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## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

### STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, April 2, 1895, 1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in room No. 16, City Hall.

#### PRESENT :

Hon. John Jeroloman, President.

Aldermen John P. Windolph, Vice-President, Nicholas T. Brown, William E. Burke, Thomas M. Campbell, William Clancy, Thomas Dwyer, Christian Goetz, Elias Goodman, Frank J. Goodwin, Joseph T. Hackett, Benjamin E. Hall, Jeremiah Kennefick, Francis J. Lantry, Frederick L. Marshall, Robert Muh, John J. Murphy, Andrew A. Noonan, John T. Oakley, John J. O'Brien, William M. K. Olcott, Charles A. Parker, Rufus R. Randall, Andrew Robinson, Joseph Schilling, Henry L. School, William Tait, Frederick A. Ware, Charles Wines, Collin H. Woodward, Jacob C. Wund. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

#### To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Believing it to be my duty to keep your Honorable Body, and through you our citizens generally, informed as to the financial condition of the City's affairs, I have the honor to submit the following for your careful consideration :

On January 1, 1895, the statement of the debt of the City as prepared by the Comptroller and published in the CITY RECORD, showed it to be :

Funded debt.....	\$173,991,081 32
Less held by Sinking Fund.....	69,912,260 51
Net funded debt.....	\$104,078,820 81
Temporary debt, Revenue Bonds.....	1,699,033 81

Net debt, including Revenue Bonds.....	\$105,777,854 62
The Comptroller, on January 25, 1895, furnished a statement, herewith transmitted, showing in detail the amounts remaining unissued of bonds that had been authorized to be issued by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prior to December 31, 1894, amounting to.....	\$7,020,616 88

And on March 14, 1895, the Comptroller furnished a further statement, herewith submitted, showing approximately the liability of the City, for public works and improvements, which on January 1, 1895, still remained to be met out of the proceeds of bonds then unissued, amounting to.....

Bonds previously authorized and remaining unissued on December 31, 1894, as shown by the Comptroller's statement, are now being issued, and at almost every meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requests are received for the authorization of the issue of bonds on some of the accounts as shown by the Comptroller in his statement of liability, and which had not been issued prior to January 1, 1894.

All of these bonds, as now being issued, must be added to and shown in the indebtedness of the City on December 31, 1895.

In addition to the foregoing the City will be liable for lands, works and improvements, and for which no amount is estimated by the Comptroller, as follows :

Washington Bridge Park.  
St. John's Park.  
Colonial Park.  
Fort Washington Park.  
Park, Eleventh street and East river.  
Park, Dyckman street and Harlem river.  
Elm street widening.  
Work of Aqueduct Commission.  
Riverside Park extension.  
Approach Willis Avenue Bridge.  
Approach Third Avenue Bridge.  
Damages for change of grade, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

The condition of affairs, as herein presented, and the consequent increase of bonded indebtedness that must be shown against the city at the close of this year is attributable to the result of a system of financial jugglery practiced by the previous administration, in an apparent endeavor to mislead the public into the innocent belief that, notwithstanding the liberal, and perhaps wasteful expenditures on special accounts during the year, particularly by the Park Department under the \$1,000,000 act, ostensibly to give work to the unemployed, that the debt of the city had not been increased to the proportions that the statements herewith submitted indicate, and with such delusion seek to produce a political as well as a hoped-for beneficial moral effect, and leave to the future the realization and burden of the actual condition of the financial affairs of the city.

An examination of the statements, as submitted by the Comptroller, justifies the belief that every technical subterfuge was availed of to defer authorizing the issue of bonds, or to defer issuing them after they were authorized in 1894, leaving their issue and the responsibility of the same, and the consequent increase of the bonded indebtedness to fall upon the administration of 1895.

The Final Estimate, showing the appropriations for 1895—	
Amounts to.....	\$39,976,960 04
Less General Fund.....	2,500,000 00
	\$37,476,960 04

This is the largest estimate ever known in the history of the city, and while each year demonstrates the necessity for a greater expenditure for the maintenance of the Judiciary, in its many branches—the public schools, the Croton water system, cleaning and lighting the streets, for police and fire protection, for parks, for repairs of pavements, and, in fact, every branch department of the City Government, much of this increase of expenditure is directly chargeable to mandatory legislation.

In fact but comparatively few of the annual charges of the City Government are subject to the will or direction of the local authorities. Mandatory laws have, as a rule, dominated to the making up of the Budget of expenditures of this city for years past, and a considerable amount of the increase of the Budget of this year in excess of the previous year is attributable to that cause.

In 1893-4 the Board of Estimate and Apportionment decided to contest with the State the tax levied on this city for the care of the insane under State care and omitted it from the Budget.

For 1894 it amounted to.....	\$608,279 07
For 1895 it amounted to.....	631,800 72

—the City claiming that inasmuch as it cared for all of its own insane, it should not be charged with this portion of the State tax.

The courts have practically decided against this city in this matter. If that decision is sustained, the amount, \$1,240,077.79, must be included in the Budget for 1896, that should have been provided for in the Budgets as made in 1894-5, and raised by taxation and paid to the State, as by law required.

This is another item that must be provided for and raised from direct taxation and the taxpayers eventually compelled to pay the same, after the authorities shirking it for two years in the endeavor to secure lower tax rates.

The records of the Department of Taxes and Assessments show that upon the completion of the work of assessment for 1894, certain corporations were assessed at amounts as, in the opinion of the Tax Commissioners, were just and proper, but, in view of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, directed to the Tax Commissioners, in which he says : "I advise you, therefore, that these assessments should not be modified or vacated upon the evidence that is now submitted. It is possible that the courts may reduce or vacate these assessments, but the matter is one of sufficient doubt to warrant the submission of the questions involved to the courts.

"I also beg leave to advise you that in the assessments against corporations which claim exemptions upon doubtful assertions, a close scrutiny should be exercised in relation to the valuation of

assets, and exemptions should not be allowed in any case in which the least uncertainty exists ; such claimants should be remitted to the courts. This is intended to cover all the cases about which you talked to me in the Mayor's office."

These assessments were held by the Tax Commissioners under this opinion, mainly at the maximum figures of the previous year, showing a greater taxable valuation than the Commissioners had originally fixed upon, and, as a consequence, the tax rate for 1894 was reduced to 1.79.

The adjudications of the courts on such of these assessments as have been made up to this time has in each case resulted in a reduction of the same to the amounts as originally fixed by the Tax Commissioners, leaving, in consequence of such reduction, a large deficiency, which must be added to the amount to be raised by taxation this year, when the tax rate is fixed and determined by the Board of Aldermen in September next.

Inasmuch as all of these cases have not yet been finally determined, and some of the largest of them are now before the courts, it is to be hoped that the City may be successful in saving at least a portion of them. Had the amounts been held as originally fixed by the Tax Commissioners, a tax rate of about 1.82, the same as made for 1893, could have been maintained for 1894, but with the increased amount, under the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, the tax rate was fixed at 1.79, and the taxpayers of 1895 must pay the deficiency.

The following are the letters and statements from the Comptroller :

NEW YORK, January 25, 1895.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor :

SIR—In response to the request contained in your communication of the 23d instant, I transmit herewith a statement, showing in detail the amounts remaining unissued of bonds authorized to be issued prior to December 31, 1894.

So far as the Finance Department is informed, none of the City Departments having charge of works, the expense of which is defrayed from the proceeds of bonds, have incurred any liability in excess of amounts duly authorized to be expended therefor.

There are, however, certain claims against the City, arising principally out of the acquisition of land by condemnation proceedings, for the liquidation of which bonds have not yet been authorized. In some cases the amounts of these claims are known—as, for example : Mulberry Bend Park (chapter 320, Laws of 1887), \$1,522,055.60 ; College Place Opening (amount assessed on City), \$778,772.36, (these bonds were authorized to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 10, 1895) ; Riverside Avenue Widening, \$39,859.65. Among other similar proceedings which have not yet progressed to that stage where the amount of the City's liability can be determined, may be mentioned Washington Bridge Park, Approaches to Macomb's Dam Bridge, Approach to Third Avenue Bridge, and the acquisition of the several parks authorized by the Legislature of 1894. Certificates have been filed from the Change of Grade Damage Commission in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, amounting to \$101,150, but it is believed that this will prove but a small percentage of the total awards.

I shall be pleased to furnish you with any additional information in regard to these matters that you may desire.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Bonds and Stock of the City of New York authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment remaining unissued on December 31, 1894.

Armory Bonds (chapter 299, Laws of 1883, and amendments).....	\$466,963 49
Additional Croton Water Stock (section 141, Consolidation Act).....	268,000 00
Additional Water Stock for the Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply (chapters 189 and 515, Laws of 1893).....	207,000 00
Assessment Bonds (section 144, Consolidation Act).....	100,000 00
Assessment Bonds for One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street Viaduct (section 144, Consolidation Act, and chapter 576, Laws of 1887).....	11,130 15
Assessment Bonds for Fort Washington Ridge Road (chapter 114, Laws of 1892).....	2,892 02
Consolidated Stock for Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 35, Laws of 1892).....	500,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the Construction of a Public Driveway (chapter 102, Laws of 1893, and chapter 8, Laws of 1894).....	1,307,000 00
Consolidated Stock, Entrance to Central Park at Ninetieth Street and Eighth Avenue (chapter 575, Laws of 1889).....	7,000 00
Consolidated Stock for Construction of a Building for the Seventh District Police Court and Prison and the Eleventh Judicial District Court (chapter 43, Laws of 1892).....	214,000 00
Consolidated Stock for East Wing Addition to the Building of the American Museum of Natural History (chapter 423, Laws of 1892 ; chapter 448, Laws of 1893, and chapter 63, Laws of 1894).....	279,896 64
Consolidated Stock for Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River at First Avenue and Willis Avenue (chapter 147, Laws of 1894).....	30,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and the Jerome Avenue Approach thereto (chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 13, Laws of 1892).....	126,865 00
Consolidated Stock for Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge (chapter 232, Laws of 1892, and chapter 48, Laws of 1884).....	108,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River at Third Avenue (chapter 413, Laws of 1892).....	1,101,566 00
Consolidated Stock for Construction of a Bridge (Washington) over the Harlem River (chapter 487, Laws of 1885 ; chapter 573, Laws of 1888, and chapter 249, Laws of 1890).....	12,707 94
Consolidated Stock for the purchase of a plant for making and distributing Electrozone at Riker's Island (chapter 368, Laws of 1894).....	8,575 00
Consolidated Stock for the Equipment and Furnishing of the North Wing, and for repairing and altering other portions of the building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art (chapter 276, Laws of 1893).....	5,000 00
Consolidated Stock for Constructing a Boiler-house and for Electric Lighting for New Wing (North) of the Metropolitan Museum of Art (chapter 420, Laws of 1892).....	1,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the purchase of Ward's Island Property (chapter 528, Laws of 1893).....	180,230 60
Consolidated Stock for the improvements necessary to the Buildings on Ward's Island, and for new buildings and appurtenances at Central Islip (chapter 537, Laws of 1892).....	77,500 00
Consolidated Stock for improving the Northwest Corner of Central Park (chapter 575, Laws of 1887).....	25,500 00
Consolidated Stock for Constructing Tool-house and Wagon Sheds in Central Park, near Eighty-first street and Eighth avenue (chapter 575, Laws of 1887).....	8,500 00
Consolidated Stock for Repaving Third Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street to Northern boundary line of the Twenty-third Ward (chapter 305, Laws of 1892, and chapter 150, Laws of 1894).....	68,808 06
Consolidated stock for acquiring the lands in the Seventh Ward required for Corlears Hook Park (chapter 529, Laws of 1884 ; chapter 251, Laws of 1894, and chapter 511, Laws of 1894).....	51,444 00
Consolidated Stock for New Parks, etc. (chapter 79, Laws of 1889).....	52,176 93
Consolidated Stock for the Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives in the City of New York and in Pelham Park (chapter 11, Laws of 1894).....	310,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the Improvement of Riverside Park (chapter 575, Laws of 1887).....	44,500 00
Consolidated Stock for Improvement of Morningside Park, for bays and stairways and parapet wall (chapter 444, Laws of 1889).....	22,000 00
Consolidated Stock for the Improvement and Completion of Cathedral Parkway (chapter 45, Laws of 1894).....	1,000 00
Consolidated Stock for Improving the Park at Rutgers Slip (chapter 320, Laws of 1887).....	3,500 00
Consolidated Stock for Constructing a Woman's Cottage in Riverside Park, near Seventy-ninth street, shaping the grounds adjacent thereto and providing the necessary sewer and water connections (chapter 74, Laws of 1894).....	3,500 00
Consolidated Stock for Constructing the Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue Approaches to Macomb's Dam Bridge (chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 319, Laws of 1893).....	62,388 00
Consolidated Stock for the Improvement of Castle Garden in Battery Park, and grounds adjoining, and for Aquarium (chapter 28, Laws of 1892, and chapter 254, Laws of 1893).....	91,000 00



Consolidated Stock for the Extension of the East River Park (chapter 320, Laws of 1887).....	\$35,000 00
Consolidated Stock for Parade Ground in Van Cortlandt Park (chapter 530, Laws of 1892, and chapter 545, Laws of 1894).....	28,000 00
Criminal Court-house Bonds (chapter 371, Laws of 1887).....	63,000 00
Dock Bonds (section 143, Consolidation Act).....	490,000 00
Fire Department Bonds (chapter 76, Laws of 1894).....	108,015 00
New York Bridge Bonds (chapter 128, Laws of 1891).....	45,000 00
Revenue Bonds, for Indexing Conveyances, Mortgages, etc. (chapter 536, Laws of 1893).....	27,000 00
Revenue Bonds, to provide for defraying the necessary expenses of the Board of Health of the City of New York for preserving the health of the City (chapter 535, Laws of 1893).....	2,150 00
Revenue Bonds, to provide for the care of unsafe buildings, and for the examination of the ruins of fallen buildings (section 502, Consolidation Act, and chapter 566, Laws of 1887, and chapter 275, Laws of 1892).....	1,127 12
Revenue Bonds, for the payment of the expenses of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, etc. (chapter 4, Laws of 1891, and chapter 752, Laws of 1894).....	2,055 80
Revenue Bonds, for expenses connected with the Celebration in the City of New York of the 400th Anniversary of the Discovery of America (chapter 331, Laws of 1892, and chapter 33, Laws of 1893).....	1,400 00
Revenue Bonds, to provide for expenses incurred by Tax Commissioners in preparing new tax assessment maps (chapter 542, Laws of 1892).....	6,500 00
School-house Bonds (chapter 459, Laws of 1894).....	62,709 13
Sanitary Improvement School-house Bonds (chapter 432, Laws of 1893).....	1,526 00
Water-main Stock (chapter 38, Laws of 1892).....	387,500 00
Total amount .....	\$7,020,616 88

NEW YORK, March 14, 1895.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor :

DEAR SIR—In response to your communication of the 9th instant, I transmit herewith a statement showing approximately, the liability of the City for public works and improvements, which, on January 1, 1895, still remained to be met out of the proceeds of bonds then unissued.

Accurate figures have been given of the amounts of the several issues of bonds remaining unissued on January 1, 1895, upon authorizations thereof, for contracts of fixed amounts ; but in the case of certain public works, such, for example, as the "Cornell Dam," exact figures cannot be given, since the correctness of the original estimate depends upon the correctness of the Engineer's estimate of the several items of contract, and may ultimately prove to be too much or too little.

In a number of other public improvements, such as the Jerome Park Reservoir, the Elm street widening, the public parks authorized by the Legislature of 1894, etc., it is difficult to form even an approximate estimate of the probable cost, since this will depend upon future action of City Boards, and of Commissioners of Appraisal, and the Courts. In some of these instances I have not attempted to make any estimate.

I have not included Assessment Bonds in this statement for the reason that the law contemplates their redemption from the payment of assessments by property-owners.

Very truly yours, (Signed) ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Approximate Statement of the City's Liabilities on January 1, 1895, for Public Works and Improvements, the Expense of which was Payable out of the Proceeds of Stocks and Bonds, and for which Stocks and Bonds had not, at that time, been Issued.

NATURE OF WORK OR IMPROVEMENT.	AUTHORIZING STATUTES.	AMOUNT.
On contracts for Armories.....	Chapter 279, Laws of 1883, and amendments.....	\$466,963 49
Croton Water Supply.....	Section 141, Consolidation Act.....	268,000 00
Limited to one million dollars per annum. Amount of future liability known only to Department of Public Works. \$200,000 of this amount sold February 26, 1895.		
Sanitary Protection Croton Water-shed.....	Chapters 189 and 515, Laws of 1893.....	207,000 00
Limited to \$500,000 per annum. Future liability known only to Department of Public Works.		
Repaying Streets and Avenues.....	Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	500,000 00
\$200,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
Harlem River Driveway.....	Chapter 103, Laws of 1893; chapter 8, Laws of 1894.....	1,307,000 00
\$300,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
Fifty-fourth Street Police and District Court.....	Chapter 43, Laws of 189.....	214,000 00
East Wing Addition to American Museum of Natural History.....	Chapter 423, Laws of 1892; chapter 448, Laws of 1893, and chapter 63, Laws of 1894.....	279,896 64
\$225,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
Willis Avenue Bridge.....	Chapter 147, Laws of 1894.....	1,663,000 00
Estimated cost, exclusive of land.		
Completion of New McComb's Dam Bridge.....	Chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 13, Laws of 1892.....	126,855 00
\$100,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
Third Avenue Bridge.....	Chapter 413, Laws of 1892.....	1,101,566 00
This does not include cost of acquiring land for approaches.		
Street Cleaning Plant.....	Chapter 368, Laws of 1894.....	8,575 00
Since January 1, 1895, \$132,447 50 have been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.		
Washington Bridge Park.....	Chapter 249, Laws of 1890.....	.....
Central Islip Pavilions and Improvements on Ward's Island.....	Chapter 537, Laws of 1892.....	77,500 00
Improvement of northwest corner of Central Park.....	Chapter 575, Laws of 1887.....	25,500 00
Repaying Third Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Twenty-third Ward boundary.....	Chapter 305, Laws of 1894 and chapter 150, Laws of 1894.....	68,808 06
\$50,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
Corlear's Hook Park.....	Chapter 529, Laws of 1884, and chapter 251, Laws of 1894.....	51,444 00
\$50,000 of this amount sold since January 1, 1895.		
"Million Dollar Act" Park Department.....	Chapter 11, Laws of 1894.....	310,000 00
These bonds were sold February 26, 1895.		
Improvement of Riverside Park.....	Chapter 575, Laws of 1887.....	44,500 00
Improvement of Morningside Park.....	Chapter 444, Laws of 1889.....	22,000 00
Cathedral Parkway.....	Chapter 45, Laws of 1894.....	1,000 00
Limit named in act, \$200,000. Amount of final cost unknown.		
Sedgwick and Ogden Avenues Approach to Macomb's Dam Bridge.....	Chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 319 of 1893.....	62,388 00
\$50,000 of this amount sold February 26, 1895.		
Castle Garden Aquarium.....	Chapter 28, Laws of 1892, and chapter 254 of 1893.....	91,000 00
\$10,000 of this amount sold February 26, 1895.		
East River Park Extension.....	Chapter 320, Laws of 1887.....	35,000 00
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground.....	Chapter 530, Laws of 1892, and chapter 545, Laws of 1894.....	28,000 00
Harlem Ship Canal.....	Chapter 232, Laws of 1892.....	108,000 00
\$80,000 of this amount sold February 26, 1895.		
Dock Fund.....	Section 143, Consolidation Act.....	490,000 00
\$500,000 additional authorized by Sinking Fund February 11, 1895 \$500,000 sold February 26, 1895. Amount authorized and unissued March 11, 1895, \$160,000.		
Criminal Court-house.....	Chapter 371, Laws of 1887.....	63,000 00
Fire Department Bonds.....	Chapter 76, Laws of 1894.....	108,015 00
Brooklyn Bridge.....	Chapter 128, Laws of 1891.....	45,000 00
School-house Bonds.....	Chapter 459, Laws of 1894.....	62,709 13
This amount has been sold since January 1, 1895.		
Water-main Stock.....	Chapter 38, Laws of 1892.....	387,500 00
Park Avenue Improvement.....	Chapter 339, Laws of 1892.....	450,000 00
Avenue A Paving.....	Chapter 516, Laws of 1894.....	142,297 00
Estimated cost.		
St. John's Park.....	Chapter 320, Laws of 1887.....	.....
Amount unknown to Finance Department.		
Colonial Park.....	Chapter 56, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Amount unknown to Finance Department.		
College Place Widening.....	Chapter 95, Laws of 1892.....	778,772 36
Sold February 26, 1895.		
Elm Street Improvement.....	Chapter 660, Laws of 1893.....	.....
Amount to be charged on City unknown.		
Fort Washington Park.....	Chapter 581, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Amount to be charged on City unknown.		
Mulberry Bend Park.....	Chapter 320, Laws of 1887.....	1,584,371 00
Damages, Charge of Grade, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	Chapter 537, Laws of 1893, and chapter 567, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Certificates filed for \$111,150. No approximate estimate can be made of total.		
St. Nicholas Park.....	Chapter 366, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Amount unknown.		

NATURE OF WORK OR IMPROVEMENT.	AUTHORIZING STATUTES.	AMOUNT.
Park at East One Hundred and Eleventh Street and East River.....	Chapter 746, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Amount unknown.		
Park at Dyckman Street and Harlem River.....	Chapter 749, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Amount unknown.		
Jerome Park Reservoir.....	Chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	\$5,000,000 00
Estimated unofficially at \$3,000,000 for land and \$2,000,000 for construction. Estimate for land probably a low one.		
Cornell Dam.....	Chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	3,600,000 00
This amount was the original estimate for the work, but it will be probably largely exceeded. It does not include land damages, the amount of which is unknown. This work will be distributed over a number of years.		
Miscellaneous Work of Aqueduct Commission.....	Chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	.....
Unknown.		
Riverside Park Extension.....	Chapter 152, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Cannot be estimated.		
Approach to Willis Avenue Bridge.....	Chapter 147, Laws of 1894.....	.....
Cannot be estimated.		
Approach to Third Avenue Bridge.....	Chapter 413, Laws of 1892.....	.....
Cannot be estimated.		
Miscellaneous small item of bonds authorized but unissued, many of which will probably not be called for, believed not to exceed in the aggregate.....		100,000 00
		\$19,879,660 68

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :  
CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }  
April 2, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen :

DEAR SIR—I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Board, adopted March 19, 1895, to pave One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Seventh avenue, with asphalt.

Upon this resolution the Commissioner of Public Works reports as follows :  
"This conflicts with an ordinance approved June 5, 1894, to pave One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, with granite blocks, for which a contract and specifications have been prepared."

Yours, respectfully,  
W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting or terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :  
CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }  
April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted March 19, 1895, to permit the Mattson Rubber Company to extend a vault in front of No. 8 College place, sixteen feet beyond the present curb-line, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that "the widening and extension of College place has recently been consummated, and this Department is about to regulate and grade the street, build sewers and lay water-mains, according to the altered lines. The gas-mains and electric subways will have to be changed to conform to the altered lines. I concur in the report of the Chief Engineer, that under these circumstances, it is not advisable to allow such vault extension into the carriageway of the street. In fact it is very doubtful whether a municipal corporation has the right to grant a license for the private use of a highway which belongs to the whole public."

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Mattson Rubber Company to extend a vault, sixteen feet by nine feet two inches, in front of their premises, No. 8 College place, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided that the said Mattson Rubber Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of extending said vault, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :  
CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }  
April 2, 1895.

Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen :

DEAR SIR—I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Board, adopted March 19, 1895, to amend section 419, article 43, chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to gutter bridges.

Concerning this resolution the Department of Public Works reports as follows :  
"This Department has charge of and is responsible for the condition of all the pavement south of the Harlem river. The placing of gutter bridges in nearly every case involves a disturbance of the pavement, and in most cases the setting of a double or outer curb on the line of the gutter. It is, therefore, recommended that an additional amendment be embodied in the resolution requiring that the applications received by the Department of Street Cleaning shall be submitted to and approved by this Department before permits are issued."

Yours, respectfully,  
W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty do ordain as follows :  
Section 419, article XLIII., chapter VI., of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 are hereby amended so as to read as follows :

It shall be lawful for any person who so desires to place and keep a bridge over the gutter, in front of any building, other than those used as private residences, except Broadway, Fifth avenue and Madison avenue, on the following conditions :

First—Application must be made to the Department of Street Cleaning, and the sum of ten dollars per annum paid for the privilege, dating from the granting of said application.

Second—Said bridge shall be constructed of iron, and put down under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, at the expense of the applicant.

Third—The gutters under said bridges shall be kept clean by the Department of Street Cleaning.

Fourth—The Mayor may revoke this license on complaint of any citizen and for a violation of ordinance or what he deems sufficient cause. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :  
CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }  
April 1, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

By direction of the Mayor, I transmit herewith an account of the expenses and receipts of the Mayor's office, for the quarter ending March 31, 1895, together with a statement in detail of the amounts paid for salaries to Clerks in said office and the general nature of their duties.

Respectfully,  
JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary.

Statement of the receipts of the Mayor's Office for licenses granted to places of amusement and paid to Hon. Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller of the City of New York, for the quarter ending March 31, 1895 :

Total amount received..... \$3,800 00

Statement of receipts of the Mayor's Marshal's Office for licenses granted during the quarter ending March 31, 1895 :

Total number of licenses granted, 2,459.

Paid to City Treasury..... \$4,669 50

Paid to Sinking Fund..... 11,974 00

Statement in detail of the amount paid for salaries in the Mayor's Office and Bureau of Licenses for the quarter ending March 31, 1895 :

Job E. Hedges, Secretary and Chief Clerk..... \$1,250 00

Bion L. Burrows, Confidential Clerk..... 750 00

Henry H. Alexander, Warrant and Bond Clerk..... 625 00

James H. Daly, Confidential Clerk..... 375 00

William J. Harvey, Stenographer..... 300 00

Edmund H. Cole..... 300 00

Edward Hetherton, Messenger..... 350 00

John H. Nagle, Warrant Clerk..... 48 38

John J. Regan..... 48 38



David J. Connor, Stenographer.....	\$36 29
Edward H. Healy, First Marshal.....	699 99
John J. Brennan, Second Marshal.....	600 00
George W. Brown, Jr., Chief Clerk.....	412 50
Timothy F. Payne, Chief Inspector.....	114 58
James Cusack, Inspector.....	127 97
Philip A. Morrison, Inspector.....	150 00
Marris Strauss, ".....	225 00
Samuel J. Scullen, ".....	115 18
Cornelius A. Caffrey, ".....	225 00
Henry P. McCabe, Confidential Messenger.....	36 29
Daniel P. Slater, ".....	141 29
William H. Hayden.....	46 43
George W. Stripling.....	46 43

Total..... \$7,023 71

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Finance Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 30, 1895.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1895, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$25 00	\$1,475 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	14 45	185 55
Salaries—Common Council.....	86,300 00	21,547 70	64,752 30

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 30, 1895.

WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Esq., Clerk of the Common Council:

DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of your requisition for thirty-two copies of the "Ash Edition" of the New York City Consolidation Act, including amendments of 1892, 1893 and 1894, as per accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen approved on the 4th instant.

Such a requisition was not anticipated in the estimate of the appropriation for "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices" for 1895, to which the expense would be chargeable. The limit of appropriation compels this Department to confine all expenditures under it to absolute necessities, and I am, therefore, unable to furnish more than four copies of the edition of the act called for. This would allow one copy to the President of the Board, one to the Clerk of the Common Council, and two for the general use of the members of the Board.

I have instructed the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies to furnish the four copies which, I trust, the Board of Aldermen and its officers will find sufficient for reference in the transaction of official business.

Very respectfully,

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

Alderman Goodman moved that the communication be referred to the Committee on Law Department and that said committee call on Deputy Commissioner Collis and urge him to comply with the request of this Board in regard to furnishing said copies of the Consolidation Act to the members of the Board.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from Commissioner J. A. Roosevelt:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

SIRS—Your communication regarding asphaltting the Circle at the entrance to Central Park, on Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, was presented to the Board of Public Parks, and they have directed me to state that they have just arranged for a walk there, and as soon as the same is completed they hope to take up the matter of arranging the whole Circle.

Respectfully yours, J. A. ROOSEVELT, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from Good Government Club E:

GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB E (TWELFTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT),  
No. 145 EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President:

GENTLEMEN—The Committee on Public Schools of this Club, after examination, has ascertained that a large majority of the streets on which public schools are situated are paved with granite paving-stones, to the great detriment of said schools. The deafening noise made by the passing trucks, drays and wagons under the school-house windows, which are frequently open for necessary ventilation, causes many and demoralizing interruptions to reciting classes and to teachers, who are thus frequently compelled to suspend oral instruction until these noises cease.

In view of these facts this club respectfully appeals to your Honorable Body for such relief by asphaltting the portions of streets in front of said schools or otherwise, as may be afforded under existing laws and especially under section 321 of the Consolidation Act of 1891.

We beg to submit herewith a schedule of school buildings which among others need asphalt pavement in front of same, and we respectfully request that such asphalt pavement be provided at the earliest practicable date. A similar communication has been sent to the Board of Public Works.

With great respect, your obedient servant,

J. AUGUSTUS JOHNSON, President.

GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB "E" No. 145 EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET.

Schedule showing some of the public schools which are injuriously affected by the unlawful proximity of various liquor saloons, that is, within 200 feet of the main entrance, and by the granite paving-stones in front of school buildings, which should be replaced by asphalt pavements.

First Ward.

Grammar School No. 29, corner Albany, Washington and Carlisle streets. Saloons of M. Jones and J. Lawlor.

Primary School No. 15, No. 68 Pearl street, near Old Slip. Saloon of M. Dunleavy next door, and one of W. Fricke next door to the saloon.

Second Ward.

Primary School No. 34, No. 293 Pearl street. Myer's saloon, No. 288 Pearl street.

Fourth Ward.

Grammar School No. 1, No. 30 Vandewater street. A saloon opposite.

Primary School No. 12, No. 83 Roosevelt street. Saloons of P. Sofia, No. 90 Roosevelt street, and one of P. J. Farrell, No. 84 Roosevelt street.

Primary School No. 14, No. 73 Oliver street. Saloon of R. Devito is next door.

Seventh Ward.

Grammar School No. 2, No. 106 Henry street. Saloon at the corner of Pike and Henry streets.

Grammar School No. 31, No. 200 Monroe street. Saloons of Herman Kolte, No. 194 Monroe street, and M. Daly, No. 208 Gouverneur street.

Primary School No. 36, No. 70 Monroe street. One saloon within 200 feet.

Ninth Ward.

Grammar School No. 3, No. 483 Hudson street. Saloon of G. Herdt, No. 498 Hudson street.

Grammar School No. 41, No. 36 Greenwich avenue. Saloon of L. Lohmeyer, No. 39 Greenwich avenue.

Primary School No. 7, No. 274 West Tenth street. Saloon of M. Storz, No. 700 Greenwich street.

Primary School No. 24, No. 29 Horatio street. Saloon of J. R. Berbling opposite, No. 46 Horatio street.

Tenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 20, No. 60 Chrystie street. Saloon within a few feet.

Eleventh Ward.

Grammar School No. 15, No. 728 Fifth street. Saloon opposite.

Grammar School No. 22, corner Stanton and Sheriff streets. Saloon of Moskowitz, No. 103 Sheriff street; saloon of Blackner, No. 116 Cherry street; saloon of Landsman, No. 263 Stanton street.

Grammar School No. 36, No. 710 East Ninth street. Saloon of A. Hoff, No. 720 East Ninth street; saloon of P. F. Reily, corner Avenue C.

Grammar School No. 71, No. 188 Seventh street. Saloon, No. 204 East Seventh street.

Grammar School No. 88, No. 300 Rivington street. Saloon on each side within 200 feet.

Primary School No. 5, No. 269 East Fourth street. Saloon of A. Wamser opposite, No. 276 East Fourth street.

Primary School No. 31, No. 272 East Second street. Saloon of F. Weise, No. 285 East Second street.

Thirteenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 4, No. 203 Rivington street. Saloon of Max Tannenbaum, No. 196 Rivington street.

Grammar School No. 34, No. 108 Broome street. The John Kress Brewing Company, No. 111 Broome street; saloon of E. Schmidt, No. 97 Broome street; saloon of E. Muller, southwest corner Broome and Sheriff streets; Sweeney's, northwest corner Broome and Sheriff streets.

Grammar School No. 92, Broome street. Saloon of H. B. Scharman & Sons, corner Broome and Attorney streets; saloon of W. H. Hamilton, Broome and Ridge streets.

Primary School No. 10, No. 28 Cannon street. Saloon of James Lynch, No. 66 Broome street.

Primary School No. 20, No. 187 Broome street. Saloon of Samuel Mikelowitz, No. 194 Broome street; saloon of Edward A. Eiseman, corner of Broome and Clinton streets.

Primary School No. 40, No. 116 Norfolk street. Saloon of D. Zierler, southwest corner of Rivington and Norfolk streets; saloon of M. Lubitz & Bro., No. 108 Norfolk street.

Fourteenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 21, No. 55 Marion street. Saloon of Henry Boop, opposite.

Primary School No. 6, No. 222 Mott street. Saloon of R. Marasee opposite, No. 217 Mott street.

Primary School No. 30, No. 143 Baxter street. Two saloons opposite.

Sixteenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 11, No. 314 West Seventeenth street. Two saloons opposite.

Grammar School No. 56, No. 351 West Eighteenth street. Saloon of William Moore, No. 122 Ninth avenue.

Seventeenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 13, No. 239 East Houston street. Saloon corner of Essex street.

Grammar School No. 19, No. 344 East Fourteenth street. Saloon of P. Fitzgibbons, corner of First avenue.

Grammar School No. 25, No. 330 Fifth street. Five saloons opposite.

Grammar School No. 79, No. 38 First street. Saloon next door, and four opposite.

Primary School No. 26, No. 536 East Twelfth street. Three saloons opposite.

Eighteenth Ward.

Grammar School No. 40, No. 225 East Twenty-third street. Saloon opposite.

Grammar School No. 50, No. 211 East Twentieth street. Saloons on three corners of Third avenue.

Primary School No. 4, No. 413 East Sixteenth street. Two saloons opposite, one on the corner of First avenue and one on the same side of the street.

Sixth Ward.

Grammar School No. 23, corner of Bayard and Mulberry streets. Is surrounded by liquor saloons and greatly needs asphalt pavements in front.

Which was laid on the table.

INVITATION.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Garrick Club:

GARRICK CLUB, NEW YORK, No. 31 WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET.

The Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIRS—The Garrick Club extend to you a cordial invitation to be present at their rooms, Saturday, April 6, at 9.30 P. M., our regular Press Night, when will be inaugurated a movement which, we sincerely hope, will soon become popular in clubdom throughout this country.

On this evening there will be presented to the Garrick an American flag, and, thereafter, we purpose making it an established custom in the Club to offer, at our gatherings, a standing toast in honor of Old Glory.

Mr. Joseph Howard, Jr., will make the presentation speech, and addresses will be delivered by other men of prominence.

Unquestionably, you will at once appreciate the patriotism of the idea, and we earnestly request that you give it your indorsement by being present.

Kindly favor us with an early reply.

Very truly yours, HENRY C. PIERCY, President.

JOHN J. BREEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, March 27, 1895.

Which was accepted, with thanks.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Randall—

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

There being no entrance to the Bronx Park between the Southern Boulevard, Williamsbridge and Woodlawn, a distance of one and a half miles, we, the undersigned residents of Bedford Park and Williamsbridge, respectfully petition that a bridge be erected over the Harlem Railroad tracks at Scott avenue.

John Gallaher, Scott avenue.

Theodore M. Lochowicz, Webster avenue.

Max Cziner, Southern Boulevard.

Herman Popper, Southern Boulevard.

William Moore, Webster and Scott avenues.

Jno. F. Moore, Webster and Scott avenues.

Frederick J. Baker.

Wm. Marshall, Hull avenue.

Fred H. Brandt, Perry avenue.

Z. Flomerfelt, Scott avenue.

H. E. Oliver, Suburban street and Briggs avenue.

T. Moore, Jr., Briggs avenue.

F. Moore, Briggs avenue.

George Schmitt, Suburban street.

Charles J. Dyer, Webster avenue, near Scott.

William H. Hallock, Jr., Webster avenue, north of Scott avenue.

C. G. Van Reyppen, Webster near Scott avenue.

George Carter, Webster avenue, corner Tower place.

E. G. Duval, Suburban street, Bedford Park.

H. C. Failing, Kemble street.

J. S. McDowell, Kemble street.

M. J. Garrett, Knox street.

E. L. Bianchi, First street.

Geo. F. Gerrard, Kemble street.

Peter Celi, First street.

William Londrigan, Grand avenue.

H. B. Varian, Woodlawn.

Walter H. Selleck, Willard avenue.

William I. Archer, Erneschiff place.

M. J. King, Clifford street, Woodlawn, N. Y.

J. O. Vreeland, Holly street, Woodlawn, N. Y.

Andrew Duncan, 309 Perry street.

John J. Weeks, Olin avenue.

John A. Ammerson.

Valentine Kolb, 743 Summit street.

George Schmitt, Suburban street.

P. A. Johnson, Summit street.

J. N. J. Davis, Summit street.

Louis Dolphin, Summit street.

F. D. Mullins.

Henry Hagemeister, Rockfield street.

James M. King, Rockfield street.

Theodore Burnham, Rockfield street.

John Wilson, Ferry avenue.

William Moore, Webster and Scott avenues.

Thomas Basel, Webster avenue, opposite Tower place.

Ben. Hogg, Webster avenue.

Geo. V. Krauss, Webster avenue.

Patrick Brady, Decatur avenue.

George A. Smith, Decatur avenue.

William D. Phelan, Scott avenue.

Max F. Klepper, No. 15 Scott avenue.

Louis Mink, Hull avenue, near Scott avenue.

Thomas Conlon, Decatur avenue.

Richard H. Knopf, Decatur avenue.

A. S. Gardner, Decatur avenue.

A. Runk, Webster avenue.

F. L. Weare, Webster avenue.

W. H. Reynolds, Suburban street.

Percy R. Reynolds, Suburban street.

Richard E. Elliffe, Webster avenue.

E. Ehrlich, Suburban street.

Ralph Broadbent, Decatur avenue.

J. T. B. Fisher, Decatur avenue.

Sam'l E. Dupley, Decatur avenue.

Sumter L. Happy, Decatur avenue.

Wm. G. Happy, Decatur avenue.

A. J. Whiteman, Decatur avenue.

John Dougherty, Decatur avenue.

Franklin P. Duffey, Decatur avenue.

Philip Duffey, Decatur avenue.

E. F. Post, Decatur avenue.

Harry Hammerstein, Decatur avenue.

W. J. Winghart, Suburban street.

Wesley E. Bryde, Perry avenue.

Henry Lucy, Perry avenue.

August Holderer, Perry avenue.

David M. Walker, Scott avenue.

William Weber, Bainbridge avenue.

Geo. Francis Burger, Ph. G.

Julius Tannenbaum, Ph. G.

David Adamson, Cordova place.

Drake T. Smith, Suburban street.

James Hanson, Anthony avenue.

Wm. J. McComb, Anthony avenue.

Edward Kodier, Potter place.

Mike Pistone, Villa avenue.

Frank Pistone, Jerome avenue.

James Shirland, Rockfield street.

Robert Shirland, Rockfield street.

Peter G. Nordstrom.

John H. Leith, Webster avenue.

Charles Glenn, Webster avenue.

Rodger B. Hamblut, Summit street.

Wm. Van Buskirk, Summit street.

Geo. W. Waddy, Summit street.

Charles A. Rogers, Anthony avenue.



Mrs. C. Michelen, Rockfield street.  
A. Merkant, Rockfield street, Bedford Park.  
B. Merkant, Rockfield street, Bedford Park.  
R. Merkant, Webster avenue.  
H. G. Merkant, Rockfield street, Bedford Park.  
B. L. Shaide, Suburban street.  
Wm. H. Shaide, Suburban street.  
W. A. Newton, Decatur avenue.  
C. B. Gallaher, Scott avenue.  
Harry P. Wank, Webster avenue.  
William Conway, Rockfield street.  
Philip Schmitt, Rockfield street.  
P. McCarthy, Signal place.  
J. J. Scott, Webster avenue.  
C. J. Kelly, Webster avenue.  
Charles Danenbaum, Southern Boulevard.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Fire and Building Departments, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of requesting the Fire Commissioners to place and keep a fire-alarm signal-box on the corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Second avenue, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Fire Department be and they are hereby respectfully requested to place and keep a fire-alarm signal-box on the corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Second avenue.

ANDREW ROBINSON, WILLIAM TAIT, WILLIAM E. BURKE, JOSEPH T. HACKETT, Committee on Fire and Building Departments.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—30.

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of erecting an additional lamp-post, with lamp thereon and to be lighted in front of the parochial residence of the Church of St. Lawrence, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That an additional lamp-post be erected and a street-lamp placed thereon and lighted in front of the parochial residence of the Church of St. Lawrence, No. 980 Park avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JOSEPH SCHILLING, JOSEPH T. HACKETT, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, ELIAS GOODMAN, ANDREW A. NOONAN, Committee on Lamps and Gas.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—31.

The Committee on Markets, to whom was recommitted the annexed preamble and resolutions giving to the Board of School Trustees of the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, the use of the Essex Market for school purposes, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, after having had several public hearings on the subject-matter embraced in said preamble and resolutions, at which a number of persons appeared for and against the proposed change, and after due deliberation and after giving the subject proper consideration, your Committee offer for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the premises known as Essex Market, in the City of New York, be discontinued as such market, and the same is hereby declared no longer a public market ; and be it further

Resolved, That the application of the Board of School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, for the uses of Essex Market for school purposes, be and the same is hereby granted for the use of the said premises by the School Trustees as aforesaid, and is hereby assented to and approved, provided, however, that the rooms in said building, now occupied by Hans Powell Post, of the Grand Army of the Republic, be continued for the use and occupancy of the Grand Army of the Republic, and that the premises in the basement of said building, now used and occupied for market purposes by lessees of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, be continued by the said lessees.

CHRISTIAN GOETZ, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOHN P. WINDOLPH, JEREMIAH KENNEFICK, Committee on Markets.

Alderman Noonan moved that the report and resolution be laid on the table.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goodwin, Lantry, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Tait, Ware, and Wund—16.

Negative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Goetz, Goodman, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Marshall, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Wines, and Woodward—14.

Excused—Alderman Dwyer—1.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of Constantin B. Cazan to keep a flower-stand in front of No. 164 Greenwich street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That having examined the subject, they find no provisions in the ordinances for a flower-stand, but only for the sale of fruit, periodicals, soda-water and newspapers. They therefore recommend that the said resolution should not be adopted.

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Constantin B. Cazan to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of flowers in front of the premises No. 164 Greenwich street, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Constantin B. Cazan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

FREDERICK A. WARE, Chairman ; BENJAMIN E. HALL, JOHN T. OAKLEY, JACOB C. WUND, RUFUS R. RANDALL, Committee on Law Department.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—31.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Benno Lewin to keep a newspaper stand at Seventh avenue and Forty-eighth street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to Benno Lewin to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of newspapers on side of the premises Forty-eighth street and Seventh avenue, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said Benno Lewin, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

FREDERICK A. WARE, Chairman ; BENJAMIN E. HALL, JOHN T. OAKLEY, JACOB C. WUND, RUFUS R. RANDALL, Committee on Law Department.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—30.

Negative—The President—1.

Alderman Ware moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee on Markets was laid on the table be reconsidered. But the President declared the motion out of order.

Alderman Olcott appealed from the decision of the Chair.

The President put the question, "Shall the Chair be sustained?" Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goodwin, Kennefick, Lantry, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, School, Tait, and Wund—15.

Negative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Hackett, Hall, Marshall, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, Ware, Wines, and Woodward—15.

Excused—The President—1.

The Committee on Street Cleaning, to whom was recommitted the annexed resolution in favor of asking the State Legislature to pass a bill permitting owners of trucks and vehicles to keep their said trucks and vehicles in the streets, bulkheads and piers, with the consent of the property-owners, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the resolution, as amended, be adopted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution, as amended, be adopted.

Whereas, Truckmen and other owners of vehicles in the City of New York have suffered much injustice from the arbitrary manner in which their trucks and vehicles have been removed from carriageways, bulkheads and wharves in the City of New York ; and

Whereas, These truckmen are under the existing law put to much inconvenience and expense ; be it therefore

Resolved, That the members of the State Legislature be and they are hereby respectfully requested to so amend the existing laws that truckmen and other owners of vehicles in the city, the said owners to be residents of the City of New York, may be permitted to keep their trucks or other vehicles, when not in use, on either side of the carriageway of streets, near the curb, and on bulkheads and piers in this city, provided that they keep the portion underneath said trucks or other vehicles clean, and also provided that the consent of the owners or lessees of said piers and bulkheads shall have first been obtained ; and be it further

Resolved, That the Aldermanic Committee on Legislation be requested to urge the passage, in person, of such a measure.

CHRISTIAN GOETZ, ROBERT MUH, CHARLES WINES, NICHOLAS T. BROWN, Committee on Street Cleaning.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goetz, Goodwin, Hackett, Kennefick, Lantry, Marshall, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Goodman, Hall, Olcott, Randall, and Ware—6.

Alderman Ware renewed his motion to reconsider the vote by which the report of the Committee on Markets was laid on the table.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Goetz, Goodman, Hackett, Hall, Marshall, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Ware, Wines, and Woodward—16.

Negative—Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goodwin, Kennefick, Lantry, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Tait, and Wund—14.

Alderman Brown moved that the consideration of the matter be postponed indefinitely.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goodwin, Lantry, Muh, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Tait, and Wund—13.

Negative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Goetz, Goodman, Hackett, Hall, Kennefick, Marshall, Olcott, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Ware, Wines, and Woodward—17.

Alderman Oakley moved that the report and resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Markets.

Alderman Goetz moved as an amendment that the report be received and the resolution adopted.

Alderman Brown moved as a further amendment that the consideration of the subject be postponed for one week from April 2, 1895.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment of Alderman Brown. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Goodwin, Kennefick, Lantry, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Tait, Woodward, and Wund—16.

Negative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Goetz, Goodman, Hackett, Hall, Marshall, Olcott, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Ware, and Wines—13.

NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred resolutions directing us to oppose Senate Bill 563 (see Journal, page 265), beg leave to

#### REPORT :

That we attended the stated meeting of the Railroad Committee of the Senate, but no quorum being present the Chairman, Hon. Henry J. Coggeshall, and the Hon. Martin T. McMahon kindly assented to hear us, and give our views and arguments proper consideration.

We presented a written statement of our objections, over our respective signatures, a copy of which is hereto appended.

This protest is broad in its character and opposes legislation of this kind in every respect.

We were assured by the two Honorable Senators that their views concurred with ours, and that, though the so-called Rice Bill was in the order of third reading, it would be recalled and further hearing and consideration be given to it by the Committee.

The Chairman of the Senate Railroad Committee stated that many of these measures being introduced and no opposition made thereto from any source, favorable report thereon is quite natural.

It is therefore evident that the various bills presented to the Legislature should be examined when received by the Clerk of the Common Council, and attention be directed to all which affect this city in any particular.

We offer the following :

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby instructed to examine each and every Legislative Bill which is received in his office, and to notify the Chairman of the Committee on Legislation, as soon as he discovers that any so received affect New York City in any respect whatever.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Chairman, ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND, JOHN JEROLMAN.

To the Hon. HENRY J. COGGESHALL, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads of the Senate :

DEAR SIR—On the 5th day of March, 1895, the Common Council of the City of New York passed, by a unanimous vote, the following resolution :

"Whereas, Senate Bill No. 563, introduced by Senator Rice, partially abridges the powers of the Common Council ; and

"Whereas, This bill evidently is a scheme to deprive this Board of Aldermen from granting a petition now before this Board ; and

"Whereas, This bill is evidently in the interest of a rival corporation, now operating a street railway in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards ; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the Legislative Committee representing this Board take such action as they may deem advisable to oppose said bill in behalf of the Board of Aldermen."

In pursuance of the said resolutions, the undersigned, comprising the Legislative Committee of the Board of Aldermen, have duly met and considered their obligations in that regard, and have resolved to proceed to Albany to personally oppose the said bill before your Committee, and to respectfully submit in writing formal grounds of opposition to said bill, as follows :

First—That the character of such proposed legislation is vicious, because its apparent object is to serve the purposes of one railroad corporation by practically excluding the construction of any other street railroad lines than those owned by said corporation in a part of the city which, in point of area, is one-half of the City of New York.

Second—In order to accomplish this object, the proposed bill seeks to abolish the rights and duties of the Mayor and Common Council of the City of New York, as the "Local Authorities" referred to in the Laws and Constitution of the State, who are to determine the streets and highways under their control, which may be used, in part, for street railroad transit.

Third—That the streets (numbering eight) proposed to be excluded by said bill are wide and long, running, for the most part, through sparsely populated sections, which cannot be properly developed in the absence of railroad facilities.

Fourth—That in the territory referred to, although nearly as large in area as the rest of the City, there are less than ten miles of street railroads in use, and that the present facilities of local transit are meagre and unsatisfactory.

Fifth—That the existing Union Railway Company, popularly known as the "Huckleberry Railroad," in operation in said district, possesses franchises whereby they decline to give transfers over their lines or to repair the road between the tracks, the rails of the tracks and two feet outside of the tracks or to pay to the City the percentage of its gross receipts as required by the Street Railroad Law.

Sixth—That your Committee, for and on behalf of the Common Council of the City of New York, respectively and emphatically protest against the passage of said bill.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred "An Act," which proposes to give to the Board of Aldermen power to investigate City Departments, beg leave to

#### REPORT :

That we received from the Committee on Law Department the "Act" hereto appended, which has been kindly prepared by Simon Stern, Esq., a prominent member of the Committee of Seventy ; and in conformity with instructions from this Board (see Journal, page 350), we proceeded to further the necessary legislation.

Desiring to obtain encouragement and support from his Honor the Mayor, and to avoid advocating any measure affecting the City without his concurrence, if obtainable, we called upon his Honor and indicated our purpose. We were gratified to learn that our views and wishes met with hearty approval.



The Committee proceeded to Albany accompanied by the President of the Board of Aldermen, and upon due consideration decided to request the Honorable Jacob A. Cantor, the recognized leader of the City delegation in the Senate, to present the "Act" to that body, and also request the Honorable Seth Wilks, the Assemblyman from the district in which our Chairman and the President of the Board reside, to place the bill before the Assembly. Both gentlemen have kindly assented to do as requested, and assure us of their earnest and hearty support of the measure.

We have had interviews with a number of members of both branches of the Legislature and are encouraged in the belief that our measure will have many ardent supporters.

It is our intention to exert every honorable effort to insure favorable action, and in furtherance of this purpose we offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks are eminently due and are hereby tendered to Simon Stern, Esq., for his kind and valuable services to the Law Committee of this Board, for his co-operation in preparing the "Act" submitted to the Legislature giving the Board of Aldermen power to investigate the City Departments.

Resolved, That the members of this Board be and they are hereby requested to confer with the Assemblymen and Senators representing their respective districts, and to advocate and urge favorable consideration of and action on the proposed "act" as hereinbefore referred to.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND, JOHN JEROLOMAN.

"AN ACT to amend section one hundred and one of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, 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,' relative to the powers and duties of the common council.

"The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

"Section 1. Section one hundred and one of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, known as the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, 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,' be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 101. The common council, and the several members thereof, are hereby declared trustees of the property, funds and effects of said city and county, respectively, so far as such property, funds and effects are or may be committed to their management or control, and every person residing in said city and assessed to pay taxes therein, who shall pay taxes therein, is hereby declared to be a cestui que trust in respect to the said property, funds, and effects respectively; and any co-trustees, or any such cestui que trust shall be entitled as against such trustees, and in regard to such property, funds and effects, to all the rights and remedies provided by law of any co-trustee, or cestui que trust to prosecute and maintain any action to prevent waste and injury to any property, funds, and estate held in trust. Such trustees are hereby made subject to all the duties and responsibilities imposed by law on trustees, and such duties and responsibilities may be enforced by any co-trustee or cestui que trust aforesaid. And to enable the common council to discharge the trust hereby imposed it shall be the duty of the common council from time to time, and whenever in their judgment they deem proper to investigate, through a committee of their number, all officers and other persons, and the conduct of all departments or offices, to whom and to which the receipts or expenditures of the funds of the city shall be entrusted, and for the purposes of such investigation and ascertaining facts in connection therewith they are hereby clothed with the power to compel the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, and examine as such witnesses such officers and their clerks, and others persons, and all books, vouchers, papers, contracts and documents of such departments, and may by subpoena or otherwise compel the production of such books, vouchers, papers, contracts and documents aforesaid before them for examination.

"Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman O'Brien moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to Aldermen Walsh, Jahn, Leich, Colson and Dunne of the City of Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The Committee on Legislation, who were instructed to make effort to hasten legislation in regard to the erection of a memorial building, and to report from time to time the progress made, beg leave to submit the following:

We have elicited the co-operation of the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the Executive Committee of that body will draft a bill for presentation to the Legislature, subject to the approval of this Board.

The Honorable Martin T. McMahon has kindly consented to present the bill to the Senate and champion the cause in that body; and the Honorable Judson Lawson has likewise assented to do the same in the Assembly.

It is now contemplated to provide that a fund shall be created, to which the State and the City shall contribute; and a Citizens' Committee be appointed to receive voluntary contributions from firms, corporations and individuals, in order that the building, when erected, shall be in fact, as well as name, a tribute from the People direct, as well as from the State and City Governments.

We desire to direct attention to the fact, that there are many who regard this movement with some feeling of skepticism. They admit that a building as proposed is due to the veterans of the war now living, and a proper tribute to the memory of the heroes who fought and died for their country. They concede that a building as suggested, while answering the purpose of a Memorial Arch, has the additional advantage of utility and usefulness; and is far preferable to a monument, no matter how imposing; yet they seem to entertain doubt as to the successful results of the efforts of your Committee. This is a sad commentary on the patriotism of our legislators and our people, which your Committee feel is unwarranted and without cause. With proper encouragement from those whom we desire to serve, and with their earnest and hearty co-operation, we will proceed in our work determined to succeed.

The session of the Legislature is now too far advanced to expect, with any degree of certainty, such consideration of our measure as otherwise might have been hoped for; yet, with proper effort and energy, we can accomplish considerable towards bringing the matter before the public in a manner which must and will result in the attainment of the object desired.

We offer the following:

Resolved, That all bodies composed of veterans of the war, whether organized as the Grand Army of the Republic, or the Legion of Honor, or known by any other name or title, be and they are hereby requested to take proper steps towards lending moral and material support to those who are endeavoring to provide for the erection of a memorial building in this city, and to agitate the matter in a manner so that the public generally shall become interested therein.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND, JOHN JEROLOMAN.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the report of the Committee on Law Department, providing an amendment to the Greater New York bill, beg leave to

REPORT:

That we have conferred with the proposer of said bill, the Honorable Lexow, and he has kindly assented to amend the same, as requested by the Board, in the manner indicated in the Journal, on page 265 of the Minutes of March 5, 1895.

We also desire to report that the Hon. Andrew H. Green, whose name is so closely identified with the Greater New York measure, has conceded the advisability of our amendment, and concurs therein.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Chairman; ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND, JOHN JEROLOMAN.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report. Which was decided in the affirmative.

NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the resolution favoring an amendment to Senate bill providing for the reorganization of the Police Department, so that the Mayor instead of the Governor shall appoint the Commission, beg leave to

REPORT:

That, from present indications, it is quite apparent that such power will be vested in the Mayor if said Senate bill is adopted in any form whatever. We have presented copies of the resolution adopted by this Board to the Chairman of the Committee on Cities of both Houses of the Legislature, and we will carefully watch the progress of legislation on this subject in order to represent the wishes of the Board should further occasion arise for us to do so.

JOHN P. WINDOLPH, Chairman; ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, CHARLES WINES, JOHN J. O'BRIEN, FREDERICK A. WARE, JACOB C. WUND.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report. Which was decided in the affirmative.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS. (G. O. 154.)

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That the amount specified in statement of expenditures hereto attached, incurred by the Committee on Legislation, in visiting Albany the past week, to advocate and urge the several measures referred to them by this Board, be and the same is hereby appropriated and ordered paid from the Contingent Fund of the Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen To the Committee on Legislation.

Visit to Albany March 28 and 29, 1895, by President Jeroloman and Aldermen Windolph, Ware, Goodman, Wines, Muh and Wund, and previously by the Chairman:

Railroad fares.....	\$56 00
Hotel.....	47 50
Typewriting.....	2 50
	<hr/> \$106 00

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 155.)

By the same—

Whereas, The dangerous condition of the asphalt pavement on Eighth avenue, between Bank street and Fifty-eighth street, render it a menace to the life and limb of citizens who have occasion to ride or drive on that thoroughfare; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to compel the contractors who laid the asphalt pavement on Eighth avenue, between Bank street and Fifty-eighth street, to repair the said pavement at once.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Noonan—

Resolved, Whereas, in the death of the late Hon. Randolph B. Martine, Justice of the Court of General Sessions, the judiciary of the City of New York has lost a sterling member, and the commonwealth is deprived of a loyal, upright and patriotic citizen; and

Whereas, Judge Martine, during his career as a District Attorney of this County and subsequently on the bench of a high criminal court, discharged his official duties intelligently, conscientiously, and in such a manner as to win the profound respect of the great majority of his fellow citizens; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of New York sincerely deplores the sudden death of Hon. Randolph B. Martine and extends its sincere sympathy to his widow and son in their sad bereavement; that a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated by the Clerk, be forwarded to the family of the deceased; and be it further

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolutions. Which was decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 9, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M.

WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending March 23, 1895:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$70,406 93
City Treasury.....	326,842 95
Total.....	<hr/> \$397,249 88

<i>Bonds and Stock Issued.</i>	
Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$109,157 79
Three per cent. Stock.....	9,000 00
Total.....	<hr/> \$118,157 79

<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$11 33
The Common Council—	
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	15 75
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$747 10
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	507 60
	<hr/> 1,254 70

Interest on the City Debt.....	70 00
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The Aqueduct Commission—	
Additional Water Fund.....	5,656 94

The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	476 97

The Department of Public Works—	
Additional Water Fund—City of New York.....	\$3,273 87
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	11,253 62
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	69 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	1,622 93
Bridge over the Harlem River at First and Willis Avenues.....	25 00
Bridge over the Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	96 00
Bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal at Kingsbridge Road.....	152 50
Bronx River Works—Repairs and Maintenance.....	1,636 78
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	27 00
Croton Water Fund.....	9,709 77
Free Floating Baths.....	546 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	3,361 03
Laying Croton Pipes.....	500 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,199 00
Public Building—Seventh District Police Court.....	24 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	115 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	5,629 25
Repairing and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	2,991 48
Repaving, Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	10 75
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	50 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,073 85
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	178 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	1,354 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,868 86
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	24,613 73
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	48 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,927 75
Water-main Fund.....	157 00
Water-meter Fund, No. 2.....	270 55
	<hr/> 73,784 72

The Department of Public Parks—	
Aquarium.....	\$1,144 23
Bridge over the Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	48 59
Castle Garden in Battery Park, etc.....	825 02
Cathedral Parkway, Improvement of.....	202 99
Central Park—Construction of, and Improving Northwest Corner	52 09
Corlears Hook Park, Construction and Improvement of.....	74 25
East River Park, Improvement of.....	234 16
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance.	697 52
Improvement and Maintenance of Parks in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,742 22
Improvement of Parks and Parkways, Chapter 11, Laws of 1894	6,465 78
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	17,050 14
Parks outside of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	260 19
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	33,661 99
Riverside Park and Driveway—Completion of Extension.....	2,028 71
Riverside Park, Construction of.....	93 63
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	16 13



The Department of Street Improvements—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—		
Bridge Crossing the New York and Harlem Railroad, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$1 50	
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,887 74	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	13 87	
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards....	267 18	
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	9,747 85	
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	322 37	
Telephonic Services and Contingencies.....	24 17	
		\$12,264 68
The Department of Public Charities and Correction—		
Public Charities and Correction.....		69,848 84
The Health Department—		
For Bacteriological Laboratory.....	\$399 04	
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.	525 00	
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	252 95	
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	318 65	
Health Fund—For Payment to Board of Police.....	476 83	
Hospital Fund—For Hospital Supplies, Care, Improvement and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	470 17	
		2,442 64
The Department of Street Cleaning—		
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....		80,430 82
The Fire Department—		
Fire Department Fund.....		14,230 19
The Department of Buildings—		
Department of Buildings—Board of Examiners' Fees.....	\$390 00	
Department of Buildings—Contingencies and Emergencies.....	271 33	
		661 33
The Department of Taxes and Assessments—		
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....		21 00
The Department of Docks—		
Dock Fund.....		80,838 90
The Board of Education—		
Board of Education Building Fund.....	\$18,000 00	
College of the City of New York.....	20 00	
Public Instruction.....	37,539 62	
Sanitary Improvement—School-house Fund.....	795 00	
School-house Fund.....	22,500 00	
The Normal College.....	10 00	
		78,864 62

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	\$134 41
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	459 33
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	453 83
	\$1,047 57
Municipal Service Examining Boards—	
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	104 85
The Sheriff—	
Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail.....	271 35
The Judiciary—	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	76 42
Miscellaneous Purposes—	
Advertising.....	\$1,018 10
Armory Fund.....	22,530 85
Bureau of Licenses.....	9 20
Change of Grade Damage Commission—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	971 66
Construction of Bridge over the Harlem River, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge.....	449 70
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	2,759 98
For Allowance to the Aguilar Free Library Society, for Library Purposes.....	833 33
For Allowance to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the City of New York, for Free Library.....	833 33
For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes.....	2,083 33
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	259,961 00
Interest on Assessments.....	3,169 56
Judgments.....	4,301 46
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	461 86
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Fund.....	45,000 00
Park Avenue Improvement above One Hundred and Sixth Street.	87,500 00
Rapid Transit Fund.....	3,042 50
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	8 38
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	8 52
Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	35,255 42
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	99 18
	470,297 36
Total.....	\$957,268 62

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 23, 1895.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
14527	Mar. 8, 1895	Public Works.....	William E. Dean, Jr.....	William E. Dean.....	\$22,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging Emerson street, from Seaman to Amsterdam avenue..... Estimate	\$23,847 79
14528	" 8, "	"	"	Theodore Dieterlen.....	8,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging Two Hundred and Eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Harlem river..... Estimate	5,278 11
14529	" 8, "	"	"	Charles C. Schildwachter.....	4,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Harlem river..... Estimate	4,909 78
14530	" 11, "	"	John J. Hopper.....	Charles C. Schildwachter.....	700 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Claremont avenue..... Estimate	579 42
14531	" 1, "	Aqueduct Commission.....	John Flanagan.....	Theodore H. Rohdenburg.....	4,000 00	Cutting timber and clearing grounds on west branch of Croton river for Reservoir "D," near Carmel, in the Towns of Carmel and Kent, Putnam County, New York..... Total	3,800 00
14532	Jan. 28, "	Public Works.....	New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Co., Limited.....	James D. Hall.....	7,500 00	Furnishing naphtha lamps for Central Park, from January 1, 1895, to December 31, 1895..... Estimate	4,000 00
14533	Mar. 8, "	"	DeWitt C. Bouker, Jr.....	William G. Leeson.....	3,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 1,500 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock, and 1,000 cubic yards of screenings of trap-rock..... Estimate	4,665 00
14534	" 14, "	"	Martin Lipps.....	American Surety Company of New York.....	5,000 00	Laying water-mains in Amsterdam, Decatur, Third, Hoe, Tinton, Melrose, Railroad, Fulton and Lenox avenues; in Travers, Inwood, Ninety-third, One Hundred and Thirty-first, One Hundred and Forty-sixth, One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-seventh streets, and in Pond place and Southern Boulevard..... Estimate	12,025 00
14535	" 8, "	"	George M. Clark and Hartwell A. Wilkins, composing firm of Clark & Wilkins.....	Henry Lipps.....	700 00	Furnishing and delivering 300 cords of first growth pine wood..... Total	2,400 00
14536	" 11, "	"	Henry G. Homer.....	Jacob R. Wilkins.....	3,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 140,000 gallons of No. 6 paving cement..... Total	9,625 00
14537	" 11, "	"	Isaac E. Hoagland, Henry P. Robinson and William Vaughan, composing firm of Hoagland, Robinson & Vaughan.....	Michael F. Wynn.....	300 00	Furnishing and delivering 1,200 barrels of hydraulic cement..... Total	1,140 00
14538	" 11, "	"	F. B. Hawkins.....	Henry C. Robinson.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering manhole heads and covers, extra manhole covers, basin covers, step-irons for manholes, basin hoods and basin grate-bars..... Total	2,790 30
14539	" 12, "	"	Julius Osterhoudt.....	Benjamin Wright.....	2,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 6,000 lineal feet of bridge-stone..... Total	3,150 00
14540	" 14, "	Charities and Correction.....	Charles F. Matilage.....	American Surety Company of New York.....	1,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 1,231 hams and 1,033 pieces of bacon..... Total	1,840 68
14541	" 19, "	"	William T. Gillott, Jr.....	James A. Craig.....	15,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 5,000 barrels of No. 1 flour and 5,000 barrels of No. 2 flour..... Total	33,445 50

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	William Toel.....	\$112 00	Certified copy order directing the Comptroller to apply award made for Parcel No. 202, in matter of opening Boston road, to payment of assessment on Parcel No. 1296 on benefit map in said proceeding.....	Wing, Putnam & Burlingham.
"	Thomas D. Mason and J. Herbert Carpenter, executors.....		Certified copy order amending report of Commissioners in matter of widening, etc., College place, by striking out the words "and trustees under," wherever they occur in said report as part of the designation of said Mason and Carpenter.	R. Benedict.
"	The People ex rel. William C. Schermerhorn, etc., vs. A. P. Fitch, Comptroller....	22,300 00	Copy peremptory writ of mandamus directing Comptroller to issue bonds for the payment of award for premises No. 51 Baxter street, in matter of Mulberry Bend Park.....	Strong & Cadwalader.
"	The People ex rel. William C. Schermerhorn, etc., vs. A. P. Fitch, Comptroller....	22,300 00	Copy peremptory writ of mandamus directing Comptroller to issue bonds for payment of award for premises No. 51½ Baxter street, in matter of Mulberry Bend Park.....	Strong & Cadwalader.
"	In matter of acquiring certain real estate, under chapter 189 of Laws 1893.....		Order confirming report of Commissioners of Appraisal, Carmel (Lake Glenside), Putnam County.....	W. H. Clark, Corporation Counsel.
"	Walter F. Barnes....	804 00	Summons and complaint. For furniture for the New Criminal Court-house, delivered December, 1894.....	Dayton, Dumphy & Swift.
"	Zella Gibbes.....	71,416 66	Certified copy order amending report of Commissioners of Estimate in matter of opening College place, etc., and directing payment of award on Parcel No. 7 to Zella Gibbes, in place of Zella Gibbes, as stated therein.....	Lord, Day & Lord.
"	Theresa Boas.....	502 30	Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	J. A. Deering.
"	Henry N. Kuesel.....	9,900 00	Certified copy order directing payment of award made to Charles Elsworth and others, executors, for Parcel No. 15, in matter College place opening, etc.....	E. H. Pomeroy.
Superior..	Lawrence Martin....	2,526 47	Transcript of judgment.....	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
Surrogates	Theresa Cotes and others.....		Citation requiring the Clerk of Arrears to appear before the Surrogate, at his Court, on April 30, 1895, in the matter of the settlement of the accounts of the executors of the estate of David H. Knapp, deceased.....	J. S. Nelson.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Carlos F. Macdonald..	\$350 00	Transcript of judgment.....	H. W. Unger.
"	In matter of acquiring title to lands on north side of Second street, between Avenues C and D, for school purposes.		{ Notice of motion to confirm report of Commissioners of Estimate in said matter... }	F. M. Scott, Corporation Counsel.
"	In matter of acquiring title to lands at northeast corner of Railroad avenue, East, and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, for site for building for the Fire Department.....		{ Notice of motion to confirm report of Commissioners of Appraisal in said matter... }	F. M. Scott, Corporation Counsel.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1895.				
Mar. 18	Margaret Cronin.....	\$25,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	Boardman & Boardman.
" 18	John J. Cronin.....	5,000 00	For damages for loss of services of his wife, Margaret Cronin, on account of personal injuries received by her.....	Boardman & Boardman.
" 18	Mutual Life Insurance Company....	12,749 31	{ For expenses incurred by order of the District Attorney, in the trial and prosecution of the People vs. Henry F. Meyer.	E. L. Short.
" 19	Bridget Farrell.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	H. H. Shook.
" 19	Charles Wolfe.....	36 00	For services as Inspector of Election in the Eighteenth Election District of the Twenty-fourth Assembly District, for the year 1894.....	C. Wolfe.
" 20	John Powell.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	C. L. Hubbell.
" 21	James A. Brady, as-signee.....	1,550 00	{ For balance of judgment recovered by Bernard Brady against Mayor, etc.....	
" 22	Alanson Agor.....	2,000 00	For damages by the action of the Commissioner of Public Works of New York City, in entering upon his real estate, situated in the Town of Somers, Westchester County, and burning a building thereon.....	
" 22	Sarah O'Connor.....		For damages for personal injuries and notice of intention to sue.....	H. H. Shook.
" 23	Mary McBride.....	30,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	C. J. Patterson.



*Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, Remitting Taxes of 1894 on Personal Estate, as follows:*

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Mar. 21	Antonio Garcia .....	80 Warren street.....	\$3,000 00	\$53 70
" 21	James J. Morris.....	53 Leonard street.....	5,000 00	89 50
" 21	Peter Bailey.....	69 Greene street.....	5,000 00	89 50
" 21	David Hirsch.....	249 Pleasant avenue.....	5,000 00	89 50
" 21	William Wood.....	25 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.....	10,000 00	179 00
" 21	Amos H. Calef.....	195 Broadway.....	10,000 00	179 00

*Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, Reducing Taxes of 1894 on Personal Estate, as follows:*

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CORRECTED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Mar. 21	John B. James .....	Riverdale .....	\$5,000 00	\$100 00	\$87 71

*Opening of Proposals.*

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

March 20. The Department of Public Works—For furnishing materials and performing work in repairing and building pontoons for the free floating baths; repairing and painting the roofs and painting fifteen (15) free floating baths, and repairing and furnishing signal lamps, and repairing pumps and hoppers.

March 20. The Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For regulating, grading, constructing sewers, etc., in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated March 7, 1895, published in the CITY RECORD.

March 20. The Department of Public Parks—For furnishing 10,000 cubic yards of screened gravel, of the quality known as Roa Hook gravel, where required on the Central Park and Riverside Park and avenue.

*Approval of Sureties.*

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

March 18. For furnishing stationery for the use of Courts and the Departments and Bureaus of the Government of the City of New York. L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Company, No. 85 Liberty street, Principal; Samuel I. Knight, No. 38 East Tenth street, and Lawyers' Surety Company, No. 32 Liberty street, Sureties.

March 21. For repairing Pier, new 15, North river, foot Vesey street. Robert P. Statts, No. 29 Broadway, Principal; Jacob D. Bucky, No. 29 Broadway, and Charles S. Hirsch, No. 163 West Ninety-fifth street, Sureties.

March 21. For furnishing materials and performing work in the erection of a public building in Crotona Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 248, Laws 1894. James O'Toole, No. 334 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Principal; William Lyman, No. 51 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street; Thomas Regan, No. 719 Lexington avenue, Michael Regan, No. 80 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, Sureties.

March 21. For furnishing the Department of Public Works with 4,990 tons of Lehigh and Wilkesbarre coal and 10 tons of cannel coal. Moquin & Offerman, foot of West Ninety-sixth street, Principal; Mark Ash, No. 918 St. Nicholas avenue, Peter Alexander Ave, No. 841 St. Nicholas avenue, Sureties.

*Approved by Deputy Comptroller.*

March 22. For preparing for and building a new coal pier, with appurtenances, on westerly side of Ward's Island, Harlem river. Conklin & Jones, No. 238 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Principal; Adam P. Dienst, No. 596 East One Hundred and Fortieth street, John Hartmayer, No. 2470 Third avenue, Sureties.

March 22. For furnishing the Department of Public Works with 6,500 glass street signs Manhattan Supply Company, No. 141 Chambers street, Principal; James S. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street, William H. Barron, No. 320 West Seventy seventh street, Sureties.

March 22. For alteration and improvement to sewer in Elm street, between Catharine lane and Leonard street, and in Leonard street, between Elm street and Broadway. E. E. De Camp, No. 387 Park avenue, Principal; James Slattery, No. 218 West Fifty-seventh street, John Slattery, No. 368 Park avenue, Sureties.

March 22. For repairing and building pontoons for the free floating baths; repairing and painting the roofs, and painting fifteen free floating baths; repairing and furnishing signal lamps and repairing pumps and hoppers. N. B. Smyth, No. 205 West Tenth street, Principal; American Surety Company, No. 160 Broadway, William E. Keyes, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

*Official Designation.*

March 21. Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on March 22 and 23, 1895.

*Died.*

March 19. Edward L. Taylor, Cashier in Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, etc. RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

**THE BOARD OF POLICE.**

The Board of Police met on the 26th day of March, 1895. Present—Commissioners Martin, Murray, Kerwin and Andrews.

*Leave of Absence Granted.*

George Hopercroft, Clerk to Superintendent, ten days' extension.

*Reports Ordered on File.*

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154; on complaint of S. G. Meeter, relative to bill posting on housetops and vacant lots, copy to Mayor; relative to co-operation of Police Department with Department of Street Cleaning, copy to Mayor. Captain Pickett, Nineteenth Precinct—On complaint of Henry H. Bridgman of condition of sidewalk on south side of East Thirty-fifth street. Captain Martens, Twenty-first Precinct—On anonymous complaints of policy shops at No. 214 East Twenty-ninth street and No. 644 Third avenue. Captain Westervelt, Twenty-eighth Precinct—On complaint of E. J. Breen, No. 154 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, of violations of Sunday law. Captain Westervelt, Twenty-eighth Precinct—On communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, relative to goats infesting One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, from First to Pleasant avenues. Sergeant Dean, Twenty-seventh Precinct—On complaint of Henry Meyers, No. 110 East Ninety-second street, against the Salvation Army; copy to Mayor. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Susie Shoemaker, Chester, Pa., as to whereabouts of a McGraw family. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman John Leddy, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

Report of Captain Westervelt, Twenty-eighth Precinct—On application of Bernstein & Altmeyer, for telegraph connection with the Twenty-eighth Precinct Station-house, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power to have the connection made, without expense to this Department.

The matter of Owen F. Rafferty, demanding rescission of acceptance of resignation, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

New York Superior Court. The People ex rel. Frederick Timme against The Board of Police. Writ of certiorari. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

New York Superior Court. The People ex rel. Robert Kenney (in behalf of himself and all others similarly situated) against The Board of Police. Summons, complaint, affidavit and order to show cause. Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

*Mask Ball Permits Granted.*

Charles Kompe, at Murray Hill Lyceum, April 1; Walter Flatz, at Ebling's Casino, April 6; M. J. Lavigne, at Everett Hall, March 29; Theo. Kraus, at New York Turn Hall, March 30.

Application of Robert Weil, in behalf of Ellen Malarkey, child of late Patrolman Bernard Malarkey, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Application of Patrolman Thomas H. Kane, Twenty-seventh Precinct, for transfer to Sanitary Company, was referred to Sergeant Mullin for report.

*Communications Ordered on File.*

Civil Service Board—Relative to time for amendments to Regulation 14 to take effect; also relative to notices to be given of offices to be filled.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Commending Patrolman Thomas Wawne, Nineteenth Precinct, for assistance rendered Deputy Commissioner Moore.

Counsel to Corporation—Opinion as to physical disability of Patrolman William Cahill, Twenty-fourth Precinct, and a surgical operation in his case.

Counsel to Corporation—Opinion whether, in assigning Patrolmen to duty as Roundsmen, preference shall be given to veterans of the late war; and whether such preference must be given in all cases of promotion.

Communication from Joseph H. Henry and others, property-owners, etc., Twenty-third Ward, asking that a station-house be erected in the neighborhood of Westchester and Prospect avenues, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

*Communications Referred to Superintendent for Report, etc.*

From the Mayor—Inclosing complaints, etc., viz.: John S. Henry, concerning death of one Gilbert.

Reverend I. T. Wilds—Complaint of disorderly boys who engage in sham-fights, stone Policemen, break windows and endanger lives.

"A number of clerks and salesmen"—Relative to Sunday Closing Law.

Common Council—Resolution relating to transparencies on lamp-posts.

Board of Excise—License rejected: Henry Kruse, No. 200 West Thirty-fifth street.

Taxpayer—Complaint against Patrolman John H. Hay, Eighteenth Precinct.

John McGuire—Complaint of disorderly persons in Thirty-eighth street, First and Second avenues.

Austin McKibbin—Complaint that officer detailed at crossings of Bowery and Grand street does not give proper attention to the southeast corner.

H. Caro—Complaint of disorderly boys on Park avenue, Ninety-fifth to Ninety-eighth streets.

Mrs. W. G. Thompson—As to whereabouts of her husband.

Abm. L. Wolbarst, City Vigilance League—Asking detail of officer at crossing, Bowery and Canal street, between 7 and 10 A. M. and 4 to 8 P. M.

W. E. C. Bradley (to Commissioner of Street Cleaning)—Complaint of billposters tearing papers from fences and throwing them into the streets.

E. W. Townsend, House of Refuge—Asking appointment of Abram L. Cottrell as Special Patrolman.

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

*Transfers.*

Roundsman Benjamin Wolf, from Thirteenth Precinct to Third Precinct; Patrolman Adam Rae-dig, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

*Details by Superintendent Under Rule 32—Filed.*

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to notify Patrolman John Buckley, Thirty-second Precinct, to appear before this Board on Friday, 29th instant, at 1 P. M.

Resolved, That Mrs. Theresa Peaty be and is hereby employed as Cleaner at Central Department.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman Joseph H. Gibson, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for the month of March, 1895.

Resolved, That the return in the case of Albert A. Jordan be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

N. Y. Supreme Court. The People ex rel. Adam A. Cross; The People ex rel. George Smith against The Board of Police. Order reversing judgment and restoring relators.

Resolved, That Adam A. Cross be and is hereby reinstated as Captain, and the Superintendent directed to assign him to duty—all aye.

Resolved, That George Smith be and is hereby reinstated as Patrolman, and the Superintendent directed to assign him to duty—all aye.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to prepare and submit to the Board of Police Commissioners a statement containing the following information:

1st. The names of all officers of this Department who are now under indictment for crime and who have not been formally relieved from duty by the Board.

2d. The amount of time lost on account of sickness or otherwise, by each employee of this Department, other than the uniformed force, since January 1, 1894, and the reason therefor.

3d. A list of all Patrolmen who have served for twenty-five (25) years or over in this Department, and who are now doing regular patrol duty. All names upon this list shall be arranged in the order of the length of service, the Patrolman with the longest service being No. 1. This list shall be accompanied by a brief statement showing the total number of years and months of service of each Patrolman thereon, the number of years and months of service upon light or special duty, and the total number of days' fine imposed to March 1, 1895.

4th. A list showing the names of all officers now on duty in the various Court squads. This list shall be accompanied by a brief statement showing the number of years and months of service of every officer thereon, the number of years and months of service upon light or special duty, and the total number of days' fine imposed to March 1, 1895.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, and for the purpose of connecting the Police Station-houses north of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, on the west side, and north of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, on the east side, with the telephone system of this Department, it is

Resolved, That application be and is hereby respectfully made to the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company for the right of way for a four (4) cable on the poled lines of the said company, as follows: Beginning at One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, northerly through said avenue to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence westerly through One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the Boulevard; thence northerly through the Boulevard and Kingsbridge road to the Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house; also upon Third avenue, from the north side of Harlem river to One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and are hereby employed on probation as Patrolmen, viz.: Eugene Burns, Peter Duffley, John Lope, Thomas Ryan, Charles Kammer, Jr., Edward J. McMahon, Robert McNaught, Jr., Frank Baker, Thomas J. Gleason, John Wholey.

Resolved, That such persons be examined as to their physical qualifications by a Committee of Surgeons to be detailed (in pursuance of Rule 111) for such.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Secretary of the Civil Service Board for an eligible list of names of persons for appointment as Patrolmen, sufficient in number to fill ten vacancies now existing.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye: S. L. Berrian, lumber, \$12.88; Bramhall, Deane & Co., repairing range, \$2.34; M. Breen, painting, etc., \$85; M. R. Brennan, expenses, \$15.80; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$287; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$287.45; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$38; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$30.05; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$29.90; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$124.50; Martin B. Brown, printing, etc., \$5; Brush Electric Illuminating Company, use of lamp, \$16.80; Central Gas-light Company, gas, \$61.25; C. Cochran, alterations, \$165; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$207.25; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$30; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$979.87; J. & J. Dobson, carpet, \$14.28; John Doran, newspapers, \$4.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$4.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$4.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$4.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$6.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$6.80; John Doran, newspapers, \$6.80; John Early & Co., brushes, etc., \$159.60; Edison Electric Illuminating Company, electric power, \$13.17; John Egan, lumber, etc., \$23.38; Equitable Gas-light Company, gas, \$532.75; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$389.25; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$241.62; Frazee & Co., horse feed, \$209.47; Thomas Fox, horseshoeing, \$53.25; Thomas Fox, horseshoeing, \$37.25; General Electric Company, fuse, plugs, etc., \$1.62; Anthony M. Gilligan, expenses, \$5; Goss & Edsall Company, cement and lime, \$7; Higgins & Co., plumbing materials, \$292.04; Hilton, Hughes & Co., cloth, \$10.80; Howe Bros., horseshoeing, \$71.54; J. H. Hunken's Sons, horse feed, \$172.05; M. & J. B. Huntoon, ice, \$12.51; Kane & Griffin, horseshoeing, \$110.25; John L. Killilea, expenses, \$23.49; Geo. W. Leman & Bro., lead pencils, \$48; Robert Lefferts, soap, \$48.25; Francis McCabe, cartages, \$8.25; William McKenna, horseshoeing, \$5; McLaughlin & Gleason, repairing roof, \$29.78; P. Malone, horseshoeing, \$77.75; Metropolitan Telephone & Telegraph Company, rent telephones, \$157.75; Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, telephone magnets, \$62; Moore & Co., printing, \$15.50; Moore & Co., printing, \$5.52; J. L. Mott Iron Works, urinal, etc., \$72.10; Hugh Nesbitt, painting, etc., \$295; N. Y. Belting and Packing Company, rubber hose, \$30.60; Northern Gas-light Company, gas, \$42.72; The Okonite Company, okonite wire, \$37.50; Frederick Pearce, telegraph supplies, \$72.85; Frederick Pearce, telegraph supplies, \$456.30; Alexander Pollock, cotton waste, etc., \$40.40; Alexander Pollock, oil, etc., \$7.07; Alexander Pollock, oil, etc., \$65.17; Alexander Pollock, rope, etc., \$54.38; Alexander Pollock, fire-buckets, \$1.80; T. G. Sellow, desk, \$72; W. H. Schieffelin & Co., sponges, etc., \$28.55; Kate Travers, meals, \$68; Kate Travers, meals, \$12.15; Julia E. Tillman, meals, \$230; Terrell & Vroom, carpenter-work, \$210; Terrell & Vroom, carpenter-work, \$19.89; T. & W. Thorn & Co., horse feed, \$263.40; T. & W. Thorn & Co., coal, \$28.50; The Tucker File Company, file cabinet, \$65; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$14; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$19; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$18; P. W. Valley, chairs, \$18; Ward & Olyphant, coal, \$424.23; George A. Wright, cleaning flues, \$8; Charles M. Young, keeping horses, \$82.50; Harry White, expenses, \$4; total, \$8,017.

*Judgments—Fines Imposed.*

Patrolman N. Lawrence Kane, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Anthony F. Bolz, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Daniel J. Sullivan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Seeley J. Brownell, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman Norman Sheldon, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas Burleigh, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman John J. Burns, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John P. Mulcahy, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman John J. Baker, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Richard J. Claron, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Henry Ahrens, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Peter Gallagher, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Bernard Finnegan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Frank C. Bockell,



Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Theodore Howard, Fourteenth Precinct, violation of rules, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Timothy Keyes, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Michael J. Cooney, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay ; Patrolman Frank A. Sohulka, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James H. Jenkins, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James Fitzgibbons, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay ; Patrolman James H. Hay, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James Ryan, Nineteenth Precinct, violation of rules, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Simon P. McDonnell, Nineteenth Precinct, violation of rules, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Stephen J. Brannigan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Silas H. Pomeroy, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Joseph Toye, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Patrick Cosgrove, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Patrick Kelly, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Elbert M. Roberson, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Thomas H. Hackett, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Thomas H. Doyle, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Alexander Kerr, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Michael McCormack, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Joseph E. Burke, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James Keenan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Thomas Gilmartin, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Joseph Long, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John Ballester, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Ferdinand Walter, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Robert B. Watt, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John J. Sweeney, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Edward F. Tynan, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman George W. Godson, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman John J. O'Brien, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Xavier M. Kayser, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay ; Patrolman Xavier M. Kayser, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay ; Patrolman George M. Yeager, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Benjamin C. Scheffler, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Mark Harrigan, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman George C. McCartney, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman William Mulcare, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James R. Stillings, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Frank Muller, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman James Gilday, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Michael H. Malone, First Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Franklin Cornell, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman John J. Tierney, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Henry A. Kregel, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Charles J. McCarthy, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Julius Klentzin, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James Walsh, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman John E. Scott, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman William F. Lyman, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman John H. Keeling, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Bernard McLaughlin, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Andrew Van Delft, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Thomas A. Logan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman Thomas A. Logan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman William D. Tabell, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John K. McMahon, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman William J. Smith, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John L. Mullen, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman William C. Nolan, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman James F. Hannan, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Saunders J. Unkles, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Owen Sullivan, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John J. Nehill, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Thomas F. Condren, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Michael J. McGuire, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay ; Patrolman Thomas Rogers, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Patrick H. Cunningham, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Robert J. Jennings, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman James J. Fox, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Louis Katz, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James Moran, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Francis P. Towney, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Philip C. Kiernan, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Nicholas M. Pierce, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Patrick Dowling, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Felix McCarren, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Maurice W. Corr, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay ; Patrolman William F. Calhoun, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Edward Frey, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Nathan H. Brown, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman James E. Wren, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman George L. Britton, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Joseph J. Mangan, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John F. Carey, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman John J. McDonnell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman William Pound, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Henry Van Zandt, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman James P. Oates, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman John J. O'Connell, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay ; Patrolman Patrick Mallon, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay ; Patrolman James W. Anderson, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman Chas. A. Brickweidel, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Michael J. Kavanagh, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman William Whyte, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman George W. Fletcher, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman John McCormack, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay ; Patrolman William Kilduff, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay ; Patrolman Patrick Mullen, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

Complaint Dismissed.

Patrolman Michael F. McGoff, Fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer. Adjourned. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DOCK DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks of the City of New York, held at the office of the Board, Pier "A," Battery place, Thursday, March 14, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M. Present—Commissioners Phelan and White. Absent—President Cram. The Board proceeded to open estimates for repairing Pier, new 15, North river, near the foot of Vesey street, under Contract No. 497, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

Contract No. 497.

Four estimates were received, as follows :  
1. John D. Walsh, with security deposit, \$85..... \$3,943 00  
2. Spearin & Preston " 85..... 4,150 00  
3. John W. Flaherty " 85..... 3,873 00  
4. Robert P. Staats " 85..... 3,340 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by said bidders and accompanying their estimates, whereupon the following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for repairing Pier, new 15, North river, near the foot of Vesey street, under Contract No. 497 be and hereby is awarded to Robert P. Staats, he being the lowest bidder, upon the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 7th instant were read and approved.

Joseph J. O'Donohue appeared on behalf of the Brooklyn and New York Ferry Company and requested permission to temporarily close the Pier foot of East Twenty-third street, for the purpose of making an examination as to the repairs required thereat. On motion, said application was granted. Mr. O'Donohue also made application on behalf of the New Jersey Steamboat Company to erect a shed on the extension to Pier, old 41, North river. On motion, permit granted, said shed to remain only during the pleasure of the Board and to be erected under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by him.

Edward Browne, attorney, appeared on behalf of James Tilley and requested a lease of the bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55, North river.

On motion the following resolutions were adopted :

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such cases made and provided, this Department hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let to James Tilley, all and singular, the wharfage which may arise, accrue or

become due in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, from the use and occupation of the bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55, North river, for a period of three years from May 1, 1895, at a rental of sixteen hundred (1,600) dollars per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department ; provided that said James Tilley shall within ten days from receipt hereof file in this office his written acceptance of the terms and conditions of this resolution, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions as at present embodied in the lease of wharf property now used by this Department.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted James Tilley to erect and maintain an ice-bridge and scales on the bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55, North river, said structures to be erected under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and to remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Board.

Cecil Campbell Higgins, attorney, appeared respecting the time for the commencement of the lease to Hopper S. and Alexander H. Mott, of the bulkhead between West Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, in accordance with the agreement made October 23, 1891. On motion, the time for the commencement of said lease was fixed at April 1, 1895.

A representative of the Inland Transportation Company was present and applied for a berth at Pier, new 6, East river. On motion, the matter was referred to the Dock Master.

A representative of the Central Ice Company appeared and requested a lease of the bulkhead between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, North river. On motion, the resolutions of February 28 and March 7, 1895, in relation to said bulkhead, were rescinded and the following resolutions adopted :

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such cases made and provided, this Department hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let to the Central Ice Company, all and singular, the wharfage which may arise, accrue or become due in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, from the use and occupation of the bulkhead between West Fiftieth and Fifty-first streets, North river, for a period of three years from April 1, 1895, at a rental of sixteen hundred (1,600) dollars per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department ; provided that the said Central Ice Company shall, within ten days from receipt hereof, file in this office its written acceptance of the terms and conditions of this resolution, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions as at present embodied in the lease of wharf property now used by this Department.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted the Central Ice Company to erect and maintain an ice-bridge and scales on the bulkhead between West Fiftieth and Fifty-first streets, North river ; said structures to be erected under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief and to remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Board.

The following communications were referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report :  
From the Health Department—Requesting the construction of another runway and alteration of mooring piles at the dock foot of East Sixteenth street.

From H. C. Rogers, lessee—Requesting dredging at pier foot of West Thirty-fifth street.

From Henry Cook—Requesting that the rental for boat-house foot of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Long Island Sound, commence at the rate fixed November 22, 1894, from the time said boat-house is completed.

From the Metropolitan Street Railway Company—Requesting permit to lay tracks in front of Christopher Street Ferry, in accordance with diagram submitted.

From Dock Master Martin—Reporting dredging required at the bulkhead foot of East One Hundred and Sixth street, bulkhead between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, Harlem river.

The following permit was granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and to be kept within existing lines :

Hoboken Ferry Company—To repair south ferry rack at Christopher Street Ferry.

The following permit was granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board : Panama Railroad Company—To use and occupy Pier, new 43, North river.

The following permit was granted on the usual terms : Michael Reilly—To unload one boat-load of sand on the bulkhead north of Gansevoort street.

The following communications were received, read, and, on motion, ordered to be placed on file.

From the Finance Department—1st. Approving sureties under Contract No. 496. 2d. Approving a transcript of judgment in favor of Thomas Streatfield Clarkson et al. against the Mayor, etc., for wharf property, etc., on West street, between Morton and Leroy streets, and requesting a requisition for \$61,165.19, in payment thereof. The Chief Clerk directed to prepare the necessary requisition.

From the Counsel to the Corporation—1st. Requesting information respecting the claim against Orrin D. Person et al. for rent of southerly half of the bulkhead at West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. The Secretary directed to furnish the information. 2d. Requesting a map showing the property claimed by Oliver Bryan at the foot of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to furnish same.

From the Department of Public Charities and Correction—Requesting 100 loads of filling for new ground at Bellevue Hospital. The Secretary directed to reply.

From the Health Department—Requesting repairs to the Dock at North Brothers Island. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting dredging at the dumping boards foot of Canal street, North river, and Thirty-eighth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to order dredging under Contracts Nos. 489 and 493, respectively.

From Frederick Schafer—Protesting against a permit being granted the Audobon Yacht Club for a platform foot of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, North river, pursuant to their application of the 14th ultimo.

From Michael Regan and Charles A. Brown, sureties on Contract No. 481—Consenting to the extension of time granted Spearin and Preston on the 7th instant to complete the work of building a new pier foot of East Sixty-first street.

From Sebastian Brown—Requesting a permit to place an ice-bridge on the north side of the northerly Pier foot of East Eighty-sixth street. Application denied.

From Austin Baldwin & Co.—Reporting that on the 8th instant a small office on the Pier foot of West Twenty-first street was destroyed by fire.

From the Knickerbocker Steamboat Company—Requesting permission to land the steamers "Grand Republic" and "General Slocum" at the Battery Wharf during the season of 1895. Application denied.

From Bernard Campbell—Requesting a five-years' lease of the Pier foot of West Sixteenth street. Notify the applicant that the lease of said pier is included in the sale of wharf property to be held March 25, 1895.

From Alexander R. Baker—1st. Requesting permission to place an ice-bridge on the bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Seventh street, East river. Application denied. 2d. Requesting permission to place an ice-bridge on the bulkhead near the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Harlem river. Permit granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, compensation to be fixed by the Treasurer.

From Dock-master Patterson—Reporting as to the application of E. C. Clifford & Co. of the 7th instant for permission to place an ice-bridge near the foot of West Fifty-second street. On motion, permit granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board, to place an ice-bridge and scales on the bulkhead beginning at the north side of the Pier foot of West Fifty-fifth street and running northerly one hundred and ten feet, compensation to be paid therefor at the rate of \$1,600 per annum, payable monthly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Phelan, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending March 13, 1895, amounting to \$37,310.82, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes as follows :

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1895.					1895.
Mar. 6	John R. McPherson.....	1 qrs. rent, l u. w., pfm. S. Pier at 40th st., N. R.....	\$57 75		
" 6	National Transit Company....	" l u. w. for pfm., N. 97th st., N. R.....	25 00		
" 7	Manhattan Railway Company	" l u. w., N. 150th st., H. R.	1,250 00		
" 7	Suburban Rapid Transit Company.....	" l u. w. for bridge pier at 129th st. and 2d av....	125 00		
" 8	William Cruikshank, agent...	" l u. w. for extension to Pier 9, N. R.....	200 00		
" 8	Clark & Seaman.....	" l u. w., pfm. bet. Piers 8 and 9, N. R.....	375 00		
" 8	Solomon Mehrbach.....	1 qrs. rent, bhd. N. Pier at 96th st., E. R.....	187 50		
" 8	Bernard Campbell.....	1 mos. rent, Pier at 16th st., N. R.....	83 33		
" 8	" .....	" bhd. foot 137th st., H. R.....	16 67		
" 8	Popham & Co.....	1 qrs. rent, bhd. at 36th st., E. R.....	65 00		
" 9	New Haven S. B. Company..	" Pier 25 and bhd. adjoining E. R.....	2,250 00		
" 9	" .....	" W. 1/2 Pier 26 and bhd. adjoining E. R.....	750 00		
" 9	Standard Gas-light Company..	" bhd. S. 15th st., H. R.....	150 00		
" 11	N. Y., L. E. & West R. R. Co..	Repairing ferry rack at 23d st., N. R.	13,424 07		
" 11	Cunard S. S. Company.....	1 qrs. rent, Pier, new 40, N. R.....	9,125 00		
" 11	N. Y. Horse Manure Company	" Pier at 45th st., N. R.....	875 00		
" 12	Barent H. Lane.....	" Pier, new 57, N. R.....	6,250 00		
" 12	Murray & Co.....	" bhd. foot 14th st., E. R.....	131 25		



DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1895.					1895.
Mar. 12	Ehrenreich Bros.	1 qrs. rant, filled-in land bet. 62d and 63d sts., E. R.	\$25 00		
" 12	"	" l. u. w., pfm. at 63d st., E. R.	25 00		
" 12	Am. Com. Statue of Liberty.	Wharfage, District No. 2, N. R.	37 50		
" 12	Maurice Stack.	"	320 72		
" 12	George A. Woods.	"	5 00		
" 12	James W. Carson.	"	217 80		
" 12	James A. Monaghan.	"	96 21		
" 12	George A. Dearborn.	"	167 15		
" 12	William B. Osborne.	"	10 75		
" 12	Edward L. Carey.	"	144 50		
" 12	Daniel Patterson.	"	90		
" 12	Thomas P. Walsh.	"	95 50		
" 12	H. A. Palmstine.	"	97 11		
" 12	Edward Abeel.	"	490 52		
" 12	George A. Woods.	"	1 00		
" 12	James J. Fleming.	"	156 47		
" 12	George A. Woods.	"	1 00		
" 12	Thomas E. Booth.	"	8 02		
" 12	John J. Martin.	"	60 10		
" 12	Thomas Moore.	"	1 00		
			\$37,310 82		Mar. 13
			\$37,310 82		

Respectfully submitted, JAMES J. PHELAN, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were passed :

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
14410. Steel		\$9 00
14411. Drawing materials.		41 90
14412. Services of horse, cart and driver		105 00
Requisition No.		
644. Carpet.		
645. Desk, chairs and table.		
646. Stationery, etc.		
647. Toilet soap, etc.		
648. Toilet soap.		

From the Engineer-in-Chief: 1st. Report for the week ending March 9, 1895. 2d. Reporting that on the 8th instant the small custom-house office on the Pier foot of West Twenty-first street was destroyed by fire, but no damage was done to the pier proper. 3d. Reporting that the damage to the outer end of Pier, new 29, East river, on February 17, was caused by the tug-boat "Lamberton" instead of the "Rambler," as reported by him on the 21st ultimo. 4th. Recommending that an order be issued to keep the silt basins on the new-made land between Pier "A" and West Eleventh street in good order, at an expense not to exceed \$500 in the aggregate. Recommendation adopted. 5th. Reporting the non-commencement of dredging at the bulkhead south of Bethune street, North river, as directed December 13, 1894. Notify the owners and occupants that if said work is not commenced within five days, the Department will do the dredging and report the cost thereof to the Department of Taxes and Assessments. 6th. Respecting the order of June 14, 1894, to prepare specifications and form of contract for building a crib-work around Riker's Island. On motion, said order was revoked, in consequence of the passage of chapter 58 of the Laws of 1895, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to remove the piles driven on easterly line of said island. 7th. Reporting repairs required to the Christopher Street Ferry. The Hoboken Land and Improvement Company directed to repair. 8th. Reporting that on the 8th instant a quantity of timber was allowed to go adrift from the slip south of Pier, new 13, North river. On motion, John H. Starin, R. P. and J. H. Staats and the Morris & Cumings Dredging Company were ordered to appear before the Board, Thursday, March 21, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., and show cause why a penalty should not be imposed for violation of Rule 12 of the Rules and Regulations of the Department.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make the following repairs, in accordance with his report: Pile platform, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, North river. Pier at West Fifty-second street. Pier at West One Hundred and Fifty-second street. Pier at East Third street. Pier at East Thirty-third street. Pier at East Thirty-eighth street. Pier at East Ninety-fifth street. Pier at One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Harlem river. Coal dock, upper westerly side of Randall's Island. Steamboat landing, westerly side of Randall's Island.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported that the following work had been done by the force of the Department, under Secretary's Orders: No. 14585. Removed planking opposite Pier, new 45, North river, and replaced same with Belgian block pavement. No. 14665. Repaired sheathing on deck of Pier 61, East river. No. 14674. Placed necessary cleats on northerly side of Pier 62, foot of Stanton street, East river. No. 14689. Removed wreck of old canal boat from slip on south side of Pier, new 36, to bulkhead between West Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, North river. No. 14702. Repaired signboard on outer end of pier at Thirty-fourth street, North river.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported that he had superintended the following work, under Secretary's Orders: No. 14146. Erection of sheds on Piers 33 and 34, and bulkhead between, East river. No. 14426. Dredging in half slips, adjoining pier foot of West Eighteenth street, under Contract No. 487. No. 14480. Repairs to ferry-racks, bridges, and ferry houses at Fulton and Catharine [Ferries]. No. 14613. Placing a fire-alarm box at gate to West Fifty-seventh street yard. No. 14663. Repairs to south side Pier, new 24, North river. No. 14680. Cutting two gangways, south side of Pier, new 24, North river. No. 14714. Dredging at dumping-board foot of Canal street, under Contract No. 489.

The Engineer-in-Chief submitted an additional report on Secretary's Order No. 13580, that a backing-log was placed on the bulkhead north of Pier foot Nineteenth street, North river.

The Engineer-in-Chief returned Secretary's Order No. 14437, superseded by Secretary's Order No. 14641.

On motion, the Chief Clerk was directed to submit, at the next meeting of the Board, a statement showing the financial condition of the Department.

On motion, the offer of the 7th instant, to purchase the bulkhead between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, North river, was revoked.

The Secretary submitted a report of the tonnage of vessels berthed on the North, East and Harlem rivers, for the month ending December 31, 1894, which was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

North River.			
Foreign.	Domestic.		
238,750	1,005,983		1,244,733
East River.			
Foreign.	Domestic.		
30,456	513,698		544,154
Harlem River.			
Foreign.	Domestic.		
1,496	11,274		12,770
Total.			1,801,657

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls of the General Repairs and Construction Force for the week ending March 8, 1895, amounting to \$4,356.09, had been approved and audited and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment. On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

The Board then met in executive session. The following communications were received, read and, on motion, ordered to be placed on file:

From the New York City Civil Service Boards—Transmitting certain amendments to the Civil Service regulations, respecting the employment of detailed laborers.

From Henry C. Freeman—Applying for appointment as Dock Master.

From the Engineer-in-Chief: 1st. Reporting the suspension of John J. O'Rourke, Foreman of Laborers, and Peter Shaw and Patrick Maloney, Laborers, and recommending that they be discharged. On motion, said O'Rourke, Shaw and Maloney were directed not to be assigned to duty for ten days from date. 2d. Reporting the suspension of Michael Dunn, No. 1, Laborer, and recommending that he be discharged for loafing on the work.

John A. Bense, Assistant Engineer, and Eugene Lentilhen, Transitman, being duly sworn, were heard in support of said charge, and Michael Dunn, No. 1, having been duly sworn, was heard in his own behalf, whereupon the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That Michael Dunn, No. 1, Laborer, be and hereby is discharged from the service of this Department.

The communication from the Chairman of the Law Committee, Grand Army of the Republic, respecting the suspension of said Dunn, was ordered on file. On motion, three months' leave of absence, without pay, was granted Philip Stark, Seaman. On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS  
For the Week Ending March 30, 1895.

## Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
MARCH.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 24	30.302	30.174	30.142	30.206	30.350	0 A. M.
Monday, 25	29.936	29.734	29.730	29.800	30.116	0 A. M.
Tuesday, 26	29.732	29.650	29.760	29.714	29.784	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 27	29.874	29.778	29.600	29.751	29.884	8 A. M.
Thursday, 28	29.272	29.500	29.788	29.520	29.846	12 P. M.
Friday, 29	29.952	29.908	29.864	29.908	29.960	10 A. M.
Saturday, 30	29.858	29.964	30.110	29.977	30.144	12 P. M.

Mean for the week ..... 29.839 inches.  
Maximum " at 0 A. M., March 24th ..... 30.350 "  
Minimum " at 5 A. M., March 28th ..... 29.180 "  
Range " ..... 1.170 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
MARCH.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 24	35	33	45	39	38.0	47	12 M.
Monday, 25	40	40	47	46	45	43	4 P. M.
Tuesday, 26	39	39	45	39	38.3	45	2 P. M.
Wednesday, 27	27	27	39	34	33.6	45	10 P. M.
Thursday, 28	39	35	40	35	36.3	41	0 A. M.
Friday, 29	39	35	43	37	36.3	43	2 P. M.
Saturday, 30	32	31	41	37	35.6	43	4 P. M.

Mean for the week ..... 38.0 degrees  
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 25th ..... 52 "  
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 27th ..... 26 "  
Range " ..... 26 "

## Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
MARCH.													
Sunday,	24...	SSW	SSE	SW	71	71	42	184	1/2	0	0	2	8.10 A.M.
Monday,	25...	SE	SW	WNW	57	44	62	163	0	1/2	0	4 1/2	4.50 P.M.
Tuesday,	26...	WSW	WNW	NW	70	116	97	283	1 1/2	5 1/2	1 1/2	7 1/2	10.30 A.M.
Wednesday,	27...	NW	W	SSW	129	103	80	312	2 1/2	2	1	4 1/2	3.40 A.M.
Thursday,	28...	WNW	NW	NW	105	195	149	449	7 1/2	7	8 1/2	26	9.50 A.M.
Friday,	29...	WNW	WNW	NW	104	82	43	229	1 1/2	3 1/2	0	3 1/2	3 A.M.
Saturday,	30...	NNE	NNE	N	61	107	70	238	1 1/2	1 1/2	0	8 1/2	10.15 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week ..... 1,858 miles.  
Maximum force " ..... 26 pounds.

DATE. — MARCH.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow. IN.	° 10
Sunday, 24	.162	.251	.216	.209	79	84	90	84	2 Cir.	10	5 Cu.	5 P.M.	6 P.M.	1 00	.01	.....	0
Monday, 25	.248	.297	.251	.265	100	92	84	92	10	8 Cir. Cu.	2 Cu.	10.30 A.M.	11.30 A.M.	1 00	.02	.....	0
Tuesday, 26	.238	.160	.137	.178	100	53	79	77	0	8 Cu.	2 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Wedn <sup>y</sup> , 27	.147	.131	.190	.156	100	54	74	76	0	1 Cir.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Thursday, 28	.152	.139	.130	.140	63	55	78	65	3 Cir.	5 Cu.	3 Cu.	0 A.M.	2 A.M.	2 00	.09	.....	5
Friday, 29	.160	.142	.157	.153	100	51	71	74	1 Cir.	8 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Saturday, 30	.162	.168	.139	.156	89	65	71	75	6 Cu.	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2

Total amount of water for the week ..... 12 inches.  
Duration for the week ..... 4 hours 00 minutes.  
Depth of snow ..... inches.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, Mar. 24	Cool, hazy.	Mild, overcast.
Monday, " 25	Mild, fog.	Mild, hazy.
Tuesday, " 26	Mild, pleasant.	Cool, windy.
Wednesday, " 27	Clear, cold.	Cool, pleasant.
Thursday, " 28	Cool, windy.	Cool, windy.
Friday, " 29	Clear, cool.	Cool, hazy.
Saturday, " 30	Raw, hazy.	Cool, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, March 27, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Cannon and Green.

The Construction or Executive Committee recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Engineer, the following-named Laborers, employed at Jerome Park, be and hereby are discharged, for lack of work, to take effect April 1, 1895:

Baldwin Jones. George Clair. William Miller.  
John Ragan.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resignation of Eberhard J. Wulf, employed as Axeman in the Engineer Corps, be and hereby is accepted, to take effect April 1, 1895.

On motion of Commissioner Green, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:  
Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Engineer, Joseph McCusker be and hereby is appointed Axeman in the Engineer Corps, at a salary of sixty dollars (\$60) per month, the same to take effect April 1, 1895.

On motion of Commissioner Green, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Acting Chief Engineer in reassigning to duty A. Jadin, Rodman, under Division Engineer Wegman, on March 23, 1895, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.



The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Engineer, A. Jadin, Rodman in the Engineer Corps, be and hereby is recommended to the Municipal Civil Service Boards for examination for promotion to the grade of "Leveler."

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Engineer, the following bills are hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment, viz.:

1st. Of J. S. Coleman, for iron fence posts, used at the New Croton Dam, amounting to five dollars and seventy-five cents (\$5.75).

2d. Of Coldwell-Wilcox Company, for machine bolts and nuts used in New Croton Dam Gate-house, amounting to one dollar and eighty-nine cents (\$1.89).

3d. Of R. D. Philbin, for transportation and board, amounting to twenty-six dollars and thirty-five cents (\$26.35).

4th. Of Samuel Hopkins, for transportation and board, amounting to twenty-six dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$26.29).

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 10186 to 10190, inclusive, amounting to \$658.80.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE  
COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

The Counsel to the Corporation has made the following appointments, which took effect this day:

1. William H. Rand, to be Assistant, at the yearly salary of \$3,000.

2. Chase Mellon, to be Junior Assistant, at the yearly salary of \$1,800.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation.

## ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Streets. Law.

**STREETS**—The Committee on Streets will meet on Thursday, April 4, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider the following matters:

"Resolution permitting Marcus Jacobs to keep a soda-water stand in front of No. 144 Henry street, introduced by Alderman Noonan."

"Resolution permitting Jules Blau to keep a show-case in front of No. 425 Broadway, introduced by Alderman Kenefick."

"Resolution designating name and numbering and renumbering of College place, from Chambers to Dey street, introduced by Alderman Kenefick."

"Resolution permitting Henry Kuesel to keep a storm-door in front of No. 14 College place, and two in front of No. 64 Park place, introduced by Alderman Kenefick."

"Resolution permitting Joseph Klein to erect a storm-door in front of No. 32 Church street, introduced by Alderman Kenefick."

"Resolution to pave Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, with asphalt, introduced by Alderman Burke."

"Petition changing the name of Elm street to Parkhurst avenue, introduced by Alderman Woodward."

"Petition to pave One Hundred and Eighth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive, with asphalt, by Alderman Olcott."

"Communication from the Board of Street Opening and Improvement regarding width of sidewalks on both sides of Washington avenue, from Third avenue, at East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, to Pelham avenue."

**LAW**—The Committee on Law Department will hold a public meeting on Friday, April 5, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall. The following matters will be considered: "Resolution permitting vendors or peddlers to sell or offer for sale merchandise on certain streets," introduced by Alderman Noonan; "Resolution permitting vendors or peddlers to sell or offer for sale merchandise on certain streets," introduced by Alderman Goetz.

WM. H. TEN EYCK,  
Clerk Common Council.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Public Works—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Public Administrator—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau of Street Openings—Staats-Zeitung Building.

Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Department of Charities and Correction—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.

Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Public Parks—Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.

Department of Street Cleaning—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.

Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Excise—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9:30 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9.

Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13. Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15.

Superior Court—Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 36. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I, Room No. 34. Part II, Room No. 35. Part III, Room No. 36. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of Common Pleas—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I, Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

City Court—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Open and Terminus Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Police Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, April 17, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Primary School No. 9, at the southwest corner of First avenue and Ninety-ninth street.

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

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

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

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

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

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

ROBERT E. STEEL, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated New York, April 4, 1895.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

### TO LET.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC PARKS having decided to establish the Departmental office at the Arsenal Building in the Central Park, will vacate the premises now occupied by them as offices on the second floor of Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, under a lease which will expire May 1, 1896. Parties desiring similar offices are invited to inspect these premises, where further information may be obtained. Possession will be given April 15, 1895.

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

## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's office, on Friday next, April 5, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated New York, April 2, 1895.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,  
Secretary.

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING 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 Wednesday, April 10, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering the question of a site for the College, the appointment of a Special Committee on Site, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order,

CHARLES H. KNOX,  
Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.  
Dated New York, April 3, 1895.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, will sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1895,

at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage and cramage which may accrue or become due for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden, in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, at the following-named wharf property:

### ON THE NORTH RIVER.

For a term of ten years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 1. Northerly half of Pier, old 12, Pier, old 13, southerly half of Pier, old 14, and bulkheads between said piers, together with platforms in front of said bulkheads, with privilege of maintaining sheds on said piers, bulkheads and platforms.

Lot 2. Pier at foot of Gansevoort street, together with shed thereon, with privilege of repairing or renewing same if necessary.

For a term of five years from May 1, 1897:  
Lot 3. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, together with the extension to be built thereto, with reservation for dump of Department of Street Cleaning on southerly side of said pier.

For a term of five years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 4. Pier at foot of Bethune street, together with privilege of erecting a shed thereon.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 5. Pier, old 40, with privilege of maintaining a shed thereon.

Lot 6. Pier at foot of West Forty-sixth street, with privilege of maintaining a dumping-board at inner end of pier.

Lot 7. Northerly 83 feet of bulkhead between West Forty-ninth and fiftieth streets.

Lot 8. Southerly 30 feet of bulkhead at the foot of West Sixtieth street.

Lot 9. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, with reservation for berth for public bath.

### ON THE EAST RIVER.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 10. Wharf structures at inner westerly end of surface of Pier, old 35, together with privilege of maintaining a shed thereon. (There is no access to these structures by water, consequently only top wharfage can be collected).

Lot 11. Undivided ninth part of Pier, old 42.  
Lot 12. Bulkhead at foot of East Twentieth street.  
Lot 13. Pier at foot of East Twenty-ninth street.  
Lot 14. Filled-in land easterly of original high-water mark in front of southerly half of block between East Sixty-second and East Sixty-third streets, together with platform in front of same.  
Lot 15. Filled-in land easterly of original high-water mark in front of the northerly half of the block between East Sixty-second and East Sixty-third streets, together with platform in front of same.  
Lot 16. Pier at foot of East Ninety-sixth street.

### ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 17. Bulkhead at foot of East One Hundred and Fourth street.

Lot 18. Pier at foot of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

Lot 19. Bulkhead at foot of East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

Lot 20. Bulkhead foot One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenantable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting to be liable to the Corporation of the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertisement of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulkhead at the commencement of the term or that may thereafter be permitted or licensed by the Department, and to the rights attached to such permission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser being engaged in the business of steam transportation, and using and employing the same for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally, with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the Corporation of the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, April 2, 1895.

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
EDWIN EINHORN,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, March 20, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations for the positions below named will be held at this office on the dates specified, at 10 o'clock A. M.:

April 4. DISINFECTORS and ASSISTANT DISINFECTORS, Board of Health.

April 5. EXAMINER IN LUNACY, Department of Charities and Correction.

April 6. DEPUTY SUPERVISOR AND EXPERT, in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record.

April 8. INSPECTOR OF REGULATING AND GRADING.

April 9. INSPECTOR OF WATER METERS.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1895.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Tuesday, April 16, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from West End Avenue to the Hudson River Wall.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETEENTH STREET, from First Avenue to the East River.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth Avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET, from Morningside Park, East, to Manhattan Avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eleventh Avenue to New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks, and SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CRO-SWALKS THEREIN.

No. 6. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN COLUMBUS AVENUE, at Seventy-fifth Street.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-NINTH STREET, between Riverside and West End Avenues.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between Amsterdam Avenue and Morningside Avenue, West.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN SEVENTH AVENUE, east side, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first Streets.

No. 10. FOR SEWER IN EIGHTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-third Streets, WITH BRANCH CURVES IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREETS.

No. 11. FOR SEWER IN MACOMB'S DAM ROAD, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-second Streets.

No. 12. FOR SEWERS IN MACOMB'S DAM ROAD, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Streets, connecting with sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-third Street west of Macomb's Dam Road.

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING FIFTEEN HUNDRED STREET LAMPS.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1, 5, 9 and 11, No. 31 Chambers Street.

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF PERMITS FOR THE TEMPORARY OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC STREETS BY LICENSED VEHICLES. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHAPTER 697, Laws of 1894, authorizes the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to grant permits for the temporary occupancy of portions of the streets and public places in the City of New York, from 4 P. M. until 8 A. M., and on Sundays and legal holidays only, by unlicensed licensed trucks or other unlicensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abut-

ting property upon the condition that the owners of trucks or vehicles for which such permits are issued shall keep the street clean under and around said trucks or vehicles, and subject to such other rules and conditions as the said Commissioner may from time to time prescribe, which permits the said Commissioner may at any time revoke.

Such permits will not be granted for either side of a street contiguous to a public building of the City and County of New York, or a church, school-house, hospital, asylum or other incorporated benevolent institution, or a licensed place of amusement, or for the following-named streets and public places:

Bowery, Broadway, Carmine Street, Catharine Street, Chambers Street, Christopher Street, College Place, Cortlandt Street, Desbrosses Street, Essex Street, Exchange Place, Fulton Street, Hester Street, Hudson Street, Liberty Street, Nassau Street, New Street, Park Row, Varick Street, Wall Street, West Broadway.

Second Avenue (East Houston Street to Twenty-third Street), Third Avenue (Bowery to Harlem River, Harlem River to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street), Fourth Avenue (Sixth Street to Forty-second Street), Fifth Avenue (Washington Place to Fifty-ninth Street), Sixth Avenue (all), Seventh Avenue (Forty-second Street to Fifty-ninth Street), Eighth Avenue (Hudson Street to Fifty-ninth Street), Lexington Avenue (all), Madison Avenue (all), Fourteenth Street (First Avenue to Eighth Avenue), Twenty-third Street (all), First Avenue to Eighth Avenue (East River to Tenth Avenue), Forty-second Street (Second Avenue to Ninth Avenue), Fifty-ninth Street (First Avenue to Tenth Avenue), One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street (Third Avenue to Ninth Avenue).

Or for any streets under the control of the Department of Parks, Docks and Public Works, except upon the consent of the heads of those Departments.

All existing permits for the occupancy by unlicensed vehicles of any of the streets or portions of streets or places enumerated above are hereby revoked.

All unlicensed wagons, trucks or other vehicles standing in the streets or public places, other than those for which permits have been issued and which are in compliance with the conditions of the same will be seized and removed to the Corporation Yards of the Department of Street Cleaning, in pursuance of the provisions of the law.

Applications for permits as above must be made at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the basement of the New Criminal Court-house, corner of Centre and Franklin Streets. Entrance on Centre Street.

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

## NOTICE.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, April 11, 1895.

## GROCERIES.

20,250 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
220,000 pounds Granulated Sugar (Standard).  
The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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 his 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 to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of

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

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.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The term 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 and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Dry Goods, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, April 11, 1895.

## DRY GOODS.

15,000 yards Material for Women's Ulsters.  
3,500 yards Lining for Women's Ulsters.  
1,000 yards Sleeve Lining for Women's Ulsters.  
10,000 yards Material for Men's Winter Suits.  
1,000 yards Sleeve Lining for Men's Winter Suits.  
3,500 Men's Winter Suits, complete.  
800 Men's Overcoats, complete.  
600 Men's Reefers or Pea Jackets, complete.  
750 Attendants' Winter Blouses of "Assabet," "Middlesex" or "Waterloo" Flannel or Flannel known as "Police Cloth," all of 24 ounces weight.  
750 Attendants' Summer Blouses of "Assabet," "Middlesex" or "Waterloo" Flannel or Flannel known as "Police Cloth," all of 16 ounces weight.  
700 Attendants' Winter Uniform Caps, to be made from 20-ounce flannel, either "Assabet," "Middlesex" or "Waterloo" flannel, or flannel known as "Police Cloth."

All to be supplied in conformity with the samples exhibited and the specifications, which latter shall be attached to the bidder's proposal.

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

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

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

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

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 his 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 to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The term of the contract, including specifications, 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 and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 28, 1895.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC Auction, by order of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Tuesday, April 9, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:

30,000 pounds Mixed Rags.  
50,000 pounds Old Iron.  
Iron to be received at North End Storehouse Pier, Blackwell's Island, in a lighter to be furnished by buyer.

2,000 pounds pure rendered Beef Tallow.  
320 pounds pure rendered Mutton Tallow.  
13,000 pounds mixed rendered Tallow.

All quantities to be "more or less" and "as are." All the above (except the iron) to be received by the purchaser at Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, and removed therefrom immediately on being notified that same are ready for delivery. The articles can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week day before the sale.

Twenty-five per cent. of estimated value to be paid on day of sale, and the remainder on delivery.

F. A. CUSHMAN, Purchasing Agent,  
Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Christian Josepheldt; aged 36 years. Committed October 12, 1894. Had on when received checked coat and vest, striped pants, blue shirt, brown felt hat.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Ann Kusbie; aged 60 years; 4 feet 11½ inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Transferred from Almshouse and had on Corporation clothing.

Maria D. Koenig; aged 58 years; 5 feet 3¼ inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted black jacket, blue skirt, gray petticoat, red petticoat, black hat, shoes, stockings.

Jane Tierney; aged 54 years; 5 feet 2½ inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted gray shawl, two small shawls, red waist, brown waist, black skirt, three petticoats, shoes, stockings.

Pesto Dessovana; aged 41 years; 4 feet 3¾ inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Transferred from Workhouse August 13, 1884.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK REQUIRED FOR THE FURNISHINGS AND ALTERATIONS IN THE NEW CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE, ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, AS APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND AT MEETINGS HELD DECEMBER 18, 1894, JANUARY 11, 1895, AND FEBRUARY 28, 1895.

NOTE.—Bids will be received as follows:

Bid No. 1. Furniture, etc.  
Bid No. 2. Scaffolding.  
Bid No. 3. Burglar-proof file-case.  
Bid No. 4. Electrical system.  
Bid No. 5. General items, such as carpenter and joiner work, ironwork, plastering, hardware and other works mentioned below.

It is to be understood that all the requirements and conditions of the contract and specifications shall apply alike to each bid.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock, M., Monday, April 8, 1895, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by and in presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, with the sureties



offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and thereupon the work shall be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

*N. B.—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.*

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

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

For the nature and extent of the work to be done, bidders are referred to the plans and specifications. The plans may be seen at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Thom, Wilson & Schaarschmidt, No. 1267 Broadway.

The entire work to be completed within NINETY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The damages to be paid by the contractor or contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day.

Bidders will state in writing and also in figures, a price for the whole work on which they may bid, complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the plans and specifications and form of agreement.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required is \$2,300 on bid No. 1, \$200 on bid No. 2, \$500 on bid No. 3, \$350 on bid No. 4, and \$2,500 on bid No. 5.

Blank forms of estimates, and further information, if desired, can be obtained on application at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway.

The form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

New York, March 25, 1895.  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor;  
JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder;  
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller;  
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain;  
WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT,  
Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen;  
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for opening and acquiring title to the following streets in the following wards:

#### TWELFTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth (Amsterdam) avenue to Kingsbridge road. Confirmed October 6, 1893, and entered April 1, 1895. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Tenth (Amsterdam) avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

#### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, EAST, from Locust avenue to Southern Boulevard. Confirmed March 22, 1895, and entered April 2, 1895. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Locust avenue to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues; also the plot of land lying between Locust avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, the United States pier and bulkhead-line, and the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as prolonged from Locust avenue to the aforesaid United States pier and bulkhead-line.

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

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest

thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1895, for the opening of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and on or before June 2, 1895, for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after these dates will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessment 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, April 2, 1895.

### 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 assessments, viz.:

#### FIRST AND THIRD WARDS.

LIBERTY STREET—PAVING (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water), between West and Greenwich streets, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Liberty street, between West and Washington streets and to the extent of half the block on the east side of West street and the west side of Washington street.

#### TWELFTH WARD.

CONVENT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Convent avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

NINETY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING, with asphalt, between Amsterdam and West End avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, between Amsterdam and West End avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, between Fifth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Seventh avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Fifth avenue and the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block on both sides of Madison avenue, and east side of Fifth avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, with asphalt, between St. Nicholas and Convent avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between St. Nicholas and Convent avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—CROSSWALKS, west side of Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 23 to 33, both inclusive, of Block 933; also Ward Nos. 29 to 32, both inclusive, of Block 934.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS PLACE—CROSSWALKS, at north side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 1 and 4 of Block 962; also, Ward Nos. 23 to 29, both inclusive, and Ward No. 36 of Block 1077.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS PLACE—CROSSWALKS, at south side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street. Area of assessment: Part of Ward No. 4 and Ward Nos. 61, 63 and 64 of Block 962; also, Ward No. 1 of Block 963; also, Ward Nos. 36, 38, 39, 40 and 41 of Block 1077.

#### SEVENTEENTH WARD.

SECOND AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, southeast corner of Third street. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 1142, 1143, 1144 and 1146, situate south side of Third street, between First and Second avenues.

#### NINETEENTH WARD.

FIRST AVENUE—SEWER, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, First and Second avenues; also, south side of Sixty-eighth street, from First to Second avenue and east side of First avenue, from Sixty-eighth to Sixty-ninth street.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—OUTLET SEWER, from a point about 52 feet west of Avenue A to a point about 86 feet east of Avenue A; also, in Avenue A, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, from First avenue to the East river; both sides of Fifty-eighth street, from First avenue to Avenue A; south side of Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river; east side of Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street; west side of Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh street to a point about 100 feet 5 inches north of Fifty-eighth street, and both sides of First avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street.

#### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

FRANKLIN AVENUE—SEWER, between Third avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; also, in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Franklin avenue and Botom road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Franklin avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending about 177 feet west of Boston road; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to a point about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and both sides of Spring place and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth to Twelfth avenue; east side of Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street; south side of Fifty-sixth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue; north side of Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; west side of Ninth avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—OUTLET SEWER, from Willow avenue to Long Island Sound, with branch sewers in Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; Walnut avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; Willow avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Locust avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and from Willow avenue to the summit west of Willow avenue; One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Locust avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and from Willow avenue to the summit west of Willow avenue; One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Trinity avenue to Long Island Sound; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Trinity to

Willow avenue; both sides of Locust and Walnut avenues, from One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; both sides of Willow avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING, between Morris and Mott avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Morris and Mott avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the westerly line of Port Morris Branch Railroad to Courtlandt avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from the westerly line of Port Morris Branch Railroad to Courtlandt avenue, and to the extent of half the blocks on intersecting avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Brook and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Brook and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on intersecting avenues.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Home street to Hunt's Point road. Area of assessment: Both sides of the Southern Boulevard, between Home street and Hunt's Point road, and to the extent of half the blocks on intersecting streets and avenues.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, and BUILDING CULVERT, between the line of the New York and Harlem Railroad and Weeks street; also list of awards for damages caused by change of grade. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between the line of the New York and Harlem road and Weeks street, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets and avenues.

WEBSTER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on March 15, 1895, 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 May 14, 1895, 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, March 21, 1895.

### 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 assessments, viz.:

#### TWELFTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Boulevard and Riverside Drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, between Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block on Twelfth avenue at its intersection with One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Convent avenue and St. Nicholas terrace. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Convent avenue and St. Nicholas terrace.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—SEWER, west side, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-first streets. Area of assessment: Ward Nos. 12, 13 and 63 of Block 949; Ward Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 57, 58, 59 and 60 of Block 950; Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 and 64 of Block 951; Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 61, 62, 63 and 64 of Block 952.

WEST END AVENUE—PAVING, between the southerly side of One Hundred and Seventh street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighth street. Area of assessment: West side of West End avenue, commencing at a point 100 feet 11 inches north of One Hundred and Sixth street, running thence northerly to the south side of One Hundred and Eighth street; also, both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, and the south side of One Hundred and Eighth street to the extent of half the block westerly from West End avenue.

#### TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, north side, between Amsterdam and West End avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Sixty-seventh street, on Ward Nos. 6 to 9, both inclusive; also Ward Nos. 12 to 15, both inclusive, of Block No. 202.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, north side, between Central Park, West, and Columbus avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Sixty-seventh street, between Central Park, West, and Columbus avenue.

#### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

MORRIS AVENUE—PAVING, between the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and the easterly line of the New York and Harlem Railroad and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris avenue, from a point 118 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-second street to the New York and Harlem Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING, between Railroad avenue, East, and Third avenue, and laying crosswalks. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, from Railroad avenue, West, to a point between Teller and Morris avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Railroad avenue, West, to a point

distant about 300 feet west of Teller avenue; also both sides of the private street south of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Teller and Morris avenues, and both sides of Teller avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, between Webster avenue and the summit west of Tiebout avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Webster avenue to a point distant about 115 feet west of Tiebout avenue; also both sides of Bainbridge avenue and east side of Tiebout avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and west side of Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

WOODRUFF STREET—CROSSWALKS, from the Southern Boulevard to Lillian place. Area of assessment: B. H. sides of Woodruff street, extending half way between Southern Boulevard and Boston road; also both sides of Woodruff street, extending from Boston road to West Farms road; also east side of Boston road, extending about 200 feet north of Woodruff street and about 81 feet south of Woodruff street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on March 8, 1895, 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 May 7, 1895, 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, March 26, 1895.

### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1895, ON THE Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 31 to May 1, 1895.

The interest due May 1, 1895, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 36 Wall street.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1895.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 29, 1895.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:  
500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.  
100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.  
5,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,600 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.—will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, April 12, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the



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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

O. H. LA GRANGE,  
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,  
JAMES R. SHEFFIELD,  
Commissioners.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1895.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING THE BUILDING NEAR THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, KNOWN AS THE DISINFECTING DEPOT OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LABOR and materials for altering the building near the foot of East Sixteenth street, known as the Disinfecting Depot of the Willard Parker Hospital, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 11:30 o'clock A. M. of the 16th day of April, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for altering the building near the foot of East Sixteenth street, known as the Disinfecting Depot of the Willard Parker Hospital, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$2,500.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, New York.

CHARLES G. WILSON,  
CYRUS EDSON, M. D.,  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
JAMES J. MARTIN,  
Commissioners.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,  
NEW YORK, March 28, 1895.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York held at its office on the 26th day of March, 1895, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional amendment of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same is hereby adopted, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Resolved, That section 100 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 100. That every owner, lessee, tenant and occupant of any stall, stable or apartment in the built-up portions of the City of New York, in which any horse, cattle or other animal shall be kept, or of any place in which manure, stable refuse, or any liquid discharge of such animals shall collect or accumulate, shall cause such manure, stable refuse or liquid to be promptly and properly removed therefrom, and shall at all times keep or cause to be kept such stalls, stables, or apartments, and the drains, yards and appurtenances thereof in a clean and sanitary condition, so that no offensive odors shall be allowed to escape therefrom. It shall be the duty of every such owner, lessee, tenant, or occupant, to cause all manure and stable refuse to be removed daily from such stable or stable premises, unless the same are pressed in bales, barrels or boxes, as hereinafter provided. It shall not be lawful to remove manure and stable refuse in carts or wagons or to cart the same within the city limits without a permit from the Board of Health, and such carts and wagons shall be of a construction approved by said Board, and every such cart or wagon must have a permit from the Board in writing, and be used in accordance with the terms of such permit and not otherwise. Manure carts and wagons shall be loaded within the stable premises and not upon the street or sidewalk, and shall be removed from such premises in a manner not in any way offensive or to cause any nuisance. All manure and stable refuse when transported through the streets shall be so covered and secured that no part of the same will fall upon the street and so as to prevent the escape of offensive odors, and the same shall not be unloaded or deposited within the city limits, except upon the conditions of a permit in writing from the Board of Health and at such docks and places as shall be approved by the Board and to which a permit in writing for such use shall have previously been granted by said Board. No manure or stable refuse shall be allowed to be thrown upon or fall and remain upon any street or sidewalk, or upon any ground near any stable, and no manure and stable refuse shall be allowed to remain for more than twenty-four hours in any place within any stable, unless it is pressed in bales, barrel or boxes. No manure vault or receptacle shall be built or used on any premises within the built-up portions of the city, nor in any other part of the city, except pursuant to the terms of a permit granted therefor by the Board of Health.

On and after June 1, 1895, every owner, lessee, tenant, or occupant of any stall, stable, or apartment in the built-up portions of the City of New York, in which any horse, cattle or other animal shall be kept, and from which the manure and stable refuse is not removed daily as hereinbefore provided, shall cause the same to be pressed in bales, barrels or boxes, at least once in each day, and so pressed as to reduce the same to not more than one-third of the original bulk. Manure and stable refuse pressed in bales, barrels or boxes shall be removed to such docks or places as shall be approved by the Board of Health and to which a permit in writing for such use shall have previously been granted by said Board, and such bales, barrels or boxes shall not be opened until delivered at such docks or places.

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended by annulling and omitting therefrom the following sections:

Section 21. For the reason that jurisdiction in respect to theatres so far as relates to overcrowding, inadequate facilities for ingress and egress and insufficient strength of construction and danger from fire, is vested by law in other departments of the city government.

Section 24. For the reason that jurisdiction in respect to jails, prisons and other places where persons are kept or confined pursuant to law, is vested in another department of the city government.

Section 64. For the reason that the same is unnecessary and superfluous, being similar in substance to sections 56 and 184.

Section 68. For the reason that it is the same in substance as the corporation ordinances relating to removal of snow and ice from sidewalks.

Section 99. For the reason that jurisdiction, in respect to repaving of streets, sidewalks, etc., is vested by law in another department of the city government.

Section 199. For the reason that it is the same in substance as section 203 of the Code.

[L. S.] CHARLES G. WILSON, President.  
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following assessment lists are now under consideration by the Board of Assessors, viz.:

4900. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Convent avenue to St. Nicholas Terrace.

4904. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Walton avenue to River avenue.

4905. Regulating, grading, etc., Railroad avenue, East, from the south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street to the south curb-line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

4906. Regulating, grading, etc., Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcher avenue.

4907. Regulating, grading, etc., Wales avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to Westchester avenue.

4908. Regulating, grading, etc., Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-second street to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

4909. Regulating, grading, etc., Freeman street, from Union avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

4910. Regulating, grading, etc., Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue.

4911. Reregulating, regrading, etc., Elton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Brook avenue.

4912. Regulating, grading, etc., George street, from Boston avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue.

4913. Regulating, paving, etc., One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Washington avenue to Railroad avenue, East.

4914. Regulating, paving, etc., One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Brook avenue.

4915. Regulating, paving, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Third avenue.

4916. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifth street, from Boulevard to Riverside avenue.

All persons who consider their property to have been injuriously affected by the regulating and grading of any of the streets and avenues above described, in consequence of a change of grade having been made therein, are hereby notified to transmit, in writing, the evidence relating thereto, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, No. 27 Chambers street, on or before 11:30 A. M. on the 15th day of April, 1895, at which time a public hearing will be given to all parties whose property may be affected by the aforesaid improvements.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1895.

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

List 4755, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Washington avenue and summit west of Boston road, and branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and summit north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

List 4785, No. 2. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Stanton street, between old bulkhead-line and first manhole west of west house-line of Mangin street, connecting existing sewers at Mangin street and curve for Tompkins street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from a point distant about 177 feet east of Franklin avenue to Washington avenue; both sides of Fulton and Franklin avenues, extending about 350 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and east side of Washington avenue, extending about 275 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Stanton street, from the Bowery to the East river; both sides of Chrystie street, Forsyth street, Eldridge street, Allen street, Orchard street, Ludlow street and Essex street, from Houston street to Rivington street; both sides of Norfolk street, Suffolk street, Clinton street, Attorney street, Ridge street, Pitt street, Willet street, Sheriff street, Columbia street, Cannon street, Lewis street, Goerck street, Mangin street and Tompkins street, from Stanton street to Rivington street; both sides of Columbia street, Cannon street, Goerck street and Mangin street, from Houston street to Stanton street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 6th day of May, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1895.

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

List 4784, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to wooden barrel sewer through Pier (old) 29, East river.

List 4800, No. 2. Paving Rutgers Slip, from Cherry to South street, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

List 4879, No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on the northwest corner of St. Nicholas avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

List 4880, No. 4. Fencing vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.

List 4881, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the east side of Edgecombe avenue and west side of Bradhurst avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets.

List 4882, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Park and Madison avenues.

List 4883, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Sixty-ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

List 4884, No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on the west side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

List 4885, No. 9. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Ninety-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues, and south side of One Hundredth street, between Second and Third avenues, commencing 50 feet east of Third avenue and extending 225 feet easterly.

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

No. 1. Property situated within the following area: On the south by John street, on the north by Canal street, on the east by the East river, and on the west by

Broadway (not including the territory east of James Slip and the Bowery to the East river).

No. 2. Both sides of Rutgers Slip, from Cherry to South street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Farm 1, Ward Nos. 16 and 17, Twelfth Ward.

No. 4. Block 516, Ward No. 40, Twelfth Ward.

No. 5. Block 954, Ward No. 14, Twelfth Ward.

No. 6. Block 494, Ward Nos. 44½ and 45, Twelfth Ward.

No. 7. Block 96, Ward No. 9, Nineteenth Ward.

No. 8. Block 504, Ward Nos. 17, 56, 59½, 60, 68 and 69, Twelfth Ward.

No. 9. Block 303, Ward Nos. 7 and 8, Twelfth Ward.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of May, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1895.

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

List 4697, No. 1. Sewer in Twelfth and Thirtieth avenues, between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, and in Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, between Eleventh and Thirtieth avenues, and alteration and improvement to sewer in Thirtieth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river, connecting with sewer to be built by Department of Docks through Pier (new) No. 60.

List 4857, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Courtland and Elton avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, from Eleventh to Thirtieth avenue; both sides of Thirtieth street, from Tenth to Twelfth avenue; both sides of Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, from Ninth to Twelfth avenue; both sides of Thirty-third street, from a point distant about 500 feet east of Tenth avenue to Twelfth avenue; south side of Thirty-fourth street, extending about 300 feet east of Tenth avenue; east side of Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, from Twenty-seventh to Thirty-fourth street; west side of Eleventh avenue, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-fourth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirty-fourth street; west side of Ninth avenue, from Thirty-first to Thirty-second street.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Elton avenue to Courtland avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 27th day of April, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 27, 1895.

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

List 4853, No. 1. Sewers and appurtenances on both sides of Wendover avenue, from Webster to Third avenue.

List 4855, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Welch street, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to the existing sewer under the New York and Harlem Railroad.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Wendover avenue, from Fulton to Webster avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Third avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Fulton to Third avenue; both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-first to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; both sides of Third avenue, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Crotona Park.

No. 2. Both sides of Welch street, from Third avenue to Webster avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from a point distant about 450 feet east of Washington avenue to Vanderbilt, East; both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East; both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, West; both sides of Third avenue, and both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to Pelham avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 25th day of April, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 25, 1895.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for furnishing Electrical Conductors and placing Electrical Conductors, aerial and underground, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of Friday, the 5th day of April, 1895.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Electrical Conductors," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at



the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans and drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire work is to be completed within NINETY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed and liquidated at TWENTY (20) DOLLARS.

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

Each 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 estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Police reserves the right to reject all the bids received if deemed for the best interests of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Police.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, March 22, 1895.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1895.

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

## SUPREME COURT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and

having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 3d day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1895.

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue, distant 101.86 feet from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard with the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with the said westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to a point distant 100 feet from the northerly line of Valentine avenue; thence easterly and parallel with the said northerly line of Valentine avenue to a point on the easterly line of Summit avenue distant 589.50 feet from the northerly line of Briggs avenue; thence by the prolongation of said line to a point distant 100 feet from the easterly line of Rockfield street; thence southerly and parallel with the said easterly line of Rockfield street to the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway; thence along the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence along the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 3, 1895.

FRANCIS L. DONOHUE, Chairman,  
JOHN D. TREADWELL,  
A. M. DRYFOOS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 3d day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1895.

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

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Travers street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue, running thence easterly and parallel with the said northerly line of Bainbridge avenue to a point distant 100 feet from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly and parallel with the said westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to the southerly line of Briggs avenue; thence along said southerly line of Briggs avenue to the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway; thence along the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the southerly line of Perry street; thence along the southerly line of Perry street to a point in the prolongation of said line, distant 100 feet from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly and parallel with the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to a point distant 100 feet from the southerly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence westerly and parallel with said southerly line of Bainbridge avenue to the easterly line of Travers street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Travers street to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, NEW YORK April 3, 1895.

RICHARD H. CLARKE, Chairman,  
JOHN D. TREADWELL,  
THOMAS NOLAN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land extending from the easterly side of Jerome avenue, at One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, opposite One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, for the purpose of the construction of the JEROME AVENUE APPROACH, with the necessary abutments and arches, to the New Macomb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem river, in said city.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (room 1), in said city, on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 12.30 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme

Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of May, 1895, at the opening of court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, 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, March 30, 1895.

LEWIS J. CONLON, Chairman,  
WM. C. HOLBROOK,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 20th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 20th day of May, 1895.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth street and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth street and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; and westerly by the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, April 3, 1895.

WILLIAM J. C. BERRY, Chairman,  
ISAAC FROMME,  
JAMES R. TORRANCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to a public place or square lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Moit avenue and Railroad avenue, East, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on March 26, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street, avenue or place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on Section 1 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on or about the 23d day of March, 1894, and as shown on map or plan showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Third avenue, etc., filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on August 29, 1894, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on August 31, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on September 4, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 2, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 3th day of April, 1895, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, March 27, 1895.

JOHN DELAHUNTY,  
ABRAHAM GRUBER,  
JOHN H. ROGAN,  
Commissioners.

HENRY W. WHEELER, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore

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, April 2, 1895.

FORDHAM MORRIS,  
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,  
WILLIAM GROSSMAN,  
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City and County of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on March 26, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter and as shown and delineated on Section 1 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, August 29, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on or about March 23, 1894, and as shown on map or plan showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, etc., filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, August 29, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about August 31, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about September 4, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 2, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 2, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 3th day of April, 1895, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.

FORDHAM MORRIS,  
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,  
WILLIAM GROSSMAN,  
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title to certain lands at the northwest corner of PROSPECT AVENUE and KELLY STREET, in the Twenty-third Ward of said City, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said City, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, 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 Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days 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 (March 28, 1895), file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 113, on the Third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, which said acts are, by chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, made applicable to this proceeding, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear the parties so objecting at our said office on the 11th day of April, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of April, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, March 27, 1895.

JOHN DELAHUNTY,  
ABRAHAM GRUBER,  
JOHN H. ROGAN,  
Commissioners.

HENRY W. WHEELER, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore



acquired, to NINTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Two Hundred and First street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 18th day of April, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 18th day of April, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in the said city, there to remain until the 30th day of April, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street, midway between the westerly side of Ninth avenue and the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along a line midway between the westerly side of Ninth avenue and the easterly side of Tenth avenue, to a point midway between the block between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets; thence westerly along the middle of the block between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Tenth avenue, to the northerly side of Two Hundred and Eleventh street; thence westerly across the Kingsbridge road, and along the northerly side of Two Hundred and Eleventh street to a point about 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly, and parallel to the Kingsbridge road, to the southerly side of the U. S. Government Canal; thence southerly along the southerly side of the U. S. Government Canal and the westerly bank of the Harlem river to a point midway in the block between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets; thence westerly along the middle of said block to a point midway between the easterly side of Ninth avenue and the westerly side of Exterior street; thence southerly and along a line midway between the easterly side of Ninth avenue and the westerly side of Exterior street to the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as the same is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of May, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 26, 1895.

ISAAC FROMME,  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 8th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Wales Avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated November 22, 1894, and signed "L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greifenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer," and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as section 2 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of April, 1895, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALESE F. SEVERANCE,  
WILLIS HOLLY,  
W. G. BATES,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ST. MARV'S STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from St. Ann's avenue to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Commissioners of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as St. Mary's street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated April 12, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on certain maps, entitled "Section 2 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York," and filed one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1894, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1894, and one in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, on or about the 19th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of April, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALESE F. SEVERANCE,  
WILLIS HOLLY,  
MATTHEW CHALMERS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BROWN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Brown place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map hereto attached, dated the 23d day of December, 1893, and signed by Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868 and filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County at White Plains on or about February 23, 1871, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan of the streets, roads and avenues in that portion of the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded on the north by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, on the east by St. Ann's avenue and Long Island Sound, and on the south by Railroad avenue, East, as established and classified by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and filed, one in the office of the Department of Public Parks, on the 25th day of January, 1885, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1885, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 29th day of January, 1885, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, March 27, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of April, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALESE F. SEVERANCE,  
GEO. E. MOTT,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as St. Joseph's street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 7th day of September, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Section 2 of Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," prepared under authority of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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 and 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, 1892, 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

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

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALESE F. SEVERANCE,  
JAMES E. LARNED,  
GEO. CHAPPELL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Perry Avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated October 31, 1894, and signed "Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer," and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing width, course, classification and grade of streets, avenues and roads within the area bounded by Southern Boulevard, Briggs Avenue, Moshulu Parkway and Marion Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890," and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of May, 1894; in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 1st day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room No. 1), 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 (March 23, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of April, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 23, 1895.

ISAAC L. EGBERT,  
LLOYD MCK. GARRISON,  
JOHN T. FARLEY,  
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 7th day of September, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868, and filed in the Office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains, on or about February, 23, 1871, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 23, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 22, 1895.

GEO. E. MOTT,  
THEODORE WESTON,  
JAMES R. TORRANCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Boone street, as shown and delineated on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled proceeding, and also on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 21, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 21, 1895.

JOHN H. JUDE,  
JNO. T. FARLEY,  
WILLIS HOLLY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Travers Street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated October 4, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing change of street system in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York bounded on the north by the Southern Boulevard, on the east by Webster Avenue, on the south by Travers Street, and on the west by Jerome Avenue," dated June 1, 1888, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks on or about the 24th day of June, 1889; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 26th day of June, 1889, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 27th day of June, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 18, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 18, 1895.

JOHN T. FARLEY,  
GEO. CHAPPELL,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Courtlandt Avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated New York, September 7, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street, from Harlem River to Third Avenue, the public place bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street, Mott Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East, and the widening of Courtlandt Avenue, at its junction with Third Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under authority of chapter 543 of the Laws of 1890," which said map was filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 29th day of August, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of August, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 4th day of September, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 16, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of April, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 16, 1895.

APPLETON L. CLARK,  
J. E. DOHERTY,  
JOHN T. FARLEY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Southern Boulevard to West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 20th day of November, 1894, and signed L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greiffenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on or about the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 13th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 15, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the eighth day of April, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 15, 1895.

GEO. E. MOIT,  
JULIUS WEIL,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, (although not yet named by proper authority), from Southern Boulevard to the Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventy-second Street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated November 20, 1894, and signed L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greiffenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, which said map was filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on the 17th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; 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, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 15, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the eighth day of April, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 15, 1895.

JAMES R. TORRANCE,  
T. J. CARLETON, JR.,  
THEODORE WESTON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 13th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situate in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, Westchester County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, dated December 18, 1894, signed and certified by Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and George W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York; map of lands in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York City in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map was filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 21st day of February, 1895, and a copy or duplicate thereof is now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at No. 31 Chambers Street in said city.

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

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

### FIRST PIECE.

Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., at the northwesterly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 51 degrees 45 minutes west 760.00 feet; thence (2) north 89 degrees 23 minutes west, crossing Tomahawk Street, 1,450.00 feet; thence (3) north 8 degrees 25 minutes west 339.80 feet; thence (4) north 71 degrees 00 minutes east 228.00 feet; thence (5) north 13 degrees 31 minutes west 1,009.90 feet; thence (6) north 43 degrees 31 minutes west 474.95 feet; thence (7) north 54 degrees 06 minutes west 624.90 feet; thence (8) north 76 degrees 56 minutes west 599.26 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (9) north 57 degrees 12 minutes west crossing said right of way 116.13 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (10) still north 57 degrees 12 minutes west 211.21 feet; thence (11) north 53 degrees 57 minutes west 675.00 feet; thence (12) north 53 degrees 28 minutes east 1,180.00 feet; thence (13) north 29 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 960.00 feet; thence (14) north 39 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds west 590.00 feet; thence (15) north 58 degrees 42 minutes 30 seconds west 476.70 feet to the easterly line of Mahopac Avenue; thence (16) north 9 degrees 36 minutes west crossing said Avenue 188.25 feet to the westerly line of said Avenue; thence (17) north 00 degrees 19 minutes east along the westerly line of said Avenue 447.50 feet; thence (18) south 88 degrees 23 minutes west 77.82 feet; thence (19) north 13 degrees 03 minutes west 1,006.60 feet; thence (20) north 41 degrees 30 minutes west crossing the road leading to Peekskill 950.33 feet; thence (21) north 6 degrees 33 minutes east 1,474.37 feet to the county line between Westchester and Putnam; thence along said county line 221.89 degrees 37 minutes west 311.95 feet to a point in the centre of the Muscoot River on said county line; thence still along said county line (23) north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 338.25 feet; thence (24) south 0 degrees 22 minutes west 971.65 feet; thence (25) south 4 degrees 53 minutes east, crossing the road leading to Peekskill, 809.16 feet; thence (26) south 36 degrees 17 minutes east 675.60 feet; thence (27) south 21 degrees 48 minutes east 825.26 feet; thence (28) south 7 degrees 18 minutes east 825.00 feet; thence (29) south 34 degrees 12 minutes east 987.78 feet; thence (30) south 87 degrees 21 minutes east, crossing Mahopac Avenue, 337.38 feet; thence (31) south 31 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds east 748.40 feet; thence (32) south 6 degrees 10 minutes west 925.00 feet; thence (33) south 4 degrees 41 minutes east 1,200.00 feet; thence (34) south 59 degrees 46 minutes east 750.00 feet; thence (35) south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 152.57 feet to the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (36) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 100.94 feet to the easterly line of said right of way; thence (37) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 310.13 feet; thence (38) south 42 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds east 313.65 feet; thence (39) south 25 degrees 08 minutes 30 seconds east 750.00 feet; thence (40) south 00 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds east 690.00 feet; thence (41) south 34 degrees 43 minutes 30 seconds east 523.00 feet; thence (42) south 68 degrees 44 minutes east 523.00 feet; thence (43) still south to the westerly line of the land taken for Reservoir "A"; thence along

the land taken for Reservoir "A" the twelve following courses: (43) north 4 degrees 28 minutes east 151.15 feet; thence (44) north 66 degrees 34 minutes west 476.20 feet; thence (45) north 34 degrees 48 minutes west 407.72 feet; thence (46) north 12 degrees 39 minutes east 184.46 feet; thence (47) south 86 degrees 49 minutes east 49.80 feet to the centre of the Muscoot River; thence (48) still south 86 degrees 49 minutes east 30.23 feet; thence (49) south 14 degrees 25 minutes east 160.30 feet; thence (50) south 84 degrees 00 minutes east 089.52 feet; thence (51) north 78 degrees 13 minutes east, crossing Tomahawk Street, 354.70 feet; thence (52) south 76 degrees 00 minutes east 434.65 feet; thence (53) north 52 degrees 30 minutes east 668.00 feet; thence (54) north 6 degrees 54 minutes east 249.60 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing one hundred and ninety-three and four hundred and ten one-thousandths (193.410) acres.

### SECOND PIECE.

Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., on the southerly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 1 degree 46 minutes east 444.64 feet; thence (2) south 75 degrees 01 minute 30 seconds west 1,039.60 feet; thence (3) north 84 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds west 466.08 feet; thence (4) north 2 degrees 03 minutes 30 seconds west 581.25 feet; thence (5) north 77 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 548.40 feet; thence (6) north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 154.43 feet to the southerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (7) still north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east, crossing said road, 187.97 feet; thence (8) north 60 degrees 34 minutes west 400.52 feet; thence (9) south 52 degrees 22 minutes west 81.18 feet to the centre line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (10) south 00 degrees 46 minutes west 30.50 feet to the southerly line of said road; thence (11) south 53 degrees 44 minutes west along the southerly line of said road 228.32 feet; thence (12) south 88 degrees 59 minutes west 499.47 feet; thence (13) north 70 degrees 31 minutes west 367.25 feet; thence (14) north 83 degrees 48 minutes west 369.24 feet; thence (15) north 7 degrees 35 minutes east 1,111.70 feet; thence (16) south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 255.60 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (17) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 101.07 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (18) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 330.84 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to West Somers; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (19) south 00 degrees 37 minutes west 237.12 feet; thence (20) south 5 degrees 14 minutes east 119.45 feet; thence (21) south 2 degrees 36 minutes west 535.00 feet; thence (22) south 1 degree 06 minutes west 124.02 feet; thence (23) south 1 degree 10 minutes east 190.75 feet to the northwesterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (24) south 40 degrees 12 minutes west along the northwesterly line of said right of way 1,051.52 feet; thence (25) south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 123.77 feet to the southeasterly line of said right of way; thence (26) still south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 585.23 feet to the town-line between Somers and Yorktown; thence (27) north 55 degrees 59 minutes east 637.44 feet; thence (28) south 71 degrees 11 minutes east 691.78 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (29) south 73 degrees 01 minute east 1,046.32 feet; thence (30) south 25 degrees 29 minutes west 431.10 feet; thence (31) north 82 degrees 16 minutes west 469.24 feet; thence (32) south 5 degrees 54 minutes west 230.05 feet; thence (33) north 80 degrees 32 minutes west 344.45 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (34) south 1 degree 27 minutes 30 seconds west along the easterly line of said road 496.00 feet; thence (35) north 81 degrees 20 minutes east 1,031.52 feet; thence (36) north 56 degrees 30 minutes east 608.35 feet; thence (37) south 89 degrees 32 minutes east 597.66 feet; thence (38) south 87 degrees 59 minutes east 556.38 feet; thence (39) south 62 degrees 42 minutes east 832.60 feet; thence (40) south 10 degrees 47 minutes east 546.67 feet; thence (41) south 74 degrees 28 minutes west 455.60 feet; thence (42) south 12 degrees 14 minutes east 1,875.05 feet; thence (43) south 48 degrees 01 minute east 712.60 feet; thence (44) south 37 degrees 24 minutes east 627.07 feet; thence (45) south 1 degree 41 minutes east 593.88 feet; thence (46) south 69 degrees 45 minutes east 291.44 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (47) still south 69 degrees 45 minutes east, crossing said road, 558.16 feet; thence (48) north 26 degrees 27 minutes east 280.00 feet; thence (49) south 57 degrees 14 minutes east 787.00 feet; thence (50) south 59 degrees 15 minutes east 509.15 feet; thence (51) north 82 degrees 21 minutes east 707.85 feet; thence (52) north 3 degrees 09 minutes west 222.79 feet; thence (53) south 87 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds west 94.54 feet; thence (54) south 77 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds west 107.58 feet; thence (55) north 25 degrees 25 minutes west, crossing the Muscoot River, 130.90 feet; thence (56) north 69 degrees 15 minutes east 43.87 feet; thence (57) north 8 degrees 28 minutes east 268.20 feet; thence (58) north 82 degrees 24 minutes west 547.54 feet; thence (59) north 56 degrees 01 minute west 1,628.26 feet; thence (60) north 00 degrees 16 minutes west 771.04 feet; thence (61) north 28 degrees 01 minute west 237.41 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (62) still north 28 degrees 01 minute west, crossing said road, 143.80 feet; thence (63) north 61 degrees 31 minutes west 943.17 feet; thence (64) north 14 degrees 47 minutes west 509.00 feet; thence (65) north 35 degrees 28 minutes east 413.20 feet; thence (66) north 0 degrees 56 minutes west 1,469.60 feet; thence (67) north 61 degrees 54 minutes east 145.53 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (68) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 98.00 feet; thence (69) north 28 degrees 18 minutes west 206.60 feet; thence (70) north 20 degrees 23 minutes west 298.55 feet; thence (71) north 29 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds west 40.31 feet; thence (72) north 18 degrees 57 minutes west 79.62 feet; thence (73) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 314.86 feet; thence (74) south 1 degree 46 minutes west 240.12 feet; thence (75) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 315.00 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing two hundred and seventy-six and five hundred and fifty-two one-thousandths (276.552) acres.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee except those parcels designated as Nos. 7, 17, 37, inclosed within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

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

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

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

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

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

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