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### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending January 15, 1898:

*The City of New York, or The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

#### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS-TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM-MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, Kings Co.	1	6	1898.	
		Jan. 10	Brymer, Alonzo (ex rel.), vs. John J. Scannell, Fire Commissioner.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator to position of Fire Marshal in Borough of Brooklyn.
Supreme, Richmond Co.	1	7	" 10 Wells, William E. (ex rel.), vs. Cornelius A. Hart and Charles W. Alexander, Police Commissioners of Richmond County.	Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force of Richmond County.
Supreme	1	8	" 10 Post, Christopher (ex rel.), vs. Clarence T. Barrett et al., Police Commissioners of Richmond County.	Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the Police force of Richmond County.
"	1	9	" 10 Butler, Patrick.	For meals furnished Village of Williamsbridge, Town of Westchester, June 4, 1895, \$60.
"	57	214	" 10 Ruge, Julius, vs. The Mayor, etc., Patrick Gallagher et al.	To foreclose lien for labor performed, etc., under contract for making alterations at Almshouse on Blackwell's Island, \$686.45.
"	1	10	" 11 Hebrew Benevolent Orphan Asylum Society.	To recover amount of assessment paid for Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, \$102.60.
"	56	45	" 11 Thompson, Gustave.	For rebate of excise license fee, \$2.74.
"	56	45	" 11 Gunston, Peter.	" " 3.56.
"	56	45	" 11 Berger, Frank.	" " 3.01.
"	56	46	" 11 Berger, Bell.	" " 27.12.
"	56	46	" 11 Berger, Kate.	" " 23.01.
"	56	45	" 11 Donal, Robert.	" " 13.70.
"	56	47	" 11 Hannigan, Mamie.	" " 4.32.
"	56	47	" 11 Dunbacher, Alfred.	" " 8.49.
"	56	47	" 11 Dunbacher, Henry.	" " 50.41.
"	56	48	" 11 Dunbacher, George.	" " 56.43.
"	56	48	" 11 Behrens, Herman L.	" " 12.05.
"	56	48	" 11 Taylor, Winfield S.	" " 3.29.
"	56	49	" 11 Sullivan, Mamie.	" " 6.58.
"	56	49	" 11 Frank, George L.	" " 47.47.
"	57	216	" 11 In the matter of the application of the Board of Education.	To acquire title to land in block bounded by Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, for a school site.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Apfel, Solomon (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Artman, John W. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Drake, Lawrence (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Hirschberg, Johanna (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Murphy, James D. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Post, Laura J. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
"	(11)	416	" 12 Schreyer, John (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Catharine street, from Cherry to South street.
Supreme, Queens Co.	1	13	" 12 Mandel, John A., vs. Long Island City.	
Supreme	1	14	" 12 Constable, James M., et al., trustees, etc.	For rent of rooms in Constable Building for Special Commissioner of Jurors, \$383.33.
"	1	12	" 12 Schumacher, Fred., and Paul Gadebusch.	Damages by reason of flooding of plaintiffs' premises No. 222 Fourth avenue, by negligent construction of sewer, \$7,242.21.
"	(11)	417	" 12 Schierenbeck, Albert (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving West Broadway, from Chambers to Vesey street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Arthur Co. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Banks, Henry W. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Brown, John J. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Charo, Richard J. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Coursen, Alfred (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Chisolm, George E. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Cruikshank, Dwight P., executor, etc. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Dooley, William (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Hutchins, Horace A. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Langdon, Woodbury G. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Lester, Edwin (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Manson, Donald A. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Metropolitan Street Railway Co. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Zophar Mills (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Morris, Henry L. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Pettit, Alida R. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Roe, Alfred (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Rowland, H. Edwards (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Smith, Fleming (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Townshend, John (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Wardenburg, George (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
"	(11)	418	" 13 Woolsey, Theodore B. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.

COURT.	REGIS-TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM-MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme	(11)	419	1897.	
"	(11)	419	Jan. 13 Rosenson, Levi (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Houston street, from Lewis to Mangin street.
"	(11)	420	" 13 Smith, James W., and another (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Houston street, from Lewis to Mangin street.
"	(11)	421	" 13 Arnold, Benjamin R. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Fletcher street, from Pearl to South street.
"	1	15	" 13 Cosgrove, Barnett (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Gouverneur Slip, from Water to South street.
"	1	16	" 14 Meledy, Margaret.	Summons with notice for \$5,000 served.
"	1	17	" 14 Hickson, William (ex rel.), vs. The Board of Police Commissioners.	Certiorari to review the dismissal of relator from the force.
"	1	22	" 14 Sipp, George A. vs. The Mayor, etc., and Patrick F. Brennan.	Damages for injuries to horse and wagon by falling into Mercer avenue sewer excavation, \$500.
"	1	23	" 14 Andersen, James.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$432.96.
"	1	24	" 14 Bates, Henry W.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$529.50.
"	1	25	" 14 Bouton, Mortimer D.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$575.
"	1	25	" 14 Dickman, Bernard.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$120.
"	1	27	" 14 Miller, Samuel.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$314.75.
"	1	28	" 14 Pullis, George S.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$222.50.
"	1	29	" 14 Stark, Philip.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$95.
"	1	30	" 14 Spencer, Charles H.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$1,252.50.
"	1	30	" 14 Whitmore, Charles A.	For extra work on Sundays in Department of Street Cleaning, \$555.50.
"	1	31	" 15 Faber, Rudolph C.	To recover amount paid to Commissioner of Public Works for permit to construct aerial light at Twenty-first street and Ninth avenue, \$1,431.

#### SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

Louis T. Duryea vs. Frederick W. Wurster et al.—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

People ex rel. James F. Whalen vs. Leonard R. Welles, Police Commissioner—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.

Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets school site—Order entered appointing Eugene A. Philbin, James R. Torrance and James J. Devlin, Commissioners of Estimate.

People ex rel. Joseph Ridley vs. Frank Moss et al.—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus.

William G. Leeson; William G. Leeson and another; Robert J. Hoguet—Orders discontinuing the actions without costs entered.

Marguerite L. Maxwell; Catherine M. Gray—Judgments entered dismissing the complaints and for \$107.60 costs.

Matter of Edward Corrody and another (Matter of Grand Boulevard and Concourse)—Order entered referring the proceeding to Donald McLean, Esq.

Peter F. Rafferty—Judgment entered reducing tax assessment to one-half the amount levied for years 1890 to 1894, and making assessed valuation \$5,000, and canceling all penalties and dismissing complaint as to other relief demanded.

Matter of Walter R. Patten (Third Avenue Bridge approaches)—Order of reference entered to Richard M. Henry, Esq.

People ex rel. Herman Beck vs. The Comptroller—Order entered directing that writ of mandamus issue with \$10 costs.

John Malone—Order entered substituting Mary Malone as administratrix, etc., as plaintiff in place of John Malone, deceased.

People ex rel. James Golden vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Appellate Division order entered affirming order denying motion for writ of mandamus.

People ex rel. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller vs. Daniel Lord et al.—Appellate Division order entered reversing the judgment of the Commissioners and dismissing the claim of the defendants Zubiller with \$50 costs and disbursements.

Thomas Weiss vs. John D. Herlihy et al.—Appellate Division order entered affirming the order appealed from with \$10 costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. Christopher Quinn vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Appellate Division order entered dismissing the writ of certiorari with \$50 costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. James F. McIntyre vs. The Board of Park Commissioners—Appellate Division order entered affirming the proceeding of the Commissioners and dismissing writ of certiorari with \$50 costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. United States Casualty Company vs. The Tax Commissioners (1897)—Order entered discontinuing the proceeding without costs.

Patrick H. McCarthy; John Korn and another; Louis Korndorfer; Herman Beck; Henry W. Sauer; Philip Mersch; James Hinchy—Orders entered discontinuing the actions without costs.

John J. Buckley—Order entered granting motion for preference on calendar.

Charles L. Francisco—Appellate Division order entered reversing the judgment appealed from and directing a new trial with costs to abide the event.

People ex rel. Lewis Powley vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Appellate Division order entered dismissing the writ of certiorari with \$50 costs and disbursements.

George M. Curtis vs. Edward P. Barker et al.—Appellate Division order entered affirming the interlocutory judgment with leave to plaintiff to plead over within twenty days upon payment of costs.

William H. Naething (Actions Nos. 6, 8 and 10)—Orders entered denying motions to vacate judgments.

Robert Alderman vs. John F. Harriot—Order entered granting motion for leave to interplead other claimants.

Judgments were entered in favor of the following plaintiffs: James Mulligan, \$10,245.30; Martin B. Brown Company, \$5,016.80; Robert Alderman vs. John F. Harriot, \$1,052.85; David Stevenson Brewing Company, \$207.72; August Boeder and another, \$37.07; Isaac Braithwaite, \$391.60; George Brewer, \$1,737.27; Mary Dusseldorf vs. Long Island City, \$412; James H. English and another vs. Long Island City, \$241.53.

#### SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. James F. Whalen vs. Leonard R. Welles, Police Commissioner—Motion to dismiss writ of certiorari argued before Gaynor, J.; motion granted; J. W. Coombs for the City.

People ex rel. Alonzo Brymer vs. John Scannell, Fire Commissioner—Motion for mandamus argued before Gaynor, J.; decision reserved; W. J. Carr for the City.

People ex rel. Herminie Heil vs. John L. Shea, Bridge Commissioner—Motion for mandamus argued before Gaynor, J.; decision reserved; R. P. Chittenden for the City.

George Brewer—Tried before Beckman, J., and jury; verdict for the plaintiff for \$1,500; W. H. Rand, Jr., and H. S. Rankine for the City.

People ex rel. Bird S. Coler vs. Charles L. Phipps—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Daly, J.; decision reserved; C. Blandy for the City; motion granted.

Theodore Diesterberg; Adolph Stephan—Motions to set aside service of summons and complaint argued before Daly, J.; motions granted; G. O'Reilly for the City.

Bernhard Pielsticker—Motion to set aside service of summons and complaint, etc. argued before Daly, J.; motion denied; G. O'Reilly for the City.

Matter of Thomas J. Patten and another (Third Avenue Bridge approaches)—Motion for appointment of referee made before Daly, J.; motion granted; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

In the matter of the Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets school site, between Ninth and Tenth avenues—Motion for appointment of Commissioners of Estimate made before Truax, J.; motion granted; G. Landon for the City.

Henry S. Wood—Submitted at the Appellate Division, W. B. Crowell for the City; "Verdict set aside and new trial ordered with costs to defendant to abide event."



Matter of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street school site; Matter of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street school site; Matter of James street school site; Matter of Eighteenth street school site; Matter of Thirty-third street school site; Matter of White Plains avenue school site; Matter of King street school site; Matter of Eighty-sixth street school site; Matter of Fifty-fifth street school site; Matter of Eighty-second street school site; Matter of Forty-first street school site—Motions to appoint Commissioners of Estimate made before Freedman, J.; motions granted; G. Landon for the City.

Matter of Horatio and Gansevoort streets dock site; Matter of Jane and Horatio streets dock site—Motion to amend and correct report submitted to Daly, J.; motion granted; E. J. Freedman for the City.

Robert Alderman vs. John F. Harriot—Motion to open default made before Daly, J.; motion granted; W. B. Crowell for the City.

Hermine Heil vs. The City of New York—Motion for an injunction argued before Daly, J.; decision reserved; C. Blandy for the City.

Matter of the charges against Edward J. O'Shea—Trial proceeded and adjourned to January 21, 1898; C. Blandy for the City.

#### Hearings before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Seventieth street school site, Schofield avenue Fire Department site; Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets school site, Academy street school site, One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth street school site, Main street Fire Department site, Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets school site, Eighty-seventh street school site, One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets school site, Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets school site, Fifth and Sixth streets school site, Broome street Fire Department site, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Lenox avenue school site, Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets school site, Broome and Cannon streets school site, one hearing each; West Twenty-fifth street school site, Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets school site, two hearings each; J. T. Malone and C. N. Harris for the City.

Hall of Records site, two hearings; Eleventh Ward park, two hearings; Division street park, one hearing; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

West side park, one hearing; T. Allison for the City.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
NEW YORK, March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—The following appointments have been made in the Law Department:

Mr. Ezekiel R. Thompson, of No. 358 West Fifty-first street, to be Attorney to the Corporation Counsel, at the yearly salary of \$1,800, which appointment took effect March 15, 1898. Assigned to Bureau of Penalties.

Mr. Alfred J. Talley, of No. 171 West Twenty-third street, to be Copyist, at the yearly salary of \$900, which appointment took effect March 17, 1898.

Mr. John J. Mulhall, of No. 101 West Seventieth street, to be Copyist, at the yearly salary of \$900, which appointment took effect March 17, 1898.

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
CENTRE, ELM, WHITE AND FRANKLIN STREETS,  
NEW YORK, March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I beg to transmit herewith, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the following appointments, removal and change of salary by the Department of Health of The City of New York:

#### Appointments.

NAME.	BOROUGH.	POSITION.	SALARY.
Thomas O'Connell.....	Manhattan.....	Milk Inspector.....	Per annum. \$1,200 00
Alfons Muller, M. D.....	".....	Medical Inspector (Vac.), 3 months	Per month. \$100 00
Henry P. Hirsch, M. D.....	".....	".....	100 00
John R. Gillespie, M. D.....	".....	".....	100 00
Dennis A. McAuliffe, M. D.....	".....	".....	100 00
James F. Curry, M. D.....	The Bronx.....	".....	100 00
William H. Dobbs.....	".....	Chief Sanitary Inspector.....	Per annum. \$2,000 00
Florence Davies.....	Manhattan.....	Nurse (Willard Parker Hospital).....	360 00
Clara A. Lay.....	The Bronx.....	Nurse (Riverside Hospital).....	420 00
Mary Stenson.....	".....	Ward Helper (Riverside Hospital).....	168 00
William Kennedy.....	Brooklyn.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	1,200 00
Erskine H. Dickey.....	".....	".....	1,200 00
James Feeney.....	".....	".....	1,200 00
Matthew G. Fullum.....	".....	".....	1,200 00
John Byrne.....	".....	".....	1,200 00
William Kenney.....	".....	".....	1,200 00
Charles J. Brady.....	".....	Disinfecter.....	780 00
George Flaherty.....	".....	".....	780 00
James A. Reardon.....	".....	".....	780 00
James Cosgrove.....	".....	Driver (Kingston Avenue Hospital).....	600 00
Robert Thompson.....	".....	".....	600 00
James Kennedy.....	".....	Laborer (Kingston Avenue Hospital).....	600 00
John Bahan.....	".....	".....	600 00
Joseph Brennan.....	".....	".....	600 00
Michael Bowles.....	".....	".....	600 00
Edward Byrnes.....	".....	".....	600 00

#### Removal.

C. H. Stillwell.....	Brooklyn.....	Shore Inspector.....	\$750 00
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#### Change of Salary.

Mary A. Chancellor.....	Manhattan.....	Laboratory Attendant..... fixed at	\$480 00
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Very respectfully,

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

APPOINTED.

#### Deputy Tax Commissioners.

Andrew Fetherstone, New Brighton, Staten Island.....	Per Annum. \$1,700 00
Henry T. Metcalf, New Dorp, Staten Island.....	1,700 00
Pierce J. Dunn, Tompkinsville, Staten Island.....	1,700 00

Respectfully,

C. ROCKLAND TYNG, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 19, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending March 12, 1898.

Respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

	BOROUGH.				
	MANHATTAN	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND
<i>Public Moneys received during the Week.</i>					
For restoring and re-paving pavement... {					
Water connections, openings	\$532 25	\$12 00	\$405 00	\$4 00	.....
Sewer connections, openings	712 cc	64 00	134 00	9 00	.....
General Account.....	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	21 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For vault permits.....	2,067 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For shed permits.....	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$3,362 25	\$84 00	\$539 00	\$13 00	.....
<i>Permits Issued.</i>					
Permits to open streets, to tap water-pipes.....	39	34	92	3	16
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections					
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections	23	28	52	5	7
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections					
Permits to place building material on streets.....	87	14	21	5	.....
Permits to construct street vaults.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits, special, and miscellaneous.....	.....	17	223	36	15
Permits to construct sheds.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to erect awnings.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	47	10	17	3	.....
<i>Obstructions Removed.</i>					
Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....	25	.....	9	.....	.....
<i>Repairs to Pavement.</i>					
Square yards of pavement repaired.....	7,104	291	2,285	.....	.....

#### Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways During Week Ending March 12, 1898.

NATURE OF WORK.	BOROUGH.														
	MANHATTAN.			THE BRONX.			BROOKLYN.			QUEENS.			RICHMOND.		
	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.
Repaving and renewal of pavements	179	208	4	70	9	2	30	45	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boulevards, roads and avenues, } maintenance of.....	3	44	7	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Roads, streets and avenues.....	1	3	1	12	163	12	.....	3	1	3	8	.....	3	.....	140 hours.
Total.....	213	255	12	77	12	172	12	2	30	48	1	16	3	8	.....

#### CHANGES IN STAFF OF EMPLOYEES.

##### Appointed.

Bernard McQuade, Cashier, \$2,000 per annum.  
Joseph B. Cunningham, Leveler, \$1,200 per annum.  
Joseph P. T. J. McPeak, Leveler, \$1,200 per annum.  
Luther E. Gregory, Leveler, \$1,200 per annum.  
John T. Ryan, Foreman, \$3.50 per diem.  
John B. Fredericks, Inspector of Paving, \$3.50 per diem.  
James Reilly, Foreman, \$3.50 per diem.  
3 Laborers.

##### Reappointed.

5 Laborers.

##### Resigned.

1 Laborer.

##### Removed.

1 Gardener, 1 Toolman, 3 Foremen, 3 Assistant Foremen.

##### Deceased.

Michael Farrell, Assistant Foreman.

Transferred from Department of Street Cleaning to Department of Highways.

2 Laborers.

### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

#### REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, MARCH 7 TO MARCH 12, 1898.

##### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending March 5, 1898: Males, 17; females, 1; on file. List of 20 prisoners to be discharged from March 13 to 19, 1898; transmitted to Prison Association.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending March 5, 1898, \$508. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending March 5, 1898. On file.

From City Prison—Warden requests that the vacancy for Clerk be filled as soon as possible. On file.

From Committee of National Conference of Charities—Asking for information in regard to "the spoils system" in public institutions. On file.

From Civil Service Board—Stating that the Civil Service authorities should be notified of all temporary appointments which have been made in this Department, and, where necessary, to ask for extension of such temporary appointment as provided by Regulation 34 of the Civil Service Rules and Regulations; also that in positions classified as "exempt" under new regulations, and to which temporary appointments may have been made, such appointments can be made permanent, but Civil Service Board should be notified of such action. Secretary to prepare.

From District Prisons—Warden reports plumbing work needed at Fifth, Sixth and Seventh District Prisons, which should be attended to as soon as possible. Estimates of cost of repairs to be obtained.

From Hon. John W. Gregg, U. S. Attorney General—Stating that letter from the Commissioner of this Department, in regard to opening a prisoner's letters in his presence, had been referred to the Postmaster General. On file.



From Heads of Institutions—Reports of census, labor and punishments for week ending March 5, 1898. On file.

#### Contract Awarded.

The Manhattan Supply Company—For 163 gross coat buttons, at 17 cents per gross; 325 dozen No. 6 canvass, at 12 cents per yard; 134 dozen men's straw hats, at 99 47-100 cents per dozen; 305 yards table linen, at 36 4-100 cents per yard; 41,380 yards 4-4 brown muslin, 4 58-100 cents per yard; 16,950 yards awning stripes, at 7 14-100 cents per yard; 180 pounds bleached machine thread, No. 50, at \$1.379 per pound; 102 pounds waxed brown machine thread, No. 50, at \$1.379 per pound; 2 dozen barber's shears, at \$3.45 per dozen; 30 pounds shoe thread, No. 12, at 97 cents per pound; 6 dozen lather brushes, at 65 cents per dozen; 8 dozen W. G. chambers, at \$2.10 per dozen; 57 dozen W. G. saucers, at 40 cents per dozen; 50 dozen W. G. cups, at 39 cents per dozen; 12 bales broom corn, at 4 35-100 cents per pound; 10 bales scrub root, at 8 9-10 cents per pound.

#### Appointed.

John E. Nagle, Warden, District Prisons; salary, \$2,500 per annum.

#### Reappointed.

John J. Connolly, Keeper, Workhouse; salary, \$800 per annum.

Patrick Carroll, Keeper, Penitentiary; salary, \$800 per annum.

Henry Fuller, Keeper, Penitentiary; salary, \$800 per annum.

#### Appointed Temporarily.

Henry Carpenter, Gatekeeper, Penitentiary; salary \$800 per annum.

John Ryan, Keeper, Penitentiary; salary, \$600 per annum.

Robert E. Kelly, Keeper, City Prison; salary, \$800 per annum.

Frank Gerner, Keeper, Penitentiary; salary, \$800 per annum.

#### Dismissed.

Frank R. Kelly, Clerk, City Prison.

Marcus Quinn, Laborer, Workhouse.

Jacob Van Gelderen, Gatekeeper, Penitentiary.

Joseph Grashelm, Gatekeeper, Penitentiary.

Michael D. Rohan, Keeper, City Prison.

Joseph Gregory, Keeper, Penitentiary.

Benjamin H. Muson, Gatekeeper, Penitentiary.

William J. Cheever, Keeper, Workhouse.

John Herbolzheimer, Laborer, Workhouse.

Joseph G. Klein, Gatekeeper, Penitentiary.

R. P. Betts, Clerk, Central Office.

#### Transferred.

John M. Fox, Temporary Deputy Warden, to Warden, Workhouse.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I report, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the following action taken by the Park Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in connection with the working force of the Department:

MARCH 19.

Reinstated.

John McDonald, Blacksmith.

Transferred to this Department.

Michael Lennon, Foreman.

Appointed.

Thomas Loughlin, with horse and cart.

MARCH 21.

Appointed.

Frank Hamilton, Gardener, at a compensation of \$2 per day.

Albert Sahn, Plumber's Apprentice, at \$5 per week.

Edward Hopkins, Gardener, at a compensation of \$2 per day.

Thomas Lysaght, Gardener, at a compensation of \$2 per day.

Respectfully,

WILLIS HOLLY,

Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that by order of the Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, the following have been appointed Teamsters with teams in this Department:

Ernest Wichtendahl, No. 456 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

Peter Hughes, No. 681 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

John Stokes, No. 322 East One Hundred and Tenth street.

Respectfully yours,

MAX K. KAHN,

Private Secretary.

P. S.—Also Matthew Autz, No. 548 Courtland avenue, Teamster with team, and John Metzger, No. 548 East One Hundred and Fortieth street, Laborer.

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,  
March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to advise you that he has this day appointed Ernest Harvier a member of the Municipal Statistical Commission for a term commencing on this date.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES,

Secretary.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 146 GRAND STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY, March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In compliance with the provisions of section 1546 of the Charter, I respectfully give notice of the following appointments made by this Board:

February 9. Arthur McMullin, Secretary.

February 9. Henry R. M. Cook, Assistant Secretary or Chief Clerk.

February 16. Patrick Dowd, Janitor, Public School 13.

February 16. Henry Rado, Janitor, Public School 53.

February 16. John Mahoney, Janitor, Public School 73.

February 16. Thomas Leonard, Janitor, Public School 21.

February 16. Edward Sheridan, Janitor, Public School 106.

Respectfully,

ARTHUR McMULLIN,

Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE  
BRONX,  
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 21, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the requirements of section 1546 of the Charter, I hereby notify you of the following:

March 15, 1898. Mrs. Minna M. Dyke-Clark, re-employed as Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,200 per annum.

Respectfully,

T. J. BRADY,

Commissioner of Buildings,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

WILLIAM H. CLASS,

Chief Clerk.

### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief.

GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PETER J. DOOLING, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, CHARLES H. MURRAY, and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.

Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Stewart Building.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of the Bronx.

Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 1 Borough Hall; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.

Office, Long Island City; 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.

THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn.

JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.

JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond.

Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers.

Nos. 265 and 267 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.

THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Bronx.

WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.

MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond.

Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

Room 177, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy.

SAMUEL R. PROBASCO, Chief Engineer.

MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.

HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

JAMES J. HALL, Deputy Commissioner.

GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

W. G. BYRNES, Water Register.

JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.

JOSEPH F. FICH, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Old City Hall, Long Island City.

THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond, Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

Room 37 Municipal Building.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 346 Broadway, Room 1142, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.

WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

HENRY SUTPHIN, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Comptroller's Office.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

EDGAR J. LEVY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets, Borough of Manhattan.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES E. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM MCKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.

MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.

WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor, Borough of Richmond.

JOHN J. FETHERSTON, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor, Borough of The Bronx.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWEN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.

FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor, Borough of Queens.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.

ALMET F. JENKS, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.

JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.



**NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.**  
Commissioners' Office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York. 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
LEWIS NIXON, President; JAMES W. BOYLE, Vice-President; SMITH E. LANE, Secretary; JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, Treasurer; JOHN W. WEBER, THOMAS S. MOORE and THE MAYOR, Commissioners.  
Chief Engineer's Office, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn, E.D., 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
ASA BIRD GARDINER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, Chief Clerk.

#### CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P.M.  
DANIEL LORD, Chairman; JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT MCGOUGHIN, Clerk.

#### CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
EDWARD J. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART, ANTONIO ZUCCA.

#### Borough of the Bronx.

ANTHONY MCOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.

#### Borough of Queens.

PHILIP T. CRONIN, DR. SAMUEL S. GUY, JR., LEONARD ROUFF, JR., JAMAICA, L.I.

#### Borough of Richmond.

JOHN SEAYER, GEORGE C. TRANTER.

#### SURROGATES' COURT.

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

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

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 A.M.  
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JAMES FITZGERALD, Judge of the Court of General Sessions; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 10 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.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRETT, CHESTER B. MCLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WM. LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk.

#### CITY COURT.

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

#### CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A.M.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A.M.  
Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; J. SEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
Justices, Second Division—THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, HOWARD J. FORKER, JOHN L. DEVENNEY, JOHN COURTNEY and JOHN FLEMING.

#### MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers street (Brown Stone Building).  
WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards.

Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. PATRICK MCDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A.M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. each Court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.  
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 318 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.

#### Borough of the Bronx.

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

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

JOHN M. TIERNY, Justice.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD E. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM SCHNITZSPAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. until 4 P.M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

ADOLPH H. GORING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLING-HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on West Eighth street, near Surf avenue, Coney Island (located temporarily).

CORNELIUS FERGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

#### Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).

THOMAS C. KADIAN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P.O. address, Elmhurst, New York.

WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Third District—JAMES F. MCGOUGHIN.

#### Borough of Richmond.

First District—JOHN J. KENNY.

Second District—ALBERT REYNOLD.

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A.M. until 4 P.M.

City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR., THOMAS F. WENTWORTH, W. H. OLMSTEAD, EBEN DEMAREST, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

#### SECOND DIVISION.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.

Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.

Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.

Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.

Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STEERS, Magistrate.

Eighth District—Coney Island. J. LOTT NOSTRAND, Magistrate.

#### Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.

Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LUKE J. CONNORTON, Magistrate.

Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

#### Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CROAK, Magistrate.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.

Secretary to the Board, CHARLES B. COATES, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

#### OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH."

Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."

Weekly—"Weekly Union," "Irish American."

German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record.

JANUARY 19, 1898.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets and avenues:

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

#### TWELFTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard; confirmed December 24, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and thence by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to the westerly side of St. Nicholas Terrace; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-third street and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence by a line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the westerly side of St. Nicholas Terrace; on the east by the westerly side of St. Nicholas Terrace, and on the west by the easterly side of Twelfth avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard; confirmed December 24, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street from the middle line of the blocks between Twelfth avenue and the Boulevard to a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to St. Nicholas Terrace; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street from the middle line of the blocks between Twelfth avenue and the Boulevard to a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to St. Nicholas Terrace; on the east by St. Nicholas Terrace and on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Twelfth avenue and the Boulevard.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

#### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

CLARKE PLACE, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse; confirmed December 30, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of Marcy place and said southerly side produced from the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, and by a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the easterly side of Inwood avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and said northerly side produced from the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, and by a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, also by the easterly side of Inwood avenue from a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, and also by a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the prolongation westerly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, also by the easterly side of Inwood avenue from a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof, and also by a line drawn parallel to Clarke place and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the prolongation westerly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

DATER STREET, from the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Southern

Boulevard; confirmed December 24, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between Dater street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and said middle line produced from St. Mary's Park to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence along a line drawn at right angles to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard to a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between Dater street and Crane street and said middle line produced from St. Mary's Park to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence along a line drawn at right angles to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; and on the west by St. Mary's Park.

FREEMAN STREET, from the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; confirmed December 24, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the block between Freeman street and Jennings street from the middle line of the block between Stebbins avenue and Intervale avenue to a point on the westerly side of Intervale avenue midway between Freeman street and Jennings street; thence on a straight line to a point on the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard midway between Freeman street and Jennings street; thence by the middle line of the blocks between Freeman street and Jennings street to the middle line of the block between Bryant street and Longfellow street, and by the southerly side of Jennings street from the middle line of the block between Bryant street and Longfellow street to the Bronx river; on the south by the middle line of the block between Freeman street and Chisholm street from the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue to the westerly side of Intervale avenue; thence on a straight line to the prolongation westerly of the middle line of the blocks between Freeman street and Home street; thence by the middle line of the blocks between Freeman street and Home street and said middle line produced to the middle line of the block between Bryant street and Longfellow street and said middle line produced and by a line drawn parallel to Home street and Home street produced and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between Bryant street and Longfellow street and said middle line produced to the Bronx river; on the east by the Bronx river and on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Stebbins avenue and Intervale avenue.

HOME STREET, from Westchester avenue to Intervale avenue, and to the LANDS AND PREMISES required for the widening of the JUNCTION OF HOME STREET, Intervale avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Tiffany street; confirmed December 24, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of Freeman street, from Prospect avenue to the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard, and by the middle line of the blocks between Home street and Freeman street, from the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Prospect avenue to the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard, and by the middle line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street from the middle line of the blocks between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; on the east by Westchester avenue and on the west by Prospect avenue.

SHERIDAN AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Fifty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; confirmed December 13, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to a line drawn parallel to Sherman avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Sherman avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the northerly boundary of the area of assessment to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence by a line drawn parallel to Morris avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence by a line drawn parallel to Park avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; and on the west by the Grand Boulevard and Concourse from the northerly boundary of the area of assessment to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence by the middle line of the blocks between Walton avenue and Mott avenue from the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the southerly boundary of the area of assessment, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue; confirmed December 13, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Clifton street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street from Third avenue to the middle line of the block between Tinton avenue and Union avenue; thence by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street from the middle line of the block between Tinton avenue and Union avenue to a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Clifton street or Denman place and said middle line produced from St. Ann's avenue to the middle line of the blocks between Tinton avenue and Union avenue; thence by the middle line of the blocks between Denman place or East One Hundred and Sixty-third street from the middle line of the blocks between Tinton avenue and Union avenue to Westchester avenue; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the northerly boundary of the area of assessment to the westerly side of Westchester avenue; thence along the westerly side of Westchester avenue to the southerly boundary of the area of assessment, and on the west by St. Ann's avenue and Third avenue;



## TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

**KATONAH AVENUE**, from Eastchester avenue to Mount Vernon avenue; confirmed December 13, 1897; entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Mount Vernon avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof and by the northern boundary line of The City of New York; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street or Eastchester street, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by the middle line of the blocks between Katonah avenue and Martha avenue from the northern boundary line of The City of New York to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street or Opdyke avenue and East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street or Willard avenue; thence by the middle line of the blocks between Katonah avenue and Verio avenue to the southern boundary of the area of assessment, and on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Katonah avenue and Kepler avenue and said middle line produced from the northern boundary of the area of assessment to the southern boundary of the area of assessment.

**OLIVER STREET**, from Webster avenue to Marion avenue; confirmed December 30, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street and East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street produced from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a line drawn parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southerly side thereof; on the south by the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street and East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street produced from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a line drawn parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by the New York and Harlem Railroad and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly side thereof.

**WOODRUFF OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET**, from Boston road to Longfellow street; confirmed December 23, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between Tremont avenue or East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Woodruff street or East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and said middle line produced from a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the Bronx river; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Woodruff street or East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and said middle line produced from a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the Bronx river; on the east by the Bronx river, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET** (formerly Welch street), from Webster avenue to Fordham road, and to FORDHAM ROAD, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (formerly Welch street) to Jerome avenue; confirmed December 13, 1897, entered March 8, 1898. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, from a line drawn parallel to Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street or Cole street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence by said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street or Cole street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to Webster avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to Park avenue; on the east by Webster avenue from the northerly boundary of the area of assessment to the intersection of Webster avenue and Park avenue; thence by Park avenue to the southerly boundary of the area of assessment, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the dates hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears." 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 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section 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 Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 7, 1898, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 21, 1898.

## INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

**THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1898**, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York, certified to be valid obligations of said City, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 31 to May 1, 1898.

The interest due May 1, 1898, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1898.

## 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 727 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 3 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.  
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 19, 1898.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE** with section 400 of the Charter of The City of New York, that an ordinance to place drinking-fountain in front of No. 298 Hudson street has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Thirteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 31st day of March, 1898, at 1 P. M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 19, 1898.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE** with section 400 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by residents of the Thirteenth District for Local Improvements, relative to a drinking-fountain at No. 18 Sixth avenue, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Thirteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 31st day of March, 1898, at 1 P. M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 23, 1898.

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AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,  
OFFICE, No. 346 BROADWAY,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN—CITY OF NEW YORK.

**NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE BUILDING AND PARTS OF BUILDINGS, ON THE LANDS ACQUIRED FOR A BUILDING, PROVIDED FOR BY CHAPTER 59, LAWS 1897, SITUATED ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY CHAMBERS, CENTRE, READE AND A NEW STREET, IN THE SIXTH WARD, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.**

ON THURSDAY MARCH 24, 1898, AT 10 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies will sell at public auction, on the ground, by Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, the Buildings and Parts of Buildings, etc., on that portion of the lands acquired by The City of New York, under authority of chapter 59, Laws of 1897, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, of The City of New York. The sale to be made in 12 separate parcels, as described in a printed catalogue, copies of which can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 346 Broadway, Room 1142. The sale will begin with Parcel No. 1, and will proceed in the order given in the catalogue.

## TERMS OF SALE.

The sale is on the condition that the buildings, or parts of buildings, sold shall be removed by the purchaser on or before April 25, 1898.

The purchaser shall pay the amount of the purchase money in bankable funds, on the ground, at the time of the sale, or the buildings, etc., not so paid for will be resold. He shall also pay to the auctioneer, at the time of sale, a fee of ten dollars (\$10) on each parcel bought by him. The purchaser shall also pay over to the auctioneer, on the ground, at the time of the sale, a deposit or certified check, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, or in bankable funds, to the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), on each parcel purchased by him, as enumerated in the catalogue, as security for the faithful performance of the work of removing the buildings and parts of buildings as herein required.

If the purchaser fails to remove the buildings and parts of buildings within the time herein specified, he shall forfeit ownership of the same, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the moneys deposited as security for the removal of the same; and the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies will resell the buildings or parts of buildings. If the purchaser shall faithfully perform the removal of the buildings or parts of buildings, as herein specified, the amount of deposit as security for removal shall be returned to him.

HENRY S. KEARNEY,  
Commissioner of Public Buildings,  
Lighting and Supplies.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5270, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Webster to Franklin avenue.

List 5470, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Webster to Franklin avenue, with granite blocks.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5582, No. 3. Sewer in Collister street, between Hubert and Beach streets.

List 5587, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging and curbing in front of No. 139 East Twenty-third street.

List 5589, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across St. Nicholas avenue, at the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of

ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Webster to Franklin avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Webster to Franklin avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Collister street, from Beach to Hubert street.

No. 4. Street number 139 East Twenty-third street, known as block number 879, lot number 25.

No. 5. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of St. Nicholas avenue with the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 22, 1898, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
March 23, 1898.

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

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5448, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Kingsbridge road and Amsterdam avenue, with branches in Eleventh avenue, both sides, between One Hundred and Eighty-seventh and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets, and curves at Wadsworth, Eleventh and Audubon avenues.

List 5455, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.

List 5488, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues, with curve in Audubon avenue.

List 5535, No. 4. Paving Convent avenue, from south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to north side of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, with asphalt pavement.

List 5540, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Audubon to Wadsworth avenue.

List 5577, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, with asphalt pavement.

List 5584, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging north side of Eighty-fifth street, between Park and Madison avenues.

List 5602, No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 5604, No. 9. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recurring north side of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard.

List 5605, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue, with asphalt pavement.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Kingsbridge road and Amsterdam avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets, between Audubon and Wadsworth avenues; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, between Audubon and Wadsworth avenues; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from a point about 100 feet easterly of Eleventh avenue to Wadsworth avenue; both sides of Eleventh and of Audubon avenues, between One Hundred and Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets, and both sides of Wadsworth avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues, and both sides of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to a point about 500 feet north of One Hundred and Ninetieth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Convent avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Audubon and Wadsworth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. North side of East Eighty-fifth street, west of Park avenue, on Block 1497, Lot No. 34.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. North side of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, on Block 1879, Lot Nos. 1, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 27, 28 and 29.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Old Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 19, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
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Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
March 19, 1898.

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

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5450, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Wadsworth avenue.

List 5500, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Boulevard Lafayette to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks, with granite blocks.

List 5509, No. 3. Sewers in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues.

List 5538, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Kingsbridge road, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 5547, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, between Kingsbridge road and Audubon avenue, and in Eleventh avenue, both sides, between One Hundred and Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-sixth streets.

List 5548, No. 6. Sewers in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, and in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Audubon avenue and Kingsbridge road.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Amsterdam to Wadsworth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Boulevard Lafayette to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, north side of One Hundred and Seventy-second street from Eleventh to Audubon avenue, east side of Eleventh avenue from One Hundred and Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-third street and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street from Eleventh avenue to Amsterdam street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Audubon avenue to Kingsbridge road; both sides of Eleventh avenue from One Hundred and Eighty-fifth to One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Audubon to Eleventh avenue, and west side of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fifth to One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Kingsbridge road to Audubon avenue; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Kingsbridge road to Audubon avenue, and east side of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Sixty-eighth to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 12, 1898, at 10:30 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
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CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
March 12, 1898.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interests so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, not yet named by proper authority, for a distance of 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue; and a new street to be known as Hamilton Terrace, not yet named by proper authority, for a distance of 779 feet 6 inches northerly in the Twelfth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of this Board will be held in the office of this Board at No. 346 Broadway, on the 23d day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extending will be considered by this Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by this Board on the 9th day of March, 1898, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:**

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, not yet named by proper authority, for a distance of 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue; and a new street to be known as Hamilton Terrace, not yet named by proper authority, from One Hundred and Forty-first street for a distance of 779 feet 6 inches northerly, in the Twelfth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Convent avenue, distant 719 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said street distance 200 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Convent avenue distance 60 feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-first street, distance 200 feet to the easterly line of Convent avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street, distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Convent avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue, distance 779 feet 6 inches; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-first street, distance 60 feet; thence southerly, distance 779 feet 6 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence westerly along said line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and extending of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the office of this Board, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 23d day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out and extending of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 23d day of March, 1898.

Dated NEW YORK, March 10, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 22, 1898.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board,**



at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M. of Monday, April 4, 1898, for trees, shrubs, plants, etc., required for parks in the Borough of Manhattan, as follows:

- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TREES.  
No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SMALL TREES AND SHRUBS.  
No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HERBACEOUS PLANTS.  
No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VINES.  
No. 5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EVERGREEN TREES.  
No. 6. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EVERGREEN SHRUBS.  
No. 7. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BULBS.

The contracts must be bid for separately. Bidders must name a price for each and every item included in the specifications upon which their bids are based. The quantities of materials required are as follows:

#### NO. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### TREES.

1. 50 Acer Pennsylvanicum, 7 to 9 feet high.
2. 50 Acer Rubrum, 9 to 10 feet high.
3. 400 Carpinus Americana, 3 to 4 feet high.
4. 300 Betula Lenta, 6 to 8 feet high.
5. 50 Betula Lutea, 6 to 8 feet high.
6. 50 Betula Alba Pendula, 8 to 10 feet high.
7. 50 Fagus Ferruginea, 5 to 6 feet high.
8. 50 Fraxinus Ornus, 6 to 8 feet high.
9. 25 Liquidambar, 9 to 10 feet high.
10. 50 Ostrya Virginica, 6 to 8 feet high.
11. 50 Pavia Flava, 8 to 10 feet high.
12. 50 Pavia Rubra, 8 to 10 feet high.

All to be delivered at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, in good condition, prior to April 20, 1898.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

#### NO. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### SMALL TREES AND SHRUBS.

1. 100 Crataegus Cordata, 4 to 5 feet high.
2. 200 Cornus Florida, 4 to 5 feet high.
3. 200 Hamamelis Virginica, 3 to 4 feet high, bushy.
4. 200 Liriodendron Benzo, 3 to 4 feet high, bushy.
5. 200 Viburnum Tomentosum, 3 to 4 feet high, bushy.
6. 100 Viburnum Dentatum, 3 to 4 feet high, bushy.
7. 50 Syringa Emolli, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
8. 50 Syringa Rhomboidalis, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
9. 50 Pyrus Coronaria, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
10. 100 Pyrus Torringo, 4 feet high, bushy.
11. 100 Prunus Matima, 2 to 3 feet high, bushy.
12. 100 Prunus Padi, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
13. 100 Amelanchier Botryophora, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
14. 100 Halesa Tetraptera, 4 to 5 feet high, bushy.
15. 500 Limonia (Citrus) Trifoliata, 3 1/2 to 4 feet, bushy.
16. 200 Azalea Nudiflora, 2 to 3 feet high, bushy.
17. 200 Ribes Aureum, 3 to 3 1/2 feet high, bushy.
18. 50 Pavia Parvifolia, 2 to 3 feet high.
19. 100 Acer Spicatum, 3 to 4 feet high.
20. 100 Lonicera Xylosteum, 3 to 4 feet high, bushy.
21. 200 Diervilla Trifida, 3 feet high, bushy.

All to be delivered at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, in good condition prior to April 20, 1898.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

#### NO. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### HERBACEOUS PLANTS.

1. 1,000 Arabis Albida, strong plants.
2. 1,000 Anemone Pennsylvanica, clumps.
3. 500 Cimicifuga Racemosa, strong plants.
4. 1,000 Delphinium Chinensis, clumps.
5. 1,000 Doronicum Caucasicum, clumps.
6. 500 Hemerocallis, clumps.
7. 500 Iris Germanica, clumps.
8. 500 Lychis Chalcidensis, clumps.
9. 1,000 Hesperis Matronalis, clumps.
10. 1,000 Hieracium Aurantiacum, strong plants.
11. 1,000 Parnassia Chinensis, strong plants.
12. 1,000 Lupinus Polyphyllus, strong plants.
13. 500 Phlox Maculata, white, clumps.
14. 1,000 Pachysandra Terminalis, clumps.
15. 500 Achillea Clavenera, clumps.
16. 1,000 Vinca Minor, clumps.
17. 500 Anchusa Italica, clumps.
18. 500 Spirea Aruncus, clumps.
19. 500 Amsonia Salsicifolia, clumps.
20. 500 Bocconia Japonica, clumps.

All to be delivered in good condition at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, prior to April 20, 1898. The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

#### NO. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### VINES.

1. 1,000 Rosa Setigera, 3 years, strong.
2. 3,000 Lonicera Hellebor, 2 years, strong.
3. 1,000 Lonicera Brachypoda, 2 years, strong.
4. 1,000 Lonicera Sempervivens, 2 years, strong.
5. 1,000 Lonicera Brachypoda Aurea, 2 years, strong.
6. 1,000 Hedera Helix, 3 years, strong.

All to be delivered in good condition at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, prior to May 15, 1898.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

#### NO. 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### EVERGREEN TREES.

1. 200 Tsuga Canadensis, 2 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
2. 600 Tsuga Canadensis, 2 1/2 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
3. 200 Tsuga Canadensis, 3 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
4. 100 Pinus Rigida, 1 foot, packed in baskets with clumps.
5. 100 Pinus Rigida, 2 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
6. 500 Retinospora squarrosa, 2-3 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
7. 200 Retinospora leptoclada, 2-3 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
8. 50 Cedrus Atlantica, 1 1/2 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.
9. 50 Cedrus Cedora, 1 1/2 feet, packed in baskets with clumps.

All to be delivered in good condition at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, prior to June 15, 1898.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

#### NO. 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### EVERGREEN SHRUBS.

1. 1,000 Mahonia Aquifolia, strong, 4 years.
2. 500 Kalmia Latifolia, 2 to 2 1/2 feet high, bushy.
3. 250 Rhododendron Catawbiense, 2 to 3 feet high, bushy.
4. 250 Buxus, 2 to 2 1/2 feet high, bushy.
5. 1,000 Ilex Opaca, 2 to 2 1/2 feet high, bushy.

All to be delivered in good condition at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, prior to June 15, 1898.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

#### NO. 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.

##### BULBS.

1. 10,000 Crocus, mixed.
2. 10,000 Narcissus Poeticus.
3. 10,000 Narcissus Bifloris.
4. 5,000 Narcissus, single, "Incomparable."
5. 5,000 Anemone Sylvestris.
6. 20,000 Convallaria Majalis, "Dutch Pipe."
7. 1,000 Fritillaria Nelegris.
8. 2,000 Lilium Tigrinum.
9. 1,000 Lilium Umbellatum.
10. 10,000 Scilla Nutans Coaruleam.
11. 10,000 Scilla Amonia.
12. 10,000 Allium Moly.
13. 5,000 Arum Italicum.
14. 1,000 Camassia Ascutenta.
15. 5,000 Chionodoxa Lucida.
16. 10,000 Muscari Botryoides.
17. 5,000 Eranthis Heyemalis.
18. 5,000 Galanthus nivalis.
19. 10,000 Triteya uniflora.
20. 1,000 Anthericum liliastrium.
21. 1,000 Montbretia potii.

All to be delivered in good condition at the Central Park Greenhouses, near One Hundred and Fourth street and Fifth avenue, prior to September 15, 1898.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

All the trees, shrubs and plants must be nursery grown, healthy stock and free from insects. They must be well packed and properly protected in shipping and must not be more than five days in transit.

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

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

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

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

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

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

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

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- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORT-AGE.  
No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GARDEN MOULD OR TOP SOIL.  
No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WOOD ASHES.  
No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FERTILIZERS.

The several contracts must be bid for separately. The quantities and kinds of materials required are as follows:

#### NO. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 170,000 pounds of Hay of the quality known as prime sweet Timothy.
- 60,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.
- 40,000 pounds of clean Rye Straw.
- 7,500 bushels of clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats.

23,500 pounds of clean, sound, No. 2, Yellow Corn, 10,000 pounds of first quality Bran.  
To be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required at the "Litchfield Mansion," in Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.  
The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

#### NO. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

10,000 cubic yards of Garden Mould, or top soil, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times and places on the several parks in the Borough of Brooklyn, as may be designated.  
The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

#### NO. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

200 tons Canada Unleached Wood Ashes.  
To be delivered as required on the parks of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

#### NO. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Item 1, 50 tons Commercial (bone) Fertilizer of quality equal to following analysis: Ammonia, 2 1/2 to 3 per cent.; Phosphoric Acid, soluble, 8 to 10 per cent.; Potash, 3 to 3 1/2 per cent.

Item 2, 30 tons Odorless Phosphate.

Item 3, 2 tons Ground Bone, Pure.

To be delivered as required on parks in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

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No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES, ETC.  
No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHEELWRIGHTS' MATERIALS, ETC.

No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BLACKSMITHING MATERIALS.  
No. 5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS PAINTERS' MATERIALS, ETC.

No. 6. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.  
No. 7. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LIME, BRICKS AND CEMENT.

No. 8. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

No. 9. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AQUATIC PLANTS.

No. 10. FURNISHING AND REPAIRING LAWN AND FIELD MOWERS.

No. 11. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ASPHALT PAVING TILES.

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#### NO. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

1. 300 pounds 3/4-inch Manila Rope.
2. 50 pounds 1/2-inch Manila Rope.
3. 3 dozen Dietz Lanterns, red globes.
4. 2 dozen White Globes for Lanterns.
5. 1 dozen Rim Locks, complete.
6. 1 dozen Common Brass Padlocks, 2 keys for each.
7. 20 pairs Wrought-iron 8-inch T Hinges.
8. 20 pairs Wrought-iron 12-inch T Hinges.
9. 12 pairs 4 x 4 1/2-inch Cast-iron Loose Pin Butts.
10. 12 pairs 2 by 2 1/2-inch Cast-iron Loose Pin Butts.
11. 12 hanks Cotton Sash Cord.
12. 6,000 feet 1/4-inch Galvanized-iron Wire.
13. 1,000 3/4-inch Wire Staples.
14. 3 dozen Long-handled Tin Dippers.
15. 2 barrels Lamp Chimneys, full size, scalloped tops.
16. 24 dozen Large Lamp Wicks, plain.
17. 24 dozen Small Lamp Wicks, plain.
18. 1 ream No. 1 Sandpaper.
19. 1 ream No. 1 1/2 Sandpaper.
20. 1 ream No. 2 Sandpaper.
21. 15 kegs 8d. Big-head Nails.
22. 10 kegs 10d. Big-head Nails.
23. 5 kegs 20d. Big-head Nails.
24. 2 kegs 40d. Big-head Nails.
25. 1 keg 6d. Big-head Nails.
26. 2 kegs 6d. Finishing Nails.
27. 6 kegs Shingle Nails.
28. 1 dozen Iron Rakes, 16 teeth.
29. 2 dozen Sheep Shears.
30. 1 dozen Hand-pruning Saws, 26-inch.
31. 2 dozen Cast-steel Spades.
32. 1 dozen Hand-pruning Shears.
33. 1 dozen Large Pruning Shears.
34. 1/2 dozen Pole Shears, 12 feet long.
35. 1 dozen Best Quality Axes, 6 1/2 pounds each.
36. 1 dozen Wire Brushes, for tree cleaning.
37. 1/2 dozen Steel Garden Forks.
38. 1 dozen Scoop Shovels, short handles.
39. 1 dozen Leaf Baskets, 3 feet diameter, white oak.
40. 2 dozen Steel Snow Shovels.
41. 1 dozen Wooden Snow Shovels.
42. 1/2 dozen Hay Forks, 3 times, long handles.
43. 1/2 dozen Diamond Hoes, 6-inch, 4 feet handles.
44. 1/2 dozen Scuffle Hoes, 6 1/2-inch, 6 feet handles.
45. 2 dozen Scythes.
46. 2 boxes Scythe Stones.
47. 1/2 dozen Scythe Handles.
48. 4 dozen Galvanized-iron Water Pails.
49. 2 dozen English Lawn Scythe Blades.
50. 12 gross 3/4-inch No. 8 Flat-head Screws.
51. 10 gross 1-inch No. 2 Flat-head Screws.
52. 6 gross 1-inch No. 10 Flat-head Screws.
53. 15 gross 1 1/4-inch No. 10 Flat-head Screws.
54. 6 gross 1 1/4-inch No. 12 Flat-head Screws.
55. 10 gross 1 1/4-inch No. 12 Flat-head Screws.
56. 6 gross 1 1/4-inch No. 14 Flat-head Screws.
57. 6 gross 1 1/4-inch No. 14 Flat-head Screws.
58. 6 gross 2-inch No. 12 Flat-head Screws.
59. 6 gross 2-inch No. 14 Flat-head Screws.
60. 6 gross 2 1/2-inch No. 14 Flat-head Screws.
61. 6 gross 2-inch No. 14 Flat-head Screws.
62. 24 papers 8-ounce Tacks.
63. 10 papers 1 1/2-inch No. 15 Wire Nails.
64. 6 papers 1-inch No. 12 Wire Nails.
65. 6 papers 2-inch No. 12 Wire Nails.
66. 1/2 dozen No. 7 Cross-cut Saws.
67. 1/2 dozen Cast-steel Hammer Hatchets.
68. 1 dozen Claw Hammers.
69. 3 dozen Cast-steel Square Shovels.
70. 2 dozen Cast-steel Bank Shovels, round pointed.
71. 4 dozen Hack Saw Blades.
72. 1 dozen Grass Sickle.
73. 1 dozen Manure Forks.
74. 4 gross 3/4-inch Carriage Bolts, 2 1/4 inches long.
75. 4 gross 3/4-inch Carriage Bolts, 2 1/2 inches long.
76. 4 gross 3/4-inch Carriage Bolts, 3 inches long.
77. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 2 1/2 inches long.
78. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 3 inches long.
79. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 3 1/2 inches long.
80. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 inches long.
81. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 1/2 inches long.
82. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 inches long.
83. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 1/2 inches long.
84. 4 gross 5-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 inches long.
85. 4 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 1/2 inches long.
86. 4 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 inches long.
87. 4 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 1/2 inches long.
88. 4 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 inches long.
89. 4 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 1/2 inches long.
90. 3 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 inches long.
91. 3 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 1/2 inches long.
92. 3 gross 7-16-inch Carriage Bolts, 7 inches long.
93. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 3 1/2 inches long.
94. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 inches long.
95. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 4 1/2 inches long.
96. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 inches long.
97. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 5 1/2 inches long.
98. 4 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 inches long.
99. 3 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 6 1/2 inches long.
100. 3 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 7 inches long.
101. 3 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 7 1/2 inches long.
102. 3 gross 1/2-inch Carriage Bolts, 8 inches long.
103. 1 dozen Double-end Hand Files, No. 11.
104. 1 dozen Double-end Hand Files, No. 10.
105. 1 dozen Double-end Hand Files, No. 9.
106. 1 dozen Double-end Hand Files, No. 8.
107. 2 dozen 14-inch Flat Files.
108. 1/2 dozen 14-inch Round Files.
109. 2 dozen Hand Smooth Files.
110. 2 6-inch Hand Smooth Files.
111. 1 dozen File Handles.
112. 1 dozen full sheets Emery Cloth, mixed.
113. 25 6-inch Garden Hoes.
114. 250 white oak Pick Handles.
115. 3 12-inch Coe's Monkey Wrenches.
116. 3 8-inch Coe's Monkey Wrenches.
117. 2 16-inch Coe's Monkey Wrenches.
118. 150 Wooden Lawn Rakes, 24 teeth each.
119. 1 5-foot Cross-cut Saw, 2 handles.
120. 75 Cane Road Brooms.
121. 375 Corn Brooms.
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123. 2 Canvas Covers, 10 feet by 18 feet.  
 124. 3 Garden Lines.  
 125. 6 Wooden Water Tubs, 3 feet diameter.  
 126. 2 barrels Valvoline or Boiler Compound of equal quality.  
 127. 6 pairs of Knee Rubber Boots.  
 128. 3 pairs of Hip Rubber Boots.  
 129. 9 boxes of Toilet Paper.

The above materials to be delivered at Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn, as required.  
 The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

- No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 5,000 feet 2-inch Galvanized-iron Pipe.  
 2. 2,500 feet 1-inch Galvanized-iron Pipe.  
 3. 3 dozen Garden Valves, 2-inch.  
 4. 300 lbs. Half-and-half Solder.  
 5. 10 gallons Muriatic Acid.  
 6. 12 boxes Lead Plate Roofing I. C. Charcoal Tin.  
 7. 2 boxes Bright Plate Roofing I. X. Charcoal Tin.  
 8. 1 box Bright Plate Roofing 4 X. Charcoal Tin.  
 9. 4 bundles Best-blown Galvanized Iron No. 24.  
 10. 4 bundles Black Tin, R. G. Soft, No. 24.  
 11. 3 coils 1/2-inch 3-A. Lead Pipe.  
 12. 100 feet 1/2-inch 3-A. Lead Soil Pipe.  
 13. 100 feet 1-inch 3-A. Lead Soil Pipe.  
 14. 3 coils 1-inch 3-A. Lead Pipe.  
 15. 300 feet 4-inch Iron Soil Pipe, extra heavy.  
 16. 500 feet 6-inch Cement Pipe.  
 17. 300 feet 9-inch Cement Pipe.  
 18. 100 feet 12-inch Cement Pipe.  
 19. 500 feet 2 1/2-inch 4-ply Rubber Hose, Double Diamond or equal.  
 20. 500 feet 3/4-inch 4-ply Rubber Hose, Double Diamond or equal, with couplings.  
 21. 500 feet 1-inch 4-ply Rubber Hose, Double Diamond or equal, with couplings.  
 22. 3 dozen Brass Female Couplings, 1/2-inch.  
 23. 3 dozen Patent Brass Couplings, 2 1/2-inch, as per sample.  
 24. 1 dozen Brass 1/2 or 3/4 inch Hose and Plain Bibbs.  
 25. 1 dozen Stop Cocks and Boxes.  
 26. 1/2 dozen Brass Gate Valves, 1-inch.  
 27. 1/2 dozen Brass Gate Valves, 1 1/2-inch.  
 28. 1/2 dozen Brass Gate Valves, 2-inch.  
 29. 1/2 dozen Brass Gate Valves, 2 1/2-inch.  
 30. 1/2 dozen Porcelain W. C. S. full size.  
 31. 1 dozen Porcelain Lipped Urinals, standard size.  
 32. 50 pounds Copper Wire, B. & S. No. 14.  
 33. 50 pounds Bright Iron Wire, No. 9.  
 34. 50 pounds Bright Iron Wire, No. 7.

The above to be delivered at Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn, as required.  
 The amount of security required is Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

- No. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 200 pounds Malleable Iron, for trucks and wagons.  
 2. 25 pounds Wrought-iron Whiffletree Clips.  
 3. 12 sets Wrought-iron Jack Slips.  
 4. 12 pairs Light Hand Cart Wheels, 4 feet 8 inches diameter.  
 5. 6 pairs Hickory Shafts.  
 6. 1 dozen White Oak Poles, for trucks.  
 7. 500 feet Assorted Oak, sizes 2 by 4, 4 by 6, 4 by 7 (wheelwright to examine).  
 8. 1/2 dozen Assorted Wheel Rims, white oak, 2 by 5 inches (back rims to be 4 feet 6 inches diameter, and front rims 3 feet in diameter).

The above to be delivered as required at the Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

- No. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 15 boxes Horseshoe Nails.  
 2. 2 1/2 tons Horseshoe Iron.  
 3. 1 ton Toe and Shoe Steel.  
 4. 1/2 ton Hexagonal Tool Steel, sizes to be 3/8-inch, 1/2-inch and 5/8 inch.  
 5. 1/2 ton Fire Steel.  
 6. 1 Solid Wrought-iron Horseshoe's Anvil, to weigh 175 pounds.  
 7. 5,000 Tire Bolts, assorted sizes.  
 8. 1 bale Waste.  
 9. 4 barrels Machine Oil.  
 10. 300 Iron Settee Legs, 18-in. or equal, 200 lefts and 100 rights.  
 11. 6 dozen Horseshoe Rasps, size 16-inch.  
 12. 6 tons Assorted Iron, as follows:  
 3,500 pounds 1/2-inch, round I.  
 300 pounds 3/8-inch, round.  
 300 pounds 1/2-inch, round.  
 200 pounds 7/16-inch, round.  
 400 pounds 3/4-inch, round.  
 200 pounds 5/16-inch, round.  
 200 pounds 1/4-inch, round (one quarter).  
 100 pounds 1/8-inch, round.  
 Balance of iron to be of flat bars, of the following size:  
 2 1/2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 1/2-inch.  
 2-inch by 1/2-inch.  
 2 1/2-inch by 1/2-inch.  
 2 1/2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 3/8-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 5/16-inch.  
 2-inch by 5/16-inch.  
 2 1/2-inch by 5/16-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 1/4-inch.  
 1 1/2-inch by 1/4-inch.  
 2-inch by 1/4-inch.

The above materials to be delivered, as required, at the Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

- No. 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 6 barrels Raw Linseed Oil.  
 2. 6 barrels Turpentine.  
 3. 1,500 pounds Best Atlantic White Lead, or equal.  
 4. 1 dozen No. 2 Sash Tools.  
 5. 1 dozen 1 1/2-inch Fitches.  
 6. 1 dozen 1-inch Fitches.  
 7. 1 dozen 1/2-inch Fitches.  
 8. 100 pounds Chrome Green, ground in oil.  
 9. 100 pounds Raw Sienna, ground in oil.  
 10. 50 pounds Indian Red, ground in oil.  
 11. 50 pounds Burnt Sienna, ground in oil.  
 12. 50 pounds Ultramarine Blue, ground in oil.  
 13. 50 pounds Venetian Red, ground in oil.  
 14. 50 gallons Coach Drop Black, quick drying.  
 15. 15 gallons Valentine's One-coat Coach Varnish, or equal.  
 16. 4 gallons Brown Japan.  
 17. 10 gallons Liquid Dryer.  
 18. 2 gallons Japan Dryer.  
 19. 5 gallons Top Dressing for wagon tops.  
 20. 1 carboy of Ammonia.  
 21. 1 dozen Lettering and Stripping Pencils.  
 22. 25 gallons of Brown Shellac.  
 23. 10 gallons of Alcohol.  
 24. 50 barrels of Kerosene Oil.  
 25. 1/2 dozen Painters' Dusters.  
 26. 6 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 10 by 12 inches.  
 27. 6 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 12 by 14 inches.  
 28. 3 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 14 by 16 inches.  
 29. 3 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 16 by 20 inches.  
 30. 3 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 12 by 20 inches.  
 31. 3 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 12 by 24 inches.

33. 3 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 18 by 20 inches.  
 34. 2 boxes No. 1 quality American Glass, 18 by 24 inches.  
 35. 1 box No. 1 quality American Glass, 18 by 26 inches.

The above to be delivered, as required, at the Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

- No. 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 120 tons Lehigh Furnace Coal.  
 2. 75 tons Egg Coal.  
 3. 40 tons Furnace and Egg Coal, mixed.  
 4. 650 tons of Stove Coal.  
 The above to be delivered where and when required at the several parks in the Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

- No. 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 30 barrels of Lime.  
 2. 100 barrels of Portland Cement.  
 3. 12 barrels of Whiting.  
 4. 1 barrel of Fire Clay.  
 5. 50 Fire Bricks.  
 6. 10,000 Jersey Hard Bricks.  
 The above to be delivered where and when required at Prospect Park and on the parkways of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Two Hundred and Fifty dollars.

- No. 8, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 3,000 Pine Boards, 7/8-inch thick, 10 inches wide, 13 feet long, dressed on all sides (must conform to sample on exhibition at Prospect Park Workshops).  
 2. 500 Stakes, rough spruce, 4 feet long, 2 inches thick, 4 inches wide.  
 3. 4,000 Split Joists, spruce, 2 feet long, one end pointed, as per sample.  
 4. 300 Whole Joists, spruce, 2 1/2 by 4 inch.  
 5. 300 Half Joists, spruce, dressed on all sides.  
 6. 100 Spruce Planks, 2 by 9 inches, by 13 feet.  
 7. 500 Settee Slats, yellow pine, 1 by 2 1/2 inches, by 6 1/2 feet, dressed two sides, rounded edges, as per sample.  
 8. 100 Spruce Fence Rails, 1 1/2 by 3 inch by 13 feet, two sides.  
 9. 100 Furring Strips, dressed two sides.  
 10. 25,000 Cypress Shingles.  
 11. 500 Yellow Pine Strips, 1 1/4 by 1 1/4 inches by 13 feet, rough.  
 12. 500 feet, B. M., 2-inch Pine Lumber, dressed two sides.  
 13. 1,000 feet, B. M., 1 1/4-inch Pine Lumber, dressed two sides.  
 14. 1,000 feet, B. M., 1-inch White Wood.  
 15. 500 feet, B. M., Shelving, dressed two sides.

The above to be delivered when required at the Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

- No. 9, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 6 Nymphaea Laydekeri Rosea.  
 2. 2 Nymphaea Marliacea Carneae.  
 3. 2 Nymphaea Marliacea Chromatella.  
 4. 4 Nymphaea Alba Candidissima.  
 5. 12 Accrus Japonica Var.  
 6. Caltha Palustris Floraplana.  
 7. Cyperus Papyrus.  
 8. Sagittaria Graminea.  
 9. Striatum and Luteum.  
 10. 12 Nelumbus, as follows: Keronisimul.  
 11. 1 Victoria Trickeri.  
 12. 1 Victoria Randi.  
 13. 1 Nymphaea Odorata Luciana.  
 14. 1 Nymphaea Dianiana.  
 15. 2 Nymphaea Delicatissima.  
 16. 6 Nymphaea Devonensis.  
 17. 6 Nymphaea Cerulea.  
 18. 2 Nymphaea Gigantea.  
 19. 2 Nymphaea O'Marana.  
 20. 4 Nymphaea Smithiana.  
 21. 2 Nymphaea Sturtevantii.  
 22. 3 Nymphaea Pulcheriana.  
 23. 4 Nymphaea Zanzibarica (Royal).

All of the above to be of the best quality, and to be delivered, when required, at Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

- No. 10, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 1. 19 Horse Lawn Mowers, Coldwell's Improved, 35-inch, or their equal, the same to be kept in repair for one year.  
 2. 118 Imperial Hand Mowers, high-wheeled, 18-inch, or their equal, the same to be kept in repair for one year.  
 3. 1 Single-horse Buckeye Mowing Machine, 36-inch cut, or equal.

The above to be delivered at the Prospect Park Workshops, Borough of Brooklyn, within thirty days.  
 The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

- No. 11, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
 21,250 Compressed Trinidad Asphalt Tiles, hexagonal in shape, and to measure 8 by 8 by 2 1/4 inches each.

The above to be delivered where and when required at Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

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

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 that he is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the office of the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
 AUGUST MOEBUS,  
 GEORGE V. BROWER,  
 Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, March 17, 1898.  
 SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING  
 This Department with the articles below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 30, 1898, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

- 375,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.  
 75,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw.  
 300,000 pounds net weight, No. 2 white Clipped Oats to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

42,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran.  
 To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department in the Borough of Brooklyn, and in Long Island City, Borough of Queens, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be inspected and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employee in charge in the presence of an Inspector. The weighing to be upon beam scales furnished by the Department and transported by the contractor.

All of the hay, straw and oats shall be subject to inspection by a Produce Exchange Inspector at any time required by the Department (not exceeding three times during the deliveries under this contract), the expense of which inspections shall be borne by the contractors.

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 articles, and list showing locations and places of delivery, 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 cwt. for Hay, Straw, Oats and Bran.  
 Bidders must 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 work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, as may be 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 Four Thousand (4,000) 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. 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 Two Hundred (200) 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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
 Commissioner.

NEW YORK, March 17, 1898.  
 SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING  
 This Department with the Badges and Insignia below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 30, 1898, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

- 2,000 Cap Badges for Privates.  
 2,000 Coat Badges for Privates.  
 250 Official Badges.  
 200 sets Insignia for Foremen.  
 200 sets Insignia for Assistant Foremen.

All of the articles are to be in every respect equal to the samples to be seen at the Headquarters of the Fire Department, as above.

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 articles may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 (1,000) 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. 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 Fifty (50) 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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
 Commissioner.

NEW YORK, March 17, 1898.  
 SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING  
 This Department with the articles below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 30, 1898, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.



250 gross German Silver Nickel-plated Uniform Buttons for Overcoats.  
210 gross German Silver Nickel-plated Uniform Buttons for Jackets.  
280 gross German Silver Nickel-plated Uniform Buttons for Vests.

All of the buttons are to be in every respect equal to the samples to be seen at the Headquarters of the Fire Department as above.

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 articles, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price for Uniform Buttons.

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 (\$1,000) 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. 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 Fifty (\$50) Dollars. 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.

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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Commissioner.

NEW YORK, March 17, 1898.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, VIZ.:**

1,600 tons egg size,  
300 tons furnace size

—will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 30, 1898, 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.  
"Pittston," 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, and the fireboats of the Department, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, 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. 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 must write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures, stating the price per ton for each size and the total amount.

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 Commissioner 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 Four Thousand Five Hundred (\$4,500) Dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller or money to the amount of Two Hundred and Twenty-five (\$225) Dollars. 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.

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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Commissioner.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—**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 Patrolman of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLANCHFORD,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 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 Patrolman of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 23, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS TO MILLS BUILDING, AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL GROUNDS, FOOT EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, April 4, 1898, until 12 o'clock M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Materials and Work Required for Alterations to Mills Building, at Bellevue Hospital Grounds, foot East Twenty-sixth street, New York City," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architects, Horgan & Slattery, No. 1 Madison Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,  
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 23, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND NEW PLUMBING AT INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, April 4, 1898, until 12 o'clock M.

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

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

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

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

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

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

a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architects, Horgan & Slattery, No. 1 Madison Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,  
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 26, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR CERTAIN REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO STEAMER "THOMAS S. BRENNAN."**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Monday, March 28, 1898, until 12 o'clock M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Materials and Work Required for certain Repairs and Alterations to Steamer 'Thomas S. Brennan,'" and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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



calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer, No. 66 Third Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,  
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 16, 1898.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION OF NEW GAS-MAKING APPARATUS AT GAS-HOUSE, RANDALL'S ISLAND.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in The City of New York, until Monday, March 28, 1898, until 12 o'clock M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Materials and Work Required for Installation of New Gas Making Apparatus at Gas House, Randall's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies 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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JOHN W. KELLER, President,  
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JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1898.

## LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES NO. 5, AND LIST OF REPAIRS NO. 2, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** below-mentioned hospital supplies and repairs will be received at the Central Office of this Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, March 28, 1898, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

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

The awards will be made to the lowest bidders (see also note at end of specifications for supplies). The Department reserves the right to take more or less, or none at all, of any of the articles, according as the demand therefor may be.

All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department, and not on samples furnished by the bidder. Samples will be on exhibition at the Central Office of this Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, during office hours, from March 21, until the bids are opened.

## I.—SPECIFICATIONS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES, NO. 5.

## A. DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

Prices without conditions and including containers, except carboys.

Line More  
No. or less.  
1135. 2 Kilos Acid Acetic, glacial Squibb, 2 1/2 lb. b.  
1136. 6 carboys Acid Hydrochloric "pale" P & W's.

N. B.—Carboys to be charged (at each), but returnable at the option of the Department, in which case their price is to be deducted from bill.

**Aniline Colors.**

1137. 4 ounces Enrich-Biondi Powder, Grubler's, 1 oz. v.  
1138. 4 ounces Methylene Blue, Grubler's, 1 oz. v.  
1139. 4 ounces Methyl Orange (Helianthin), Grubler's, 1 oz. v.  
1140. 4 ounces Methyl Violet, 5 B. Grubler's, 1 oz. v.

1141. 4 ounces Orange G., Grubler's, 1 oz. v.  
1142. 50 pounds Copper Sulphate, cryst., 25 lb. box.  
1143. 3 pounds Fl. Ext. Cactus, grandiflorus, 1 lb. b.  
1144. 3 pounds Fl. Ext. Wormseed, 1 lb. b.  
1145. 3 pounds Fl. Ext. Pumpkin Seed, 1 lb. b.  
1146. 1 pound Iron Citrate, U. S. P.  
1147. 10 pounds Lead Oleate, Ointment, 20 per cent., 1 lb. jars.

1148. 10 gall. Maltzyne, plain, or in combination, 1 gall. dem.

1149. 4 oz. Mercury Salicylate, 1 oz. v.

1150. 2 oz. Chlorophthalmic, 1 oz. v.

1151. 10-50 Pills, Bland's, with Arsenic.

1152. 50 pounds Potassium Carbonate, 5 lb. b.

1153. 2-1000 Woodbridge Treatment Tablets, No. 1.

1154. 2-1000 Woodbridge Treatment Tablets, No. 2.

1155. 2-100 Woodbridge Treatment Capsules, No. 3.

1156. 1/2 cask (ab. 20 gall.) French Brandy, Otard, or Hennessy, or Martell, or E. Remy-Martin, vintage of 1888, to be delivered directly out of bond, duty paid, to representative of the Department, upon order of the contractor. Bill to be accompanied by gauger's certificate. Price per wine-gallon, irrespective of proof.

## B. SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

1158. 1 Aspirating Syringe (1 1/2 drachms), with splenic needle.

1159. 3 dozen Bistouries, all metal, Tiemann & Co., straight, curved, all probe-pointed.

1160. 2 Clamps "Bellevue," Tiemann's.

1161. 1 Curette-Forceps, Emmett's, Tiemann's.

1162. 1 Depressor, Sims' Vaginal.

1163. 2 Forceps, Wyle's Tenaculum (sample).

1164. 2 Forceps, Knapp's Roller.

1165. 2 Kelly's Pads, square.

1166. 2 Mirrors, w. handles, concave, 2 1/2 inch.

1167. 2 Needles, Polk's Aneurism; Tiemann's.

1168. 2 Retractors, Lateral Vaginal, Tiemann's.

1169. 2 Retractors, Jacobs' Abdominal, Tiemann's.

1170. 2 Scissors, Saigon's Tiemann's.

1171. 2 Screws, Tampon.

1172. 20 spools Surgical Silk, loose twisted, white, assorted like samples, J. Elwood Lee Co.'s 1/2 ounce spools.

1173. 1 Speculum w. Ball Weight, Garrigues', Tiemann's.

1174. 2 Specula, Edebohl's, Reyniers'.

1175. 1 Syringe, I. Koch's Tuberculin (sample).

1176. 1 Catgut Winding Apparatus with 12 bobbins.

To be made on the plan of that to be seen at the General Drug Department, on Friday, March 25, between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., but so arranged and adjustable that it may hold bobbins up to 3 inches in diameter and from 1 to 6 inches long. Bobbins to be as follows: Six of mahogany, with brass axles, of 1 1/4 inches, 1 1/2 inches and 2 inches diameter and 4 inches long; six of brass, solid ends, connected by 12 brass rods, as shown by sketch, of same diameter and length.

Line More  
No. or less.  
1177. 3 gross Nipples, soft rubber, like sample.  
1178. 2 dozen Rubber Bandages, Martin's, assorted; price, per lb.  
1179. 1 Urethrotome, Fluhrer-Maisonnette; Tiemann's.  
1179a. 6 dozen Invalid Rings, Parker, Stearns & Sutton's, 16-inch, plain.

## C. MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

**Books for Drugstores.**

1190. 2 copies National Dispensatory.

1191. 2 copies U. S. Dispensary.

1192. 4 copies National Formulary.

1193. 2 copies U. S. Pharmacopoeia.

1194. 3 gross boxes Paper, 3 1/2 x 2 1/4 x 1 1/4 inches (sample).

1195. 1 each Burners, Fletcher's, E. & A. 58x3, 3 1/2 inches and 5 inches; and No. 58x4, 4 inches and 6 inches.

1196. 6 dozen each Chemical Corks, best velvet, selected (like sample), 1 3/16 inch thick; diameter at narrow end: 1 1/8 inch, 1 1/4 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 2-inch, 2 1/4 inch, 2 1/2 inch, 2 3/4 inch, 3-inch, 3 1/4 inch.

1197. 3 each Evaporating Dishes, E. & A. 6173, 8 oz., 10 oz., 24 oz., 32 oz.

## Dry Goods.

1198. 1 piece (about 110 yards) Brown Denim, "National," 9 oz.

1199. 100 yards Twilled Toweling (sample).

1200. 500 yards Tape (sample).

1201. 100 yards Bleached Muslin, "Dwight Anchor," 10-4.

## Glassware.

1202. 17 gross bottles Flint Poison, W. T. & Co's, 5 gro. 1 oz.; 5 gro. 2 oz.; 3 gro. 4 oz.; 2 gro. 8 oz.

1203. 1 dozen Bottles, Sterilizing, for Kny's Milk Sterilizer No. 19720.

1204. 1 dozen each, Fl. sks, Erlentmeyer's, 6 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz., 24 oz.

1205. 6 each, Funnels, Glass, E. & A. 6388, diam., 1-inch, 1 1/2 inch, 2-inch, 2 1/2 inch, 3-inch, 4-inch.

1206. 2 gross Glycerine Jelly Jars, W. T. & Co's, 1 oz.

1207. 1 dozen Jars, Ointment, white, flat top, 4 lbs., W. T. & Co.

1208. 1 dozen Tubes, Glass, w. Caps, for Brown's Catgut Sterilizer, Kny's.

1209. 1 dozen Tubes, Sterilizing, Markoe's, Kny (19820).

## Hardware.

1210. 2 each Cold Chisels, best steel, 1/2-inch, 3/4-inch, 1-inch.

1211. 2 each Box Chisels, best steel, 10-inch, 12-inch.

1212. 3 Corkscrews, Automatic, Empire Knife Co.'s Automatic No. 3.

1213. 3 Wrenches, Baxter's S, 4-inch, 6-inch, 8-inch.

1214. 200 running feet Green Wire Cloth, 48 inches wide.

1215. 1 Microscope Stand, B. & L.'s "BB," but without objectives.

1216. 1 Mortar and Pestle, iron, bell-shaped, 8 qt.

1217. 1 pound Perforated Shot.

1218. 8 Sieves, Druggists', 16 inches diam. (like sample), Nos. 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60.

1219. 3 Thermometers, Chemical, E. and A. 8287, 100° C. in 1-5; 100° C. in 1-10; 200° C. in 1-5.

1220. 300 Manila Wrappers, like sample as to style, but in size, 9 inches by 6 1/2 inches.

1221. 6 Alarm Clocks (f. Sterilizers, etc.), like sample.

1222. 20 yards Buff Hollands (sample), 2 yards wide.

NOTE.—In the case of numbers 1137 to 1147; 1153 to 1155; 1190 to 1193; 1195; 1197; 1198 to 1201; 1204; 1205; 1218; and 1219, the award will be made to the lowest bidder for the combined articles under the respective numbers or group of numbers.

## II.—SPECIFICATIONS FOR REPAIRS.

**Notice to Bidders.**—Each article is marked with the name of the institution or division to which it belongs. Upon return, each must be marked in the same manner. All repairs must be made in the most thorough manner, so as to render each article as good as new. All articles which had been plated before, must be replated and polished; cutting instruments thoroughly sharpened, and, if necessary, plated and polished. Incomplete instruments or sets (such as hypodermic syringes, etc.) must be completed in all their parts. If any article is found beyond repair, a new one of as good a quality as the condemned one had been when new, must be supplied.

All repairs must be completed within eight days after the articles have been delivered to the successful bidders, except in special cases when a longer time is clearly shown to be necessary.

The contractor is to take away two of the above at a time and return them before taking away the others. The inside of the boilers and still is to be retinned with Banca tin, all joints to be resoldered, seams to be resweated, flanges to be repacked, steam-proof, with red lead, and surfaces, including that of lids, straightened and reshaped by hammering. The condenser is to be tested and, if necessary, provided with a new coil of pure black-tin pipe, uniformly descending without forming pockets. Gaskets to be furnished for the several flanges of the still. Also 12 new clamps to be furnished like sample shown, but with modification as described on tag.

Bidders will please call at the General Drug Department at the same time and place as is mentioned under No. 1230.

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

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

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

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poration upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be 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.

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.

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 66 Third Avenue, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF  
ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS.

Office of the Deputy Collector of Assessments  
Arrears, Edgewater Village, Stapleton, S. I.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE TAX** rolls and warrants for the collection of taxes for the year 1897 for the Towns of Castleton, Northfield, Middletown, Southfield and Westfield, comprising the assessment roll of the County of Richmond, has been transmitted to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears by the Comptroller of The City of New York, and that the said taxes will be received for thirty days from the date hereof (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M. at the following places, to wit:

## TOWN OF CASTLETON.

By Matthew J. Cahill, Assistant Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, No. 29 Fourth street, corner Henderson Avenue, New Brighton.

## TOWN OF NORTHFIELD.

By Abram Greenwald, Assistant Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at Prudential Building, Richmond Avenue, Port Richmond.

## TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN.

By Michael Cahill, Assistant Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

## TOWN OF SOUTHFIELD.

By Reinhard Kaltenmeier, Assistant Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, No. 32 St. Mary's Avenue, Rosebank.

## TOWN OF WESTFIELD.

By Jacob Herrell, Assistant Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Main street, near Broadway, Tottenville.

And notice is further given, that for thirty



# DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
MAIN OFFICE, NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING,  
No. 346 BROADWAY.

## CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to which they relate, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the first day of April, 1898, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of forage, as follows:

- 1,001,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Prime Hay.
- 196,000 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.
- 1,696,000 pounds clean No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.
- 65,500 pounds first quality Bran.
- 3,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.
- 3,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt.
- 2,000 pounds first quality Oil Meal.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of two (2) guarantee or surety companies, duly authorized by law to act as surety, incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which The City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all the bids, if, in his judgment, it be deemed best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

JAMES MCCARTNEY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated New York, March 15, 1898.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, March 12, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved forms of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for constructing retaining and stairway masonry, and doing other work pertaining thereto, near Shaft No. 25 of the New Croton Aqueduct, in The City of New York, will be received at this office until Wednesday, March 30, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M., and they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their inclosure, form of bonds, and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,  
PETER J. DOOLING,  
President.  
HARRY W. WALKER,  
Secretary.

# DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,  
January 6, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by section 892 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897 that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the first day of May, 1898.

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

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

THOMAS L. FEITNER,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
THOMAS J. PATTERSON,  
WILLIAM F. GRELL,  
ARTHUR C. SALMON,

Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments

## SUPREME COURT.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 16th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 18th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Park avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the easterly side of Park avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Park avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 14, 1898.  
JAMES M. VARNUM, Chairman,  
M. A. SWEENEY,  
PHILIP W. YUNG,  
Commissioners.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 a PUBLIC PLACE OR SQUARE lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad avenue, East, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 14th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the middle line of the block between Mott avenue and Walton avenue and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the prolongation northerly of the middle line of the blocks between Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and Canal place; thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line of the blocks between Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and Canal place, to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Third avenue to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence southerly along said line to the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence northerly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Mott avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along said line drawn parallel to Mott avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line to the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line to the middle line of the blocks between Mott avenue and Walton avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Mott avenue and Walton avenue to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 10, 1898.  
FORDHAM MORRIS,  
Chairman,  
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,  
Commissioners.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 9th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 9th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 11th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to a point in said middle line distant about 225 feet from the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence southerly along a straight line to a point in the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and distant about 225.37 feet from

the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence on a straight line crossing East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence southeasterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street to a line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the westerly side of Brook avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Brook avenue to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence westerly along the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard and said northerly side produced westerly to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Third avenue to the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house in The City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 10, 1898.  
FORDHAM MORRIS,  
Chairman,  
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,  
Commissioners.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 EDGECOMBE ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to a point in the easterly side of Tenth avenue opposite One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of March, 1898, 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 County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 12, 1898.  
EDWARD F. O'DWYER,  
ISAAC FROMME,  
BENJ. PERKINS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 9th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 9th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 11th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Seneca avenue with the Bronx river and running thence southeasterly along the Bronx river to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Lafayette avenue and Spofford avenue prolonged easterly; thence westerly along the said prolongation and the middle line of blocks between Lafayette avenue and Spofford avenue to the westerly side of Tiffany street; thence southerly along the said westerly side of Tiffany street to the northerly side of Spofford avenue; thence southerly crossing Longwood avenue and along the northwesterly side of Truxton street to the middle line of the blocks between Longwood avenue and Worthen street; thence northerly along the said middle line to the southeasterly side of Mohawk avenue; thence westerly to the middle line of the block between Longwood avenue and Craven street; thence northerly along the said middle line to the northwesterly line of the Harlem and Portchester Railroad; thence southwesterly along the said northwesterly line of the Harlem and Portchester Railroad to a line drawn parallel to Craven street and distant 200 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly side thereof; thence northwesterly along said line to its intersection with the southeasterly side of Dawson



street; thence northeasterly along the said southeasterly side of Dawson street and the said southeasterly side produced to a line drawn parallel to Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line to the middle line of the blocks between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to the middle line of the blocks between Tiffany street and Baretto street; thence southeasterly along said middle line to the northwesterly side of Mohawk avenue; thence easterly to a point in the southeasterly side of Mohawk avenue midway between Hunts Point road and Lafayette avenue; thence easterly on a straight line to a point in the easterly side of Hunts Point road, midway between Mohawk avenue and Lafayette avenue; thence along the middle line of the blocks between Mohawk avenue and Lafayette avenue to the centre line of Seneca avenue; thence along the said centre line of Seneca avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, March 8, 1898.

ARTHUR H. MASTEN,

Chairman,

WILLIAM C. HILL,

JULIAN B. SHOPE,

Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of March, 1898; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 10, 1898.

PHILIP A. SMYTH,

ALBERT SANDERS,

ANDREW J. CONNICK,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of March, 1898; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 10, 1898.

PHILIP A. SMYTH,

ALBERT SANDERS,

ANDREW J. CONNICK,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

**NOTICE OF FILING THE SECOND PARTIAL AND SEPARATE ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE, AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM THE SECOND PARTIAL AND SEPARATE REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE.**

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the 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, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land between East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue and the Harbor Commissioner's line of the Harlem river, and between the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Willis avenue and the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Willis avenue, and to a right of way or easement between the United States pier-head-line of the Harlem river and One Hundred and Thirty-second street at Willis avenue, for the construction of a bridge over the Harlem river and approaches thereto, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Willis avenue, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 147 of the Laws of 1894.

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

First—That we have completed our second partial and separate estimate of damage in the above-entitled matter, embracing all those certain pieces or parcels of land and right of way or easement therein from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue to the United States bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, and from the United States bulkhead-line of the Harlem river to One Hundred and Thirty-second street, together with the damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of a steel viaduct or other approach to the said bridge to the owners of property fronting on Willis avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and One Hundred and Thirty-third street or Southern Boulevard, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 26th day of March, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 26th day of March, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 14th day of April, 1898.

Third—That our second partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, February 28, 1898.

ARTHUR BERRY,

E. W. BLOOMINGDALE,

EDWARD B. WHITNEY,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the sixth day of April, 1898; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said sixth day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 7th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventieth street from a line drawn parallel to Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by the northerly side of Marcy place and said northerly side produced from a line drawn parallel to Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; and on the west by a line drawn parallel to

Macomb's Dam road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, February 10, 1898.

G. THORNTON WARREN,

Chairman;

MICHAEL COLEMAN,

CHARLES GERLICH,

Commissioners.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 13th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 14th day of April, 1898.

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

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly side of Teller avenue with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-second and East One Hundred and Sixty-third streets; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Morris avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Morris avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence easterly along said middle line to a line drawn parallel to College avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along said line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to a line drawn parallel to Findlay avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence easterly along said middle line to the westerly side of Teller avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Teller avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, February 23, 1898.

SAMUEL D. LEVY,

Chairman;

JULIUS STICH,

SIMON C. NOOT,

Commissioners.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of April, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 6th day of April, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 7th day of April, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point, said point being the intersection of a line drawn parallel to Van Cortlandt avenue and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof with the prolongation northerly of a line drawn parallel to Villa place (avenue) and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line drawn parallel to Van Cortlandt avenue and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof

to the prolongation northerly of a line drawn parallel to Villa place (avenue) and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said prolongation and a line drawn parallel to Villa place (avenue) and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the northeasterly side of the Southern Boulevard or East Two Hundredth street; thence southerly to a point in the southeasterly side of the Southern Boulevard or East Two Hundredth street distant about 100 feet northerly from its intersection with the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly on a line drawn at right angles to the Southern Boulevard or East Two Hundredth street to a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard or East Two Hundredth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southeasterly side thereof; thence northwesterly along the said line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard or East Two Hundredth street about 250 feet; thence northeasterly on a line drawn at right angles to said line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of a line drawn parallel to Villa place (avenue) and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along said prolongation and line drawn parallel to Villa place (avenue) and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of May, 1898, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, February 1, 1898.

JAMES L. ARROWSMITH,

RO. L. HARRISON,

Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.

EDWARD BROWNE,

WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,

ROGER FOSTER,

Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening of a PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Elton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue, and also PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Washington avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 29th day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at



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

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
DANIEL F. SHEEHAN,  
JAMES P. ARCHIBALD,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
FRANKLIN BIEN,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
JOSEPH FREEDMAN,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
GEORGE M. VAN HOESSEN,  
SAM'L SANDERS,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit

and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
SAMUEL H. ORDWAY,  
JAMES M. VARNUM,  
JOHN W. STOCKER,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
DANIEL P. INGRAHAM,  
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,  
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

ment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
WILHELM MCBRIDE,  
JOHN E. FITZGERALD,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
JOHN M. DAILY,  
CHARLES GERLICH,  
Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of January, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
AS A. ALLING,  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
BERTHOLD SALZBERGER,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Council to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, for a site for the erection of a building for Court purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss, damage and compensation to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of erecting the above-mentioned building for court purposes, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of application for said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 1897.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of erecting the said building for court purposes, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, and we the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear said owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 3, 1898.  
GEO. M. VAN HOESSEN,  
JOSEPH FREEDMAN,  
PATRICK H. WHALEN,  
Commissioners.

## SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Charles H. T. Collis, as Commissioner of Public Works, 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 the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of The City of New York.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** we, the undersigned, Howard Thornton and James E. Kent, Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of July, 1896, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County on the 13th day of August, 1896, Commissioners to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of, and persons interested in, the real estate laid down on maps of land to be acquired and affected herein filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Putnam, on the 12th day of March, 1893, and the 2d day of July, 1895, will apply to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof to be held in and for the Second Judicial District or Department in the village of White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the 26th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of a commissioner in the place of Eugene Durbin, deceased, the said Eugene Durbin having departed this life subsequent to the making and entry of the order herebefore referred to.

The application is made in pursuance of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, being an act to provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of The City of New York, and public notice is further given that at the above-mentioned Special Term a petition will be presented by the undersigned for the appointment of a Commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the said Eugene Durbin, and for such other order in the premises as to the Court shall seem meet and proper.

Dated New York, March 15, 1898.

HOWARD THORNTON,  
JAMES E. KENT.

Office and Post-office address (for the purpose of this application) Office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, 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, 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 the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of The City of New York.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** we, the undersigned, Edward Wright and Elbert T. Bailey, Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 21st day of April, 1894, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County, commissioners to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and persons interested in the real estate laid down on a map of lands to be acquired and affected herein filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Putnam on the 26th day of February, 1894, will apply to the Supreme Court at a Special Term thereof to be held in and for the Second Judicial District or Department in the village of White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the 26th day of March, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for the appointment of a commissioner in the place of Eugene Durbin, deceased, the said Eugene Durbin having departed this life subsequent to the making and entry of the order herebefore referred to.

This application is made in pursuance of Chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, being an act to provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York, and public notice is further given that at the above-mentioned Special Term a petition will be presented by the undersigned for the appointment of a commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the said Eugene Durbin, and for such other order in the premises as to the Court shall seem meet and proper.

Dated New York, March 15, 1898.

EDWARD WRIGHT,  
ELBERT T. BAILEY.

Office and Post-office address (for the purpose of this application) Office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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