaints made and forwarded to the Sanitary Superintendent.....	5,432
Complaints made and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors.....	1,943
Complaints made on complaints of citizens and forwarded to the Sanitary Superintendent.....	155
Complaints made on overcrowding.....	95

Citizens' Complaints.

Under investigation date of last report.....	1
Received from Sanitary Superintendent.....	538
Returned to Sanitary Superintendent, complaints made and forwarded.....	155
Returned to Sanitary Superintendent, no cause for complaint.....	171
Returned to Sanitary Superintendent, nuisance abated.....	213

Communications.

Received from Sanitary Superintendent for examination and report.....	5
Returned to Sanitary Superintendent with report of examination made.....	4
Under investigation.....	1

Orders for Reinspection.

Held for reinspection date of last report.....	127
Attorney's received from Sanitary Superintendent.....	5,011
Attorney's returned to Sanitary Superintendent complied with.....	3,019
Attorney's returned to Sanitary Superintendent not complied with.....	2,275
Orders received from Sanitary Superintendent.....	10,413
Orders returned to Sanitary Superintendent complied with.....	5,044
Orders returned to Sanitary Superintendent not complied with.....	3,975
Held for reinspection, or while work is progressing.....	1,084

Work Performed in the Inspection of Offensive Trades.

Inspections made.....	6,056
Citizens' complaints received.....	296
Original complaints by Inspectors.....	8
Citizens' complaints returned for orders.....	42
Citizens' complaints returned as negative.....	260
Citizens' complaints under observation.....	14
Days at Court or Department.....	151
Nights of special work.....	14

The reports received from the Inspectors of Offensive Trades, classified as to cause of complaint, are:

Bakeries.....	45	Hospitals.....	9
Blacksmith shops.....	12	Hotels.....	14
Bone yards.....	35	Ice manufactories.....	11
Box factories.....	12	Kindling wood factories.....	20
Breweries.....	90	Laundries.....	21
Butcher shops.....	15	Lime kilns.....	12
Cabinet manufactories.....	2	Liquor stores.....	2
Cigar manufactories.....	27	Music halls.....	7
Clothing manufactories.....	7	Oil docks.....	345
Clothes cleaning establishments.....	1	Packing-houses.....	9
Carpet cleaning establishments.....	4	Private dwellings.....	258
Chemical works.....	1	Printing houses.....	29
Carpenter shop.....	1	Provision houses.....	9
Cartie yards.....	566	Piers.....	20
Coal yard.....	1	Public baths.....	3
Cellars.....	15	Restaurants.....	16
Dumps (garbage).....	3	Rag shops.....	15
Dynamos.....	11	Round-houses.....	6
Dye-works.....	2	Railroads (elevated).....	2
Drug stores.....	3	Railroad (depot).....	1
Excavations.....	123	Slaughter-houses (cattle).....	1,658
Fat-rendering establishments.....	258	Smoke-houses.....	62
Foundries.....	15	Saw mills.....	76
Fur stores.....	11	Soap manufactories.....	3
Factories.....	366	Stores.....	113
Fires.....	10	Streets.....	42
Furniture factories.....	36	Schools.....	5
Fertilizer factories.....	151	Smelting-works.....	2
Gas engines.....	8	Sewers.....	193
Gas houses.....	170	Silk mill.....	1
Gas leaks in mains.....	63	Steam engines (stationary).....	14
Gas leaks in houses.....	9	Stables.....	44
Gas holders.....	16	Stone yards.....	8
Gas trenches.....	7	Steam heating pipes.....	15
Grocery store.....	1	Steam exhaust pipes.....	98
Gut cleaning establishments.....	15	Tenement-houses.....	488
Hair picking establishments.....	10	Water (Croton).....	7
Hide cellars.....	216	Water (wells).....	6
Hog yards.....	38	Water (tanks).....	2
		Wire works.....	16
		Yards.....	18
		Total.....	6,056

Nature of Complaints and Violations Reported by Sanitary Police.

Table with columns: NATURE OF COMPLAINT AND VIOLATION, Complaints made, Nuisances Abated by Personal Effort, Total. Lists various complaints like 'Air shafts filthy', 'Roofs leaking', etc.

The number of dead animals removed from the streets and the quantity of offal, etc., removed from the markets and slaughter-houses by the contractor was:

Table listing animal counts: Horses 1,928, Goats 12, Dogs from public pound 2,467, etc.

WORK PERFORMED BY THE DIVISION OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

Table listing work performed: Contagious Diseases Reported and Referred to the Inspectors, Work Performed by the Disinfecting Corps, etc.

WORK PERFORMED BY THE DIVISION OF PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY.

Table listing work performed: Work Performed by the Assistant Director of Diagnosis Laboratory, Work Performed by the Assistant Director of Hospital Laboratory, etc.

Table listing various items: Injections of horses with diphtheria toxin 200, Horses bled for diphtheria anti-toxin 57, etc.

WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.

General Statement.

Table showing hospital statistics for 1896: In Hospital Dec. 31, 1895, Admitted, Discharged, Died, etc.

REMAINING IN HOSPITAL DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Table showing remaining patients by class and nationality: Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, etc.

ADMITTED.

Table showing admitted patients by class and nationality: Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, etc.

Report by Ages of Patients.

Table showing patient distribution by age groups: Under 5 Years, 5 to 16 Years, Over 16 Years, etc.

Mortality per Centum.

Table showing mortality rates by age group: Under 5 Years, 5 to 16 Years, Over 16 Years, etc.

RECEPTION HOSPITAL.

General Statement.

Table showing reception hospital statistics for 1896: Remaining in Hospital Dec. 31, 1895, Admitted, Discharged, Transferred, Died, etc.

REMAINING IN HOSPITAL DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Table showing remaining patients by class and nationality: Measles, Scarletina, Diphtheria, etc.

ADMITTED.

Table showing admitted patients by class and nationality: Measles, Scarletina, Diphtheria, etc.

DISCHARGED.

Table showing discharged patients by class and nationality: Measles, Scarletina, Diphtheria, etc.

Table listing various items: Cubic centimetres of fluid vaccine virus prepared 579, Quill slips collected 24,008, etc.

DISCHARGED.

Table showing discharged patients by class and nationality: Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, etc.

DIED.

Table showing deaths by class and nationality: Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, etc.

RECAPITULATION OF REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1896.

Table summarizing quarterly statistics: Remaining Dec. 31, 1895, Admitted during quarter, Discharged during quarter, Died during quarter, etc.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

SMALL-POX.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

TYPHUS FEVER.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

SCARLATINA.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 4.17 per cent.

MEASLES.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 5.49 per cent.

SCARLATINA WITH DIPHTHERIA.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 18.75 per cent.

SCARLATINA WITH MEASLES.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 66.67 per cent.

SCARLATINA WITH PAROTITIS.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

RECAPITULATION OF REPORT.

Summary table with columns: REMAINING JAN. 1, 1896, ADMITTED, TOTAL TREATED, DISCHARGED, DIED, REMAINING MAR. 31, 1896. Rows: Small-pox, Typhus fever, Scarlatina, Measles, etc.

SCARLATINA WITH VARICELLA.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

MEASLES WITH DIPHTHERIA.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 37.50 per cent.

DIPHTHERIA WITH PERTUSSIS.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

LEPROSY.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

OBSERVATION.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

TOTAL PATIENTS.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 7.72 per cent.

ACCOMPANYING.

Table with columns: City, Quarantine, Public Hospitals, Other Places, Male, Female, White, Colored, Native, Foreign, Total. Rows: Rem'g Jan. 1, 1896, Admitted, Total treated, Discharged, Died, Rem'g Mar. 31, 1896.

Mortality, 0 per cent.

Average daily attendance: Patients, 39.84; help, 47.64 - total, 86.88. Number of dead bodies received, 63. Number of trips by steamboat "Franklin Edson," 136.

REPORT OF BUREAU OF RECORDS.

Table with columns: 1896, 1895, 1894, 1893, 1892. Rows: Number of deaths in the City of New York during the quarter ending March 31, Death-rate for quarter, estimated on average population for quarter.

Table with columns: Certificates Received and Tabulated, Increase over Previous Quarter, Decrease from Previous Quarter, Annual rate per 1,000, Population Estimated at 1,913,500, Burial Permits Issued, Transit Permits Issued, Coroners' Cases, Searches Made, Transcripts Issued. Rows: MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, DEATHS, STILL-BIRTHS.

*Table of Mortality from the Principal Causes of Death in the First Quarter of the Year 1896.

Table with columns: CAUSES OF DEATH, Jan, Feb, Mar, Total. Rows: Total, all causes, Cerebro-spinal Meningitis, Diphtheria, Enteric Fever, Erysipelas, Malarial Fevers, Measles, Scarlatina, Small-pox, Typhus fever, Whooping-cough, Yellow Fever, Asiatic Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Other Diarrhoeal Diseases, Other Zymotic Diseases, Cancer, Rheumatism, Phthisis, Other Constitutional Diseases, Apoplexy, Convulsions, Meningitis and Encephalitis, Other Diseases of Nervous System, Aneurism, Heart Diseases, Other Diseases of Circulatory System.

* Actual mortality.

Of the actual number of deaths during the quarter, 2,844 occurred in institutions, 6,608 in tenement-houses, 1,196 in dwelling-houses, 147 in hotels and boarding-houses, 154 in streets, rivers, boats, etc.

Actual Number of Deaths from Zymotic and Certain other Preventable Diseases, by Wards,* for Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table with columns: WARDS, POPULATION BY POLICE CENSUS, AREA IN ACRES, Cerebro spinal Meningitis, Diphtheria, Typhoid Fever, Erysipelas, Malarial Fevers, Measles, Scarlet Fever, Whooping Cough, Diarrhoeal Diseases, Rheumatism, Phthisis, Bronchitis, Croup, Pneumonia, Puerperal Diseases, Bright's Disease and Nephritis, Deaths of Children under 5 Years, All Causes, In Institutions not Redistributed, In Institutions Redistributed, Total Deaths in Institutions.

* Deaths in institutions redistributed according to residence, where residence was known. † By Chapter 934, Laws of 1895, which became a law on June 6, 1895, a portion of Westchester County, comprising 14,205.5 acres and 17,000 population, was annexed to the Twenty-fourth Ward. These numbers are to be added to the totals in the table.

Deaths by Suicide during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table with columns: NATIVITY, Cuts and Stabs, Gunshots, Hanging, Leaps, Drowning, Leap in Front of "L" Train, Throwing Herself Down Three Flights of Stairs, Suffocation by Charcoal Fumes, Illuminating Gas, Carbolic Acid, Morphine, Opium, Paris Green, Rough on Rats, Irritant Poison, Acute Poison (Unspecified), Total by Sexes, Total both Sexes. Rows: Austro-Hungary, Bohemia, British America, England, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Russia, Scotland, Switzerland, Other foreign countries, United States, Unknown.

Ages of Suicides.

Table showing ages of suicides categorized by native and foreign birth, and further by age groups (15-25, 25-45, 45-65, 65 and over) and total by sexes.

Actual Number of Deaths by Certain Diseases, and in Institutions, According to Nativity of Deceased, of Parents of Deceased, and Color, during the Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Large table detailing causes of death and deaths in institutions, categorized by place of birth of the deceased and parents, and color. Includes categories like Diphtheria, Measles, Cancer, etc.

Particulars Regarding Births, Deaths, Marriages and Still-births Reported for Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table providing statistics on marriages, births, deaths, and still-births, broken down by race (White, Colored) and marital status (Single, Married, Widowed).

* Sex undetermined, to.

Deaths from Surgical Operations during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table listing various surgical operations performed, such as Ovariectomy, Appendectomy, and others, with counts for males and females.

NOTE. -m (under one month), -y (under one year).

Deaths from Accidents and Negligence during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table listing deaths from accidents and negligence, including falls from buildings, fractures, and other incidents.

Table listing various accidents and deaths, such as falls from roofs, fires, drownings, and poisonings, with counts for each category.

Deaths by Age and Sex and Percentage to Total Mortality during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table showing the percentage of total mortality by age group and sex (Male/Female) for each month (Jan, Feb, Mar) and the total.

Interments of Deceased Persons during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table with columns: LOCATION OF INTERMENTS, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, AVERAGE FOR FIVE YEARS PRECEDING 1896.

Births Reported during Quarter ending March 31, 1896, according to Nativity of Parents by Wards.

Table with columns: WARD, BIRTH-PLACE OF BOTH PARENTS, BIRTH-PLACE OF MOTHER ONLY, Total by Wards.

Deaths and Death-rate by Sex during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table with columns: MONTHS, NUMBER OF DEATHS (Male, Female, Total), DEATH-RATE PER 1,000 OF ESTIMATED POPULATION (Male, Female, Total).

Births and Birth-rate by Sex.

Table with columns: MONTHS, Number of Births Registered, Birth-rate per 1,000 (Males, Females), Per cent. of Males to Total, Per cent. of Females to Total.

Former Condition of Persons Married.

Table with columns: Former Condition (Bachelors and spinsters, Bachelors and widows, Widowers and spinsters, Widowers and widows, Divorced), January, February, March, Total, Percentage to Total.

Marriage-rate per 1,000 of the Estimated Population.

Table with columns: NUMBER OF MARRIAGES, NUMBER OF PERSONS MARRIED, MARRIAGE-RATE PER 1,000 OF ESTIMATED POPULATION (No. of Marriages, No. of Persons Married).

Ages of Bridegrooms and Brides during Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Table with columns: AGES OF BRIDEGRROOMS—YEARS, AGES OF BRIDES—YEARS, Unspecified, Total Bridegrooms.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY—NOTICES OF THE BOARD.

The notices of the Board for the abatement of nuisances are issued upon the facts and evidence contained in the written reports of the Sanitary Inspectors, the result of personal inspection of premises complained of.

- Air shafts cleaned, disinfected, graded, paved, connected with sewer. Alleys cleaned, disinfected, graded, paved, connected with sewer. Apartments cleaned, disinfected or ventilated.

- Fire-escapes cleaned or obstructions removed. Fixtures trapped and waste-pipes therefrom connected on outlet side of water-closet traps. Flushings provided over wood-work of sinks.

FEES RECEIVED FOR SEARCHES AND TRANSCRIPTS.

Table with columns: Attorney's notices issued, Nuisances abated before suit, Civil suits commenced, Suits pending at close of quarter, Judgments opened, Total.

Table with columns: Executions issued, Transcripts filed, Judgments, criminal suits, Money collected and deposited to the account of the Health Department Pension Fund, Fines received in Criminal Court and paid to the City, Total.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FROM MAY 1 TO MAY 16, 1896.

May 1—The following communications were received and acted upon, as noted: Report from the Correction Department of the escape of Kate Silvel from Bellevue Hospital; referred to Superintendent Murphy for investigation and report.

Application received from the Bartholdi Creche for renewal of permission to open same during the coming season at Randall's Island; on report of Superintendent Dunphy the Board declined such permission.

May 7—Civil Service Board advises us that an examination for Examiners of Dependent Children will be held on May 13. Proposal of William A. Gedney to furnish labor and materials for alterations at Central Office for \$766 is accepted. By resolution of the Board, salary of A. F. Boehmer and Elmer L. Clark, Examiners of Dependent Children, temporarily appointed, was fixed at the rate of \$2,000 per annum for such portion of the month of March as they were employed. In reply to inquiry from the New York Juvenile Asylum as to regulating vacations in the Department of Public Charities, they were advised that Heads of Institutions arranged them as best suited the service. Proposal of Charles Barry to furnish one new ambulance for Bellevue Hospital for \$650 accepted. By resolution of the Board, in view of the congested condition of laundry work at Bellevue Hospital and the large increase of work to come by reason of the warm weather, the Superintendent was authorized to nominate twelve paid women laundresses at \$10 each per month. Proposal of Charles Barry for extra work on Ambulance No. 6, \$25, accepted. Report from General Drug Department, that medical and surgical supplies furnished Department of Correction for April, 1896, amounted to \$322.51.

May 8—Report from the General Storekeeper that Lumber Inspector had been detailed to measure lumber for the Department of Correction and requesting as to future action. He was instructed to extend to the Department of Correction reasonable courtesy in any emergency but not to permit it to conflict with the transaction of the business of this Department. Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital reports complaint in visiting hours and suggests from 6 to 7 P. M. be included. Approved, and the Medical Board requested to make change in rules.

May 9—In reply to a request for the Civil Service Board to appoint a day and hour for examinations for applicants for position of attendant, Saturdays, at 9 A. M., was named. Purchasing Agent recommended that an excess of 2,455 yards of Grecian bunting now at Storehouse be retained approved. Proposal of George I. Roberts & Bros. to furnish two Douglass instantaneous water heaters at Bellevue Hospital for the sum of \$65.10 was accepted.

May 11—Commissioner Waring requested to facilitate the removal of garbage from Bellevue Hospital. Meats, fish, bread, milk, etc., reports for week ending May 9 were in accordance with specifications.

May 12—Communication received from the Mayor relating to Dr. I. Oppenheimer's request for an opportunity to demonstrate at Bellevue Hospital his ability to cure alcoholism. Dr. Oppenheimer was advised that the Board would be pleased to give him an interview on this subject on Thursday. By resolution of the Board, Messrs. Withers & Dickson were directed to prepare plans covering the following buildings, and to report to the Board as to measurements, dimensions, etc., from time to time, to the end that delays as to final approval may be lessened: 1. An Isolating Pavilion, to contain about 16 rooms, to be two stories high, on the southeasterly portion of the Bellevue Hospital Grounds. 2. An Erysipelas Pavilion, two stories, with capacity to care for 40 patients of both sexes, to be located where the Morgue stands now. 3. An iron shed, to cover the Twenty-sixth Pier, from the edge of the present building, and to have a second story for Department Offices at the easterly end of pier. Proposal of the Trayer Electric Construction Company to install telephone connection, between the Office of Gouverneur Hospital and Stable for the sum of \$120, accepted.

The following resolutions were passed: Resolved, That an ambulance from Fordham Hospital be sent to Morris Park track on the days set apart for jumping, on account of added danger on those occasions.

Resolved, That such ambulance will be withdrawn by telephone whenever a regular call may summon the ambulance in reserve.

Resolved, That the Secretary forward a copy of the above resolution to the Supervising Nurse of Fordham Hospital.

May 13—Communication from the Mayor, requesting all heads of departments to fly flags at half-mast on this day, in respect to the memory of the Honorable Richard A. Storrs, late Deputy Comptroller, received and complied with.

The following resolution passed: Resolved, That Louis K. Ackerly, Assistant Superintendent of the Lodging House for Homeless Men, be and he is hereby suspended, without pay, until the further order of this Board.

Resolved, That this resolution is to be in effect on and after Saturday, the 9th instant. May 14—Communication from the Civil Service Board, requesting that the title of "Examiner of Dependent Children" be changed to "Agent for Investigating Dependent Children." The Board replied that it would make confusion upon our records, pay-rolls, etc., if such change was made, and this Board was of opinion that in view of the duties performed the present title was properly descriptive.

The following resolutions were passed: Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Dock Department are hereby informed that this Board desires to remove the Morgue Building from its present location to a position on a platform to be located on the north side of the dock foot of East Twenty-sixth street, at a suitable distance, say 20 or 25 feet from the bulkhead-wall.

Resolved, That this Board will meet the necessary expense of the erection of such platform. Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Dock Department are hereby respectfully requested to take such preliminary steps as may be necessary to bring about this improvement, and to advise this Board in what manner they can further co-operate to the desired end.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to make application, in the name of this Department, to the Commissioners of the Dock Department, for permission to allow the Floating Hospital of St. John's Guild to be moored for three weeks, or thereabouts, at the Pier foot of East Twenty-eighth street, the berth formerly occupied by the Schoolship "St. Marys."

May 15—Proposal of Patrick Ward, for repairs to Steamer "Fidelity," for the sum of \$8,153, was accepted, he being the lowest bidder. Dr. Hoyt reported collision of ambulance and cable car, and stated that, as a rule, the cablemen on both the Third Avenue and Lexington Avenue lines pay little or no respect to the right of way of ambulances. The Metropolitan Traction Company was informed of condition of affairs and requested to issue orders to its employees to strictly observe the rights of ambulances. The Company replied that such instructions had been given.

May 16—Proposal of Moselein & Crane to furnish and put up stamped steel ceiling in Room 14, Bellevue Hospital, for the sum of \$45, accepted. Bellevue Hospital reports that the Street Cleaning Department is now removing the garbage promptly. Dr. W. B. Power was appointed Second Provisional Junior Assistant House Surgeon; Dr. G. B. Lee transferred to Second Provisional Junior Assistant House Surgeon; Dr. Evans appointed Third Provisional Junior Assistant House Physician; all at Bellevue Hospital. H. G. WEAVER, Secretary.

Resignations.

May 5—Bellevue Hospital—Charles Tingling, Attendant. May 6—Bellevue Hospital—James Kerrigan, Attendant; Edward Burns, Pupil Nurse, dropped from roll.

April 10—Bellevue Hospital—Otis B. Wright, Pupil Nurse. May 1—Bellevue Hospital—Fred. Tingison, Pupil Nurse, leave of absence from May 1, without pay; Charles B. Lawrence, Pupil Nurse, leave of absence from May 1, without pay.

May 2—Harlem Hospital—Delia McAleer, Assistant Cook. May 4—Metropolitan Hospital—Mary King, Domestic. May 1—Randall's Island—Delia O'Connor, Helper. May 2—Randall's Island—Margaret Gannon, Nurse. May 8—Randall's Island—Ellen Treacey, Attendant; Kate Mullin, Nurse. May 3—Randall's Island—E. Blanche Edwards, Head Nurse.

Dismissals.

May 6—Steamboats—Martin Barrett, Officers' Cook. May 7—Bellevue Hospital—Victor C. Holz, Orderly. May 1—Bellevue Hospital—Lucy J. King, Pupil Nurse, dropped from roll. May 6—Randall's Island—Mary McLane, Helper; Annie Bolten, Helper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, NEW YORK, May 11, 1896. S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Esq., Secretary, etc., Municipal Civil Service Board: SIR—I herewith report the following appointments, vacancies, etc.:

FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 9, 1896.

Appointments.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, POSITION, INSTITUTION, ANNUAL SALARY. Lists various appointments for different institutions like Steamboats, Bellevue Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, etc.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, POSITION, INSTITUTION, ANNUAL SALARY. Lists appointments for Bellevue Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, Harlem Hospital, City Hospital, Almshouse, and Metropolitan Hospital.

FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 16, 1896.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, POSITION, INSTITUTION, ANNUAL SALARY. Lists appointments for Lodging-house Homeless Men, Storehouse, Bellevue Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, Fordham Hospital, City Hospital, Metropolitan Hospital, and Randall's Island Hospital.

Resignations.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, POSITION, INSTITUTION. Lists resignations for Lodging-house Homeless Men, Bellevue Hospital, Almshouse, and Metropolitan Hospital.

Dismissals.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, POSITION, INSTITUTION. Lists dismissals for Storehouse, Blackwell's Island, Bellevue Hospital, and Randall's Island Hospital.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Elm street, from Southern Boulevard to Prospect avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 19, 1896. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 2, 1896, without his approval or objection thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Eighty-second (old Fletcher) street, from Washington avenue to a point about two hundred feet west of said Washington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 19, 1896. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 2, 1896, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Undercliff avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 19, 1896. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 2, 1896, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Law Department. Railroads. LAW DEPARTMENT—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Tuesday, June 16, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall. RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will meet on Monday, June 15, 1896, at 2.30 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall. WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk, Common Council.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Army Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M. Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M. City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway. Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street. Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours. Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway. Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Excise—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. Governor's Room—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M. Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk. Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M. Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M. Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M. Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M. Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M. City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20; Part II., Room No. 21; Part III., Room No. 15; Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M. District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 6 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-

third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 979 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. City Magistrates' Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 60 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

NEW YORK, June 11, 1896. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 10 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, June 23, 1896: No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO ERECT AND COMPLETE, SO FAR AS HEREIN SPECIFIED, A PUBLIC OVERLOOK IN MULBERRY BEND PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK. No. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BLUE-STONE STEPS AND WALKS IN CENTRAL PARK FOR ENTRANCE AT ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET AND CENTRAL PARK, WEST (EIGHTH AVENUE), IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK. No. 3. FOR LAYING WATER-PIPE AND APPURTENANCES IN THE CENTRAL PARK AND IN THE SIDEWALKS OF THE AVENUES ADJOINING THE MORNINGSIDE PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK. No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING UPPER PORTION OF PARK INCLOSING WALL, FURNISHING AND SETTING GNEISS PIERS, GRANITE-SILL AND BLUESTONE POSTS, PLATFORM AND STEPS AT ENTRANCES ON FIFTH AVENUE, between Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Tenth streets. No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, CORN AND BRAN. No. 1.—ABOVE-MENTIONED. Bidders will be required to state in their proposals one price or lump sum for which they will execute the entire work, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus, utensils, machinery, power, scaffolding, molds, models and appliances of every description necessary to complete, in every particular, the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications, schedule and form of agreement, and including all foundations below the levels shown on plans or necessary to carry same to solid bottom. The time allowed to complete the whole work will be until December 1, 1896, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at Twenty Dollars per day. Bidders must submit a sample of the materials (stone and brick) which they propose using, stone to be marked with the name and location of quarry; sample of size and cut to the surfaces as provided in the specification. NO BID WILL BE ACCEPTED UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY THE SAMPLE AND INFORMATION CALLED FOR IN THE ABOVE CLAUSE. The amount of the security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars. No. 2.—ABOVE-MENTIONED. The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows: 730 lineal feet bluestone steps, furnished and set. 170 lineal feet bluestone cheek pieces, furnished and set. 100 cubic yards rubble-stone masonry laid in cement mortar, including all excavation and trimming required for foundations and steps. 3,000 square feet walk pavement of asphalt with concrete base and rubble-stone foundation, including excavation, etc., for same. 3,000 square feet pavement of asphalt, with concrete base on existing foundation, including all necessary preparation of the existing rubble-stone foundation. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty consecutive working days, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Four Dollars per day. The amount of the security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars. No. 3.—ABOVE-MENTIONED. The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows: 11,350 lineal feet wrought-iron water-pipe, two inches inside diameter, lap-welded and galvanized, including bends, angles, etc., to furnish and lay. 11 two-inch rough stop-cocks and boxes, to furnish and set. 52 street washers, to furnish and set. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty consecutive working days. The damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Ten Dollars per day. The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars. No. 4.—ABOVE-MENTIONED. The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows: 3,152 lineal feet of upper portion of park inclosing wall, including bluestone base course and coping. 2 piers of gneiss, built complete.

4 bluestone posts for walk entrances, to be furnished and set. 1 granite sill, fifteen feet in length, to be furnished and set. Bluestone platform, steps, incline and coping to furnish and lay, including excavation and rubble-stone foundation walls. Note.—The coping stones are to be furnished by the Department, to be delivered to and received by the Contractor, at the yard in Central Park, near Seventy-ninth street and Eighth avenue. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred and thirty consecutive working days. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at Four dollars per day. The amount of the security required is Twenty-eight Thousand dollars.

No. 5.—ABOVE-MENTIONED. 350,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Sweet Timothy. 55,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw. 9,000 bushels No. 2 White Oats, to weigh not less than 36 pounds to the bushel. 40,000 pounds clean sound No. 2 Yellow Corn. 18,000 pounds first quality of clean Bran. All of the articles are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed at the following places: Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal). Sixty-sixth street and Central Park, West (Sheep-fold). Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (stables). One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (stables). N. B.—The amount of security required is two thousand dollars. The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within ten days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park. S. V. R. CRUGER, SAMUEL McMILLAN, SMITH ELY, WILLIAM A. STILES, Commissioners of Public Parks.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET. PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with two thousand four hundred tons of best quality of Anthracite Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 17, 1896. The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of each size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department. Bidders will state the kind of anthracite coal they propose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or other business appellation. The attention of bidders is called to the following provision of the contract: "And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent., without compensation to the said party of the first part, other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement." Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests. No estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS. Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; and the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, 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. Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law. 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 the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department. By order of the Board. WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk. NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

pose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or other business appellation.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board. WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk. NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

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

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 5118, No. 1, Paving Ninety-sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks. The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 13th day of July, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 11, 1896.

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

List 4922, No. 1. Regulating, regrading, curbing and flagging Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Park avenue.

List 5126, No. 2. Sewer in Ninety-ninth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 5206, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Railroad avenue, West, to Morris avenue.

List 5228, No. 4. Laying crosswalk across Boulevard Lafayette and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street at their junction with the west side of Eleventh avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Park avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from West End to Riverside avenue, extending about one hundred feet northerly and southerly therefrom.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Railroad avenue, West, to Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Farm No. 4A, Ward Nos. 29B and 36, and Farm No. 5B, Ward Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29 and 37, in the Twelfth Ward.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 11th day of July, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 10, 1896.

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

List 5187, No. 1. Receiving-basins on the southeast corners of Seventy-third, Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets and Riverside avenue.

List 5192, No. 2. Sewer in Macomb's Dam road, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

List 5203, No. 3. Paving Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue, with granite blocks.

List 5221, No. 4. Sewer in Cathedral Parkway, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues.

List 5229, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 5237, No. 6. Sewer and appurtenances in Ogden avenue, from summit north of Devoe street to Birch street.

List 5238, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between Wencover avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and in Bathgate avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets.

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

No. 1. South side of Seventy-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive; also block bounded by Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, West End avenue and Riverside Drive, and south side of Seventy-fifth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. East side of Macomb's Dam road, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street; west side of Macomb's Dam road, from One Hundred and Fiftieth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street; north side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, extending about 403 feet east of Macomb's Dam road; both sides of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, extending about 406 feet east of Macomb's Dam road, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, extending about 216 feet east of Macomb's Dam road.

No. 3. Both sides of Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Cathedral Parkway, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue, blocks bounded by One Hundred and Ninth street and Cathedral Parkway, Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, blocks bounded by Cathedral Parkway, One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Morningside avenue and Amsterdam avenue and east side of Columbus avenue, from One Hundred and Ninth street to Cathedral Parkway.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Ogden avenue, from a point about 200 feet north of Devoe street to Birch street; also both sides of Summit avenue, commencing about 245 feet north of Devoe street and extending northerly and easterly to Ogden avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Washington avenue, from Wencover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and both sides of Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 3d day of July, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, June 3, 1896.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at Carnegie Music Hall, Fifty-seventh street and Seventh avenue, on Thursday, June 18, 1896, at 7.45 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring degrees.

By order,
ROBERT MACLAY, Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, June 11, 1896.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$1,283,909.84 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. GOLD BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF New York, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until **THURSDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF JUNE, 1896,**

at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Coupon or Registered Bonds and Stock of the City of New York, bearing interest at three and one-half per cent. per annum, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.
\$554,565 04	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for acquiring the lands known as Saint John's Cemetery, in the Ninth Ward, for use as a public park.....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 320, Laws of 1887; chapter 295, Laws of 1896, and resolution, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 27, 1895.....	November 1, 1916.
250,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for constructing a bridge over the Harlem river at Third avenue.....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 413, Laws of 1887; chapter 276, Laws of 1896, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 19, 1893, and May 27, 1895.....	November 1, 1916.
283,694 80	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as "School-house Bonds".....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 88, Laws of 1895, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 5 and 19 and June 2, 1896.....	November 1, 1914.
195,650 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for new grounds and buildings for the College of the City of New York.....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 168, Laws of 1895; chapter 608, Laws of 1896, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 23, 1895, February 20 and May 19, 1896.....	November 1, 1914.

INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON MAY 1 AND NOVEMBER 1.

The principal of and the interest on the above-described Bonds and Stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

CONDITIONS.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided, also, "that no proposals for Bonds or Stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," and then inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 3, 1896.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, July 15, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the following described lots, pieces or parcels of real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.: Four (4) lots on the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Block 1077, Ward Nos. 50, 51, 52 and 53, each 25 feet front and 99 feet 11 inches deep.

One (1) lot on the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Block 1077, Ward No. 49, 25 feet front on One Hundred and Fifty-first street, 99 feet 11 inches deep on the westerly side, 18 feet 5 1/2 inches in the rear on the southerly side, 16 feet 5 inches on Convent avenue and 84 feet 10 inches on the easterly side.

One (1) triangular lot on Convent avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Block 1077, Ward Nos. 15 and 16, 108 feet 13 1/2 inches front on Convent avenue, 99 feet 11 inches deep on the westerly side and 43 feet 5 1/2 inches on the northerly side thereof, and containing 1,735 city lots. The several parcels of the said property being shown on a map thereof prepared by Eugene E. McLean, Engineer of the Finance Department, dated April 29, 1896, and numbered respectively thereon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The City shall retain the right to maintain forever the new Aqueduct under the aforesaid lots and all the rights pertaining or necessary to such maintenance, and no excavation shall ever be made under the said lots below a point thirty (30) feet vertically distant from the established grade of the street.

The highest bidders will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30)

per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent. of the purchase-money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid by installments of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when the interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bonds and mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording each separate mortgage. If more than one lot of land is included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be paid off before any release can be given by the Corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the Corporation is forbidden by law.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell any lot which may be struck off to the highest bidder who may fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who may fail to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Lithographic maps of said real estate may be had at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, after June 15, 1896.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held May 28, 1896.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 8, 1896.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT 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 of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street and avenue in the respective wards herein designated:

TWELFTH WARD

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD; confirmed April 16, 1896; entered May 29, 1896. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and said southerly line produced; on the south by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant easterly 300 feet from the easterly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant westerly 300 feet from the westerly side thereof.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD

PROSPECT AVENUE, FROM WESTCHESTER TO BOSTON ROAD; confirmed April 17, 1896; entered May 29, 1896. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the north by Crotona Park; on the east by the middle line of the blocks between Wencover avenue and Avenue St. John, from Crotona Park to Boston road, and thence by the middle of the blocks between Stebbins avenue and Wilkins place, and Stebbins avenue and Intervale avenue, and Stebbins avenue and Hall place, and Stebbins avenue and Rogers place, to the westerly side of Dawson street, and thence by the westerly side of Dawson street; on the south by the northerly side of Dawson street; on the west by the middle of the blocks between Union avenue and Tinton avenue, from the northerly side of Dawson street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and thence by the easterly side of Clinton avenue, from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park.

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 hereinabove given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the said respective dates of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M. and all payments made thereon on or before July 28, 1896, 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, June 6, 1896.

NOTICE OF THE REDEMPTION OF NEW YORK CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE HOLDERS of the New York City Stock and Bonds herein-after described, that in accordance with the terms of issue I will redeem said Stock and Bonds on the 2d day of July, 1896, at my office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, and that on that day said Stock and Bonds will cease to bear interest, viz.:

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CITY IMPROVEMENT STOCK, issued in pursuance of Acts of the Legislature, chapter 920, Laws of 1869, and chapter 322, Laws of 1871, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the 1st day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS, issued in pursuance of acts of the Legislature, chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and chapter 300, Laws of 1875, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the 1st day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK "D" OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, issued in pursuance of Acts of the Legislature, chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and chapter 756, Laws of 1873, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the first day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 2, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, June 9, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the

Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Monday, June 22, 1896. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN BAILEY, BRIGGS, UNDERCLIFF, FOREST, FRANKLIN, WALES AND TWELFTH AVENUES, IN FIFTY-FOURTH, FIFTY-FIFTH, FIFTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDREDDTH, ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, UNION, DAWSON, HOME AND HUDSON STREETS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER-MAINS FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET AND PLEASANT AVENUE TO AND UNDER HARLEM RIVER, TO AND ACROSS RANDALL'S ISLAND.

No. 3. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN MORRIS STREET, between West and Washington streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN WATER STREET, between Wall street and Gouverneur lane.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWERS IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, BOTH SIDES, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

No. 7. FOR REPAIRS TO OUTLET SEWER FOOT OF VESTRY STREET, PIER 29, NORTH RIVER.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Five Hundred Tons of White Ash Coal, egg size, for the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Health Department, in the City of New York, until 12.30 o'clock P. M. of June 16, 1896. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Furnishing Coal for Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its 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 Board and read.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 64, chapter 470, Laws of 1882, if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about Five Hundred (500) Tons of White Ash Coal, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specifications attached to and which form a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, at the time required by the Board of Health; any

changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract, and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be required by the Department, no allowance will be made for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

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 sum of 1,200 dollars.

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

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in the City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract 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 shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the form of contract and the specifications for particulars before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets.

CHARLES G. WILSON, GEORGE B. FOWLER, M. D., ALVAH H. DOY, M. D., THEODORE ROOSEVELT, Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, June 25, 1896, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 17, 51, 69, 80, 84 and 94.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 12, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, June 25, 1896, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 61.

ABBIE HAMLIN MACIVOR, Chairman, J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 12, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, June 25, 1896, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 49 and Primary School No. 16.

FRED. B. JENNINGS, Chairman, WILLIAM T. LEE, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 12, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, June 23, 1896, for supplying New Furniture and Making Repairs to Furniture at Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47.

RICHARD VAN COTT, Chairman, JOHN A. HARDENBERGH, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 10, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 22, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to Heating Apparatus in Grammar School No. 68 and Primary School No. 21.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 9, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, June 19, 1896, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47.

RICHARD VAN COTT, Chairman, JOHN A. HARDENBERGH, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 6, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, June 18, 1896, for erecting Annex to and Improving the Premises of Primary School No. 30, situated in Bronxdale.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the First Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 17, 1896, for Connecting Grammar School No. 29 with the Fire-Alarm System of the City of New York.

F. JOSEPH BADER, Chairman, EDWARD T. BRADY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, June 17, 1896, for Connecting Grammar School No. 9 and Primary School No. 10 with the Fire-Alarm System of the City of New York.

J. E. MURPHY, Chairman, HENRY HASENHOR, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the First Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 16, 1896, for Making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 29.

F. JOSEPH BADER, Chairman, EDWARD T. BRADY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 2, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 15, 1896, for Improving the New Lot, Premises and Building of Grammar School No. 32.

CHAS. F. BAUERDORF, Chairman, GEORGE SPURGEON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 1, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 15, 1896, for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 21 and Primary Schools Nos. 6 and 30.

JOSEPH H. OLIVER, Chairman, MRS. CHARLES SMITH, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, June 1, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 15, 1896, for Connecting Grammar School Buildings Nos. 51, 67, 80, 84 and 94 with the Fire-Alarm System of the City of New York.

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 1, 1896.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE NO. 4 HYDRAULIC POWER TIRE-SETTER to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 17, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at the sum specified in the several forms of contracts.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty-five (45) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 4, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE HOSE below enumerated to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 17, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

5,000 feet 2 1/2 inches carbonized rubber-lined fire-hose, Maltese Cross brand, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.

5,000 feet 2 1/2 inches cotton rubber-lined fire-hose, Eureka fire-hose brand, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.

1,000 feet 3/4-inch cotton rubber-lined fire-hose Eureka fire-hose brand, to weigh not more than eighty (80) pounds per length, including couplings.

1,000 feet 2 1/2-inch seamless rubber-lined "White Anchor" brand of rubber fire-hose, to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds per length, including couplings.

1,000 feet 2 1/2-inch rubber-lined white fire hose, "American Chief" brand of rubber fire hose, to weigh not more than sixty-five (65) pounds per length, including couplings.

A separate estimate must be made for each of the items.

Special attention is directed to the test of the hose by the Fire Department and the guarantee of the hose by the contractor, required by the specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sums specified in the several forms of contracts, which are as follows:

Table listing items and prices: For 5,000 feet 2 1/2-inch hose, Eureka fire-hose brand \$2,400 00; For 5,000 feet 2 1/2-inch hose, Maltese Cross brand 2,500 00; For 1,000 feet 3/4-inch Eureka fire-hose brand 900 00; For 1,000 feet White Anchor brand fire hose 500 00; For 1,000 feet American Chief brand fire hose 500 00.

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

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

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

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

NEW YORK, June 1, 1896. SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTHRACITE COAL.

5,000 tons egg size, 1,000 tons stove size, 1,500 tons nut size.

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 17, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be free-burning, of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows: "Scranton," by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company.

"Lackawanna," by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, or by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad Company.

"Pitston," by the Pennsylvania Coal Company.

"Wilkesbarre," by the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company.

"Jermy," by the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad Company, or any other free-burning coal.

All to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

The bidder must name the particular kind of coal he proposes to furnish, and state where and by whom it is mined.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of a Weighmaster, designated for that purpose by the Department upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor. All as more fully set forth in the specifications to the contract, to which particular attention is directed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of twelve thousand (\$12,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of six hundred (\$600) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Price. Includes items like Spruce Plank, Spruce Joists, Yellow Pine Timber, etc.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Dumps and Stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in various places of the city, as will be required, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

No estimate will be received or considered after the day and hour mentioned.

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.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per thousand feet of spruce planks and spruce joists, as above mentioned.

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

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

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

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

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

Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and fifty (\$1,750) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of eight hundred and fifty (\$850) dollars.

seven and fifty hundredths dollars (\$7.50). 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.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 541.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW COAL PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF RANDALL'S ISLAND, HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Coal Pier, with Appurtenances, on the westerly side of Randall's Island, Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1896, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Price. Includes items like Removal of about 15,500 square feet of Old Pier, Yellow Pine Timber, White Oak Timber, etc.

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

It is expected that these piles will have to be about 30 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.

White Oak Fender Piles, about 30 feet long.

White Oak Piles, from about 30 feet in length to 17 feet.

Spruce Logs, about 840 lineal feet.

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

(1) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations 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.

(2) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for 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 execution of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of July, 1896, 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 each class 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, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or 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 any one 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 to 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 sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation 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 or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated NEW YORK, May 14, 1896.

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, May 21, 1896.

EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:

- June 12, 10 A. M. GARDENER.
June 15, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT RESIDENT PHYSICIAN.
June 16, 10 A. M. PROPERTY CLERK. \$3,000 bond required.
June 17, 10 A. M. DRIVER, REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.
June 18, 10 A. M. TIMEKEEPERS.
June 19, 10 A. M. DOORMAN, PARK DEPARTMENT.
June 25, 10 A. M. LEVELLERS.
June 27, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT APOTHECARY.
June 30, 10 A. M. COTTAGE ATTENDANTS, MALE AND FEMALE.
S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, March 19, 1896.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION days in the Labor Bureau will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and that examinations will take place on those days at 2 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL. FARMERS MILLS AND WHITE POND.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 25th day of July, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situated in the Town of Kent, Putnam County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, dated October 1, 1894, signed and certified by Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and George W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York, Map of lands at Farmers Mills and White Pond, County of Putnam and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York, proposed to be taken or affected by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city, under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map was filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County on the 26th day of October, 1894, and a copy or duplicate thereof is now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

The following is a description of the real estate sought to be taken, or in which an interest is sought to be acquired: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of real estate in said town, which taken together constitute a tract of land of which the following are the external boundary lines:

All those several and various lots, pieces and parcels of land and real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, situate in the town of Kent, Putnam County, and which taken together form a tract of land included within the following external boundary lines:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the parcel hereby described, said northwesterly corner being formed by the intersection of the westerly and northerly lines of Parcel No. 1; thence along Parcel No. 1 the following: North 60 degrees 33 minutes east 602.17 feet; thence north 75 degrees 10 minutes 20 seconds east 354.38 feet to Parcel No. 61; thence along Parcel No. 61 south 86 degrees 54 minutes 50 seconds east 34.25 feet to Parcel No. 19; thence along Parcel No. 19 the following: North 73 degrees 15 minutes 40 seconds east 33.60 feet; thence south 71 degrees 57 minutes 10 seconds east 17.01 feet; thence south 11 degrees 41 minutes 20 seconds east 6.87 feet; thence north 72 degrees 16 minutes 50 seconds east 55.80 feet; thence south 22 degrees 22 minutes 50 seconds east 101.71 feet to Parcel No. 18; thence along Parcel No. 18 north 75 degrees 9 minutes 40 seconds east 70.69 feet to Parcel No. 17; thence along Parcel No. 17 north 74 degrees 10 minutes 40 seconds east 91.34 feet to Parcel No. 20; thence along Parcel No. 20 and Parcel No. 25 north 73 degrees 43 minutes east 381.54 feet to Parcel No. 26; thence along Parcel No. 26 and Parcel No. 27 the following: North 63 degrees 23 minutes 50 seconds east 1,034.96 feet; thence south 75 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds east 783.70 feet to and along Parcel No. 32; thence still along Parcel No. 32 north 85 degrees 49 minutes 20 seconds east 331.50 feet to Parcel No. 33; thence along Parcel No. 33 the following: South 75 degrees 49 minutes 20 seconds east 84.90 feet; thence north 17 degrees 13 minutes east 164.17 feet; thence south 69 degrees 1 minute 10 seconds east 134.01 feet to Parcel No. 41; thence along Parcel No. 41 the following: South 59 degrees 7 minutes 10 seconds east 455.04 feet; thence north 49 degrees 20 minutes east 1,710.35 feet; thence north 22 degrees 57 minutes 10 seconds east 477.70 feet to Parcel No. 44; thence along Parcel No. 44 north 38 degrees 8 minutes 20 seconds east 607.62 feet to Parcel No. 47; thence along Parcel No. 47 the following: North 39 degrees 49 minutes 10 seconds east 256.61 feet; thence south 53 degrees 54 minutes 10 seconds east 3.00 feet to Parcel No. 48; thence along Parcel No. 48 north 46 degrees 17 minutes east 59.98 feet to Parcel No. 49; thence along Parcel No. 49 north 33 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds east 78.31 feet to Parcel No. 50; thence along Parcel No. 50 the following: North 43 degrees 30 minutes 10 seconds east 1,064.37 feet; thence south 75 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds east 888.93 feet to and along Parcel No. 61 and Parcel No. 51; thence still along Parcel No. 51 the following: South 43 degrees 57 minutes 40 seconds west 1,113.39 feet; thence south 49 degrees 40 seconds west 201.45 feet to Parcel No. 52; thence along Parcel No. 52 the following: South 18 degrees 48 minutes 40 seconds west 684.61 feet; thence south 27 degrees 55 minutes west 1,368.88 feet to and along Parcel No. 53 to Parcel No. 54; thence along Parcel No. 54 and Parcel No. 55 south 45 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 790.87 feet to Parcel No. 57; thence along Parcel No. 57 and Parcel No. 58 south 72 degrees 40 minutes 50 seconds west 734.10 feet to Parcel No. 59; thence along Parcel No. 59 the following: South 89 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds west 664.86 feet; thence north 4 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds west 559.17 feet to and along Parcel No. 38; thence still along Parcel

No. 38 the following: North 45 degrees 35 minutes 40 seconds west 694.17 feet; thence south 57 degrees 43 minutes 20 seconds west 350.55 feet; thence north 80 degrees 55 minutes 10 seconds west 460.83 feet to Parcel No. 61; thence along Parcel No. 61 and Parcel No. 36 north 66 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds west 544.29 feet to Parcel No. 61; thence along Parcel No. 61 the following: South 65 degrees 56 minutes west 90.20 feet; thence south 57 degrees 19 minutes 20 seconds west 137.97 feet; thence south 41 degrees 58 minutes 40 seconds west 120.60 feet; thence south 24 degrees 47 minutes 10 seconds west 86.23 feet; thence south 44 degrees 42 minutes 40 seconds west 54.93 feet; thence south 74 degrees 27 minutes 50 seconds west 110.22 feet; thence south 84 degrees 53 minutes 40 seconds west 42.55 feet; thence north 82 degrees 48 minutes 20 seconds west 29.62 feet; thence south 86 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds west 24.53 feet; thence north 86 degrees 25 minutes 50 seconds west 29.53 feet; thence north 81 degrees 36 minutes 40 seconds west 348.76 feet; thence north 80 degrees 9 minutes 10 seconds west 42.40 feet; thence north 77 degrees 40 minutes west 178.23 feet; thence north 76 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds west 112.08 feet; thence north 79 degrees 35 minutes 50 seconds west 184.63 feet to Parcel No. 23; thence along Parcel No. 23 and Parcel No. 61 south 67 degrees 11 minutes 40 seconds west 772.85 feet to Parcel No. 11; thence along Parcel No. 11 south 79 degrees 16 minutes 50 seconds west 618.71 feet to Parcel No. 4; thence along Parcel No. 4 north 76 degrees 21 minutes west 190.22 feet to Parcel No. 3; thence along Parcel No. 3 and Parcel No. 2 south 79 degrees 40 minutes 20 seconds west 430.40 feet; thence still along Parcel No. 2 to and along Parcel No. 61 and Parcel No. 1 north 16 degrees 44 minutes 20 seconds west 331.57 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee, except those parcels designated as Nos. 26 and 32, inclosed within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

The following interest or estate will be acquired in the parcels shown on the map inclosed within the green lines, viz:

Each and all of said parcels shall be subjected to and made to comply with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health of the State of New York, as adopted March 15, 1889, and amended August 25, 1893, a copy of which said rules and regulations is attached to said map.

The compliance with such rules and regulations will be made a condition running with the title to the said property, and such rules and regulations shall be carried out and maintained under the direction, inspection and supervision, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

In all cases where streets or highways are acquired they will be left open for public travel forever, and no change be made in length, width or grade of same.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed, as aforesaid, in the office of the Clerk of said County, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken or affected.

Dated June 8, 1896.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, Office and Post-office address, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 25th day of July, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of this application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the County in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situated in the Towns of Southeast and Carmel, Putnam County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on two certain maps signed and certified by the Commissioner of Public Works of New York City and Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, one of which said maps is entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York: Map of lands in the Towns of Southeast and Carmel, County of Putnam and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City, proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York City, in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city," under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, which said map is dated May 27, 1895, and was filed in Putnam County Clerk's Office March 12, 1896, and a copy thereof is now on file at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works in the City of New York.

The following is a description of the real estate sought to be taken, as shown on said map lastly hereinbefore mentioned:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of real estate in said towns, which taken together constitute a tract, of which the following are the external boundary lines:

All those several and various lots, pieces and parcels of land and real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, situate in the towns aforesaid, and which taken together form a tract inclosed within the following external boundary lines:

Beginning at a point where the west line of Parcel No. 1 is intersected by the line between the Counties of Westchester and Putnam, and running thence along the said west line north 10 degrees 24 minutes east 671.52 feet and north 23 degrees 33 minutes east 450.04 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 2; thence along the north and west lines of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 71 degrees 41 minutes 30 seconds east 1,906.8 feet; north 24 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds west 1,156.12 feet; and north 7 degrees 50 minutes east 278 feet to the westerly line of Parcel No. 4; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 7 degrees 59 minutes east 263.94 feet; north 49 degrees 24 minutes west 308.57 feet; north 80 degrees 24 minutes west 738.37 feet; south 74 degrees 55 minutes west 460.84 feet; and north 72 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds west 197.75 feet to the centre of a road leading to Lake Mahopac; thence along the same and the west lines of Parcels Nos. 9 and 5 north 23 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 140.67 feet and north 79 degrees 36 minutes west 221.53 feet to the north lines of said Parcel No. 5; thence along the same north 29 degrees 51 minutes 30 seconds east 318.44 feet and north 49 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds east 496.19 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 6 and the centre of a road; thence along the same north 30 degrees 36 minutes east 115.03 feet to the east line of said parcel; thence along the same and the east lines of Parcels Nos. 7, 8 and 9 the following courses and distances: South 72 degrees 4 minutes east 1,589.95 feet; south 48 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds east 763.49 feet; north 48 degrees 30 minutes west 813.03 feet and north 18 degrees 13 minutes west 1,241.19 feet to the north line of said Parcel No. 9; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 86 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds east 297.07 feet; north 85 degrees 18 minutes east 51.56 feet and south 7 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds east 51.54 feet to the north lines of Parcel No. 3; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 36 degrees 50 minutes 30 seconds east 320.79 feet; south 87 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds east 208.24 feet; south 86 degrees 58 minutes east 164.75 feet; north 37

degrees 54 minutes east 208.46 feet to the east line of said Parcel No. 3; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 43 degrees 13 minutes east 160.94 feet; south 40 degrees 3 minutes east 63.68 feet; south 13 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds east 34.35 feet and south 13 degrees 0 minutes east 124.92 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 10; thence along the same north 46 degrees 0 minutes east 592.47 feet and north 62 degrees 42 minutes east 409.19 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 11; thence along the north and west lines of said parcel the following courses and distances: South 56 degrees 33 minutes east 645.81 feet; north 65 degrees 12 minutes east 748.28 feet; north 48 degrees 13 minutes east 151.66 feet; north 40 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 140.3 feet; north 18 degrees 57 minutes east 385.25 feet; north 10 degrees 44 minutes east 461.46 feet; and north 42 degrees 5 minutes east 875.11 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 13; thence along the same north 2 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds west 511.56 feet; and north 21 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds east 511.27 feet to the centre of a road leading to Carmel; thence along the same and the west line of Parcel No. 15 north 14 degrees 51 minutes 30 seconds west 485.49 feet and north 24 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds west 187.62 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 16; thence along the same south 88 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 22.9 feet to the west line of said parcel and the west side of the before-mentioned road leading to Carmel; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 28 degrees 42 minutes west 200.15 feet; north 32 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 323.63 feet and north 28 degrees 3 minutes 30 seconds west 442.95 feet to the north line of said Parcel No. 16; thence along the same south 87 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds east 365.84 feet to the east line of said parcel; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 44 degrees 56 minutes east 69.08 feet; south 22 degrees 46 minutes east 64.7 feet; south 41 degrees 39 minutes east 403.68 feet and south 31 degrees 33 minutes east 82.84 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 15; thence along the same south 15 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 501.03 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 17; thence along the north and west lines of said Parcel No. 17 south 83 degrees 58 minutes 30 seconds east 338.98 feet and north 35 degrees 56 minutes east 587.7 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 20; thence along the same north 35 degrees 56 minutes east 792.76 feet; and north 16 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 1,239.56 feet to the north lines of said parcel and the south side of a road leading to Carmel; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 88 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds east 15.24 feet; south 51 degrees 6 minutes 30 seconds east 13.16 feet; south 21 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds east 25.61 feet; south 66 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds east 164.23 feet; south 48 degrees 12 minutes east 18.5 feet; south 13 degrees 36 minutes 20 seconds east 18.07 feet; south 0 degrees 54 minutes west 221.23 feet; south 83 degrees 17 minutes 40 seconds east 74.9 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 18; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 83 degrees 17 minutes 40 seconds east 33 feet; north 53 degrees 6 minutes east 87.38 feet; north 60 degrees 33 minutes west 20.85 feet; north 14 degrees 56 minutes west 21.88 feet; north 14 degrees 56 minutes west 19.24 feet; north 27 degrees 38 minutes 15 seconds east 274.1 feet; north 18 degrees 44 minutes 40 seconds east 41.48 feet; north 34 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds east 111 feet and south 35 degrees 26 minutes 10 seconds east 103.61 feet to the east side of said parcel; thence along the same south 1 degree 11 minutes 30 seconds west 364.52 feet and south 11 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds west 1,537.2 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 17; thence along the same south 48 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds west 1,577.31 feet and south 60 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds west 718.98 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 11; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 13 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 396.8 feet; south 1 degree 29 minutes 30 seconds west 583.4 feet; and south 35 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds west 799.25 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 12; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 46 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 332.31 feet; south 46 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 50.17 feet; south 56 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west 97.53 feet; south 8 degrees 33 minutes 30 seconds west 78.63 feet; south 33 degrees 18 minutes 30 seconds west 198.8 feet; and south 53 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds west 780.42 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 11; thence along the south and east lines of said parcel the following courses and distances: South 53 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds west 391.57 feet; south 77 degrees 58 minutes 30 seconds west 708.23 feet; north 70 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds west 666.2 feet and south 19 degrees 16 minutes west 701.39 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 3; thence along the east and south lines of said parcel the following courses and distances: South 18 degrees 16 minutes west 328.30 feet; south 26 degrees 21 minutes west 485.67 feet; south 30 degrees 36 minutes west 1,015.55 feet; south 27 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds east 1,460.09 feet; south 62 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds west 519.16 feet; south 72 degrees 50 minutes west 1,482.58 feet; south 47 degrees 17 minutes west 124.52 feet; south 28 degrees 8 minutes west 120.83 feet; south 9 degrees 50 minutes west 585.45 feet to the line between the Counties of Putnam and Westchester; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 87 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds west 24.28 feet; north 89 degrees 4 minutes west 418.02 feet; north 77 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 103.26 feet; south 85 degrees 47 minutes west 138 feet; and north 88 degrees 5 minutes 30 seconds west 167.67 feet to the point of beginning.

All of the real estate shown on lastly mentioned map is to be acquired in fee.

The other of said maps is entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York, Map of lands in the Town of Carmel, County of Putnam and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City, proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York City and providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city, under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map is dated April 25, 1896, and was filed in said Putnam County Clerk's Office July 2, 1895, and a copy thereof is now on file in the office of said Commissioner of Public Works of New York City.

The following is a description of the external boundary line of the lands shown on said last mentioned map: Beginning at a point in the south boundary-line of Reservoir "D" and running thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 53 degrees 51 minutes east 335.19 feet; north 53 degrees 51 minutes east 323.9 feet; north 50 degrees 37 minutes east 219.41 feet; and north 59 degrees 47 minutes east 240 feet to the west property-line of the New York and Putnam Railroad (formerly the New York and Northern Railroad); thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 21 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds west 185.31 feet; south 13 degrees 25 minutes west 92.7 feet; south 5 degrees 30 minutes west 94.14 feet; south 0 degrees 14 minutes west 114.86 feet; south 7 degrees 51 minutes 30 seconds east 157.04 feet; south 5 degrees 35 minutes east 205.71 feet; south 9 degrees 54 minutes east 30.89 feet; south 4 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds east 144.04 feet; and south 4 degrees 7 minutes 30 seconds east 3.36 feet; thence across the said railroad property south 70 degrees 16 minutes east 107.13 feet to the east line of same; thence along the said east line the following courses and distances: South 0 degrees 37 minutes west 18.11 feet; south 12 degrees 48 minutes west 103.97 feet; south 21 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds west 99.81 feet and south 35 degrees 56 minutes west 218.14 feet; thence south 13 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds east 667.74 feet; thence south 35 degrees 18 minutes west 790.07 feet to the north boundary-line of Parcel No. 6; thence along the same south 78 degrees 53 minutes east 401.93 feet to the east line of said parcel; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 12 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds west 444.17 feet; south 4 degrees 48 minutes east 104.13 feet and south 6 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds east 219.64 feet; thence south 13 degrees 31 minutes west 609.9

feet; thence south 12 degrees 38 minutes east 320.46 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 8; thence south 12 degrees 45 minutes 30 seconds east 785.79 feet; thence south 29 degrees 18 minutes 30 seconds west 785.36 feet; thence south 19 degrees 46 minutes west 586.19 feet; thence south 17 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds west 739.15 feet; south 49 degrees 27 minutes east 853.35 feet; thence south 30 degrees 30 minutes east 603.29 feet to the south side of the road leading from Lake Mahopac to Drewville and Croton Falls; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 86 degrees 41 minutes east 77.83 feet; north 83 degrees 5 minutes 30 seconds east 178.86 feet; and north 89 degrees 11 minutes east 88.22 feet; thence north 56 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds east 219.49 feet; thence north 89 degrees 6 minutes 30 seconds east 128.98 feet; thence north 89 degrees 37 minutes east 148.8 feet; thence north 47 degrees 50 minutes east 375.38 feet to the south side of the road leading from Carmel to Drewville and Croton Falls; thence north 12 degrees 35 minutes west 193.8 feet; thence north 21 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds west 783.83 feet to a point in the before-mentioned road; thence north 64 degrees 8 minutes west 62.75 feet; thence north 3 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 425.16 feet; thence north 49 degrees 22 minutes west 341.36 feet; thence north 4 degrees 1 minute 30 seconds west 549.89 feet to the centre of the before-mentioned road; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 20 degrees 43 minutes west 87.26 feet; north 14 degrees 53 minutes west 89.14 feet and north 21 degrees 32 minutes west 56.72 feet; thence north 12 degrees 44 minutes east 370.72 feet; thence north 48 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds east 773.13 feet; thence north 66 degrees 14 minutes east 716 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 21; thence north 73 degrees 41 minutes 30 seconds east 409.95 feet; thence north 34 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds east 380.25 feet; thence north 63 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds east 475 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 22; thence north 33 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds east 458.45 feet; thence north 40 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds east 393.5 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 24; thence along the same north 3 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds west 210.4 feet to the north line of said parcel; thence along the same north 48 degrees 13 minutes east 93 feet; thence north 48 degrees 48 minutes east 456.5 feet; thence south 56 degrees 43 minutes east 340.95 feet; thence south 27 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds east 482.9 feet; thence south 5 degrees 38 minutes west 1,233.35 feet; thence south 18 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds west 703.8 feet; thence south 51 degrees 43 minutes west 593.0 feet to the west line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 24; thence along the same north 5 degrees 56 minutes 30 seconds east 310.63 feet to the south shore-line of Lake Gilead; thence along the same in a westerly direction about 250 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 25; thence along the same south 19 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds west 191.88 feet; thence north 78 degrees 47 minutes west 487.87 feet to the west line of said parcel; thence along the same north 5 degrees 22 minutes east 208.93 feet to the before-mentioned south shore line of Lake Gilead; thence along the same in a northwesterly and southwesterly direction about 375 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 26; thence along the same south 9 degrees 22 minutes west 434.05 feet; thence south 61 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds west 120.05 feet; thence south 47 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds west 568 feet; thence south 13 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds west 453.95 feet; thence south 1 degree 6 minutes 30 seconds east 803.8 feet to the south line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 26; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 14 degrees 51 minutes west 46.31 feet; north 17 degrees 43 minutes west 93.32 feet; north 47 degrees 23 minutes west 67.18 feet; north 10 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds west 9 feet; north 73 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds west 29.08 feet; north 89 degrees 57 minutes 30 seconds west 71.19 feet; south 77 degrees 6 minutes 30 seconds west 172.29 feet; thence south 73 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds west 17.63 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 18; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 7 degrees 20 minutes east 127.43 feet; south 5 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds east 111.53 feet; south 15 degrees 12 minutes west 114.49 feet; north 75 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds west 27.02 feet; south 26 degrees 50 minutes west 66.25 feet; south 81 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds east 73.43 feet; south 69 degrees 14 minutes east 91.75 feet; south 6 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds west 187.61 feet; south 5 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 100.17 feet; south 6 degrees 50 minutes west 183.12 feet to the south line of said Parcel No. 18; thence along the same and the centre of a road leading from Lake Mahopac to Drewville and Croton Falls north 86 degrees 42 minutes west 190.77 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 11; thence along the same south 17 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds west 19.35 feet and south 18 degrees 50 minutes 30 seconds west 87.82 feet to the north line of Parcel No. 14 and the centre of the West Branch of the Croton river; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 44 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds east 79.62 feet; south 40 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds east 66.14 feet; south 55 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds east 143.47 feet; south 45 degrees 50 minutes east 131.1 feet; south 60 degrees 35 minutes east 139.23 feet; south 77 degrees 21 minutes east 62.74 feet; and north 47 degrees 55 minutes east 27 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 15; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 47 degrees 55 minutes east 45.96 feet; north 55 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 92.99 feet; north 57 degrees 41 minutes 30 seconds west 76.32 feet; and north 6 degrees 23 minutes east 108.71 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 16; thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 10 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds east 58.23 feet; north 0 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 29.16 feet and north 5 degrees 42 minutes east 101.58 feet to the centre of a road leading from Lake Mahopac to Croton Falls; thence along the same south 77 degrees 0 minutes east 52.01 feet to Parcel No. 17; thence along the lines of said parcel north 33 degrees 22 minutes east 124.27 feet and south 18 degrees 19 minutes east 122.44 feet to the centre of the before-mentioned road; thence along the same the following courses and distances: South 22 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds east 184.96 feet; south 25 degrees 57 minutes east 204.37 feet; south 32 degrees 51 minutes 30 seconds east 133.72 feet; south 37 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds east 193.86 feet; south 60 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 88.45 feet; south 73 degrees 43 minutes east 25.5 feet and south 78 degrees 59 minutes 30 seconds east 169.67 feet; thence south 52 degrees 42 minutes east 27.23 feet; thence south 5 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds east 605.92 feet; thence south 13 degrees 50 minutes east 571.97 feet; thence south 22 degrees 16 minutes west 503.98 feet; thence south 9 degrees 15 minutes east 1,575.50 feet; thence south 17 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds east 602.79 feet to the centre of Stoneleigh avenue; thence along the same south 30 degrees 14 minutes west 13.65 feet; thence south 52 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds east 37.27 feet; thence south 20 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds west 701.63 feet; thence south 7 degrees 26 minutes 30 seconds east 634.73 feet; thence south 34 degrees 31 minutes 30 seconds west 592.34 feet; thence south 29 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds east 672.77 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 34; thence along the same north 86 degrees 50 minutes 30 seconds west 320.79 feet to the centre of the west branch of the Croton river; thence along the same north 7 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds west 19.14 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 35; thence along the same south 85 degrees 18 minutes west 51.56 feet and north 86 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds west 297.07 feet; thence north 37 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds west 811.54 feet; thence north 34 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds east 355.22 feet; thence north 67 degrees 43 minutes 30 seconds east 330.3 feet; thence north 8 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 651.40 feet; thence north 12 degrees 14 minutes 30 seconds west 748.05 feet; thence north 13 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds west 2,220.12 feet; thence north 5 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds west 887.67 feet; thence north 17 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds west 1,026.43 feet; thence north 77 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds west 499.57 feet to the east line of Parcel No. 13; thence south 61 degrees 2 minutes west 645.78 feet; thence north 56 degrees 17 minutes west 888.23 feet; thence north 53 degrees 42 minutes west

584.42 feet to the west line of Parcel No. 13; thence north 87 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds west 527.46 feet; thence north 2 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds east 1,457.71 feet; thence north 10 degrees 45 minutes east 1,175.52 feet; thence north 62 degrees 39 minutes east 524.46 feet; thence north 10 degrees 21 minutes west 1,287.47 feet; thence north 19 degrees 45 minutes east 523.3 feet to the south line of Parcel No. 5; thence north 20 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west 1,349.74 feet to the east property-line of the New York and Putnam Railroad (formerly the New York and Northern Railroad); thence along the same the following courses and distances: North 1 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds east 263.77 feet; north 9 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds east 85.65 feet; north 1 degree 51 minutes 30 seconds east 148.4 feet; north 2 degrees 45 minutes 30 seconds west 329.74 feet; thence across the said railroad property north 8 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds west 405.07 feet to the north line of said railroad property; thence north 5 degrees 42 minutes west 390.6 feet; thence north 21 degrees 35 minutes east 375.29 feet; thence north 25 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds west 774.23 feet to the point of beginning.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee except the parcel designated as No. 4 on said last-mentioned map inclosed within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

The following interest or estate will be acquired in the parcel shown on the map inclosed within the green lines, viz:

Said parcel shall be subjected to and made to comply with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health of the State of New York, as adopted March 15, 1889, and amended August 25, 1893, a copy of which said rules and regulations is attached to said map.

The compliance with such rules and regulations will be made a condition running with the title to the said property, and such rules and regulations shall be carried out and maintained under the direction, inspection and supervision, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

In all cases where streets or highways are acquired they will be left open for public travel forever, and no change be made in length, width or grade of same.

Reference is hereby made to the said maps, filed as aforesaid in the office of the Clerk of said County, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken or affected.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, Office and Post-office address, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Michael T. Daly, 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 chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, to acquire certain real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, for purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

BREWSTER FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING—PUTNAM COUNTY.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the first separate report of Eugene Durbin, Edward Wright and Albert T. Baily, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court, made at a Special Term thereof, held at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 21st day of April, 1894, which said report bears date March 31, 1896, and was filed in the Westchester County Clerk's Office April 2, 1896.

That the parcels covered by said report are as follows: 114, 115, 116, 117, 117A, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 129, 130, 131, 132, 134, 135, 136, 137, 139, 140, 142, 144, 147, 148, and the claim of Mary P. Iselin, Margaret G. Phillips and others.

Notice is further given that an application will be made to confirm such report, at a Special Term of said Court, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the 13th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated May 7, 1896.

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 Council 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS THE intention of the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, entitled "An Act to lay out and establish a public park in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and for the improvement thereof."

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, in Part I, thereof, to be held in the First Department, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of said Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, residents of the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise 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 and for said public park, 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 nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, as and for a public park, as provided in said act, 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, namely: All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell's 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 line of Jerome avenue, 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 filed maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 5, 1896.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Leggett avenue, from Prospect avenue to Randall avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point on the eastern line of Prospect avenue distant 815.24 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Prospect avenue and the southern line of Westchester avenue.

- 1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Prospect avenue for 80.06 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 92 degrees 17 minutes 26 seconds to the left for 291.05 feet.
- 3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 22 degrees 52 minutes 24 seconds to the right for 107.12 feet.
- 4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 31 degrees 33 minutes 32 seconds to the right for 1,245.90 feet.
- 5th. Thence southeasterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 20 feet for 31.42 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.
- 6th. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 127.17 feet.
- 7th. Thence southwesterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 20 feet for 36.88 feet.
- 8th. Thence northwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,253.40 feet.
- 9th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 31 degrees 33 minutes 12 seconds to the left for 155.84 feet.
- 10th. Thence westerly deflecting 26 degrees 1 minute 32 seconds to the left for 66.77 feet.
- 11th. Thence westerly for 228.66 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point on the eastern side of Southern Boulevard distant 1,283.26 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Southern Boulevard and the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

- 1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Southern Boulevard for 309.59 feet.
- 2d. Thence southwesterly on a prolongation of the eastern line of Southern Boulevard which runs north easterly from the northern extremity of the preceding course for 123.23 feet.
- 3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 99 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 1,737.63 feet.
- 4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 60 degrees 13 minutes 37 seconds to the right for 100 feet.
- 5th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 89 degrees 46 minutes 23 seconds to the right for 1,737.63 feet.
- 6th. Thence westerly and curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 150 feet for 128.25 feet to the point of beginning.

Leggett avenue is designated as a street of the first class and is eighty and one hundred feet wide, and is shown on section 3 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 on July 10, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 11, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on July 12, 1895.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Tiffany street, from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard distant 851.10 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard with the northern line of Longwood avenue.

- 1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Southern Boulevard for 80 feet.
- 2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 643.35 feet.
- 3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 4 degrees 10 minutes 48 seconds to the right for 80.30 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly deflecting 36 degrees 26 minutes 2 seconds to the right for 1,421.36 feet to the northern line of Tiffany street.
- 5th. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Tiffany street and the northern line of Longwood avenue for 147.60 feet.
- 6th. Thence easterly deflecting 130 degrees 36 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 48.63 feet.
- 7th. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 1.20 0.83 feet.
- 8th. Thence northerly deflecting 18 degrees 37 minutes 24 seconds to the left for 86.76 feet.
- 9th. Thence northwesterly for 644.44 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of Westchester avenue distant 559.09 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the southern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

- 1st. Thence northeasterly along the southern line of Westchester avenue for 97.23 feet.
- 2d. Thence southerly deflecting 124 degrees 38 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 1,426.40 feet.
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 2 degrees 28 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 93.12 feet.
- 4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 49 degrees 53 minutes 8 seconds to the left for 210 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.
- 5th. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 80 feet.

- 6th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 210 feet.
- 7th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 18 degrees 36 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 63.31 feet.
- 8th. Thence northerly for 1,474.86 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of Westchester avenue distant 559.09 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

- 1st. Thence northeasterly along the northern line of Westchester avenue for 97.23 feet.
- 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 55 degrees 21 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 176.23 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
- 3d. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 80.20 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly for 225.90 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street distant 381.63 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the northern line of Westchester avenue.

- 1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 80.20 feet.
- 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 94 degrees to the right for 754.05 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.
- 3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street for 85.41 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly for 779.27 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street distant 74.98 feet south easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street with the eastern line of Intervale avenue.

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street for 74.98 feet to the eastern line of Intervale avenue.
- 2d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Intervale avenue for 16.67 feet.
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 45 degrees 7 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 578.77 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.
- 4th. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street for 81.48 feet.
- 5th. Thence northerly for 537.15 feet to the point of beginning.

Tiffany street, from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, is designated as a street of the first class and is eighty feet wide, and is shown on section 3 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 January 18, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894; and on section 4 of said Final Maps and Profiles, filed in said Commissioner's Office July 12, 1895, and in said Secretary of State's Office July 13, 1895; and on section 11 of said Final Maps and Profiles, filed in said Commissioner's Office June 12, 1894, in said Register's Office June 15, 1894, and in said Secretary of State's Office on June 15, 1894.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Sedgwick avenue to Ogden avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- 1st. Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue as legally opened, distant 560.10 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue and the western line of Jerome avenue.
- 2d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue, as legally opened, 25.82 feet.
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 104 degrees 29 minutes 3 seconds to the right 344.04 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 50 feet.
- 5th. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 250 feet.
- 6th. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 25 feet.
- 7th. Thence westerly for 87.58 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-first street is designated as a street of the first class and is fifty and twenty-five feet wide, and is shown on section 8 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, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 12, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 13, 1895.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, and from the centre of Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, May 29, 1896.
THEODORE E. SMITH, T. J. CARLETON, JR.,
J. A. CARBERRY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Sheridan avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- 1st. Beginning at a point on the southern side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, as legally opened, distant westerly 1,293.85 feet from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and the western line of Railroad avenue, West.
- 2d. Thence westerly along said southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 60.67 feet.
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 81 degrees 25 minutes 49 seconds to the left for 578.42 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly deflecting 6 degrees 47 minutes 35 seconds to the left for 60.05 feet.
- 5th. Thence southerly deflecting 0 degrees 30 minutes 1 second to the left for 1,514.72 feet.
- 6th. Thence southerly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 23 feet for 32.56 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- 7th. Thence easterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 417.57 feet for 74.21 feet.
- 8th. Thence easterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 5.46 feet.
- 9th. Thence northerly deflecting 84 degrees 56 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 1,532.15 feet.
- 10th. Thence northerly deflecting 0 degrees 44 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 5.03 feet.
- 11th. Thence northerly for 582.65 feet to the point of beginning.

Sheridan avenue is designated as a street of the first class and is sixty feet wide, and is shown on section 7 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 12, 1895.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ROBBINS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to St. Mary's Park, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Robbins avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to St. Mary's Park, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- 1st. Beginning at a point at the intersection of the western line of the Southern Boulevard and the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.
- 2d. Thence southerly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 97 feet.
- 3d. Thence northerly deflecting 142 degrees 44 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 84.64 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.
- 4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 59.20 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point on the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street distant 64.10 feet westerly of the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the western line of the Southern Boulevard.

- 1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 65.52 feet.
- 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 82 degrees 46 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 1,477.55 feet to the southern line of St. Mary's street, as vested in the City March 14, 1895.
- 3d. Thence easterly along the southern side of St. Mary's street for 65 feet.
- 4th. Thence southerly for 1,480.57 feet to the point of beginning.

Robbins avenue is designated as a street of the first class and is six y five feet wide, and is shown on section 2 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 June 13, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 15, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1894.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 19th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is

the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (formerly Grand avenue), from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- 1st. Beginning at the southeast corner of the tract of land opened as Bronx River road (now Webster avenue) February 13, 1880.
- 2d. Thence easterly on a line forming an angle of 86 degrees 25 minutes 54 seconds easterly and to the right with the eastern line of Bronx River road for 280.54 feet.
- 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 50 feet.
- 4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 14 degrees 2 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 30.92 feet.
- 5th. Thence westerly deflecting 75 degrees 57 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 471.95 feet.
- 6th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius prolonged northerly through the western extremity of the preceding course makes an angle of 82 degrees 21 minutes 34 seconds easterly and to the right with the said preceding course for 13.48 feet on a radius of 60 feet.
- 7th. Thence westerly tangent to the preceding course for 358.14 feet.
- 8th. Thence westerly deflecting 6 degrees 4 minutes 35 seconds to the left for 1,419.14 feet.
- 9th. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 470 feet, for 234.90 feet.
- 10th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,016.98 feet.
- 11th. Thence westerly deflecting 8 degrees 10 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 689.60 feet.
- 12th. Thence westerly deflecting 3 degrees 8 minutes 37 seconds to the right for 104.65 feet.
- 13th. Thence westerly deflecting 0 degrees 23 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 715.08 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue.
- 14th. Thence northerly deflecting 102 degrees 54 minutes 41 seconds to the right for 82.07 feet along the eastern line of Jerome avenue.
- 15th. Thence easterly deflecting 77 degrees 5 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 722.84 feet.
- 16th. Thence easterly deflecting 0 degrees 22 minutes 53 seconds to the left for 1,636.39 feet.
- 17th. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 22 minutes 42 seconds to the left for 652.39 feet.
- 18th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees 10 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 1,141.18 feet.
- 19th. Thence easterly deflecting 23 degrees 4 minutes 13 seconds to the right for 51.62 feet.
- 20th. Thence easterly deflecting 5 degrees 33 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 1,540.89 feet.
- 21st. Thence easterly deflecting 8 degrees 25 minutes 9 seconds to the right for 50.10 feet.
- 22nd. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 20 minutes 34 seconds to the left for 332.81 feet to the western line of Bronx River road.
- 23rd. Thence southerly deflecting 98 degrees 48 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 20.24 feet.
- 24th. Thence easterly deflecting 98 degrees 48 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 80.35 feet.
- 25th. Thence northerly deflecting 81 degrees 11 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 0.25 feet.
- 26th. Thence easterly deflecting 86 degrees 25 minutes 54 seconds to the right for 35.07 feet.
- 27th. Thence southerly deflecting 93 degrees 34 minutes 6 seconds to the right for 6.02 feet.
- 28th. Thence easterly for 65.77 feet to the point of beginning.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (Grand avenue) is designated as a street of the first class and is eighty feet wide, and is shown on section 19 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 December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 18, 1895.

Dated New York, June 8, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 1, 1896.
DAVID MITCHELL, Chairman, E. FERRERO,
Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RE-TAXATION OF BILL OF COSTS AND OF MOTION TO VACATE ORDER TAXING COSTS HERETOFORE ENTERED.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that a motion will be made to vacate the order taxing the costs in the above-entitled matter heretofore entered on the 7th day of February, 1896, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, May 29, 1896.
EDWARD T. TALIAFERRO, FREDERIC J. DIETER, THEODORE E. SMITH, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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