

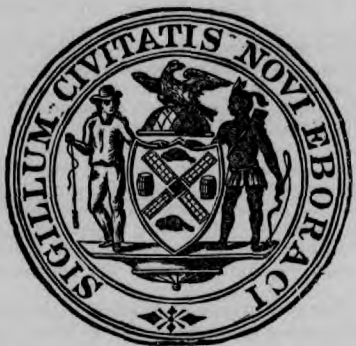
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CORPORATION ATTORNEY'S REPORT.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by GEORGE W. LYON, Corporation Attorney, for the month of December, 1897, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 14, Article II., Chapter IV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1880; and of Sections 56 and 216 of Chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.

Dec.	WHAT FOR.	JUDG- MENTS.	PENAL- TIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
1.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		\$5 00	\$2 50	\$7 50
1.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	40 00		40 00	
2.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		10 00	10 00	
2.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. John Stauck.....	250 00		250 00	
3.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		5 00	2 50	7 50
3.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Charles C. Schildwachter, Jr.....		12 00		12 00
3.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Minnie Freedman, Sigmund Feuchtwanger, Jacob Feuchtwanger and Ella Coelho.....		25 00		25 00
4.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		10 00	2 50	12 50
6.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....	\$93 00	5 00	5 00	103 00
6.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. William Wach. Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		10 00		10 00
7.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		3 00	2 50	5 50
7.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		50 00	2 50	52 50
8.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		5 00	5 00	10 00
8.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Joseph Toner and James Naughton.....		10 00		10 00
8.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. John Brennan and Henry G. Peters.....		20 00		20 00
8.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. George Miller and Julia Swan.....		10 00		10 00
9.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	7 50	5 00	5 00	17 50
9.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		50 00	2 50	52 50
13.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		10 00	5 00	15 00
13.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....		10 00		10 00
14.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....		40 00		40 00
14.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		10 00	2 50	12 50
14.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Clarence Hadley.....		8 00		8 00
15.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Frederick Carl.....		91 19		91 19
16.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		50 00	2 50	52 50
16.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Samuel Grier.....		250 00	22 50	272 50
16.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Gustav Koch.....		100 00		100 00
17.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		200 00		200 00
17.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....			2 50	2 50
17.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....		80 00	7 50	87 50
20.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		40 00		40 00
20.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....		75 00	5 00	80 00
20.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....		70 00	7 50	77 50
20.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....		6 00		6 00
20.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....		6 00		6 00
22.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....		5 00		5 00
23.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		50 00	2 50	52 50
23.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....		40 00		40 00
24.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		7 50		7 50
24.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		5 00	2 50	7 50
24.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Byron Bell and James Patterson.....		5 00	6 03	11 03
27.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		60 00	5 00	65 00
27.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. John Brennan and Henry G. Peters.....		50 00		50 00
28.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....		5 00	5 00	10 00
28.....	Violation Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....		5 00	2 50	7 50
28.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....		40 00		40 00
28.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Harry D. S. Monroe and Mary D. Crandall.....		10 00		10 00
29.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	52 50	10 00	5 00	67 50
30.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Thomas Rice.....		150 00		150 00
Total amount collected.....					\$2,354 72
Amount paid over to John P. Faure, Trustee, in the case of The People ex rel. The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
The same in the case of Charles C. Schildwachter, Jr.....					250 00
The same in the case of Minnie Freedman, Sigmund Feuchtwanger, Jacob Feuchtwanger and Ella Coelho.....					12 00
The same in the case of Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....					25 00
The same in the case of William Wach.....					10 00
The same in the case of Joseph Toner and James Naughton.....					20 00
The same in the case of John Brennan and Henry G. Peters.....					10 00
The same in the case of George Miller and Julia Swan.....					10 00
The same in the case of Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....					10 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
The same in the case of Clarence Hadley.....					8 00
The same in the case of Frederick Carl.....					91 19
The same in the case of Samuel Grier.....					100 00
The same in the case of Gustav Koch.....					200 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
The same in the case of Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....					6 00
The same in the case of Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....					6 00
The same in the case of Samuel Robb and John Ravensburg.....					5 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
The same in the case of Byron Bell and James Patterson.....					5 00
The same in the case of John Brennan and Henry G. Peters.....					50 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....					40 00
The same in the case of Harry D. S. Monroe and Mary T. Crandall.....					10 00
The same in the case of Thomas Rice.....					150 00
Amount paid over to Avery D. Andrews, Treasurer, Police Pension Fund, being one-half of penalties collected for violation of Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....					397 50
Amount paid over to Treasurer of New York Fire Department Relief Fund, being one-half of penalties collected for violation of Chapter 174, Laws of 1897.....					397 50
Disbursements.....					113 73
					\$2,106 92
Balance due the City.....					247 80

G. W. LYON, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police, acting as the City Board of Canvassers, met on the 20th day of December, 1897, at 10.20 o'clock A. M.

Present—Commissioners Moss, Andrews, Parker and Smith.

The Secretary reported having received from William H. Ten Eyck, Secretary of the Board of County Canvassers of the County of New York, a statement of the votes cast for Alderman in the Nineteenth Assembly District.

The Secretary also reported having received from the County Canvassers of the County of Richmond a statement of the votes given for the office of President of the Borough of Richmond, for the office of Coroner of the Borough of Richmond, for the office of Member of the Council for the Tenth Council District of the City of New York, and Supervisor of the County of Richmond, for the office of Alderman of the City of New York and Supervisor of the County of Richmond.

The Board then proceeded to canvass the statement of the Board of County Canvassers of the County of New York as follows:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1897.

STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ACTING AS THE CITY BOARD OF CANVASSERS,

In relation to the votes given

FOR ALDERMAN FOR THE NINETEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT IN THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The Board of Police Commissioners of the City of New York, having met on this 20th day of December, 1897, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 381 of the Laws of 1897, as the City Board of Canvassers of the City of New York, as constituted by the Greater New York Charter, to canvass and estimate the votes given in the several counties and parts of counties included within the City of New York, as constituted by said act, at the general election held on the 2d day of November, in the year aforesaid, do certify as follows:

That it appears upon such estimate and canvass, that

The whole number of votes given for the office of Alderman for the Nineteenth Assembly District in the County of New York was Ten thousand seven hundred and ninety-four.....

10,794

Of which John S. Geagan received Three thousand six hundred and sixty-eight.....

3,668

Of which Howard P. Okie received Three thousand six hundred and sixty-three.....

3,663

Of which Theodore P. Gilman received Three thousand and fifty-five.....

3,055

Of which Frederick Richter received Eighty-four.....

84

Of which William C. McGregor received Nine.....

9

Of which George H. Stone received One.....

1

And of which there were Blank Three hundred and fourteen.....

314

10,794

The number of general ballots "protested as marked for identification," all of which were counted for the several candidates voted thereon for the office of Alderman, was One hundred and six.....

106

The number of ballots which were rejected as void, on which No vote for any candidate for the office of Alderman was counted, was Seventy-one.....

71

We certify this statement to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested by the signatures of the members of the Board of Police, or a majority of them, this twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

FRANK MOSS.
AVERY D. ANDREWS.
ANDREW D. PARKER.
GEORGE MOORE SMITH.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1897.

The Board of Police Commissioners of the City of New York, having met on the 20th day of December, 1897, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 381 of the Laws of 1897, as the City Board of Canvassers of the City of New York, as constituted by the Greater New York Charter, and canvassed the certified statements of the Boards of County Canvassers of the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, of the votes cast at the election held on the second day of November, A. D. 1897, for municipal officers in the City of New York, so constituted, do hereby certify, determine and declare:

That John S. Geagan, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman for the Nineteenth District, in the Borough of Manhattan.

We certify this determination and declaration to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested by the signatures of the members of the Board of Police, or a majority of them, this twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

FRANK MOSS.
AVERY D. ANDREWS.
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GEORGE MOORE SMITH.

The Board was then served with an order from the Supreme Court of Richmond County, enjoining the City Board of Canvassers from taking any action whatever upon the statements of the votes cast for the office of President of the Borough of Richmond, which order was referred to the Council to the Corporation.

The Board then proceeded to canvass the certified statement of the Board of County Canvassers, excepting as far as the same relates to the President of the Borough of Richmond, as follows:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1897.

STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ACTING AS THE CITY BOARD OF CANVASSERS,

In relation to the votes given

FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
FOR CORONERS OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
FOR ALDERMAN OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The Board of Police Commissioners of the City of New York, having met on this 20th day of December, 1897, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 381 of the Laws of 1897, as the City Board of Canvassers of the City of New York, as constituted by the Greater New York Charter, to canvass and estimate the votes given in the several counties and parts of counties included within the City of New York, as constituted by said act, at the general election held on the 2d day of November, in the year aforesaid, do certify as follows:

Tenth Council District.

That it appears upon such estimate and canvass, that

The whole number of votes given for the office of Member of the Council for the Tenth Council District was Twenty-one thousand three hundred and forty-eight.....

21,348

Of which Joseph F. O'Grady received Six thousand one hundred and forty-nine.....

6,149

Of which Benjamin J. Bodine received Five thousand and forty.....

5,040

Of which William A. Johnston received Three thousand nine hundred and nineteen.....

3,919

Of which Guy S. Brantingham received Two thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight.....

2,958

Of which Erastus Wiman received One thousand seven hundred and seventy-three.....

1,773

Of which Henry B. Montgomery received Nine hundred and eighteen.....

918

Of which William H. Deput received One hundred and sixty-seven.....

167

Of which William Van Vorst received One hundred and fifty-six.....

156

Of which George Schenck received One hundred and fifty-three.....

153

Of which James C. Howard received One hundred and fifteen.....

115

21,348

That it appears upon such estimate and canvass, that

The whole number of votes given for the office of Coroner of the Borough of Richmond was Twenty-one thousand and fifty-four.....

21,054

Of which John Seaver received Five thousand two hundred and ninety-three.....

5,293

Of which George C. Tranter received Four thousand nine hundred and forty-two.....

4,942

Of which William B. Wilkinson received Three thousand five hundred and twenty-three	3,523
Of which Henry A. Guyon received Three thousand and twenty-seven.....	3,027
Of which Edward D. Coonley received One thousand and thirty-five.....	1,035
Of which John T. Sprague received One thousand and thirty-two.....	1,032
Of which John T. Oates received Seven hundred and sixty.....	760
Of which James Lyle received Five hundred and thirty-six.....	536
Of which George Meurer, Jr., received Four hundred and five.....	405
Of which Charles Bauscher received One hundred and seventy-seven.....	177
Of which Alva D. Decker received One hundred and sixty-seven.....	167
Of which Knut K. Halvorsen received One hundred and fifty-seven.....	157

21,054

That it appears upon such estimate and canvass, that
The whole number of votes given for the office of Alderman in the County of Richmond was Ten thousand two hundred and seventy-eight.....

10,278

Of which John J. Vaughan, Jr., received Five thousand one hundred and thirty-one	5,131
Of which Anning S. Pratt received Three thousand and eighty.....	3,080
Of which Walter Durbrow received One thousand and seventy-seven.....	1,077
Of which Julius C. Muller received Six hundred and seventy-five.....	675
Of which Robert F. Williams received One hundred and fifty-eight.....	158
Of which George S. Sullivan received One hundred and fifty-seven.....	157

10,278

We certify this statement to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested by the signatures of the members of the Board of Police, or a majority of them, this twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

FRANK MOSS.
AVERY D. ANDREWS.
ANDREW D. PARKER.
GEORGE MOORE SMITH.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 20, 1897.

The Board of Police Commissioners of the City of New York, having met on the 20th day of December, 1897, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 381 of the Laws of 1897, as the City Board of Canvassers of the City of New York, as constituted by the Greater New York Charter, and canvassed the certified statements of the Boards of County Canvassers of the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, of the votes cast at the election held on the second day of November, A. D. 1897, for municipal officers in the City of New York, so constituted, do hereby certify, determine and declare:

That John Seaver and George C. Tranter, by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Coroners for the Borough of Richmond.

That Joseph F. O'Grady, Benjamin J. Bodine, by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Councilmen for the Tenth District, in the Borough of Richmond.

That John J. Vaughan, Jr., by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman for the Borough of Richmond.

We certify this determination and declaration to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested by the signatures of the members of the Board of Police, or a majority of them, this twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

FRANK MOSS.
AVERY D. ANDREWS.
ANDREW D. PARKER.
GEORGE MOORE SMITH.

The following papers were ordered on file:

Statement of the Board of County Canvassers of New York as to Alderman, Nineteenth Assembly District.

Statement of the Board of County Canvassers, Borough of Richmond.

Opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated December 17, 1897, in reference to the proceedings of the Board of Police, acting as the City Board of Canvassers in regard to the canvass of the vote in Richmond County, enclosing affidavit of William A. Shortt.

From William H. Ten Eyck, enclosing copy of resolution of the Board of County Canvassers requesting correction to be made in spelling the name of Alderman-elect, Thirty-fourth Assembly District: Lawrence W. McGrath instead of Laurence W. McGrath.

Also from William H. Ten Eyck, enclosing statements in duplicate of the Board of County Canvassers of vote for Alderman in Nineteenth Assembly District.

Also from William H. Ten Eyck, requesting statements of the City Board of Canvassers in relation to Alderman of the Nineteenth Assembly District and for officers in the Borough of Richmond, excepting Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Council.

Recess until called by the President.

Adjourned.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, held on the 20th day of December, 1897.

Present—Commissioners Moss (President), Andrews, Parker and Smith.
The minutes of December 15 and 17 were read and approved.

The following Masked Ball Permit was Granted:

Samuel L. Terhune, at Lyric Hall, December 18, fee, \$10.

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS WERE ORDERED ON FILE:

Send Copy.

Superintendent of Telegraph—On application of Board of Electrical Control for mileage of underground conductors in use by this Department.

First Precinct—On complaint of John Benedict, of sidewalk obstructions at Broadway and Liberty street.

File.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Louis Schmidt, Thirty-fourth Precinct; Patrolman Dennis Kennedy, Fifteenth Precinct; Patrolman Gustave Kolle, Twenty-second Precinct; Patrolman William Balko, Fifteenth Precinct; Patrolman John F. Malarkey, Eighth Precinct.

Louis C. Ott—Forwarding election certificates.

Samuel S. Guy, Jr., George N. Creed, Leonard Ruoff, Jr., Louis C. Ott—Oaths of office.

Clinton B. Smith—Names of Policemen in Flushing.

Inspector Harley—On complaint of E. O'Brien as to James Riley.

Fourth Precinct—Statement of Elizabeth McCarthy as to assault by Patrolman Thaddeus Murphy; suspension approved and continued, without pay.

Seventh and Twelfth Precincts—On complaint of A. W. Abbott and A. L. Wolbarst, of robberies, gambling, etc.

Twentieth Precinct—Charges of homicide against Patrolman Henry Woodley.

The following Communications were Referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies:

Andrew J. Corcoran—Proposal to furnish tank.

Moxir Ice Machine Company—Asking opportunity to estimate.

Bill of John Du Fais—\$111.24 for professional services.

The following Communications were Referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline:

Chief Clerk—Reporting names of officers suspended and absent without leave.

First Precinct—Reporting dismissal of indictment against Patrolman Charles W. H. Finken.

The following Communications were Referred to the Chief Clerk to Answer:

Walter R. Brashear—Asking statement of canvass.

William D. Ward—Asking statement of canvass.

Joseph M. Deuell—Asking statement of work of Bicycle Squad.

H. M. Tranain—Asking pistol permit.

D. Fiedelday—Asking information as to certain clubs.

Charles Johnston—Asking information as to certain relatives.

George W. Olney—Asking facilities to get election returns.

John F. Holland—Inquiry as to property No. 94 Edgecombe avenue.

H. S. Allen—Relative to publication of a book.

The following Communications were Referred to the Chief of Police:

Charles E. Goodhue—Recommending Patrolman M. J. Colbert, Tenth Precinct, for promotion.

Sophia Wilhelmina—Complaint of disorderly character.

Application of Jane Ketchum for reconsideration of denial of pension, was denied.

The Chief of Police Reported the Following Remands and Assignments:

Roundsman Patrick Curran, Sixth Precinct, remand to patrol.

William H. Kinsler, Eleventh Precinct, remand to patrol.

Patrick Leonard, Third Precinct, remand to patrol.

Patrolman John L. Maher, Third Precinct, assign as Roundsman.

John M. Benner, Ninth Precinct, assign as Roundsman.

Patrick F. Gilmartin, Thirty-fifth Precinct, assign as Roundsman.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman James J. O'Hare, Second Precinct, from November 14 to November 26, and from November 27 to December 6, 1897—all aye.

Resolved, That the bill of William W. Thomas & Co., five dollars, for inspection of steamboat "Patrol," be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

Resolved, That the following pay-rolls of Inspectors, etc., be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment—all aye:

John H. Timmerman, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-ninth Assembly Districts.....	\$131,970 00
James B. Cronil, Twenty-ninth Assembly District.....	10 00
G. J. Moulton and others, Twenty-seventh Assembly District.....	85 00

Resolved, That the room now known as the "Stenographers' Room," on the third floor of Central Office building, be assigned to the Clerk in charge of supplies and stationery, and that the room heretofore assigned to the Police Civil Service Board, known as No. 20, on the second floor of the building, be and is hereby designated as "Stenographers' Room," and assigned to them for such purpose.

Resolved, That the resolution of December 15, 1897, condemning certain horses and directing that they be sold at public auction, be amended by striking out the names of "Dick," No. 106, and "Pete," No. 136, Thirty-fifth Precinct, said horses having been already sold.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to communicate with the heads of the Police Departments of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, respectively; with the Commissioners of the Departments of Parks of New York and Brooklyn, and with the Trustees of the Brooklyn Bridge, requesting that instructions be given to their several Departments for the distribution of blanks for morning returns to be made after January 1, 1898, in the form now used by the Police Department of the City of New York. Original returns to be filed at the Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, at nine o'clock A. M.; duplicates of such returns to be kept in the headquarters of the several departments herein named; the Clerk in charge of the Bureau of Supplies to furnish each of such departments with the necessary number of blanks for such purpose—all aye.

Resolved, That Mary E. Coleman, widow of William S. Coleman, late patrolman, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension from the Police Pension Fund, of the monthly sum of ten dollars, as such widow, and five dollars per month to Florence, Grace and Howard Coleman, children, until they shall respectively arrive at the age of eighteen years, from December 1, 1897—all aye.

The like in case of Margaret Deeves, Widow of William B. Deeves, late pensioner, \$15 per month, from December 1, 1897—all aye.

The like in case of Mary Burns, widow of James Burns, late patrolman, \$10 per month, from December 20, 1897—all aye.

Resolved, That the fine of five days' pay imposed upon Patrolman Olaf G. S. Simonstet, Thirty-second Precinct, December 1, 1897, be and is hereby reduced to four and one-half days'.

Resolved, That the fine of ten days' pay imposed upon Patrolman James A. Mallon, Thirty-third Precinct, on April 4, 1896, be and is hereby rescinded and the amount remitted.

Judgments—Dismissal—All Aye.

Patrolman Patrick M. McCarthy, Fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Patrick J. Gaynor, Sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

James Walsh, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

James Walsh, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, etc.

William Hickson, Twentieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Thomas R. Grogan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Eugene McCarthy, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.

Edward Kennedy, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, fifteen days' pay.

Edward H. Keefe, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

John J. Flood, Twenty-eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, six days' pay.

Adolphus G. Doncourt, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.

Thomas P. Burke, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

John H. Downs, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Philip M. Miner, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

George W. Knowles, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, four days' pay.

Edward J. Looney, First Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, twelve days' pay.

James F. Mangan, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Charles J. Shields, Thirty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one day's pay.

Dennis Shea, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

James A. Brown, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

James J. O'Rourke, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

Edward Schultz, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, six days' pay.

Charles W. Fuchs, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Isidor Light, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, ten days' pay.

Isidor Light, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, four days' pay.

Thomas Reilly, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

George R. Cain, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

George Wustrow, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

James J. O'Brien, Fifteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, ten days' pay.

Frederick W. Pape, Twenty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one day's pay.

John McMahon, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

James G. Stephenson, Thirty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

John J. Powers, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, four days' pay.

John McAuliffe, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Clarence W. Anthony, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, seven days' pay.

George G. Glantz, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Louis H. Brown, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Edward A. Gilmore, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Bernard M. Larkin, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Charles L. Heussler, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.

James Bradley, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Thomas Cashin, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.

John P. Reilly, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Joseph M. Kouril, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Martin H. Rourke, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

William M. Leavy, Thirty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

John D. Collins, Bicycle Squad, neglect of duty, two days' pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman William A. Hart, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Michael Kelly, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Henry McGeough, Eighteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Arthur J. Beaumont, Thirty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

John E. Gilligan, Thirty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Michael Maguire, Second Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrick J. Nolan, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

John Fay, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrick Keenan, Seventh Precinct, violation of rules, etc.

Bernard Larkin, Seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Edward F. Creegan, Ninth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

John J. Kuntz, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Thomas H. F. Kelly, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

George L. Burns, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Matthew J. Reilly, Sixteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Nicholas J. Kennedy, Eighteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Edward McLaughlin, Nineteenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Walter R. Boston, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Leroy S. Minnerly, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrick J. Muldoon, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

William Crossett, Twenty-third Precinct, violation of rules.

James Crotty, Twenty-third Precinct, violation of rules.

John B. Goldhamer, Twenty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

William H. Finley, Twenty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Joseph B. Ward, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.

John C. Borries, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.

John H. F. Pickhard, Thirtieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Christopher Damm, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

Joseph A. McDonald, Thirty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Charles Berrian, Thirty-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

William H. Bell, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Charles H. Wausslen, Bicycle Squad, neglect of duty.

James A. Donoghue, Bicycle Squad, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Resolved, That the following Probationary Employees, having served as such for one month, and their conduct and character being satisfactory, be and are hereby appointed Patrolmen, to be assigned by the Chief of Police:

James J. Ahearn, Twenty-third Precinct.
Peter E. Burns, Eighteenth Precinct.
Frank M. Becraft, Twenty-second Precinct.
John J. Bulman, Ninth Precinct.
Joseph F. Donohue, Sixteenth Precinct.
George Davis, Eleventh Precinct.
Frederick A. Fagan, Fourteenth Precinct.
Peter Fagan, Fifteenth Precinct.
John A. Hamill, Twenty-third Precinct.
William Hoar, Twenty-first Precinct.
Bartholomew Hennessey, Twenty-second Precinct.
Joseph Hayden, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
Joseph Hellman, Nineteenth Precinct.
George E. Kretschman, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
James W. Kennedy, Eighth Precinct.
George Wetzel, Twenty-third Precinct.
Adam Wissheier, Fourth Precinct.
Adjourned.

William A. Miles, Thirtieth Precinct.
Charles H. Martin, Twentieth Precinct.
Frank H. Miller, Thirtieth Precinct.
William J. McManus, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
Robert Pawson, Twenty-first Precinct.
Walter J. Rose, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
John W. Redmond, Nineteenth Precinct.
Harry Schoonmaker, Twenty-sixth Precinct.
Owen M. Sloat, Fifteenth Precinct.
John M. Simpson, Twentieth Precinct.
George W. Sinclair, Twenty-third Precinct.

John Schenkewitz, Second Precinct.
Germain M. Soule, Eighth Precinct.
Henry J. Spiess, Ninth Precinct.
Robert J. Thorpe, Twentieth Precinct.
Thomas V. Underhill, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
Henry D. Ward, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1898.

OPERATIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 8, 1898.

Plans filed for new buildings, main office (estimated cost, \$1,808,250).....	34
Plans filed for new buildings, branch office (estimated cost, \$204,500).....	9
Plans filed for alterations, main office (estimated cost, \$87,150).....	14
Plans filed for alterations, branch office (estimated cost, \$2,125).....	6
Buildings reported as unsafe.....	33
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	4
Other violations of law reported.....	141
Unsafe building notices issued.....	71
Fire-escape notices issued.....	7
Violation notices issued.....	266
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	34
Iron and steel inspections made.....	6,643
Complaints lodged with the Department.....	59

T. J. BRADY, Commissioner of Buildings for Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx.
WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the giving of bonds by the officers and employees of the City of New York.

Be it ordained by the Municipal Assembly of the City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Each and every officer or employee of the City of New York, whose office or duties correspond to those formerly exercised by officers or employees of the former corporation, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, except the Comptroller, elected or appointed, shall, upon entering upon the duties of his office or employment, give a bond with sureties to the City of New York for the faithful performance of his duties in a corresponding form and in the same amount as bonds were required to be given by the corresponding officers or employees of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by the Revised Ordinances of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York of 1897, the said bonds to be approved by the Comptroller of the said City of New York.

Sec. 2. The Comptroller of the City of New York shall give a bond in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) with a surety company or two or more sufficient sureties to justify in double the amount under oath before a Judge of the Supreme Court on notice to the Corporation Counsel, except that any bond heretofore given by the Comptroller elected at the election of 1897, and approved as hereinbefore required by a Justice of the Supreme Court, shall be taken to be a sufficient bond to comply with this ordinance, provided that the same shall be immediately filed with the City Clerk by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Council, January 3, 1898.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 3, 1898.

Be it ordained by the Municipal Assembly of the City of New York as follows:

Whereas, Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, known as the Charter of the City of New York, by section 41 thereof, provides that "the ordinances now in force respectively in the City of New York, the City of Brooklyn, Long Island City and the other municipal and public corporations and parts thereof hereby consolidated with the City of New York, are so far as the same are not inconsistent with this act, hereby continued in full force and effect within the former limits of said respective cities and municipal and public corporations, or parts thereof, subject to modification, amendment or repeal by the Municipal Assembly of the City of New York"; and

Whereas, Section 37 thereof provides that "the ordinances of the Municipal Assembly shall, as far as practicable, be reduced to a code and published"; and

Whereas, it is desirable that there should be general ordinances for the whole consolidated city duly enacted and published for the information and guidance of all its citizens; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested and he is hereby authorized to collect, collate and codify the ordinances now in force respectively in the said former Cities of New York, Brooklyn, Long Island City and the other municipal and public corporations and parts thereof consolidated with the City of New York, for consideration and adoption by this Assembly.

Adopted by the Council, January 3, 1898.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 3, 1898.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1898.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

In pursuance of the provisions of section 51 of the New York City Consolidation Act, I beg to notify you that the Mayor appointed, on the 3d day of January, 1898, the following persons as Aqueduct Commissioners, viz.:

Peter J. Dooling, Charles H. Murray, William H. Ten Eyck, Maurice J. Power, to take the place of John J. Tucker, Henry W. Cannon, George Walton Green and Maurice J. Power.

I also wish to notify you that Edward L. Allen resigned as Secretary of the Aqueduct Commissioners on January 7, 1898, and that Harry W. Walker was elected Secretary of the Board of Aqueduct Commissioners on that date, at a salary of \$4,000 per year.

Very respectfully,

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 1528 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers),

with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

HENRY McMILLEN, Supervisor City Record.

This directory is not entirely authentic. It has been compiled from such information as is at hand. Corrections will be made.

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 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.
ALFRED M. DOWNS, Private Secretary.
Bureau of Licenses.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD H. HEALY, Marshal.

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, COMPTROLLER and PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, ex officio. Commissioners: EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary, A. FRYE, Chief Engineer.

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.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.
THE COUNCIL.
RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.
BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
THOMAS F. WOOD, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.
AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, Borough of Manhattan.
LOUIS F. HARTEN, Borough of the Bronx.
EDWARD M. GROUT, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK BOWLEY, Borough of Queens.
Borough of Richmond.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.
No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. 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. FARRILL, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JAMES P. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.
JAMES P. MADSEN, Deputy for Queens.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond.

Department of Sewers.
No. 150 Nassau street, 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.

Department of Bridges.
No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.
THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy for Manhattan.
MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.
HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

Department of Water Supply.
No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JOHN J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner for the Bronx.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

Department of Street Cleaning.
Leonard street, corner Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

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.
EDWARD J. LEAVY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.
DAVID E. AUSTIN, Receiver of Taxes.
JOHN T. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
WILLIAM J. LYON and ROBERT H. WEEMS, Expert Accountants.
WILLIAM MCKINSEY, First Auditor of Accounts in Brooklyn.
JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
WALTER H. HOLT, First Auditor of Accounts in Richmond.
JOHN J. FETHERSTONE, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
GEORGE BRANDT, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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 the Counsel to the Corporation.
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.
ALMUT 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.
ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN and HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Assistants to the Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD J. YORK, President of the Board; THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Secretary; JOHN B. SEXTON, WILLIAM H. PHILLIPS, Commissioners.

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.
ADOLPH SIMIS, JR., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens.
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.
No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.
CHARLES BULKLEY HUBBELL, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Headquarters.
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department. GEO. E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.
Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NATHAN STRAUSS, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN E. CONLEY, M. D., the PRESIDENT of the POLICE BOARD, ex officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER of the PORT, ex officio, Commissioners; EDMONDS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of the Bronx.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; PETER F. MEYER and CHARLES F. MURPHY, Commissioners.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Fourth avenue corner Eighteenth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. BRADY, Commissioner in Manhattan and Bronx.
DANIEL RYAN, Commissioner in Brooklyn.
DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner in Queens and Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
THOMAS L. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHEEHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD CAHILL, THOMAS A. WILSON, JOHN DELMAR, EDWARD MCCUE and PATRICK M. HAVERTY, Board of Assessors.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ROBERT E. DEYO and WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, Commissioners.
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

FREDERICK A. GRUBE, RICHARD T. WILSON, JR., HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY, THORNTON M. MOTLEY, JULES G. KUGELMAN, Commissioners of Statistics, JOHN T. NAGLE, Chief of Bureau.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FEITNER, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT of the COUNCIL, and the COUNSEL to the CORPORATION, Members; CHARLES V. ADKE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff; H. P. MULVANEY, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN PURCELL, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue.
H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.

N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SOMMER, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASA BIRD GARDNER, District Attorney; HENRY W. UNGER, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.
HENRY McMILLEN, Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

No. 32 Chambers street.
JOHN YULE, Chairman; JAMES M. MORROW, Secretary; JAMES P. KNIGHT, Treasurer.
Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.

CORONERS.

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

SURROGATES' COURT.

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

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRETT, PARTON G. WILLIAMS, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WM. LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.
County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 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. 23.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 22.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.
Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JOSEPH F. DALY, MILES BEACH, ROGER PRYOR, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY W. BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FRIEDMAN, JOHN SEDGWICK, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY R. BECKMAN, HENRY A. GILDERSLLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT; WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JAMES FITZGERALD, RUFUS B. COWING, JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. McMAHON, Judges.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers street.
WALDOPE LYNN, Justice. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk. Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 318 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.
Eleventh District—Northern part of Twelfth Ward. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 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 Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice.
Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—JACOB NEU.
Second District—GERHARD B. VON WART.
Third District—WILLIAM SCHNITZPAHN.
Fourth District—ADOLPH H. GOETTING.
Fifth District—CORNELIUS FERGUSON.
Borough of Queens.
First District—THOMAS C. KADIN.
Second District—WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE.
Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
City Magistrate—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—MATTHEW J. SMITH, EDMUND J. HEALY.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES FOR
the Department of Public Charities for 1898.
Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following Hospital Supplies will be received at the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday, January 24, 1898. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

A.—DRUGS.

More or less.
2 pounds Agar-Agar, pap.
15 pounds Bromoformalme, E. & A., 5 lb. b.
1 dozen Carbone.
10 pounds Cresol, Pharm. Germ. III., 5 lb. b.
25 pounds Earth, Fuller's, pap.
25 pounds Ether, Petroleum, boil. p. ab. 50-60° C., 1 lb. b.
2 dozen Ext. Pancreatic, F. Bro. & F.
2 pounds Gum Dammar, pap.
2 pounds Gum Opium, cencarotized, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
1 doz. Hydrastis, Lloyd's colorless.
10 pounds Oil Juniper Berries, pure, 5 lb. b.
1 pound Oil Pimento, pure, 1 lb. b.
12 dozen box, Peptonizing Tubes, F. Bro. & F.
8 barrels Plaster of Paris, Dentists', Knickerbocker Mills.
5 pounds Root, Ipecac, powd., pap.
5 pounds Root, Sanguinaria, powd., pap.
10 pounds Root, Zedoary, powd., p.p.
50 pounds Seed, Stavesacre, p.w.d., box.
3 dozen Soap, Toilet, f. Office use.
300 pounds Sugar, powd., finest confectioner's, freshly powd., in 25 lb. tins.
10 pounds Sugar of Milk, "Prescription."

B.—CHEMICALS.

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

C.—PHARMACEUTICALS.

N. B.—No bid for any article in this class will be accepted from any one who is not known in the drug trade as a regular manufacturer thereof and doing business in the territory of Greater New York.
5 pounds Extract Belladonna Leaves, U. S. P., 1 lb. jars.
5 ounces Extract Colchicum Root, U. S. P., 1 oz. j.
8 ounces Extract Ergot, U. S. P., 1 oz. j.
5 pounds Extract Gentian, U. S. P., 1 lb. j.
1 pound Extract Stramonium, U. S. P., 1 lb. j.
4 pound Fl. Extract Osmicifuga, 1 lb. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract Convallaria Root, 1 lb. b.
2 gallons Fl. Extract Liquorice Root, 1 g. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract Jaborandi, 1 lb. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract Lobelia, 1 lb. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract Mezereum, 1 lb. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract, Rumez Crispus, 1 lb. b.
4 pounds Fl. Extract, Spigelia, 1 lb. b.
2 pounds Fl. Extract, Stillingia, 1 lb. b.
1 gall. Fl. Extract, Taraxacum, 1 gall. b.
2 pounds Fl. Extract, Yerba Santa, 1 lb. b.
6-500 Pills, Aconitine, Duquesnell, 1-200 gr.
70 pounds Pills, Bland, 5 grains, 1 lb. b.
70 pounds Pills, Cathartic Vegetable, 1 lb. b.
6-500 Pills, Iron (1 gr.), Quinine (1 gr.), Strychnine (1-40 gr.).
6-500 Pills, Phosphorus, 1-50.
4-1000 Trit. Tablets Arsenous Acid, 1-30.
2-1000 Trit. Tablets Aconitine, 1-200.
8-1000 Trit. Tablets Codeine, 1-5 gr.
4-1000 Trit. Tablets Codeine, 1-6 gr.
3-1000 Trit. Tablets Morphine, 1/4 gr.
20-1000 Trit. Tablets Strychnine, 1-30 gr.

More or less.
1-1000 Antiseptic Tablets, Bernays' Special, 7 grs.
Corrosive Sublimite, each.
2-1000 Compressed Tablets, Lithium Carb., 2 gr.
10-500 Antiseptic Nasal Tablets, Dr. Oppenheimer's Formula.

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

E.—SUNDRIES.

10 dozen Beakers, same as E. & A. No. 5573, Nos. 0, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Bidders will please quote price for each size by the dozen. As it is impracticable to buy one size from one dealer and another size from another, the award will be made to the lowest bidder for the five sizes combined, irrespective of the bid on any single size.
10 gross Bottle Brushes, 4 sizes (see samples).
12 Burettes, E. & A., No. 8657, 25 Cc. in 1-10.
12 "Acme" Bunsen Burners (sample).
1 dozen Corkscrews, Lawrence (sample).
6 dozen Evaporating Dishes, E. & A. 6174.
Sizes 0, 1, 2, 3, 4.
For the same reason as given under No. 793, the award will be made to the lowest bidder on the six sizes combined. The price per dozen to be also valid for a lesser quantity.
1 Dynamometer, Chatillon, 80 lbs. by 1 lb.
12 dozen Glass Funnel, E. & A. 6390. Diameter: 1 1/2", 2 1/2", 3 1/2", 4 1/2".
The note under No. 799 to apply also in this case.
4 barrels Gravel (about 300 pounds each), like sample.
2 dozen Measurers, Seidlitz.
24 Mortars, Wedgewood, of the following sizes: Nos. 0, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12.
The note under No. 799 to apply also in this case.
12 Mortars, Glass, of the following sizes: 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz.
The note under No. 799 to apply also in this case.
10 reams Paper, Straw Wrapping, 20x30 (sample).
12 Revolving Leather Punches (wheel with six punches).
10 Steel Punches (like sample); two 3/4"; two 1 1/2"; two 2 1/2"; two 3 1/2"; one 7/8"; one 1 1/8".
20 pounds Rubber Stoppers, like samples exhibited; various sizes.
4 Prescription Scales, Froemner's No. 64.
5 Counter Scales, Ebony box, marble top, nick-pl. pans, 9".
2 Dial Scales, Chatillon No. 046, 25 lbs. by 1 oz.
1 Dial Scale, Chatillon No. 047 B., with Brass Can, 25 lbs. by 1 oz.
4 sets Block Weights, avoird., 2 lbs. to 1/16 oz., nick-pl., in boxes with hinged covers.
2 dozen sets Drachm Weights, Coin, 10 grs. to 2 1/2.
3 dozen sets Grain Weights, Aluminum.
2 doz. Vaporizers for Vapo-Cresolene.
1 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 1 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.
1 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 1/2 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.
1/2 gro. Green Packing Bottles, 3/4 gall., heavy, n. m., W. T. & Co.'s style.
3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 2 oz. (sample).
3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 4 oz. (sample).
3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 8 oz. (sample).
3 gro. Flint Bottles, wide mouth, 1 oz. (sample).
6 Glass Graduates, 64 oz., Phenix, cone.
2 doz. Gl. ss Graduates, 32 oz., Phenix, cone.
2 doz. Ointment Jars, w. raised glass letters, white, opaque glass, st. top, 2 lbs.
10 doz. Glass Labels, for W. T. & Co.'s "Improved Drawer Pulls."

F.—SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

N. B.—No bids will be received for any article in this list from any person or firm that cannot be reached directly by telephone from the Department wires, so that there may be no delay in emergency cases. Bids must be based on the descriptions furnished, or samples exhibited by the Department (to be seen at No. 66 Third avenue, and not on the bidder's samples).
14 Ambulance Bags (like sample). Further details to be obtained at General Drug Department.
1 dozen Atomizers, double-bulb, Davidson's.
6 Bandages, Esmarch's, heavy white, 3", 3 yards.
6 Bandages, Esmarch's, with chain.
2 dozen Bandages, Suspensory, "Perfection."
6 Batteries, Faradic, Vetter's No. 3, complete.
3 Batteries, Silver Chloride No. 8, complete.
Renewal of Wilms Dry Cells for above and next.
6 Batteries, Silver Chloride, Galvanic No. 10, 50 cells.
2 dozen pair Battery Cords (sample).
1 dozen Battery Handles, interrupting.
1 dozen Battery Handle Sponge Tips (to fit 899).
12 dozen Bobbins (sample).
2 dozen Bottles, Flushing (style of Kny's 18063), 2 qt.
3 Buck's Extension, complete w. weights.
6 Bulbs, I. R., for Cautey.
2 dozen Bulbs, vulcan rubber, for Enema Syringes (sample).
4 dozen Caps, Stutzer's (Kny, 19620), small.
3 dozen Caps, Stutzer's (Kny, 19620), large.
4 dozen Catheters, Vergne's.
4 dozen Tubes Catgut, chromicized (see sample, containers may vary).
6 Catheters, double-current, male, silver, Kelly-Fritch.
4 Catheters, J. Reynolders & Co. (sample).
4 Centrifugal Machines, Litten's Latest.
3 dozen Centrifuge Tubes, glass, for preceding.
3 dozen Centrifuge Tubes, glass, Purdy's graduated per cent.
4 dozen Clamps, Artery, Phelps' (sample).
4 dozen Clamps, Jacobs' (sample), assort. sizes.
6 dozen clips (Pinchcocks) for Alpha Fountain Syr.
2 dozen Dilators, Barnes' (18 in set).
6 Dilators, Ellinger-Goodell.
12 pairs Eyeglasses (or Spectacles), with lenses as are usually kept in stock, as may be prescribed (style like sample).
12 pairs Eyeglasses, Protective (sample).
20 yards Felt (sample).
1 Forceps, Obstetrical, McLane's solid blade.
4 Forceps, Vulsellum, Skene's.
4 Forceps, Tenuculum, Skene's.
2 dozen Forceps, Dental, various.
3 Forceps, Tongue, St. Luke's.
4 dozen Glasses, Cupping, sets of 3 sizes.
1 dozen Glasses, Cupping, w. rubber bulbs.
4 dozen bott. Horsehair, prep. (Lee, No. 2030).
6 Irrigators, Glass (Kny, 16997), 2,000 Gm., grad.
8 Irrigating Bottles (Kny, 17052), 3 gall., to fit stands.

More or less.
12 Irrigating Stopcocks (Kny, 17131).
3 dozen Jars, Cylinder (Kny, 18112), 4" x 4".
2 dozen Jars, Cylinder (Kny, 18112), 5" x 5".
12 Jury Masts, like sample, sizes to order.
200 tub. Kangaroo Tendons, 4 in each, in albumene, in flame-sealed tubes, like sample.
12 Kettles, Croup, (sample).
4 Kettles, Fish, Agate, L. & Q., 16".
4 Kettles, Fish, Agate, L. & Q., 18".
2 dozen Knives, Plaster, IXL (sample).
2 dozen Knives, Shoe (sample).
6 Lactometers w. Thermometer (sample).
2 dozen Measuring Tapes, Linen, double scale, (Kny, 19241).
1 dozen Measuring Tapes, Steel, double scale (Kny, 19243).
2 dozen Mirrors, Throat, best, sizes 0 to 5, each w. handle.
6 Mirrors, Head, w. Band, Rosworth's.
30 dozen Needles, Cervix, assorted.
12 dozen Needles, Eye, assorted, to be selected.
6 dozen Needles, Glover's, assorted.
1 dozen Needles, Peaselee's, each 3 needles, w. detach. handle.
3 dozen Needles, Post Mortem.
4 Needles, Reverdin's.
4 Needle Holders, Bull's (sample).
4 Needle Holders, Russian (sample).
4 Needle Holders, Sims' (sample).
8 Oil Stones (sample).
12 Retractors, Lange's 10" or equivalent form.
3 dozen Pessaries, Alb. Smith, any of 7 sizes.
3 dozen Pessaries, Hodge, any of 5 sizes.
3 dozen Pessaries, Wylie, any of 5 sizes.
12 Rules, Folding, inch and meter (sample).
4 Sayre's Suspension Apparatus, no tripod.
4 Sayre's Suspension Apparatus, tripod only.
2 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat. pg. 354, No. 379).
1 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat., pg. 353, No. 380).
1 dozen Scissors, Gynecol. (style: Reynder's Cat., pg. 353, No. 382).
8 yards Shellac Board (see sample).
4 Sounds, Simpson's Grad. Uterine.
3 dozen Sounds, Steel, Urethral, best, plated, assort. sizes (sample).
2 sets Sounds, Steel, Urethral, best, double curve, case of 9.
6 Specula, Vag., Brewer's Bivalve.
3 dozen specula, Vag., Ferguson's, assort.
3 Splints, Levis, Femur, adult.
3 Splints, Levis, Radius, adult.
3 Splints, Levis, Tibia and Fibula, adult.
3 Splints, Levis, Posterior Elbow, adult.
3 Splints, Volkman's (Sliding Foot Rest).
2 dozen Sponge Holders, Wylie's (sample).
12 dozen Spools Glass, "sample 922."
12 dozen Spools Glass, "sample 923."
6 dozen Spools Glass, Kelly's solid, "sample 924."
1 dozen Spoons, Volkman's, var. sizes.
6 Steel Porcelain Bowls, 15" (Kny, 17437).
6 Steel Porcelain Bowls, 17 1/2" (Kny, 17437).
3 Steel Porcelain Foot Tubs (Kny, 18407).
6 Steel Porcelain Hot Water Cans (Kny, 18505).
12 Steel Porcelain Trays, 10 1/2 x 12 1/2" (Kny, 17820).
12 Steel Porcelain Trays, 12 1/2 x 14 1/2" (Kny, 17820).
6 Steel Porcelain Trays, 16 1/2 x 18 1/2" (Kny, 17820).
2 Sterilizers, Arnold's, oval, copper, Hosp'l size.
3 Sterilizers, Brown's, f. Catgut "pressure."
4 Stockings, Elastic (sample), fitted to order.
2 dozen Stopcocks, H. R. (sample).
12 dozen Straps and Buckles (sample).
6 Strops, Razor, Reppenhagen's No. 17.
3 each, Syringes, H. R.—Kny, 19145, 3/4, 1, 1 1/2, 2 1/2, 3 1/2 oz.
3 each, H. R. Pipes for above, Kny, 19160, D, F, K.
Syringes, Eye, Ear and Ulcer (sample).
40 Thin Strips, like sample.
4 Thoma-Zeiss Hemocytometers, complete.
6 Red Corpuscle Pipettes for preceding.
6 White Corpuscle Pipettes for preceding.
4 Micrometers for Pipettes.
6 Tongue Depressors, J. R. & Co.'s hinged (sample).
4 Tonsilometers, Mathieu's best, any size.
12 Trachea Tubes (Double Canulas), h. rubb., any size.
6 Trachea Tubes (Double Canulas), silver, any size.
4 Transfusion Apparatus (f. saline transf. (sample)).
12 Trays, Glass (Kny, 17786), 7 x 12.
4 Trays, Glass (Kny, 17786), 9 1/2 x 15 1/2.
6 Trephines, Gault's, sizes: 1/2 or 3/4", 1", 1 1/4", 1 1/2".
12 Trusses, ordin. single, like sample, to be fitted.
24 Tubes, Capillary, f. Hemoglobinometer, various.
6 dozen Tubes, Sterilizing (Kny, 19890).
6 dozen Tubes, Sterilizing, Markoe's (Kny, 19830).
1 dozen Urinals, Male, w. strap to fit (Goodyear No. 6).
2 Water Baths, complete (Kny, 19902).
3 Copper Steam Baths (sample).
500 feet Weather Strips, Roebuck's, sample.
75 ounces Wire, Pure Silver, sizes by Stubb's scale.
2 dozen each Carbutt's X-Ray Dry Photo. Plates. Sizes: 8 x 10, 11 x 14, 14 x 17, 16 x 20.
18 Erlenmeyer Flasks, 1/2 gall., wide m., E. & A. 6345, together with two perfect corks (1 1/2" thick) for each.
6 Condensers, glass, Allihn's, 12", E. & A. 6029, but with wide inlet and outlet.
4 sets (of 12 each) Cork Borers, E. & A. 6053.
N. B.—It is to be understood that prices given for a dozen of any article should be valid also for smaller quantities.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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,
NEW YORK, January 11, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR RYE STRAW. SEALED bids or estimates for furnishing Rye Straw during the year 1898, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday, January 24, 1898.

RYE STRAW.

All rye straw to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1898.
295,000 pounds long, bright rye straw, weight and tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

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

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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.

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

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

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

be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, January 11, 1898.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of said Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, January 17, 1898, for Supplying Gymnastic Apparatus for Public School 95.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. McSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, CHARLES C. BURLINGHAM, Committee on Buildings.

Dated NEW YORK, January 6, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 614.)

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

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING AND EXTENDING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, in the City of New York, until 1:45 o'clock P. M. of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1898,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award

of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

CLASS I.—EXTENDING AND REPAIRING PIER.

(a) EXTENDING PIER.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 21,122 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 100,658 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 8,820 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 144 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 10", about 1,167 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 16", about 576 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 15", about 1,190 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,096 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 94 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 52,923 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 8", about 380 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 14", about 359 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 12", about 3,164 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 4,134 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 10", about 184 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 20,710 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 39,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 8", about 24,188 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 6", about 46 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 291,687 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks and Ferries to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions, with the exceptions noted in Items No. 2 and No. 3, required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth Street, as hereinafter specified. And the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 16", about 3,664 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 2,076 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 350 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 71,600 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 282 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 5", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 8", about 3,322 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 3" x 12", about 801 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2" x 4", about 2,146 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2 1/2 x 8, about 930 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 1 1/2 x 10", about 30 feet, B. M., measured in the work; total, about 126,491 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,240 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in Items 1, 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles for extension, foundations and sewer, 474.

It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 feet to about 105 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving. Where the length exceeds 85 feet the piles may be spliced, in which case the lower or small end may be of spruce.

5. Square built yellow pine columns, exceeding 85 feet in length, 60.

NOTE.—The Department of Docks and Ferries will furnish 50,000 feet B. M. of 8" x 8" yellow pine timber for these columns, which amount is included in item No. 1.

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet in length, 30.

7. 2-inch White Oak Dowels for all Spliced Piles, 12" long, 248.

8. 1 1/2" Tapered Locust Treennails, 16" long, 4,500.
9. 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 24", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", 3/4" x 4", 3/4" x 3", 3/4" x 2", 3/4" x 1", 3/4" x 1/2", 3/4" x 1/4", 3/4" x 1/8", 3/4" x 1/16", 3/4" x 1/32", 3/4" x 1/64", 3/4" x 1/128, 3/4" x 1/256, 3/4" x 1/512, 3/4" x 1/1024, 3/4" x 1/2048, 3/4" x 1/4096, 3/4" x 1/8192, 3/4" x 1/16384, 3/4" x 1/32768, 3/4" x 1/65536, 3/4" x 1/131072, 3/4" x 1/262144, 3/4" x 1/524288, 3/4" x 1/1048576, 3/4" x 1/2097152, 3/4" x 1/4194304, 3/4" x 1/8388608, 3/4" x 1/16777216, 3/4" x 1/33554432, 3/4" x 1/67108864, 3/4" x 1/134217728, 3/4" x 1/268435456, 3/4" x 1/536870912, 3/4" x 1/1073741824, 3/4" x 1/2147483648, 3/4" x 1/4294967296, 3/4" x 1/8589934592, 3/4" x 1/17179869184, 3/4" x 1/34359738368, 3/4" x 1/68719476736, 3/4" x 1/137438953472, 3/4" x 1/274877906944, 3/4" x 1/549755813888, 3/4" x 1/1099511627776, 3/4" x 1/2199023255552, 3/4" x 1/4398046511104, 3/4" x 1/8796093022208, 3/4" x 1/17592186044416, 3/4" x 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Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 6, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 6, for the following property, now in his custody, without claims: Boots, shoes, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 13, 1898, for the following-named works:

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

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

The works must be bid for separately.

No. 1—ABOVE MENTIONED.

425 tons of Furnace or Broken Coal.

475 tons of Pea Coal.

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

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

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 2—ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

120,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.

8,000 pounds of clean Rye Straw.

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

75 bags of first quality ground Oats to weigh not less than 55 pounds to the bag.

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

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

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their 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 the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 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 also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to 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, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
AUGUST MOREBUS,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

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

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

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

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

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning,
January 4, 1898.

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

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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

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

1,625,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five days from the date of the receipt of notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will 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, the names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or a guarantee or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, 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, 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 money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid, the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

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

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

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated New York, January 7, 1898.

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

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEVEN Horses (Registered Numbers 438, 439, 517, 543, 550, 770 and 880), will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Friday, January 14, 1898, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 13, 1898, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, January 11, 1898.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 13, 1898, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.
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Dated New York, January 11, 1898.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

FIRST WARD.

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

FIRST, SECOND, FOURTH AND SEVENTH WARDS.

FRONT STREET—PAVING, between Whitehall and Roosevelt street, and from Montgomery street to a point about 200 feet east of Corlies street, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Front street, between Whitehall and Roosevelt streets, and

both sides of Front street, between Montgomery street and Jackson slip, also to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets.

FOURTH WARD.

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

FOURTH AND SEVENTH WARDS.

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

FIFTH WARD.

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

SEVENTH WARD.

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

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

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

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

ELEVENTH WARD.

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

TWELFTH WARD.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—IMPROVEMENT BY THE ERECTION OF A VIADUCT, from St. Nicholas place to Macomb's Dam Bridge. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Manhattan street, from Hudson

river to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Seventh avenue; Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to the East river, being the southerly boundary of the area; on the north by Dyckman street, from Hudson to the Harlem river; on the east by the Harlem river, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Dyckman street; on the west by the Hudson river, from Manhattan to Dyckman street, including the lots on both sides of the bounding streets and avenues.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

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

NINETEENTH WARD.

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

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

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

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

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

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

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

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

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

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

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

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

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS. from the Southern Boulevard to a point 200 feet east of Locust avenue, also, PAVING THE TRIANGULAR SPACE at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard, Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street. Area of assessment includes both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street from the Southern Boulevard to a point 270 feet east of Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue. Area of assessment includes both sides of One

Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting avenues.

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

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

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

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

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

GEROME AVENUE—BASINS. on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets. Area of assessment includes west side of Jerome avenue, extending about 113 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Davidson avenue; east side of Jerome avenue, extending about 306 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and north side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, extending about 314 feet east of Jerome avenue; block bounded by Jerome avenue, Davidson avenue, Hampden street and Evelyn place, and east side of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Jerome avenue to Fleetwood avenue.

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

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

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

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH,

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

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLES to the following-named avenues in the

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

UNION AVENUE. from the north side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Boston road; confirmed November 15, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of Jefferson street, and the southerly side of Jefferson street produced from a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; on the east by the westerly side of Prospect avenue, from the northerly boundary of area of assessment to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; and on the west by the easterly side of Tinton avenue, from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to the westerly side of Clinton avenue; thence by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of Jefferson street.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

FRANKLIN AVENUE. from Third avenue to Crotona Park; confirmed October 11, 1897; entered December 30, 1897. Area of assessment includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Crotona Park, South, and said Crotona Park, South, produced and distant 400 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the south by East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Boston road and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side

thereof, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence along Boston road to its intersection with Prospect avenue; thence along Prospect avenue to its intersection with Crotona Park, South; thence along a line drawn at right angles to Crotona Park, South, to the northern boundary of area of assessment; and on the west by Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-first street to Spring place or East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence along a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the southern boundary of area of assessment.

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

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH,

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

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1897, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, 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, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
No. 286 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,
January 5, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by section 892 of chapter 38 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.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 of the Laws of 1887, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court house in the City of New York, on Friday the 21st day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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

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

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

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street, and thence (1) running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street for a

distance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence (2) running southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the northerly line of West Fifty-third street; thence (3) running easterly along said northerly line of West Fifty-third street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the place or point of beginning.

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

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

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier No. 35, East river, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, at or near Catharine Slip, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of January, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage 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 Opening in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report hereto will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III. thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.
WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman; WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, WM. J. ELLIS, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue in said City," and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and all other statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in the above-entitled matter.

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

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Lexington avenue distant 44 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street with the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and running thence easterly parallel to said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 36 feet; thence northerly parallel with the westerly side of Third avenue 38 feet; thence southerly 54 63 feet; thence westerly parallel to the first-mentioned course and distant therefrom 16 feet 310 feet to the easterly

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Lexington avenue with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and running thence easterly parallel to said southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 36 feet; thence northerly parallel with the westerly side of Third avenue 38 feet; thence southerly 54 63 feet; thence westerly parallel to the first-mentioned course and distant therefrom 16 feet 310 feet to the easterly

erly line of Lexington avenue, and thence southerly along the said easterly line of Lexington avenue 16 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 6, 1898.
JAMES K. TORRANCE,
JOHN LARKIN,
PHILIP F. OLWELL,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, 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 EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (Andrews avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Croton Aqueduct to Jerome 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 23d 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 10th 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 to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 15th day of January, 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, December 21, 1897.
CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE, HERMAN ALSBERG, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Beginning at the northeastern corner of Stanton and Essex streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Essex street, distance 208 feet 3 1/4 inches; thence easterly parallel with Houston street, distance 127 feet 6 1/2 inches; thence northerly and nearly parallel to Norfolk street, distance 100 feet; to the southerly line of Houston street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 2 1/2 inches, to the southwesterly corner of Houston and Norfolk streets; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Norfolk street, distance 308 feet 2 1/2 inches, to the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 47 feet 6 inches; thence northerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches; thence westerly and parallel to Stanton street, distance 80 feet 1 1/2 inch; thence southerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches, to the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Stanton street, distance 73 feet and 1/2 inch, to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, beginning at a point on said bulkhead seventy-two and thirty-eight hundredths (72.38) feet easterly from the easterly side of Catharine slip, extended; thence running easterly along said southerly side of South street one hundred and nine and sixty-nine hundredths (109.69) feet, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, and to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands,

lands, lands under water, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, to present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of January, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage 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, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.
WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman; WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, WM. J. ELLIS, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Third 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 12th 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 2d 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 to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 14th day of January, 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, December 20, 1897.
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, S. J. O'SULLIVAN, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of January, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 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 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, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.
LAWRENCE GOKIN, Chairman; WILLIAM B. ELLISON, WILBUR LARREMORE, Commissioners.
EMIL F. MAURER, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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