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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
FRIDAY, December 7, 1894, 12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1894.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1892 and chapter 106 of the Laws of 1893, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and Counsel to the Corporation, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor on Friday, December 7, 1894, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 6th day of December, 1894.

THOS. F. GILROY,

Mayor ;

ASHBEL P. FITCH,

Comptroller ;

GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN,

President of the Board of Aldermen ;

E. P. BARKER,

President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments ;

WM. H. CLARK,

Counsel to the Corporation.

Present—Thomas F. Gilroy, the Mayor ; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller ; George B. McClellan, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments ; William H. Clark, the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the meeting held December 3, 1894, was dispensed with.

The Mayor stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of considering the application of Isaac A. Hopper, contractor for unloading scows, at Riker's Island, asking for an amendment of his contract, received at the last meeting of this Board, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion, and in connection therewith presented the following :

NO. 215 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1894.

To Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor, etc. :

MY DEAR SIR—I saw Corporation Counsel Clark this afternoon in reference to my contract with the Street Cleaning Department, for unloading scows at Riker's Island, and he declared that under the law the City could not amend said contract. In lieu of the fact that the City could not live up to its part of the agreement and could not amend same, I proposed, rather than have any suit, that the contract be annulled by the City, and that the work be readvertised at once with a specification prepared on the lines of my request to amend contract, and I promised to bid on the work at the figure I now get, or less. This will adjust matters, without any loss to the City. He agreed, if the Comptroller was satisfied.

Yours, respectfully,

ISAAC A. HOPPER.

The Mayor called upon the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion relative to the power of this Board in the premises.

The Counsel to the Corporation stated that he would renew his verbal opinion as expressed at the last meeting of this Board, that this Board has no legal power to modify or amend said contract.

Whereupon the Mayor moved that, upon the consent of the contractor being first obtained and filed with the Comptroller, the contract between the City and Isaac A. Hopper, contractor for unloading scows containing city refuse, at Riker's Island, be and hereby is annulled.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and Counsel to the Corporation—5.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That, upon the consent of the contractor to the annulling of his contract for unloading scows containing street refuse at Riker's Island being obtained, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning be authorized to prepare and submit to this Board a form of contract and specifications, with form of advertisement to be inserted in the newspapers, inviting proposals for doing said work, and, when so approved by this Board, to obtain proposals for doing said work and submit the same to this Board for further action.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and Counsel to the Corporation—5.

The following communications were received :

From the Law Department—

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1894.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—I beg to request a transfer of the balance of moneys appropriated to this Department for the revision of the ordinances, as follows :

To the "Salaries Account" \$351 14
To the "General Contingencies Account" 1,148 86

\$1,500 00

Very respectfully,

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

Referred to the Comptroller.

From Francis A. Campbell, attorney for William L. Cole et al., requesting this Board to appoint a time to examine their claim for certain advertising.

* The Mayor stated that December 19, 1894, was fixed as the time for a public hearing for all those desiring to appear before this Board.

From the Department of Street Cleaning, submitting a statement of unexpended balances for the year 1893, as required by resolution of this Board October 3, 1894.

Referred to the Comptroller.

William S. Andrews, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, appeared before the Board and submitted the following estimates of the additional expense that will be necessary in the event of the removal of the dump at or near Seventy-ninth street, West, as requested by the West End Association at the last meeting of this Board.

New Plant Required in the Event of the Removal of Seventy-ninth Street Dump.

14 covered trucks, at \$350 each	\$4,900 00
28 horses, at \$250 each	7,000 00
28 sets double harness, at \$45 each	1,260 00
28 horse covers, at \$3 each	84 00
	\$13,244 00

Wages of Drivers, Hostlers, etc.

14 Drivers and 14 Helpers, at \$720 per annum	\$20,160 00
3 Hostlers, at \$720 per annum	2,160 00
Feeding 28 horses, at \$150 each per annum	4,200 00
Shoeing 28 horses, at \$25 per annum	700 00
	27,220 00

Grand total \$40,464 00

New Plant Required in the Event of the Removal of Seventy-ninth Street Dump.

33 carts, at \$100 each	\$3,300 00
33 horses, at \$250 each	8,250 00
33 sets of harness, at \$30 each	990 00
33 cart covers, at \$2.50 each	82 50
33 horse covers, at \$3 each	99 00
	\$12,721 50

Wages of Drivers, Hostlers, etc.

33 Drivers, at \$720 per annum	\$23,760 00
3 Hostlers, at \$720 per annum	2,160 00
Feeding 33 horses, at \$150 each	4,950 00
Shoeing 33 horses, at \$25 each	825 00
	31,695 00

Grand total \$44,416 50

The above estimate is believed to be correct.

W. S. ANDREWS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending November 17, 1894 :

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme ...	47 39	1894- Nov. 12	Moeslien, Adelheid, vs. Fanny Hyman, The Mayor, etc., et al.	To foreclose a mortgage on premises near the southeast corner of 9th avenue and West 55th street, \$3,500.
Com. Pleas.	47 42	" 12	Weinstein, Abraham	For value of ten suits of clothes lost or destroyed while in possession of Health Department in July, 1894, \$70.
Supreme ...	47 43	" 12	Cunliffe, William H. (ex rel.), vs. J. Sergeant Cram et al., Commissioners of Docks	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator, a Painter, in the Department.
" ...	47 44	" 13	Stocum, Horace (Matter of)	To determine rights of petitioner to award for Parcel No. 2, in the matter of Reservoir "M," \$3,800.
" ...	47 45	" 14	Quinn, James (ex rel.), vs. Michael T. Daly et al., composing the Board provided for by chapter 516 of the Laws of 1894	Mandamus to require respondents to execute contract with relator for repaving Avenue A, without insertion of clause requiring all stone to be dressed on ground and that all persons employed be citizens of the United States.
" ...	47 46	" 14	Fishl, Joseph, vs. John F. Harriot, as Property Clerk, etc., and John B. Sexton, as Sheriff, etc.	Action in replevin for possession of 52 cases of shoes.
Com. Pleas.	47 47	" 15	Pucci, Antonio G., vs. Eugene J. Cumisky, The Mayor, etc., John Lane et al.	Summons only served.
Supreme ...	47 48	" 15	Smith, Francis V. (ex rel.), vs. The Mayor, etc., Louis F. Haffen, Commissioner of Street Improvements, etc., and Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment to the relator of \$10,211.39 earned under contract for regulating and paving 157th street, from Railroad avenue, East, to 3d avenue.
" ...	47 49	" 15	Thilemann, Frederick, Jr. (ex rel.), vs. The Mayor, etc., Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and Ashbel P. Fitch, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment to the relator of 2,586.88 earned under contract for sewer in 90th street, between Harlem river and Avenue A.
" ...	47 50	" 16	Berghaus, Sarah (Matter of)	Commission de lunatico inquirendo.
" ...	47 51	" 16	Berghaus, Julie (Matter of)	do do
" ...	47 52	" 16	Embury, Aymar, vs. John J. Norris and Martha U., his wife, The Mayor, etc., et al.	To foreclose a mortgage on premises corner of Mott and Spring streets.
U. S. Circuit	47 53	" 16	Taylor, John A., and William J. Peck ads. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York	For possession of dock property between 47th and 48th streets, near 1st avenue, and for damages for unlawful detention, \$20,000.
Supreme ...	47 54	" 16	Fitzpatrick, James T., vs. The Mayor, etc., et al.	To foreclose lien for work performed under contracts of defendant Thomas Barry for regulating, grading, etc., 161st street, from Jerome to Gerard avenue, \$83.33.
Com. Pleas.	47 55	" 17	Brady, James	Amount claimed to be due under contract of Benjamin A. Carr for regulating, grading, etc., Claremont avenue, from 122d to 127th street, and for damages alleged to have been sustained, \$22,734.55.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED (EXCEPT THOSE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE "D").

Theresa Boas—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$502.39.
Henry Landreth—Order entered preferring the cause and setting the same down for November 17, 1894.
Frank E. Towle—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.
In the matter of James M. Baldwin (Bronx park award)—Order of reference entered to Charles H. Daniels, Esq.
People ex rel. The Commercial Mutual Insurance Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Order entered allowing amendment of return nunc pro tunc as of May 23, 1893.
Henry Merzbach—General Term order of reversal entered in favor of the City with costs to the appellant to abide the event.

In re Jeremiah A. Crainch; Thomas J. Cronin; John C. Craven; William H. Lord; Mary McNally; George Trinchard; Patrick Reilly (Repaving Twenty-sixth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues); George B. Blatt; John M. Cornell; Catherine A. Campbell; C. A. Campbell; H. E. Littlefield, administratrix, etc.; Edward R. Merrill; Joseph McDonald; William H. Turl and another; William H. Turl and another (Twenty-seventh street paving, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues)—Orders entered dismissing petitions without costs.

Charles Demmerle and another—Order entered placing the cause on the short cause calendar for December 7, 1894.

People ex rel. The Consolidated Gas Company of New York vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Order entered reducing the assessment on relator's capital stock for the year 1894 from the sum of \$10,850,406 to the sum of \$4,000,000.

People ex rel. William L. Cole and another vs. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Order entered dismissing the proceeding without costs.

Butler H. Bixby—Order entered dismissing the action for lack of prosecution with costs and \$10 costs of motion.

Maria W. Dittmar vs. William Van Aiken et al.—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. Bryant W. Dinsmore vs. Thomas F. Gilroy, etc.—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; T. Connolly for the City.

Alfred Marsich—Tried before Bookstaver, J.; decision reserved; J. L. O'Brien for the City.

In the matter of the Fort Washington Ridge road—Hearing before the Commissioners appointed by the Court proceeded and adjourned to November 20, 1894; J. T. Malone for the City.

People ex rel. The Manhattan Railway Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at Special Term before Beach, J.; decision reserved; J. M. Ward for the City.

People ex rel. The Consolidated Gas Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at Special Term before Beach, J.; assessment reduced by consent to \$4,000,000; J. M. Ward for the City.

Catherine T. Smith et al., executors—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In the matter of St. Nicholas Park—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to November 20, 1894; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

Before the Commissioners appointed pursuant to chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893—Hearing proceeded on October 17, November 7, November 12, November 14 and November 16 and adjourned to November 21, 1894; J. M. Ward for the City.

People ex rel. William H. Cunliffe vs. The Commissioners of Docks—Motion for a writ of mandamus argued before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; T. Connolly for the City.

People ex rel. The Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Argued at Special Term before Beach, J.; motion to quash writ denied; assessment reduced to \$201,000; J. M. Ward for the City.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Frederick W. Wright et al.—Tried before Lawrence, J., and jury; verdict directed for the City against the defendant Wright for \$2,650; complaint dismissed as to other defendants, exceptions to be heard in the first instance at the General Term; C. Blandy for the City.

People ex rel. Samuel W. Ehrich and another vs. The Commissioner of Public Works et al.—Submitted at General Term; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In the matter of the Third Avenue Bridge approaches—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to November 23, 1894; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

In the matter of the Fort Washington Ridge road—Hearing before the Commissioners appointed by the Mayor proceeded and adjourned to November 19, 1894; J. T. Malone for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

REGIS- TER FOLIO.	COURT.	TITLE.	CAUSE OF ACTION.	CLAIM.	DATE.	HOW DONE.	REMARKS.
47 27	Supreme	Patrick McNulty.....	Assignee of drivers, etc., in Street Cleaning Department, for difference in salary between \$600 and \$720.....	\$39,791 75	1894. Nov. 5	{ Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$39,791.75 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; upon offer.
42 355	"	People ex rel. Henry Thomann vs. Commissioner of Street Cleaning, etc.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator to position of Laborer.....	.....	" 5	{ Order entered discontinuing proceeding without costs.....	By consent.
46 389	"	Matter of James J. Traynor	For an award made in the matter of opening Boscobel avenue.....	899 30	" 5	{ Order entered confirming report and directing the payment of award to the petitioner.....	After trial; before a referee.
47 15	"	William H. Gedney vs. S. A. Gedney.....	For partition of certain real estate in the City of New York.....	.....	" 8	No appearance by the City necessary.....	City not interested.
(11) 204	"	In re Nathalie E. Baylies..	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	Order entered dismissing petition without costs.....	By consent.
(11) 204	"	In re Behr Bros. & Co.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Margaret Brangan...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re John D. Crimmins...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re George Christie.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Hiram A. Crane and ano.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re John D. Crimmins and another.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Dunbar Box and Lumber Co.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Michael Fitzsimmons.	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Edward Gridley.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re John R. Graham, Jr..	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Elizabeth A. G. Horn.	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re John G. Lindemann..	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Helen M. E. Linde-mann.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Joseph MacDonald...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Stephen McDonald...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Mary E. McDonald...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re The New York Lumber Drying Works)	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Peter Patry.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Eugene A. Philbin...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Eugene A. Philbin and another.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re William H. Ray.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re John J. Sheahan.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re William H. Turl and another.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re William H. Turl and another, executors.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Estate of John Turl, deceased.....	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
(11) 204	"	In re Edward R. Merrill...	To vacate assessment for 11th avenue repaving, from 27th to 30th street.....	.....	" 8	do do.....	do
46 417	Supreme	The Mayor, etc., vs. Alonzo T. Decker, etc.	For rent of pier at foot of Bethune street, North river.....	2,060 62	" 9	Judgment entered in favor of the City for \$2,127.70...	By default of answer.
47 23	Superior	Mary T. Rennard.....	To recover back amount of assessment paid for paving 4th avenue, etc., and regulating road street.....	405 79	" 9	Order entered discontinuing action without costs.....	By consent.
46 402	Supreme	People ex rel. James Murray vs. Commissioner of Street Cleaning.....	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator to position of Section Foreman in the Department.....	.....	" 9	Order entered denying motion for a writ of mandamus.	After argument before Lawrence, J.
44 8	Superior	Frank E. Towle.....	Services as City Surveyor, making survey and map for regulating, etc., 19th street and 10th avenue.....	44 02	" 14	Order entered discontinuing action without costs.....	By consent.
42 19	Supreme	People ex rel. Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Co. vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for the year 1891.....	.....	" 15	{ Order entered reducing assessment from \$1,035,450 to \$788,200.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re Jeremiah A. Crainch.	To vacate assessment for 26th street repaving.....	.....	" 15	Order entered dismissing petition without costs.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re Thomas J. Cronin...	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re John C. Craven.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re William H. Lord.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re Mary McA. Nally...	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re George Princhard...	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 208	"	In re Patrick Reilly.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re George P. Blatt.....	To vacate assessment for 27th street paving.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re John M. Cornell.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re Catharine A. Campbell	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re C. A. Campbell.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re H. E. Littlefield, administratrix.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re Edward R. Merrill...	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re Joseph McDonald...	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re William H. Turl and another.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
(11) 211	"	In re William H. Turl and another.....	do do.....	.....	" 15	do do.....	do
47 31	7th Jud. Dist.	Thomas F. Gallagher vs. Thomas Gallagher et al.	To foreclose lien under contract for altering basins at 10th, Lewis and 6th streets.....	14 00	" 15	Complaint dismissed as against the city.....	Upon motion.
45 88	Supreme	Albert Tilt.....	To restrain dumping dirt, stones, etc., against plaintiff's hotel building at Macomb's Dam road.....	.....	" 16	{ Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$100 certified to Comptroller.....	After trial before Ingraham, J., and jury.
46 218	"	People ex rel. William L. Cole vs. Board of Estimate and Apportionment	Mandamus to compel audit of claim for advertising in the "Irish American".....	15,875 30	" 16	Order entered discontinuing proceeding without costs.	By consent.
46 441	"	Thomas L. Purdy et al., executors.....	For an award made for Parcel No. 4 in the matter of Reservoir "M".....	9,000 00	" 17	{ Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$11,604.54 certified to Comptroller.....	Without trial; no defense.
46 342	Com. Pleas..	Euphemia D. Lawson.....	To foreclose lien for material furnished under contract for regulating 173d street.....	192 60	" 17	{ Judgment in favor of plaintiff directing distribution of fund in hands of Comptroller certified to Comptroller.....	After trial before Pryor, J.
46 346	"	Maria W. Dittmar.....	To foreclose lien for material furnished under contract for regulating, etc., 183d street.....	440 36	" 17	Order entered discontinuing action without costs.....	By consent.

SCHEDULE "E."

CLAIMS AND AWARDS—TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, CHAPTER 537, LAWS OF 1893.

NO. OF CLAIM.	OWNER.	AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL CLAIM.	AMENDED CLAIM.	ALLOWED.	NO. OF CLAIM.	OWNER.	AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL CLAIM.	AMENDED CLAIM.	ALLOWED.
39	Charles and Alfred Bertin.....	\$9,000 00	\$10,300 00	\$6,500 00	65	Charles Stumpf.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,750 00	\$700 00
40	Mary J. Smith.....	1,500 00	2,400 00	1,500 00	66	Jacob Blaesser.....	3,000 00	3,550 00	1,600 00
41	Michael O'Neill.....	3,500 00	4,050 00	600 00	67	Bartholomew Stumpf.....	2,000 00	2,150 00	1,000 00
42	Thomas B. Clark.....	9,300 00	13,050 00	3,000 00	68	Caspar Bubert.....	1,750 00	1,850 00	700 00
43	Theresa and Mary Clear.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	4,500 00	69	Burnett C. McIntyre.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	1,500 00
44	Franz Kraus.....	2,750 00	4,000 00	1,000 00	70	Mary A. Smith.....	1,500 00	1,600 00	1,250 00
45	Mary J. Edwards.....	1,750 00	1,750 00	1,000 00	71	Joseph Monell.....	1,000 00	1,050 00	950 00
46	Daniel Harrington.....	1,500 00	2,250 00	1,200 00	72	Gerald Dempsey.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	800 00
47	James P. Cells.....	1,000 00	1,600 00	600 00	73	John Hammond.....	1,000 00	2,100 00	1,000 00
48	Jacob Blaesser.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,000 00	74	Eliza Landauer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	1,200 00
49	Michael Sullivan.....	1,000 00	1,375 00	650 00	75	Marie Reinhardt.....	2,250 00	2,250 00	650 00
50	Peter J. and Katie J. Stumpf.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	2,000 00	76	Anna Weinecke.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	1,800 00
51	Martin Gilmartin.....	1,750 00	1,750 00	600 00	77	Patrick Hughes.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	800 00
52	John E. Poellon.....	26,500 00	26,500 00	18,000 00	78	Patrick Burke.....	1,750 00	3,350 00	1,700 00
53	Robert Husire.....	7,500 00	7,500 00	3,900 00	79	Bridget Farrall.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,000 00
54	Ann Mullaney.....	2,200 00	2,200 00	1,000 00	80	Joseph Smith.....	1,450 00	2,100 00	850 00
55	".....	3,950 00	4,900 00	1,200 00	81	Frederick and Mary Brusias.....	1,750 00	3,000 00	1,100 00
56	".....	1,350 00	1,400 00	700 00	82	Joseph P. Wey.....	2,000 00	3,000 00	850 00
57	".....	2,300 00	2,700 00	1,700 00	83	Patrick Coby.....	2,050 00	2,720 00	1,100 00
58	".....	2,300 00	3,250 00	1,800 00	84	Patrick Kirk.....	2,500 00	4,200 00	2,150 00
59	".....	1,950 00	2,200 00	1,400 00	85	Michael B. Reilly.....	2,050 00	2,720 00	1,100 00
60	Casper and Mary Hartman.....	4,500 00	4,500 00	2,200 00	86	Charles H. Bull.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	1,250 00
61	George and Marianna Hay.....	18,250 00	34,024 00	15,000 00	87	Richard Purdy.....	3,000 00	4,000 00	2,500 00
62	Rose H. Everett.....	2,750 00	2,750 00	700 00					
63	Enoch C. Bell.....	1,500 00	16,050 00	.....				
64	John C. Harff.....	1,400 00	1,550 00	850 00					
Total.....							\$180,250 00	\$223,309 00	\$101,150 00

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 27th day of November, 1894.
Present—Commissioners Martin, Sheehan, Murray and Kerwin.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon C. Van Heuren, twenty days, with pay, vacation.
Patrolman Michael F. O'Neill, Fourth Precinct, three days, if pay is released.
" Bernard Dunn, Eighth Precinct, two days, if pay is released.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
Superintendent—On protest of householders, etc., in West Twenty-second street, against obstructions by Ehrich Brothers. Copy to Mayor.
Inspector McLaughlin—As to arrest and release of Detective Sergeant William E. Frank.
Superintendent to prefer charges after conference with Mr. Wellman.
Captain Creeden, Thirty-third Precinct—As to injury to Patrolman Charles Heffernan.
Board of Surgeons—On condition of Patrolman Joseph Coughlan, Fifth Precinct, recommending that the case lie over sixty days. Approved.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman John H. Boyle, Twenty-eighth Precinct.
Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$220 Mask Ball fees, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.
Application of George L. McCurdy, Guardian of children of late Patrolman John J. Parker, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.
Application of Patrolman Charles Hessen, Third Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Board of Examiners for citation.
The following applications for Civil Service examinations were referred to the Superintendent for report:
Sergeant Norman Westervelt, Fifth Precinct.
Roundsman John Finley, Seventeenth Precinct.
" Herman P. Ohm, Thirty-second Precinct.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

George Meier, at Central Opera House, January 19.
Samuel S. Weil, at Murray Hill Lyceum, November 29.
Max Hahn, at Concordia Hall, December 8.
James Carney, at Nillson Hall, December 8.
M. Thomashefsky, at Everett Hall, December 25.

Applications Denied.

Patrolman Joseph P. Faney, Fourteenth Precinct, for advance to second grade.
Eliza A. Robb, widow of Matthew Robb (late Pensioner), for increase of pension.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. John W. Goodwin, vs. The Board of Police. } Copy order reversing proceedings and determination of respondents, and reinstating relator.
Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for advice as to whether appeal should be taken.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. George C. Liebers, vs. The Board of Police. } Writ of Certiorari.
Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Jesse S. B. Taylor, vs. Captain James K. Price. } Summons and Complaint.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.
Application of Stern Bros., for detail of three officers at their store from December 1 to 24, 1894, was referred to the Superintendent to detail on payment of salaries.
Communication from the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, reporting new Specifications for patrol wagons, was referred back to the Committee for further consideration.
Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Asking character, etc., of Charles Smith, No. 54 Essex street.
From the Mayor—Enclosing complaint of Frank Starkey, No. 134 West Seventeenth street, alleging robbery in this City.
Communication from the National Horse Show Association—Awarding 1st prize of \$200 to Patrolman J. C. McGee; 2d prize, \$100, to Patrolman James Frawley, and 3d prize, \$50, to Roundsman John Pepper, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into Pension Fund.
Communication from the Mayor—Enclosing application of A. C. Ranker, Avalon, Pa., for copy of Annual Report, was referred to the Chief Clerk.

Applications Ordered on File.

Patrolman Nicholas J. Turner, Fourteenth Precinct—For transfer.
" Edward F. Wiley, Twenty-ninth Precinct—For transfer.
" Jeremiah D. Sullivan, First Precinct—For promotion.
" Philip F. Birmingham, Thirteenth Precinct—For promotion.
Doorman Mark Haggerty, Twenty-ninth Precinct—For promotion to Patrolman.
" James Furnival, Twenty-fifth Precinct—For promotion to Patrolman.
Communication from Geo. P. H. McVey, proposal to furnish Police Record and Arrest Book, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies to obtain report of the Superintendent as to advisability of adopting the books, cost of same, etc.
Resolved that full pay, while sick, be granted to the following officers—all aye:
Patrolman Thomas Murphy, Twenty-third Precinct, from October 21 to November 13, 1894.
" Thos. T. Bambrick, Twenty-second Precinct, from October 5 to November 5, 1894.
Resolved, That the bill of Wm. J. Sloane, fourteen dollars and twenty-two cents for carpets, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Police Department and force, and of the Central Department, for the month of November, 1894, when properly audited and approved, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

Resolved, That the following transfers, etc., be ordered:

Patrolman William F. Dooran, from Seventh Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.
Roundsman Michael Farley, from Twenty-seventh Precinct, detail Acting Sergeant, Fourteenth Precinct, temporarily.

Details under Rule 32—Filed.

Patrolman Dominick Henry, Eighteenth Precinct.
" Wesley Hall, Fourth Precinct.
" James E. Wren, Eighteenth Precinct.
" Chas. Hildenbrand, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
" John Meagher (1), Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" John Meagher (2), Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Edward C. Towey, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Edward Sturgis, Thirteenth Precinct.
" Edward Wichman, Fourteenth Precinct.
" Ed. V. Lyman, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
" William J. Eggers, Twenty-eighth Precinct.
" John J. Fogarty, Second Precinct.
" Daniel J. Carey, Second Precinct.
" John J. Rodgers, Fifth Precinct.
Patrolman John O'Mahony, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Owen Judge, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Patrick Kearney, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Patrick Murtha, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" Robert Nixon, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" John Koellsted, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
" William Green, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
Roundsman Michael Farley, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
Patrolman Rhody J. Kennedy, Fifth Precinct.
" Morris Cohen, Eighth Precinct.
" Edward Kealey, Eighth Precinct.
" Dennis Lyons, Sixteenth Precinct.
" Owen Beagen, Twentieth Precinct.
" Patrick Brennan, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
" Patrick Haughey, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Simon Blumel, Fourteenth Precinct, November 5, 1894.
" Charles G. Fichtel, Eighteenth Precinct, November 5, 1894.
" Samuel Grinthal, Twenty-sixth Precinct, October 29, 1894.
" William F. Lyman, Fourteenth Precinct, November 27, 1894.
" John O'Brien, Second Precinct, November 12, 1894.
" Daniel Ryan, Thirty-third Precinct, October 29, 1894.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman John Dyer, Seventh Precinct, November 22, 1894.
" James F. Kenney, First Precinct, November 22, 1894.
" Joseph F. Talasco, Twenty-fifth Precinct, November 1, 1894.
" Henry K. Van Etten, Twenty-sixth Precinct, November 22, 1894.
Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen.

Martin O'Connor.	John P. Maccabe.	Michael McGrath.
Henry Richner.	William Vonderleith.	Thomas M. Beatty.
James J. Daly.	James Jones.	Louis Hoffman, Jr.
John J. Love.	John Cronin.	Benjamin F. Wheeler.
Francis H. McCormack.	Louis Zerfas.	Conrad Stranch.
William J. Wille.	James J. Rooney.	Frank Westervelt.
Oscar Zinn.	Robert J. Burnett.	Edward J. Foley.
Arthur McCarthy.	Dominick S. Cogan.	Philip E. Kiefer.
John C. O'Connor.	George S. Salch.	James Feuch.
Charles Weinberg.	James Hanratty.	Thomas F. Whalen.
George C. Van Arsdale.		

Retired Officers—All aye.

Detective Sergeant Edgar S. Slawson, Detective Bureau, \$1,000 per year.
" Michael J. Lyman, Detective Bureau, \$500 per year.
Patrolman Edward A. Brady, Twentieth Precinct, \$300 per year.

To Civil Service Board for Examination.

Sergeant Thomas McCormick, First Precinct.
Roundsman William Londrigan, Fifth Precinct.
Application of Patrolman James Mallon, Twentieth Precinct, for retirement, and certificate of the Board of Surgeons as to his permanent disability, were laid over, and, it was
Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report as to whether any evidence has been presented against said officer before the Senate Investigating Committee, or from any source, or whether, in his opinion, there is any probability of such evidence being presented as would be likely to result in the presentation of charges to the Board of Police.
Resolved, That the charges against Captain Donald Grant, Seventh Precinct, on complaint of cloakmakers, be set down for trial on Friday, November 30, 1894, at 12 o'clock M.

Pensions Granted from November 1, 1894—All aye.

Elizabeth Graham, widow of Alexander Graham, late Roundsman, \$240 per year.
Rose McKenna, widow of Francis McKenna, late Roundsman, \$120 per year.
Matilda Warner, widow of George Warner, late Patrolman, \$100 per year.
Anna Hughes, widow of Francis S. Hughes, late Patrolman, \$240 per year.
Mary Mahoney, widow of John Mahoney, late Patrolman, \$200 per year.
Rosanna Whalen, widow of Patrick Whalen, late pensioner, \$120 per year.
Peter Dugan, guardian of William and Mary Dugan, children of Michael Dugan, late Patrolman, \$200 per year.
Thelma Beck, guardian of Lawrence McGovern, child of Amelia McGovern, late pensioner, widow of Lawrence McGovern, late Patrolman, \$160 per year.
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of forty-one thousand and seventy-six dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year, 1893, entitled "Police Pension Fund," which is in excess

of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department, for Bureau of Elections, for the year 1894, entitled, "For Compensation of Inspectors, Poll Clerks and Ballot Clerks," which is insufficient, to enable the Comptroller to pay for compensation of one additional Inspector of Election in one thousand one hundred and forty-one election districts, under the provisions of chapter 348, Laws of 1894, viz: four days at six dollars per day, and one day at twelve dollars, total, thirty-six dollars, for one thousand one hundred and forty-one election districts.

Judgments—Dismissal—All aye.

Patrolman James Masters, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Daniel Lehane, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Charles L. Sanders, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William J. Powers, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Florence J. Sullivan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 George W. Lacour, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 George W. Lacour, First Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay.
 William Shanahan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Philip Heffernan, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John Daly, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Charles H. Tate, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William H. Garrison, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Patrick J. J. Dinan, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Edward H. Keefe, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Timothy Ryan, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Timothy Ryan, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 James Whalen (2), Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 James P. Farman, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 William H. Van Kirk, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John Hodge, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John Whitworth, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 James A. Wells, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John Churchill, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William H. Rooney, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Richard O'Hara, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 William Gonigle, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John S. Fowler, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Thomas Kenney, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Louis Schreiber, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Thomas A. Logan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Matthew Skelling, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 William Mitchell, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Abraham C. Hulse, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Maurice Fitzgerald, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William F. Rogers, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Edward J. Barrett, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Edward F. Fitzgerald, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John Becker, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John K. McMahon, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Altemus W. Mitchell, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 John Farrell, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Frank J. Borst, Twenty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.
 Michael J. Gannon, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Ernest J. Corwin, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Cornelius Sullivan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 James Heenan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Max Mangold, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 James H. O'Connor, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 George V. Reed, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John J. O'Brien, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Henry Levy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 John H. Jones, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 James Cosgrove, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Joseph Connolly, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 James J. Rooney, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Hubert C. Farrell, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 John Leddy, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 George W. Loures, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Patrick J. Lynch, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 Thomas F. Skelly, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 George J. Meehan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.
 John Gilligan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Calvin Nash, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Henry K. Van Eter, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William Fullerton, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 John O'Brien, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William Pond, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Dennis Cahill, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John J. O'Connell, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 James Dolan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John J. Caulfield, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.
 Daniel Shine, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John H. Walsh, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Jean C. Fargo, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Charles Krauscher, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
 Theodore Hynicka, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
 Cornelius Walker, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 William F. Carey, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 John W. Leidner, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 Frank T. Murphy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
 James R. Buckridge, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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, November 22, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Cram.

Commissioner Phelan.

White.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 15th instant were read and approved.

Joseph J. O'Donohue, on behalf of the New Jersey Steamboat Company, was present respecting the proposed improvement of the water-front at Pier, old 40, North river.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That if the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve, permission be and hereby is granted the New Jersey Steamboat Company to extend the bulkhead line of the property owned by said company from a point where the southerly line of Hoboken street, if extended, would intersect the line of said bulkhead, to a point one hundred and thirty feet southerly therefrom, in conformity with the plan adopted by this Department, at the cost and expense of said company, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, as provided for in section 715 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 397 of the Laws of 1893; provided, however, that the said New Jersey Steamboat Company shall, within ten days from the receipt hereof, file in this office its written acceptance of the terms and conditions of this resolution.

John S. Foster, President of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railroad Company, was present respecting the time for the commencement of the rental for its tracks on the marginal street between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, East river.

On motion, the time was fixed at July 1, 1894.

The application of the Fire Department for a berth for the fire-boat "William F. Havemeyer," at Pier 55, East river, was tabled until November 28, 1894.

The communication from Matthew Stripp, requesting a lease of the bulkhead between Piers, new 21 and 22, North river, now occupied by him, was tabled until December 6, 1894.

The following communications were referred to the Treasurer:

From James B. Lyon, offering to furnish legislative documents during the ensuing session.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—Report on Secretary's Order No. 13687, that the repairs made by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company to Pier 2, North river, have resulted in adding about seventy-five square feet of land under water to the area formerly covered by said pier.

The matter of the filling-in required at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Harlem river, was referred to the Treasurer with power.

The application of the East River Mill and Lumber Company for an extension of time until May 1, 1895, of the order of August 30, 1894, was granted.

The following permit was granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Brooklyn and New York Ferry Company, to erect a fence on the southerly side of Pier 58, and along the bulkhead about five feet from the string-piece, between Piers 57 and 58, East river.

The following permit was granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, to repair the bulkhead along the water-front, between East Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, East river, in accordance with plans and specifications submitted.

The following communications were received, read and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file:

From the Finance Department:

1st. In reference to the substitution of surety on the estimate of P. Sanford Ross, for repairing the approach to Piers, new 46 and 47, North river.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the substitution of John Fleming in the place of Charles A. Brown, on estimate of P. Sanford Ross for repairing the approach to Piers, new 46 and 47, North river, under Contract No. 486.

2d. Returning Contracts Nos. 474, 475 (Class 1) and 482 in order that an agreement may be attached to the two first contracts, covering the provisions of chapter 622, and to the latter contract and agreement covering the provisions of chapter 277, Laws of 1894.

From the Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. Transmitting quadruplicate agreements for the purchase of certain wharf property between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, North river, with his approval as to form indorsed thereon. The officers of the Board authorized to execute.

2d. Requesting all information in possession of the Department, respecting the claim for wharfage against the steamboat "Aurora" for landing at the Battery wharf. The Secretary directed to reply.

From the Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. Reporting dredging required at the dump foot of Eightieth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to order dredging, if necessary, under Contract No. 477.

2d. Requesting dredging in the slips at the dump foot of Canal street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to order dredging, if necessary, under Contract No. 474.

3d. Reporting dredging required at the dump foot of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to order dredging, if necessary, under Contract No. 478.

From Robert S. Briggs, lessee—Reporting dredging required at the Pier foot of Eighteenth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to order dredging in the half slips adjoining said pier, to a depth of twenty-five feet below mean low water, under Contract No. 474.

From W. W. Hencken—Requesting permission to unload one boat load of coal at the bulkhead between Piers, new 53 and 54, North river. Application granted.

From the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company—Requesting to be advised when its lease of the Pier foot of West Thirty-sixth street will be ready for execution. The Secretary directed to reply.

From Adam Weber—Reporting repairs required to the pavement on bulkhead between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, East river. Referred to the Department of Public Works.

From the Atlantic Dredging Company—Certifying that there are no persons employed by them on any work they are doing for this Department who are not citizens of the United States.

From Cosgriff, Corbin & Foss—Requesting that the time for the delivery of Order No. 6, Class 4, Contract No. 475, be extended to September 13; Order No. 7, to September 14, and Order No. 8, to September 18, 1894. Application granted.

From Burden & Lovell, agents of the Old Colony Steamboat Company, lessees—Requesting permission to erect a shed on Pier, new 19, North river, leased to said company November 3, 1892.

On motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the commencement of the lease of Pier, new 19, North river, to the Old Colony Steamboat Company, in accordance with the resolution adopted November 3, 1892, be and is hereby fixed at December 1, 1894.

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and especially by subdivision 6 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, and section 716 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, commonly called the New York City Consolidation Act, as amended by chapter 521 of the Laws of 1889, Pier, new 19, North river, be and hereby is appropriated to the sole use of the special kind of commerce carried on by steam transportation.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted the Old Colony Steamboat Company to construct a shed on Pier, new 19, North river, and on the bulkhead adjoining said pier, in conformity with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by this Board; said shed to be erected under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and to revert to and become the property of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease of said pier or any renewal thereof, free from all claims of every kind whatsoever.

It being understood that the above resolutions shall be of no force or effect unless the said Old Colony Steamboat Company shall, within ten days from receipt hereof, file in this office its written acceptance of the terms and conditions of said resolutions.

From Horatio Hall, agent of the Maine Steamship Company—Requesting permission to build a bulkhead platform between Piers 38 and 39, East river.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted the Maine Steamship Company to drive piles, and build a temporary platform, about sixty-one feet along the bulkhead and about forty-five feet along the northerly or upper side of Pier 38, East river; said work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and upon plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Board; provided that the said Maine Steamship Company agree to pay as compensation for the use of the land under water occupied by said platform the sum of twenty-five cents per square foot per annum, payable monthly at the end of each month to the Treasurer of this Department; and provided further, that said company shall file an agreement in form satisfactory to the Board of this Department, that they will at any time within twenty days after receiving written notice from the Board of Docks so to do, remove any and all structures of every kind that may be built and erected under this permit, and restore the premises to the same condition as at the date hereof.

From the Terminal Warehouse Company—Requesting permission to repair a leak in the water pipe on the new made land behind the bulkhead wall in front of Pier, new 57, North river. Permit granted; the work of taking up and relaying the pavement to be done by the force of this Department, at the cost and expense of said company.

From H. Koehler & Co.—Submitting an application for permission to run a salt-water supply pipe through the bulkhead foot of East Thirtieth street. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to do the work, and report the cost for collection.

From William D. Wheelwright and Charles R. Hewitt—Certifying that no persons are employed by said firm on any work they are doing for this Department who are not citizens of the United States.

From the New York Shipping Company—Requesting repairs to the approach to Pier, new 57, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to pave the premises, at the intersection of Thirteenth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, with second-hand Belgian blocks.

From James Slattery and Peter McCormick, sureties—Consenting to the extension of time granted John Slattery, contractor, on the 1st and 15th instant, for the completion of the work of preparing for and laying second-hand Belgian block pavement on new made land in rear of bulkhead-wall at West Twenty-third street section, on the North river, in the vicinity of Piers, new 53 and 54, under Contract No. 482.

From John H. Starn—Requesting permission to construct a temporary driveway on north side of Pier, new 13, North river, to be used during the widening of West street, at Cortlandt and Day streets. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief; said driveway to remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

From Albert H. Hastorf—With the consent of the lessee, requesting permission to load cellar dirt from the southerly half of the dumping-board on the Pier foot of Sixteenth street, North river. Permit granted for a period of three weeks.

From the Pennsylvania Railroad Company—Respecting the bond to be given by said company on its lease of the bulkheads adjoining Piers new 28 and 29, North river; also respecting the lease of the land under water between Piers 3, 4 and 5, North river. Notify said company that the proposed bond will be satisfactory, and that said lease is being prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation.

From Dock Master Woods:

1st. Reporting repairs required to the south side of Pier, new 35, North river. The lessees notified to repair.

2d. Reporting repairs required to the backing-log on bulkhead between Piers, new 34 and 35, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

3d. Requesting a stove to Dock Master's office, Pier, new 43, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to furnish same.

From Dock Master Fleming—Reporting that the sheathing on Pier 61, East river, requires repairs.

From the Treasurer :

1st. Reporting adversely upon the application of M. Goodwin, of the 25th ult., for a lease of the Pier foot of East Twenty-ninth street. Report approved.

2d. Recommending that the compensation to be charged Joseph Cornell for a berth at Pier, old 57, North river, pursuant to his application of the 1st instant, be reduced to one hundred dollars per month, from November 15, 1894, to May 1, 1895. Recommendation adopted.

3d. Recommending that the application of James Gillies & Sons, of the 15th instant, for permission to assign and sublet their lease of the northerly eighty-three feet of bulkhead between West Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, North river, to the John P. Kane Company be granted.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That license and consent be and hereby is granted James Gillies & Sons, lessees of the northerly eighty-three feet of bulkhead between West Forty-ninth and West Fiftieth streets, North river, to assign and sublet to the John P. Kane Company so much of the wharfage granted by a certain lease dated April 18, 1890, as may accrue at said bulkhead.

4th. Recommending that the compensation to be charged Henry Cook for the privilege of maintaining a boat-house foot of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Long Island Sound, be fixed at the rate of five dollars per month, payable at the end of each month to the Dock Master, commencing December 1, 1894. Recommendation adopted.

5th. Recommending that the following claims be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection :

John L. Eccles, three months' rent of Pier foot of Little West Twelfth street, due November 1, 1894.....	\$350 00
A. T. Decker & Co., three months' rent of Pier foot of Bethune street, North river, due November 1, 1894.....	1,030 31
Sheridan & Byrne, three months' rent of Pier foot of East Fifth street, due November 1, 1894.....	925 00
East Bay Land and Improvement Company, land under water, vicinity of Leggett's Creek, Long Island Sound, three months' rent.....	17,375 00
Steamboat "John Sylvester," for landing at the Battery wharf, 3 days' wharfage, at \$5 per day.....	15 00

—recommendation adopted.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Phelan, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending November 21, 1894, amounting to \$6,472.92, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows :

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1894.					1894.
Nov. 15	Commercial Cable Co.....	Repairs to pavement, Pier "A," N. R.	\$295 57		
" 16	Consolidated Gas Co.....	" " bet. Piers 27 and 28, N. R.	22 52		
" 16	Wm. J. Murray (assignee).....	1 qrs. rent, bhd. at 99th st., E. R.	375 00		
" 16	"	" bhd. bet. Piers, new and old 1, N. R.	250 00		
" 17	Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	" Pier at 38th st., E. R.	2,500 00		
" 19	Brooklyn & N. Y. Ferry Co..	" bhd. at 22d st., N. R.	37 50		
" 20	Maurice Stack.....	Wharfage, District No. 2, N. R.	270 17		
" 20	George A. Woods.....	" 4, " "	471 62		
" 20	B. F. Kenney.....	" 6, " "	158 54		
" 20	W. B. Osborne.....	" 8, " "	110 69		
" 20	Edward L. Carey.....	" 10, " "	125 11		
" 20	Thomas P. Walsh.....	" 12, " "	48 40		
" 20	Henry A. Palmstine.....	" 1, E. R.	156 66		
" 20	Edward Abeel.....	" 3, " "	256 60		
" 20	George A. Woods.....	" 3, " "	43 83		
" 20	James J. Fleming.....	" 5, E. R.	478 73		
" 20	Joseph F. Meehan.....	" 7, " "	142 50		
" 20	James W. Carson.....	" 9, " "	402 61		
" 20	John J. Martin.....	" 11, " "	57 50		
" 20	Daniel Patterson.....	" 13, " "	269 37		
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Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. PHELAN, Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of fifteen bills or claims, amounting to \$6,321.08, which were approved and audited and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows :

Audit No.	Name.	Amount.
14464.	The New York Building and Contracting Company, Estimate No. 1, and Final Contract No. 468.....	\$2,050 00
14465.	W. H. Beard Dredging Company, Estimate No. 3, Contract No. 477.....	2,877 77
14466.	Alex. Pollock, brooms, stores, etc.....	169 80
14467.	The Bradley & Currier Company, Limited, doors, sash, etc.....	87 38
14468.	C. F. Harris, agent, towing.....	250 00
14469.	The Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, telephone service.....	114 30
14470.	The Knickerbocker Ice Company, ice.....	113 44
14471.	Brown & Miller, propeller wheel, etc.....	94 00
14472.	The Sun, advertising.....	48 00
14473.	Morris & Cummings Dredging Company, dredging.....	191 25
14474.	Michael Hart, service horse, cart, etc.....	108 50
14475.	Isaac Hall's Son, chain.....	47 34
14476.	The New York News Publishing Company, advertising.....	\$21 00
14477.	The Sun, advertising.....	36 00
14478.	Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, typewriter machine.....	112 50
		\$6,321 08

Respectfully submitted,

J. SERGEANT CRAM, } Auditing Committee.
JAMES J. PHELAN, }

The action of the President in transmitting the same, with requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment, approved.

The following requisitions were passed :

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
14346.	Cut nails.....	\$17 00
14347.	Kerosene oil.....	22 50
14348.	Painting, etc.....	40 00
14349.	Gas fixtures, etc.....	22 00
14350.	Services of horse, cart and driver.....	105 00
14351.	Ash oars, etc.....	9 00
14352.	Services of horses, carts and drivers.....	210 00
14353.	Services of tugs.....	5 00

14354.	Steam pipe.....	\$24 00
14355.	Rubber hose, etc.....	10 00
14356.	Examination, etc., of tugboat.....	....

From the Engineer-in-Chief :

1st. Report for the quarter ending October 31, 1894. Transmit said report, together with the report of the Secretary, to his Honor the Mayor.

2d. Report for the week ending November 17, 1894.

3d. Submitting specifications and form of contract for dredging on the North river, between the Battery and West Thirty-fourth street. Approved, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and the Secretary directed to advertise for estimates.

4th. Reporting that Brown & Fleming are causing delay and inconvenience to the work of the Department at Sixtieth street, East river, and at West Fifty-second street, in neglecting to furnish rip-rap stone in accordance with Class 2 of Contract No. 475. Notify the contractors that no extension of time will be granted on said contract.

5th. Requesting instructions as to the filling in on new-made land between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, North river.

On motion, permit was granted Thomas Smith to fill in to the extent of about one thousand loads, by tickets heretofore issued for West Fifty-second Street Section, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

6th. Recommending that he be directed to prepare specifications and form of contract for building a float-stage to replace the wooden one now used at Pier "A," North river, and that the present stage be removed for the winter. Recommendation adopted.

7th. Reporting repairs required to Pier 14, East river, and recommending that the lessees and owners be directed to repair. Recommendation adopted.

8th. Reporting repairs required to the bulkhead platform between Sixtieth and Sixty-second streets, East river, and recommending that the work be ordered done. Recommendation adopted.

9th. Reporting repairs required to the Pier foot of Fiftieth street, North river, and recommending that the same be ordered made. Recommendation adopted.

10th. Reporting repairs required to the outer end of Pier foot of East Twenty-ninth street, and recommending that the work be ordered done. Recommendation adopted.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 14279, submitting the cost of excavating and removing rip-rap from the slip between Piers, new 21 and 22, North river. The Treasurer authorized to collect from the Morris & Cummings Dredging Company.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 14355, submitting the cost of repairs to Pier foot of East Twenty-fifth street. The Treasurer authorized to collect from the W. H. Beard Dredging Company.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 14407, respecting the application of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for permission to erect a suspended corrugated iron office at Pier, new 29, North river. Transmit a copy of said report to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 14420, respecting the application of Balfour, Williamson & Co. for an additional test of K. B. S. cement. Transmit to them a copy of said report.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work of preparing for and paving the newly made land in the vicinity of Piers, new 27, 28 and 29, North river, with granite or Staten Island syenite blocks, laying crosswalks and building the necessary drains or sewers under Contract No. 476, Thomas Harrington, contractor, be and hereby is extended to October 23, 1894.

On motion, permission was granted James Cusick to unload a boat load of sand at the bulkhead foot of Forty-fourth street, North river.

On motion, the following resolutions were adopted :

Resolved, That the compensation to be charged the International Navigation Company for the use of the north half of the bulkhead between Piers, new 14 and 15, North river, be and is hereby fixed at the same rate as that paid for the south half of the bulkhead between said piers, commencing May 1, 1894.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted March 9, 1893, agreeing to lease to the International Navigation Company Pier, new 15, North river, together with the bulkhead extending from the northerly side of said pier to a point 87½ feet southerly of said pier, be and is hereby amended by fixing the date for the commencement of said lease at May 1, 1895.

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls for the General Repairs and Construction force for the week ending November 16, 1894, amounting to \$7,155.34, 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.

A. McC. Parker, First Assistant Engineer, appeared in response to the order of the 15th instant, and made a statement respecting the charges submitted by the Treasurer.

On motion, decision was reserved.

The following communications were received, read and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file :

From H. Brummerhop, submitting an application for appointment as Dock Master.

From Dock Master Patterson, reporting that Robert B. Heaton, Laborer, has been absent, without permission, since October 31, 1894.

On motion, said Heaton was discharged, to take effect November 23, 1894.

From the Engineer-in-Chief :

1st. Requesting instructions respecting the continued employment of Dock Builder Timothy F. Shine.

On motion, said Shine was directed to appear before the Board, Wednesday, November 28, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., and show cause why he should not be discharged.

2d. Recommending the discharge of Laborer Michael Mahoney.

On motion, said Mahoney was directed to appear before the Board, Wednesday, November 28, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., and show cause why he should not be discharged for neglect of duty.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to submit within two weeks a list of employees in the engineering and surveying corps whose services are necessary for the work now in progress, and also a list of those whose services can be dispensed with.

On motion, the Civil Service Boards were requested to classify the position of Superintendent of Repairs.

On motion, the compensation of Richard McCullough, Laborer, was fixed at the rate of \$65 per month, to take effect November 24, 1894.

On motion, the compensation of Joseph H. Crotty, Laborer, was fixed at the rate of \$60 per month, to take effect November 24, 1894.

William E. Morgan and Stephen O'Brien, Laborers, were discharged, to take effect November 23, 1894.

Lewis Gravlin and John Morrissey were appointed Laborers.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
December 3, 1894.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT held this day, the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That this Board does hereby designate Wednesday, the 19th day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Mayor, as the time and place for the commencement of the consideration of the Final Estimate for 1895, and that notice thereof, duly signed by the Secretary, be published in the CITY RECORD, inviting the taxpayers of this city to appear and be heard on that date in regard to appropriations to be made and included in said Final Estimate.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office

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

DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. F. WAHLE and EDWARD OWEN.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and THE MAYOR COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS *ex officio*, Commissioners; EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 220 Fourth avenue, corner of Eighteenth street 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. BEADY, Superintendent.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKER, Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, President Board of Aldermen. MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDELL, Chief Engineer (Room 9); JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge

of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
No. 2622 Third Avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS F. HAPFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Second Auditor.

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

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes; JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW I. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation, in charge.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES H. MURRAY, JOHN C. SHEEHAN and MICHAEL KERWIN, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.
CHARLES H. KNOX, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third Avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.

Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; ANTHONY EICKHOFF and S. HOWLAND ROBBINS, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph. Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the President of the Police Board, *ex officio*, and the Health Officer of the Port, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
GEORGE C. CLAUSSIN, President; ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, NATHAN STRAUS and EDWARD BELL, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; JAMES J. PHELAN and ANDREW J. WHITE, Commissioners; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JOHN WHALEN and JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Commissioners; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

No. 1262 Broadway.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, JACOB HESS, and AMOS J. CUMMINGS, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, from Franklin to White street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULL, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a special meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's office, on Friday next, December 14, 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, December 12, 1894.
V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction Under New Plan.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 488.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING A PAVEMENT OF SECOND-HAND BELGIAN AND GRANITE BLOCKS ON NEWLY-MADE LAND IN REAR OF THE BULKHEAD-WALL AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET SECTION, ON THE HARLEM RIVER, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING PAVEMENT ON newly-made land in rear of the bulkhead-wall at East One Hundred and Second Street Section, on the Harlem river, from East One Hundred and First street to East One Hundred and Third street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1894.

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

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

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

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12".....	6,108
" " " " 6" x 6".....	1,647
Total.....	7,755

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of waste.

2. $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10" square Wrought-iron

Dock-spikes, about..... 598 pounds.

3. Sand or Cow Bay Gravel, about 1,000 cubic yards.

4. Paving to be laid, about..... 3,268 square yards.

NOTE.—The paving-blocks therefor will be second-hand Belgian blocks, and are to be furnished by the contractor, except about 1,500 second-hand granite paving-blocks, which are to be furnished by the Department of Docks, and delivered to the contractor on the premises.

5. Filling to be furnished and rammed

in place, about..... 966 cubic yards.

6. Labor of all kinds, including removal of existing earth, etc., all grading, spreading, leveling, ramming of earth, paving sand or gravel and paving-blocks, moving of paving-blocks, timber, etc., framing and carpentry, etc., as set forth in the specifications, and as directed by the Engineer.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 6th day of February, 1895, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All surplus material excavated will be removed by the contractor.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices 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 the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any 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 to 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of 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.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
ANDREW J. WHITE,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, November 1, 1894.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

PROPOSALS FOR 500 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 22, 1894, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, TWELFTH WARD, EAST OF EIGHTH AVENUE, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in FIFTEEN HUNDRED (\$1,500) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal 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.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.

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.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 22, 1894, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, FROM FORTIETH TO EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST AND WEST, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal 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.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.

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.

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 22, 1894, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for TWO THOUSAND (2,000) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, SOUTH OF FORTIETH STREET, EAST AND WEST, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in SIX THOUSAND (\$6,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal 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.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.
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, December 12, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), twenty-two thousand two hundred and fifty (22,250) Barrels Flour, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, until Saturday, December 22, at 10 o'clock A. M., the said flour to conform to the samples exhibited and to be delivered as required during the year 1895. To be delivered in barrels only.

Empty barrels to be returned, as per specification, and the price bid for the same by the contractor to be deducted from the price of the flour.

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

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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 ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed.

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.

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.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
Commissioners, Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING About 24,000 pounds of Poultry.

52 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
93 barrels good quality and fair size Red Apples, each barrel to contain two and a-half bushels.
27 barrels prime quality "Family" Pork.

For use on Christmas.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 20, 1894. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry, 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 head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. 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 of Poultry on Monday, December 24, 1894, before 7 o'clock A. M., all in accordance with specifications.

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within 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.

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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,

Commissioners, Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 2, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following hospital supplies will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Thursday, December 20, 1894. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

I.—Articles to be delivered in instalments, as may be required, during the year 1895.

1. 2,800 wine gallons, more or less, of two-stamp, copper-distilled PURE RYE WHISKEY, to be delivered free of all charges to this Department, in lots of not less than five barrels at a time, as may be required. The whiskey is to be not less than two years old from the date of the warehouse entry stamp, and to be consigned, by bill of lading, to the Department of Public Charities and Correction. Upon arrival of each shipment in the City of New York, it shall be gauged at the dock or depot, at the expense of the contractor, who shall then cause it to be at once carted direct to the General Drug Department, on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital. The gauger's certificate is, in all cases, to be attached to the bill. The bidder is to make his bid on the basis of proof-gallons, and irrespective of any disposal to be made of the empty barrels.

Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on Distilled Spirits, during the year 1895, shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.

2. 3,200 wine gallons, more or less, of MEDICINAL ALCOHOL, complying in strength and purity with the requirements of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia (1890), and to be delivered in lots of not less than five barrels at a time, as may be required. Each invoice is to be accompanied by a gauger's certificate. The bidder is to make his bid on the basis of wine gallons, and irrespective of any disposal to be made of the empty barrels.

Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on Distilled Spirits, or any laws or regulations reducing or abolishing the tax on Alcohol when used for medicinal purposes, during the year 1895, shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act or regulations making such alteration or provision shall go into effect.

3. 5,000 pounds, more or less, of PURE, COLORLESS (WHITE) MEDICINAL CARBOLIC ACID, corresponding to the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 10-pound tin cans, in cases containing 10 tins.

4. 3,000 pounds, more or less, of PURE, COLORLESS (WHITE) MEDICINAL CARBOLIC ACID, of same grade as under No. 3. To be delivered in one-pound, unlabeled, round flint bottles, provided with red "Carbolic Acid" and "Poison" labels, and securely packed in boxes containing 50 pounds.

5. 7,000 pounds, more or less, of PURE, MEDICINAL GLYCERIN, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 5-gallon "hinge-cover box cans" (Garrison's pattern).

6. 7,000 pounds, more or less, of SOLUTION OF HYDROGEN DIOXIDE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered either in 1-pound amber bottles, packed 25 in a case, or in 5-pound amber bottles, packed 9 in a case, as may be required.

7. 1,040 pounds, more or less, of PURE "CRYSTALL" CASTOR OIL. To be delivered in 40-pound tin cans, packed 4 in a case.

8. 50 barrels, more or less, of prime, pure, imported NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL, in original packages, to be delivered in lots of not less than 5 barrels at a time.

9. 750 pounds, more or less, of pure CHLOROFORM, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 10-pound tins, packed 10 in a case.

10. 750 pounds, more or less, of pure CHLOROFORM, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 10-pound bottles, packed 50 in a case.

11. 600 pounds, more or less, of pure, crystallized HYDRATE OF CHLORAL, U. S. Pharm. (1890). In 1-pound, glass-stoppered bottles, packed 50 in a case.

12. 300 pounds, more or less, of pure, white SALICYLIC ACID, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890), in 1-pound cartons, packed 25 in a case.

13. 300 pounds, more or less, of pure, white SODIUM SALICYLATE, U. S. Pharm. (1890), yielding a colorless solution with distilled water, in 1-pound cartons, packed 25 in a case.

14. 8,000 pounds, more or less, of ground FLAXSEED, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in lots of not less than 5 barrels at a time.

15. 24,000 pounds, more or less, of EXTRA COARSE GRANULATED SUGAR. To be delivered in lots of not less than 7 barrels at a time.

16. 175 pounds, more or less, of pure BEECHWOOD CREOSOTE, U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 5-pound glass-stoppered bottles, in lots of not less than 25 pounds at a time.

17. 800 ounces, more or less, of ICHTHYOL (Ammonium Sulph-Ichthyolate), in original 1-ounce packages.

18. 80 pounds, more or less, of pure SALOL (U. S. Pharm. 1890). To be delivered in 1-pound cartons.

19. 125 ounces, more or less, of pure, crystallized COCAINE HYDROCHLORATE (U. S. Pharm. 1890), in 1/2-ounce vials, in the original packages of the manufacturer.

20. 2,000 pounds, more or less, of HOSPITAL OAKUM, equal to the sample exhibited, in bales containing 50 pounds. To be delivered in lots of not less than 10 bales at a time.

21. 4,000 pounds, more or less, of ABSORBENT LINT, equal to the sample exhibited, in 1-pound packages, packed in solid wooden boxes containing 50 pounds. To be delivered in lots of not less than 200 pounds at a time.

22. 14,000 pounds, more or less, of ABSORBENT COTTON, equal to the sample exhibited, in 1-pound packages (containing a full pound of cotton, irrespective of wrapper, tissue paper, etc.), packed in solid wooden boxes containing 50 pounds. To be delivered in lots of not less than 500 pounds at a time.

23. 425,000 yards, more or less, of BLEACHED, ABSORBENT HOSPITAL GAUZE, equal to the sample exhibited, in bolts of 100 yards (not more than 2 pieces to the bolt), and securely wrapped in paper (not more than 3 bolts in a package), so as to exclude dust, etc. To be delivered in bales containing not more than 2,500 yards, and in instalments as may be required.

24. 120 dozen, more or less, of CLINICAL THERMOMETERS, to be substantially made, with single bulb, plain front, indestructible index, flat back, having each even degree numbered, the graduation between 94 and 110 extending over a space not shorter than 1 1/2 inches, and to be correct within 0.2 of a degree, as determined by the standard thermometer at the General Drug Department. The thermometers are to be delivered in hard rubber cases. Empty cases are to be taken back by the contractor, and the price bid for the same is to be deducted from each bill.

II.—Articles to be delivered at once, or as soon as required, after the contract is awarded.

25. 5,500 pounds of genuine, imported CONTI'S WHITE CASTLE SOAP, in original boxes. The weight is to be determined on delivery, and a Public Weigher's certificate, showing the gross weight and also the tare, as determined by 10 boxes, is to be attached to the bill.

26. 3,500 ounces of QUININE SULPHATE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 1-ounce cans, original packages of the manufacturer.

27. 150 ounces of MORPHINE SULPHATE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 1/2-ounce vials, original packages of the manufacturer.

28. 1,000 ounces of PHENACEIN (Bayer). To be delivered in 1-ounce cartons (100 ounces in a box), original packages.

29. 800 ounces of SULFONAL (Bayer). To be delivered in 1-ounce cartons, 100 ounces in a box, original packages.

30. 650 ounces of ANTIPYRINE (Knorr). To be delivered in 1-ounce tins, original packages.

31. 20 gross of MEDICINE GLASSES, graduated, equal to sample.

32. 72 gross of CAMEL'S HAIR PENCILS, "Rose, No. 8," in packages of 1 dozen, 12 dozen in a box.

33. 1,000 gross of EXTRA LONG TAPER CORKS, strictly XX—300 gross of No. 3, 300 gross of No. 4, 200 gross of No. 5, 200 gross of No. 6, to be delivered in bags holding 5 gross of a size, properly marked.

34. 420 gross PRESCRIPTION VIALS AND BOTTLES, as described below. The vials and bottles to be securely packed in hay, in well-closed packing boxes, suitable for shipment. The style, sizes and quantities required are as follows:

(a) Round Shoulder, Boston Style, Narrow Mouth.

	80 gross	1 ounce.	5 gross in a box.
No. 1	80	2	5
No. 2	120	4	3
No. 3	120	8	2
No. 4	8	32	1/2

(b) Union Oral.

12 gross 32-ounce, 1/2 gross in a box.

In all cases, the vials or bottles, when holding the full amount of the corresponding measure of water at 60° F., must not be completely filled thereby, but a sufficient space must be left between the surface of the liquid and the inserted cork, to permit a free agitation of the contents.

35. 600 pounds NATURAL RESIN SPONGE, to weigh about 120 to the pound. To be equal in quality to the sample exhibited, and to be delivered in bales containing not more than 50 pounds.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested, and will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

The term of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained 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.,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
Commissioners, Department of Public Charities
and Correction.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
NO. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 3, 1894.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY of New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1894, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1895, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1892.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1894, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1895, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the first day of October, 1894, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1894 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1894.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK IN MAKING THE ALTERATION AND ADDITION TO THE RIFLE RANGE IN THE SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY BUILDING ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF PARK AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM SIXTY-SIXTH TO SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work in making the alteration and addition to the Rifle Range in the Seventh Regiment Armory Building on the easterly side of Park avenue, extending from sixty-sixth to sixty-seventh street, in the City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work in Making the Alteration and Addition to the Rifle Range in the Seventh Regiment Armory Building, on the easterly side of Park avenue, extending from sixty-sixth to sixty-seventh street," 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, in the amount of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000).

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become 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 Armory Board, 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 any 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; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

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 upon its completion, and that which said Corporation or the Armory Board 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 security required for the completion of the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250). 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 Board 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 to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him 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 a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of CLINTON & RUSSELL, Architects, No. 32 NASSAU STREET, New York City.

The Board 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 Architects, at their office, No. 32 NASSAU STREET, New York City.

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Armory Board Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1894.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ADDITIONAL GALLERY IN THE ARMORY BUILDING ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF NINTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM SIXTY-FIRST TO SIXTY-SECOND STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work in the erection of an additional gallery in the Armory Building on the westery side of Ninth avenue, extending from sixty-first to sixty-second street, in the City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work in the erection of an additional gallery in the Armory Building on the westery side of Ninth avenue, extending from sixty-first to sixty-second street," 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, in the amount of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000).

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become 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 Armory Board, 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 any 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; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

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 upon its completion, and that which said Corporation or the Armory Board 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 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 an 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 State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250). 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 Board 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 to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him 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 a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the Architect, JAMES E. WARE, No. 489 FIFTH AVENUE, New York City.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 2, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ILLUMINATING GAS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC MARKETS, ARMORIES, BUILDINGS AND OFFICES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 1895, TO DECEMBER 31, 1895, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ILLUMINATING gas for lighting the Public Markets, Armories, Buildings and Offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1895, to December 31, 1895, both days inclusive, will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, until 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, December 18, 1894, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened.

Any person making an estimate for the above-mentioned supplies shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope at said office, at 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.

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, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any 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; which estimates 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 bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work 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 an 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.

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than eighteen candles when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Sugg-Letheby 12-hole argand burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests, however, will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and consuming, as near as possible, one hundred and twenty grains of sperm per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of sperm per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, and other sulphur and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings and offices to which they propose to supply gas, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the following public markets, armories, buildings and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures.

Washington Market.
Catharine " "
Fulton " "
Essex " "
Centre " "
Clinton Market.
Union " "
Tompkins " "
Jefferson " "
First District Police Court.
Second " "
Third " "
Fourth " "
Sixth " "
First District Civil Court.
Second " "
Fourth " "
Fifth " "
Sixth " "
Tenth " "
Clock, Third District Court-house Tower.
Armory, Seventh Regiment.
" Eighth " "
" Ninth " "
" Twelfth " "
" Twenty-second Regiment.
" Sixty-ninth " "
" Seventy-first " "
" First Battery, Artillery.
" Second " "
" Troop "A."

Register's Office.
City Record Book Bindery.
New Court-house.
Harlem Court-house.
Brown-stone (Court-room) Building.
City Hall.
Corporation Counsel's Office.
Corporation Attorney's Office.
Office of Public Administrator.
Criminal Court-house.
Office of Board of Assessors.
Office of Department of Buildings.
Office of Department of Public Works.
Office of Commissioner of Street Improvements.
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

County Jail.
Corporation Yard, East Sixteenth street.
Corporation Yard, West Fifty-sixth street.
Rivington street Pipe Yard.
Pipe Yard, East Twenty-fourth street.
Repair Shop of Bureau of Streets and Roads, West One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Columbus avenue.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, West Thirtieth street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East Eighty-seventh street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, No. 3351 Third avenue.
Tool Shop of Water Purveyor, No. 186 Mulberry street.
South Gate-house.
Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.
Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street.
Office of Chief Engineer, Croton Aqueduct, High Bridge.
Public Bath at Battery.

" foot of Duane street, N. R.
" Grand street, E. R.
" Fifth street, E. R.
" Market street, E. R.
" Eighteenth street, E. R.
" Horatio street, N. R.
" Twentieth street, N. R.
" Twenty-eighth street, E. R.
" Fifth street, N. R.
" Fifty-first street, E. R.
" Ninety-fourth street, E. R.
" One Hundred and Twelfth street, E. R.
" One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, N. R.
" One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, E. R.

Photometric Room, Bowery and Grand street.
Seventy-ninth street.

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, if an award for a portion is made warranting a less amount of security.

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

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

The right is reserved, when an estimate is made containing bids for supplying gas to one or more of the markets, armories, buildings, offices, etc., as aforesaid, to accept from such estimate or bid so much thereof as may be the lowest in respect to each particular market, armory, building or office as aforesaid, and to reject the remainder of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lighting any particular market, armory, building, office, etc., will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder on the lighting of each particular market, armory, building, office, etc.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is also reserved to discontinue the lighting of any of the public markets, armories, buildings, offices, etc., to which gas shall be furnished, if at any time gas should not be required in any such public market, armory, building or office.

The right to declare all estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation, by the Commissioner of Public Works, and 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.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any market, armory, building or office, situated on any street in which the gas-mains of such bidder are not laid at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing gas to said market, armory, building or office shall be awarded to any such bidder, then, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract shall be allowed to such bidder for the laying of the gas-mains of such bidder in said street, providing such bidder shall have a franchise or grant from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, authorizing the laying of gas-mains in such street.

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 Room 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1894.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1894, THE Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Street Improvements, by Peter F. Meyer, Esq., auctioneer, on the ground:

THE BUILDINGS AND PARTS OF BUILDINGS on that portion of the lands acquired by the City for the widening and extension of College place and Greenwich street, from Chambers street to Dey street, in forty separate parcels, as described in a printed catalogue, copies of which can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, or at the office of the auctioneer, No. 111 Broadway.

The sale will begin at 11 o'clock A. M. with Parcel No. 1, at the corner of College place and Chambers street, and proceed in the order given in the catalogue. All fences and out-houses not enumerated in the catalogue will be sold with the premises to which they heretofore belonged.

TERMS OF SALE.

The sale is on the condition that the buildings or parts of buildings sold shall be removed by the purchaser within forty days from date of purchase. The purchaser shall pay the amount of purchase money in bankable funds on the ground at the time of the sale, or the buildings, etc., not so paid for will be resold. The purchaser shall also pay over to the auctioneer on the ground, at the time of the sale, a deposit, by certified check, to the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) on each parcel purchased, as enumerated in the catalogue, as security for the faithful performance of the work of removing the buildings and parts of buildings, as herein required. If the purchaser fails to remove the buildings and parts of buildings within the time herein specified, he will forfeit ownership of the same, together with all the moneys paid therefor, and the moneys deposited as security for the removal of the same, and the Department will resell the buildings or parts of buildings. If the purchaser shall faithfully perform the removal of the buildings or parts of buildings as herein specified, the amounts of deposit as security for removal shall be returned to him.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 28, 1894.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1894, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at Public Auction, on the ground or grounds, under the direction of the Water Purveyor, by Peter F. Meyer, Auctioneer,

About 100,000 old Belgian Paving-blocks, lying on Fifty-seventh street, near the North river;
About 250,000 old Belgian Paving-blocks, lying on Battery place;

About 65,000 old Granite Paving-blocks, lying on Market Slip.

The sale to begin at Fifty-seventh street and to proceed in the above order.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal of the paving-blocks within ten days by the purchaser, otherwise the purchaser will forfeit ownership of the same, together with all moneys paid therefor, and the Department will resell the paving-blocks.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty containing covenants requiring the grantees and their successors to pave, repave, keep in repair or maintain such streets shall be in need of repairs, pavement or repavement, the Common Council may, by ordinance, require the same to be paved, repaved or repaired, and the expense thereof to be assessed on the property benefited; and whenever the owner of a lot so assessed shall have paid the assessment levied for such paving, repaving or repairing, such payment shall release and discharge such owner from any and every covenant and obligation as to paving, repaving and repairing, contained in the water grant under which the premises are held, and no further assessment shall be imposed on such lot for paving, repaving or repairing such street or avenue, unless it shall be petitioned for by a majority of the owners of the property (who shall also be the owners of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act:

When notice, as above described, is given to the Commissioner of Public Works, the owner of the lot or lots therein described, and his heirs and assigns, are forever released from all obligation under the grant in respect to paving, repaving or repairing the street in front of or adjacent to said lot or lots, except one assessment for such paving, repaving or repairs, as the Common Council may, by ordinance, direct to be made thereafter.

No street or avenue within the limits of such grants can be paved, repaved or repaired until said work is authorized by ordinance of the Common Council, and when the owners of such lots desire their streets to be paved, repaved or repaired, they should state their desire and make their application to the Board of Aldermen and not to the Commissioner of Public Works, who has no authority in the matter until directed by ordinance of the Common Council to proceed with the pavement, repavement or repairs.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works

PUBLIC POUND.

THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 17th day of December, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Public Pound, No. 2354 Arthur avenue, Fordham, the following described cattle: One Black Horse, 16 hands high.

MICHAEL DONOHUE,
Pound Master.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 567 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,' notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 48 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK, September 10, 1894.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,
Commissioners

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1894.

PROPOSALS FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT-SOIL, OFFAL AND DEAD ANIMALS FROM THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 565 AND 567 OF THE NEW YORK CITY CONSOLIDATION ACT OF 1882.

PROPOSALS FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT-SOIL, Offal and Dead Animals from the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of sections 565 and 567 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, will be received by the Board of Health at its office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 1 o'clock P. M. of the 19th day of December, 1894.

Any person making a proposal for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the Secretary of the Health Department, indorsed "Proposal for the Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals from the City of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

The person or persons making proposals for this contract must be thoroughly equipped and well prepared for the business. 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 \$50,000.

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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default.

Persons making proposals are required to state in the same their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other persons be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the proposal is made without any connection with any other persons making a proposal 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 work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposal must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party

making the same, 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 proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance. 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; 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 Board of Health after the proposal is accepted and prior to the signing of the contract.

No proposal 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 Board of Health, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be handed to the Secretary of the Board of Health, who will have charge of the proposals, and no proposal will be received until such check or money has been examined by said Secretary and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the person to whom the contract is awarded, will be returned by the Board of Health to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the person to whom the contract is awarded shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Secretary.

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 Secretary of the Board.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if, in their opinion, the best interests of the city require such rejection, and to award the contract for the best interests of the city, as authorized by section 567 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

By order of the Board of Health,
CHARLES G. WILSON,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE WATER TOWER

to this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, December 26, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The apparatuses are to be completed and delivered within ninety (90) days after the execution 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 shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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 two thousand five hundred (\$2,500) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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 one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING Horses, not exceeding eighty (80) in the aggregate, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, December 15, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The horses are to be furnished at the Hospital and Training Stables, No. 133 West Ninety-ninth street, in such numbers and at such times as may be from time to time directed by the Chief of Battalion in charge of the Hospital and Training Stables.

The horses must be of good conformation, from 5 to 7 years old, 16½ to 16¾ hands high, and weighing not less than 1,300 pounds each.

Every horse must remain on trial, in the service of the Fire Department, for one month, at the risk of the contractor, and in case of sickness during the time of trial, for such additional number of days as may be required to fully develop the capacity of the horse for fire service.

The Fire Commissioners reserve the right to reject any horse not absolutely sound, or which may be reported as unsuitable for fire service by the officer by whom it is to be used.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates per horse, in addition to inserting the same in figures. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

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 eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of four hundred (400) dollars. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give

the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
New York, December 3, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building for the Fire Department on the westerly side of Battery Park 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., Saturday, December 15, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

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

Bidders will bid separately, in the same proposal, for the structure complete, as specified, without the "Fire Protection under the Dock" and for the "Fire Protection under the Dock" alone, writing out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred (100) days after the execution 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 shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1893

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 in this Department.
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

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, December 13, 1894, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order.
CHARLES H. KNOX,
Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, December 12, 1894.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1894.

PROPOSALS TO SUPPLY PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS AND STATIONERY, I. E., OFFICIAL WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES TO THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1895.

TO PRINTERS AND LITHOGRAPHERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Forms, Pamphlets and Stationery, i. e., Official Writing Paper and Envelopes, etc., will be received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, in the City Hall, until 12 o'clock M. of Friday, the 21st day of December, 1894. The said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record to be held in the Mayor's Office at or about the time above-mentioned.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Matter," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

Each estimate shall state the name and place of residence of the person making it; if there is more than one such person, their names and residences must be given; and if only one person is interested in the estimate it must 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 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 preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the cost of the articles awarded to each contractor; the amount of preliminary security to be given until each award, and in which the sureties shall justify, shall be ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Should the person 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he 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 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, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the preliminary 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 Supervisor of the City Record who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate will be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said Supervisor and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of a successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If a successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for all the printing, lithographing or stamping required by any department or court—all the District Courts being considered as one, the blanks, etc., being similar—unless there be an item involving more than five hundred dollars, or several items each involving the expenditure of a like sum, in which case a contract or contracts will

be made with the lowest bidder or bidders on such item or items, and the contract for the remainder of the work for the department will be awarded to the bidder ascertained to be lowest after the deduction of such item or items. The bids must, therefore, be in detail on the items required for a department or court.

The printed or lithographed blanks, etc., must be folded, and be put up in packages by the contractors, according to the directions of the Supervisor of the City Record. It is obvious that blanks should be folded for the convenience of the departments or for their better keeping, the contractor must fold them without specific direction from the Supervisor.

The contractor, or contractors, must complete the delivery of the blanks, etc., at the office of the City Record within ninety (90) days from the execution of the contract or contracts, unless the work is delayed by a court, department, board or bureau. From the operation of this rule are excepted the calculation cards for the Department of Taxes, the tax bills for the Finance Department, and other blanks, "copy" for which cannot be prepared until the tax rate for 1895 has been fixed. Provision will be made for payment of a proportionate part of the contract price, when it shall appear that the contractor has done his work, until temporary stayed by the inability of a department, etc., to furnish "copy."

As many of the printed forms would be made worthless by typographical errors, or by mistakes in the preparation of samples, proofs must be furnished, under an agreement that the contractors shall not be expected to make changes practically altering the character of forms.

Blanks, etc., must be dated "1895," unless otherwise marked; but those of the Bureau of Assessments in the Finance Department shall have only the date "1895."

Particular care must be taken that the names of the new incumbents of offices are put upon the blanks, etc. For instance, Mayor, William L. Strong; President of the Board of Aldermen, John Jeroloman; Sheriff, Edward J. H. Tamm; Recorder, John W. Goff; Judge of the Superior Court, Henry R. Beckman; Coroners, William O'Meara and Emil W. Hoerber.

The delivery of the work must begin within five days from the execution of the contracts, and be continued in such a manner that the immediate needs of the Department shall be supplied.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

For particulars as to the quantities and kinds of Printing and Lithographing, reference must be had to the samples and specifications on file in the Department of Public Works. The kinds of paper to be used are stated on the samples. Copies of the specifications may be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Mayor.

WM. H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

W. J. K. KENNY,
Supervisor of the City Record.

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 licensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abutting 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), Thirty-fourth Street (East River to Tenth Avenue), Forty-second Street (Second Avenue to Tenth 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.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
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.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR CONVEYING pupils from Williamsbridge to Grammar School No. 64, and return, in two stages, on every school day from and including January 3, 1895, to and including July 3, 1895, inclusive, and also sealed proposals for conveying pupils from Morris Heights to Primary School No. 45, and return, in two stages, on every school day from and including January 3, 1895, to and including July 3, 1895, will be received by the Board of Trustees of Common Schools of the Twenty-fourth Ward, at Grammar School No. 64, No. 2436 Webster Avenue, New York, until the 26th day of December, 1894.

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

For terms of contract and further information inquire of J. E. Eustis, Morris Heights, as to Primary School No. 45, and E. A. Allen, No. 313 St. James Street, as to Grammar School No. 64.

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.

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

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand Street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, December 19, 1894, for supplying New Pianos for Grammar School No. 6, at Eighty-fifth Street and Madison Avenue.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
JOSEPH FETTER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated New York, December 6, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, December 14, 1894, for supplying a Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New Grammar School Building on east side of Edgecombe Avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first Streets.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, December 14, 1894, for supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Grammar School No. 87; also, for a Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New Additions to Grammar School No. 58.

JACQUES H. HERTS, Chairman,
RICHARD S. TREACY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.
Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday, December 17, 1894, for supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Grammar School No. 4.

SAMUEL RINALDO, Chairman,
FRANCIS COAN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.
Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, December 17, 1894, for supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Grammar School No. 60, situated on College Avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street.

JAMES A. FERGUSON, Chairman,
J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.
Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 4226, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh Street, from Willis to Brook Avenue, together with list of awards for damages caused by change of grade.

List 4227, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Sixtieth Street, between Washington Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East.

List 4218, No. 3. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth Street, between Park and Madison Avenues.

List 4240, No. 4. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of Forty-sixth Street, between First and Second Avenues.

List 4241, No. 5. Fencing the vacant lots on the west side of Park Avenue, commencing 25 feet north of Ninety-fifth Street and extending north 125 feet.

List 4242, No. 6. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Sixty-ninth Street, west of Central Park, West.

List 4243, No. 7. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Sixth Street, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventh Street, between First and Second Avenues.

List 4272, No. 8. Fencing the vacant lots on the northeast corner of Eighty-first Street and Riverside Drive, extending 100 feet east and 100 feet north.

List 4273, No. 9. Fencing the vacant lots on the west side of Boulevard, from Ninety-first to Ninety-second Street, and on south side of Ninety-second Street, from Boulevard to West End Avenue.

List 4274, No. 10. Fencing the vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth Streets, First and Second Avenues.

List 4275, No. 11. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Third Street, between Second and Third 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 One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Willis to Brook avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Washington avenue to Railroad avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. North side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Park and Madison avenues, on Block 500, Ward Nos. 25 to 28, inclusive.

No. 4. South side of Forty-sixth street, between First and Second avenues, on Block 161, Ward Nos. 40 to 43, inclusive.

No. 5. West side of Park avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, on Block 480, Ward Nos. 34 to 38, inclusive.

No. 6. North side of Sixty-ninth street, extending about 100 feet west of Central Park, West.

No. 7. North side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between First and Second avenues, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, between First and Second avenues, on Block 222, Ward Nos. 5, 6, 11, 12, 47 and 42, also Block 223, Ward Nos. 15 to 18, inclusive.

No. 8. North side of Eighty-first street, extending about 103 feet east of Riverside Drive, and west side of Riverside Drive, extending about 105 feet north of Eighty-first street.

No. 9. West side of the Boulevard, extending about 151 feet south of Ninety-second street, and south side of Ninety-second street, extending about 150 feet west of the Boulevard.

No. 10. Block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, First and Second avenues, on Block 221, Ward Nos. 19 to 26, inclusive, and Ward No. 34.

No. 11. South side of One Hundred and Third street, between Second and Third avenues, on Block 306, Ward Nos. 29 to 34, inclusive.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 13th day of January, 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, December 12, 1894.

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 3977, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue, together with a list of awards for damages by reason of change of grade.

List 4419, No. 2. Reregulating, regrading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4110, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4707, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Willow avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets.

List 4710, No. 5. Receiving-basin and appurtenances on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Willis avenue.

List 4711, No. 6. Receiving-basin and appurtenances at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Third avenue.

List 4712, No. 7. Receiving-basins and appurtenances on the northwest and southwest corners of John street and Eagle avenue.

List 4713, No. 8. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Tenth street and Avenue D, and new basin on the northeast corner of Sixth and Lewis streets.

List 4714, No. 9. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Twentieth street and Seventh avenue.

List 4715, No. 10. Sewer in Ninety-third street, between Harlem river and First avenue.

List 4744, No. 11. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Lenox avenue.

List 4745, No. 12. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Thirty-sixth street and Eleventh avenue.

List 4748, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundredth street, between Harlem river and First avenue.

List 4750, No. 14. Sewer in Eleventh avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

List 4751, No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

List 4752, No. 16. Sewer in Second avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

List 4794, No. 17. Receiving basin and appurtenances on the southeast corner of Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third 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 Fifty-fourth street, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Willow avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

No. 5. East side of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

No. 6. East side of North Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

No. 7. West side of Eagle avenue, from a point distant 225 feet south of John street to Clifton street.

No. 8. East side of Avenue D, from Ninth to Tenth street, and east side of Lewis street, extending about 92 feet north of Sixth street.

No. 9. East side of Seventh avenue, extending about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Twentieth street, and north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, extending about 90 feet east of Seventh avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from First avenue to Harlem river.

No. 11. East side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street, and south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending about 300 feet east of Lenox avenue.

No. 12. East side of Eleventh avenue, extending about 100 feet north of Thirty-sixth street, and north side of Thirty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundredth street, from First avenue to the Harlem river.

No. 14. East side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 16. Both sides of Second avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth street.

No. 17. Triangle bounded by Washington avenue, Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 9th day of January, 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, December 8, 1894.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations, for the positions below mentioned, will be held on the dates specified:

December 13. MECHANICAL ENGINEER.
December 19. TIME COLLECTOR, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (Street Improvements Department).

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Jacob Lorillard, Vernon H. Brown and David James King, the Commissioners heretofore appointed in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 487 of the Laws of 1885, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of David McClure, Samuel W. Milbank and Edmund H. Martine, as Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above-entitled proceeding by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 5th day of January, 1893, which said report bears date November 28, 1894, and was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 1st day of December, 1894, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, at Chambers, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that a motion will then and there be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 10, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 19th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue, known as Decatur avenue, extending from Kingsbridge road to Brookline street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Brookline street distant 108.11 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Webster avenue with the southern line of Brookline street.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of Brookline street for 60.0 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 89° 23' 10" to the left for 426.92 feet.

3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 91° 12' 20" to the left for 60.01 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly for 426.30 feet to the point of beginning.

Decatur avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Brookline street, is designated as a street of the first class, and is sixty feet wide.

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to PLYMPTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Orchard street and Boscobel avenue, 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 by the Commissioner 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 bearing date the 5th day of November, 1894, 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 Plympton avenue, as shown in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 23d day of June, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risser, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled Plan and Profiles showing the laying-out of Nelson avenue, from Devos street to Kemp place; also showing the location, width, course, windings, classification and grades of Nelson avenue, from Devos street to Featherbed lane, and of Fisk place, from Plympton avenue to Nelson avenue, prepared by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the

City of New York, under chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, in order to render more definite and certain a part of the map of the High Bridge District, filed by the Board of Parks, September 9, 1884, and another map made under authority of chapter 407 of the Laws of 1886 and filed by the Board of Parks, May 16, 1888, 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 17th day of February 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of February, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 21st day of February, 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. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 5, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of December, 1894, 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 Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 5, 1894.
C. W. WEST,
JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH,
THOS. J. MILLER,
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 Commonality 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue, known as Perry avenue, extending from the Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Moshulu Parkway distant 560.93 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Moshulu Parkway with the northern line of Decatur avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Moshulu Parkway for 67.31 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 116° 57' 20" to the left for 893.81 to the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard.

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard for 64.97 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 888.06 feet to the point of beginning.

Perry avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, is designated as a street of the first class and is sixty feet wide.

Dated New York, December 3, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue, known as Boone street, from Freeman street to Woodruff street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Woodruff street distant 705.85 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of Woodruff street with the eastern line of Boston road.

1st. Thence easterly along the southern line of Woodruff street for 61.37 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 77° 52' 10" to the right for 2,938.79 feet.

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 31° 44' 39" to the left for 852.05 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 140° 37' 20" to the right for 94.57 feet.

5th. Thence northerly deflecting 39° 22' 40" to the right for 756.91 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly for 2,962.75 feet to the point of beginning.

Boone street, from Freeman street to Woodruff street, is designated as a street of the first class, and is sixty feet wide.

Dated, New York, December 3, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality 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 Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Southern Boulevard to Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard distant 1,286.93 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard with the southern line of the Boston road.

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard for 65.0 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90° to the left for 1,800 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 105° 49' 09" to the left for 62.35 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 1,792.0 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river, is designated as a street of the first class and is sixty feet wide.

Dated New York, December 3, 1894.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening, widening and extending ELM STREET, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, in the Sixth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE MAYOR, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, of its intention to make application for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment. Said application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening, widening and extending of a certain street, known as Elm street, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place, in the Sixth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Great Jones street distant 278.71 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly through the block, distance 201 feet, to the northerly line of Bond street at a point distant 295.43 feet easterly from Broadway; thence easterly along the northerly line of Bond street, distance 80.29 feet; thence northerly and parallel to the first-mentioned corner, distance 201 feet, to the southerly line of Great Jones street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.29 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Bond street distant 301.26 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly, distance 230.23 feet, to the northerly line of Bleeker street at a point distant 315.29 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence easterly along said northerly line, distance 80.16 feet; thence northerly and parallel to the first corner mentioned, distance 230.23 feet, to the southerly line of Bond street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.16 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Bleeker street distant 72.12 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence southerly, distance 344.50 feet, to the northerly line of East Houston street at a point distant 80.22 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence easterly along said northerly line, distance 80.51 feet; thence northerly and parallel to the first corner mentioned, distance 333.55 feet, to the westerly line of Mulberry street at its intersection with Bleeker street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Bleeker street, distance 80.04 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of East Houston street distant 81.43 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence southerly, distance 213.71 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Jersey street distant 84.22 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Jersey street, distance 80.46 feet; thence northerly and parallel to the first corner mentioned, distance 232.39 feet, to the southerly line of East Houston street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.51 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Jersey street distant 84.22 feet from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence southerly, distance 61.43 feet, to a point in the intersection of the northerly and westerly lines of Marion street, said point being distant northerly, as measured along the said westerly line of Marion street, 214.69 feet from Prince street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Marion street from said point, distance 49.85 feet, to the easterly line of Marion street; thence southerly along said easterly line, distance 206.06 feet, to the northerly line of Prince street; thence easterly along said line, distance 30.48 feet; thence northerly and parallel to the westerly line of Marion street, distance 266.62 feet, to the southerly line of Jersey street; thence westerly along said line, distance 80.46 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Prince street distant 183.35 feet westerly from the westerly line of Mulberry street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Prince street, distance 19.55 feet, to the easterly line of Marion street; thence southerly along said line, distance 72.83 feet; thence northerly, distance 71.46 feet, to the southerly line of Prince street, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Prince street distant 85.70 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence southerly and in the direction of the westerly line of Marion street, north of Prince street extended southerly, distance 77.13 feet, until it

meets a line parallel to and distant 80 feet westerly from the easterly line of Marion street, between Prince and Spring streets; thence southerly along said parallel line, distance 409.16 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Spring street distant 199.31 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Spring street, distance 1.62 feet, to the westerly line of Marion street; thence northerly along said westerly line, distance 100.22 feet; thence still along said westerly line, distance 29.55 feet; thence still along said line, distance 30.38 feet; thence along said westerly line, distance 332.23 feet, to the southerly line of Prince street; thence westerly along said line of Prince street, distance 10.49 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Broome street distant 100.61 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 354.55 feet, to the westerly line of Marion street; thence northerly along said line, distance 93.06 feet; thence westerly, distance 4.50 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence southerly along said line, distance 445.60 feet, to the northerly line of Broome street; thence easterly along said line, distance 29.80 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Broome street distant 103.26 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 374.23 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Grand street distant 97.50 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 30.04 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 373.12 feet, to the southerly line of Broome street; thence easterly along said line, distance 30.12 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Howard street distant 117.73 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence northerly, distance 318.24 feet, to a point in the southerly line of Grand street distant 99.14 feet from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 29.23 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Elm street, distance 48.23 feet; thence still along said line and in a southerly direction, distance 9.30 feet; thence southerly and along said easterly line, distance 262.47 feet, to the northerly line of Howard street; thence easterly along said line, distance 20.15 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Howard street distant 180.77 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence northerly, distance 320.08 feet, to a point in the southerly line of Grand street distant 108.53 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crosby street; thence easterly along said line, distance 1.85 feet, to the westerly line of Elm street; thence southerly along said line, distance 310.53 feet, to the northerly line of Howard street; thence westerly along said line, distance 10.65 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Howard street distant 120.08 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 270.72 feet, to the northerly line of Canal street at a point distant 137.88 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 20.58 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 107.32 feet; thence easterly at right angle, or nearly so, distance 5.29 feet; thence northerly and still along the easterly line of Elm street, distance 99.33 feet, to the southerly line of Howard street; thence easterly along said line, distance 17.40 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Howard street distant 436.25 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly, distance 100 feet, to a point in the westerly line of Elm street distant 153.98 feet northerly from the northerly line of Canal street; thence easterly from said point and at right angle, or nearly so, distance 15.96 feet, to the westerly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 100 feet, to the southerly line of Howard street; thence westerly along said line, distance 12.54 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Canal street distant 143.91 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 135.82 feet, to the northerly line of Walker street at a point distant 148.06 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 20.21 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 140.52 feet, to the southerly line of Canal street; thence easterly along said line, distance 20.19 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Walker street distant 151.10 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 231.19 feet, to a point in the northerly line of White street distant 166.71 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 19 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 230.20 feet, to the southerly line of Walker street; thence easterly along said line, distance 19.90 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of White street distant 170.90 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 200.76 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Franklin street distant 187.52 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 23.00 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 200.17 feet, to the southerly line of White street; thence easterly along said line, distance 20.18 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Franklin street distant 194.71 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 200.20 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Leonard street distant 207.85 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 29.90 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 200.17 feet, to the southerly line of Franklin street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25.12 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Leonard street distant 213.23 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence southerly, distance 187.84 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Worth street distant 226.92 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along said line, distance 34.45 feet, to the easterly line of Elm street; thence northerly along said line, distance 188.35 feet, to the southerly line of Leonard street; thence easterly along said line, distance 30.52 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Worth street distant 198.84 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence diagonally through the block in a southerly direction, distance 215.11 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Pearl street distant 93.01 feet westerly from the westerly line of Centre street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Pearl street, distance 60.65 feet; thence still along the said northerly line, distance 30.23 feet; thence northerly and parallel with the first course mentioned and 80 feet distant therefrom, distance 154.82 feet, to a point in the easterly line of Elm street distant 140.36 feet northerly from the northerly line of Pearl street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Elm street, distance 39.92 feet, to the southerly line of Worth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Worth street, distance 68.34 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Duane street distant 101.46 feet easterly from the easterly line of Elm street; thence southerly and diagonally through the block, distance 209.24 feet, to a point in the northerly line of Duane street, said point being distant 159.82 feet easterly from the easterly line of Elm street; thence easterly along the northerly line of Duane street, distance 86.64 feet, to the westerly line of Centre street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Centre street, distance 11.85 feet; thence northerly and diagonally through the block and parallel with the first course mentioned above, distance 200.48 feet, to the southerly line of Pearl street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Pearl street, distance 69.25 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Duane

street distant 180.06 feet easterly from the easterly line of Elm street; thence southerly and diagonally through the block, distance 200.14 feet, to the northwesterly line of Centre street, at a point distant 27.80 feet easterly from the northerly line of Reade street; thence north-easterly along said line, distance 55.80 feet, to the westerly line of Centre street; thence northerly along said line, distance 37.11 feet, to the southerly line of Duane street; thence westerly along said line, distance 63.22 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Reade street, said point being the southwesterly corner of City Hall place and Reade street and distant 52.82 feet westerly from the southeasterly corner of City Hall place and Reade street; thence westerly along said line of Reade street, distance 69.56 feet, to the easterly line of Centre street; thence southerly along said line, distance 112.10 feet, to the northerly line of City Hall place; thence easterly along said line, distance 129.25 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

The several lots, pieces or parcels of land described above are the same lots, pieces or parcels of land as are shown, colored red, upon a certain map entitled "Map or plan showing the new street to be known as the widening and extension of Elm street, from City Hall place, near Chambers street, to Great Jones street, opposite Lafayette place," certified by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement on the 15th day of September, 1893, and duly filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, on or about September 15, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Street Opening and Improvement has determined that one-half of the cost and expense of the proceedings for widening Elm street as aforesaid, shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited, and that the remainder of such cost and expense shall be borne and paid by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 1, 1894.
THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMON-
ALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WALTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority, from the south side of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh 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, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1894, 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 Walton Avenue, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or plan showing revised system of avenues and streets lying between Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, Jerome Avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Mott Avenue, Juliet Street, and Walton Avenue, also showing River Avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York," and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, on the 27th day of August, 1889, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of August, 1889, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 31st day of August, 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 unto or interested in the said respect ve 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 (November 23, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1894, 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, November 23, 1894.
JOHN H. ROGAN,
JOHN L. NUNT,
LOUIS E. BINSSE,
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 490 of the Laws of 1883. Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Supreme Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 25th day of December, 1894, at ten 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, who shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, namely, the City and County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in said chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the City and County of New York, and is laid out and indicated upon a map filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1894, and bearing the following certificate:

"We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps

"prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section of said act, this 17th day of October, 1894."
Signed: J. C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, H. W. Cannon, Aqueduct Commissioners."

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected is required for the construction and maintenance of the reservoir known as the Jerome Park Reservoir, in the City, County and State of New York, and the following is a statement of the boundaries of said reservoir and of the real estate to be acquired therefor under this proceeding:

Beginning at the intersection formed by the westerly boundary of the Moshulu Parkway and the northwesterly boundary of Jerome Avenue; thence south 41 degrees 04 minutes 15 seconds west 1,024.73 feet along said boundary of Jerome Avenue; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue south 18 degrees 27 minutes 45 seconds west 1,846.91 feet; thence still on said boundary curving to the right with a radius of 266.176 feet and an angle of 79 degrees 03 minutes 15 seconds a distance of 37.26 feet on said curve; thence north 82 degrees 29 minutes west along said Avenue 110.81 feet; thence still along said Avenue on a curve to the left with a radius of 507.2 feet and an angle of 40 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds a distance of 355.642 feet on said curve; thence south 57 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west along said boundary 735.7 feet; thence still along said boundary, curving to the left with a radius of 468.263 feet and an angle of 27 degrees 01 minute 45 seconds, a distance of 220.926 feet on said curve; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue south 30 degrees 18 minutes 45 seconds west 1,079.95 feet to the northerly boundary line of the Kingsbridge Road; thence along said boundary south 81 degrees 40 minutes 45 seconds west 275.47 feet; thence north 81 degrees 04 minutes 45 seconds west 50 feet; thence north 70 degrees 34 minutes 15 seconds west 36 feet; thence north 55 degrees 12 minutes 15 seconds west 47 feet; thence north 46 degrees 07 minutes 45 seconds west 191 feet along said Kingsbridge Road; thence leaving said road and running along the northeasterly boundary of a lane leading into the George H. Warren property north 28 degrees 09 minutes 45 seconds west 84.5 feet; thence south 57 degrees 19 minutes 15 seconds west 7.34 feet; thence north 27 degrees 48 minutes 15 seconds west 65.78 feet; thence north 18 degrees 56 minutes 15 seconds west 55 feet; thence north 14 degrees 30 minutes 15 seconds west 31 feet; thence north 8 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds west 34 feet; thence north 5 degrees 48 minutes 15 seconds east 29 feet; thence crossing said lane north 40 degrees 53 minutes 15 seconds west 40.21 feet to the northwesterly side of the aforesaid lane; thence along the northwesterly side of said lane north 35 degrees 49 minutes 10 seconds east 797.61 feet to the southerly corner of the land of George H. Warren; thence along the southeasterly front of said Warren's land north 32 degrees 13 minutes 25 seconds east 86.98 feet; thence north 15 degrees 10 minutes 45 seconds west, crossing said Warren's land and the land of H. B. Claffin, 1,083.31 feet; thence north 75 degrees 56 minutes west, still across said Claffin's land and along the northerly boundary of E. E. Eames' property, 684.59 feet to the easterly boundary line of Sedgwick Avenue; thence along the said boundary of said Avenue, north 14 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds east 95.915 feet to a point which is marked by a monument standing 10 feet in Sedgwick Avenue measured at right angles from said boundary of said Avenue at said point; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue on a curve to the right, with a radius of 1,120 feet and an angle of 27 degrees 21 minutes 20 seconds, a distance of 534.74 feet on said curve to a point which is marked by a monument standing as aforesaid; thence north 41 degrees 27 minutes 35 seconds east along said boundary 439.73 feet; thence curving to the left along said boundary with a radius of 1,280 feet and an angle of 20 degrees 22 minutes 41.8 seconds a distance of 455.256 feet on said curve; thence reversing and curving to the right along said boundary of Sedgwick Avenue, with a radius of 1,087.608 feet and an angle of 18 degrees 14 minutes 35.2 seconds a distance of 346.298 feet on said curve; thence still curving to the right with a radius of 300 feet and an angle of 53 degrees 19 minutes 06.6 seconds a distance of 279.175 feet to a point; thence crossing Lasher street north 2 degrees 38 minutes 35 seconds east 79.90 feet; thence curving to the right along the easterly boundary of Sedgwick Avenue with a radius of 44.733 feet and an angle of 116 degrees 50 minutes a distance of 91.216 feet on said curve; thence still along said Avenue north 29 degrees 28 minutes 25 seconds east 164.07 feet to a point which is fixed by a monument standing 10 feet at right angles from said point in said Avenue; thence curving to the left along said Avenue with a radius of 620 feet and an angle of 24 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds a distance of 262.14 feet; thence north 5 degrees 15 minutes 5 seconds east 414.66 feet to a point marked by a monument 10 feet into Sedgwick Avenue as aforesaid; thence curving to the right along said Avenue with a radius of 380 feet and an angle of 46 degrees 57 minutes 29.4 seconds a distance of 311.44 feet along said curve to a point fixed by a monument as aforesaid; thence leaving said Avenue at a right angle therefrom south 37 degrees 49 minutes 25.6 seconds east 44.47 feet; thence south 72 degrees 11 minutes 40 seconds east 67.50 feet; thence north 79 degrees 11 minutes 50 seconds east 78.92 feet to the westerly boundary of Van Cortlandt Avenue; thence north 16 degrees 52 minutes 15 seconds west along said boundary of said Avenue 44.18 feet to a point marked by a monument standing 4.27 feet at about right angles easterly from said boundary at said point; thence south 72 degrees 46 minutes 45 seconds west 5.03 feet; thence north 17 degrees 10 minutes 15 seconds west into Sedgwick Avenue 94.60 feet; thence north 73 degrees 07 minutes 45 seconds east across aforesaid Van Cortlandt Avenue 71.32 feet to the easterly side thereof; thence south 59 degrees 46 minutes 55 seconds east 220.64 feet; thence north 79 degrees 11 minutes 50 seconds east 884.86 feet to a point in the westerly right-of-way line of the old Croton Aqueduct, which point is distant 31 feet measured westerly at right angles from a monument standing in the centre line of said Aqueduct; thence north 29 degrees 43 minutes 15 seconds east along said westerly right-of-way line of said Aqueduct 610.6 feet to the southerly boundary line of Van Cortlandt Park; thence south 76 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds east along said Park boundary and crossing said Aqueduct 174.18 feet to the westerly boundary of the aforesaid Moshulu Parkway; thence southerly on a curve to the left along said boundary of said Parkway with a radius of 1,382.9 feet and an angle of 37 degrees 39 minutes 24 seconds a distance of 908.889 feet; thence still along said boundary of said Parkway south 23 degrees 42 minutes 05 seconds east 993.4 feet to the place of beginning, containing 298.9775 acres.

Which area is the total of Parcels Nos. 1 to 142, inclusive; as shown on said map that portion of the Old Boston Road which is composed of Parcels Nos. 3, 5, 17, 23, 34 and 36, between Sedgwick and Jerome Avenues; also that portion of Van Cortlandt Avenue composed of Parcel No. 21 and a part of Parcel No. 25, between the Old Aqueduct and Sedgwick Avenue, are to be closed. Parcel No. 143 shown on the map, composed of part of Parcels Nos. 7, 8, 9, 12, 14, 15 and 16, and all of Parcels Nos. 10 and 11; also Parcel No. 144, composed of part of Parcels Nos. 1, 18, 19, 24, 25 and 27, are to be substituted and devoted to public use for highway purposes, in lieu of those above closed, and as additional highway facilities.

All streets, avenues, roads or lanes actually dedicated and used as such, as well as all streets, avenues, roads or lanes not actually dedicated or used, but shown on the maps on file in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, included within the above-mentioned external boundary lines, are to be closed; and the land shown on said map as Parcels Nos. 143 and 144 dedicated to the public use as highways is substituted for the above-mentioned streets, avenues, roads or lanes.

All the lands within the above boundaries are to be acquired in fee, and include all the parcels shown on said map as Numbers 1 to 142, inclusive. Reference is hereby made to said map as aforesaid in said office of the said Register of the City and County of New York for a more detailed description of the said real

estate to be taken or affected, of which the boundaries are above stated.

Dated New York, November 16, 1894.
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No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, between Amsterdam Avenue and the Kingsbridge Road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (room 4), in said city, on the 18th day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (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 and assessment 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 in the Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1894, 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, December 5, 1894.
EDWARD B. LA FETRA, Chairman,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
H. W. GRAY,
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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, from the Southern Boulevard to West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 626.93 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Southern Boulevard with the southern line of Boston Road.

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Southern Boulevard for 600.0 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90° to the left for 1,502.15 feet.

3d. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn easterly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course deflects 7° 23' 40" to the left from the same and is 968.70 for 600.30 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 1,496.25 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, from Southern Boulevard to West Farms Road, is designated as a street of the first class and is sixty feet wide.

Dated New York, December 3, 1894.
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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's street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 19th day of December, 1894, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Wales Avenue, from Southern Boulevard to St. Joseph's street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of the Southern Boulevard distant 839.40 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Southern Boulevard with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 110.37 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 127° 15' 50" to the left for 11.61 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 83° 21' 41" to the right for 1,122.78 feet to the southern line of Wales Avenue, legally opened May 19, 1891.

4th. Thence westerly along the southern line of said Wales Avenue for 65.0 feet.

5th. Thence southerly for 1,203.65 feet to the point of beginning.

Wales Avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to St. Joseph's street, is designated as a street of the first class, and is sixty-five feet wide.

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.
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