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PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS TO BE CLOSED ON GOOD FRIDAY.

In Common Council, Resolved, That the heads of the several Departments of the City Government be and are hereby requested to close their respective offices on Good Friday, April 12, 1895, and all other offices not by law required to be kept open for the transaction of public business to be closed on said day.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 9, 1895, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor, April 9, 1895.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Statement of the Operations and Condition of the City Treasury during the Quarter ending December 31, 1894,

AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 49 OF THE NEW YORK CITY CONSOLIDATION ACT OF 1882.

I.—THE CITY TREASURY.

Receipts.

TAXES.

Amount of Taxes Collected—	
By Receiver of Taxes.....	\$29,734,525 33
Less Discount on Taxes.....	197,890 66
	\$29,536,634 67
By Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears—Arrears of Taxes.....	763,524 38
Total receipts from Taxes.....	\$30,300,159 05

THE GENERAL FUND.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Costs...	\$622 62
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	1,102 76
Collector of City Revenue—	
Dividend on stocks.....	\$11 99
Market permits.....	36 00
Pipe-line franchises.....	860 00
Railroad franchises.....	11,633 99
Street car licenses.....	500 00
Rent—Law Telegraph and Telephone Stations, New County Court-house.....	150 00
Sale of old material.....	130 00
	13,321 98
“Conscience”—	
Per Receiver of Taxes.....	\$100 00
Per Health Department.....	50 00
	150 00
Coroners' Fees.....	1,158 50
Corporation Counsel—Costs, etc.....	778 03
County Clerk's Fees.....	10,663 80
Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Steamboat fares, ferriages, sales of rags, bones, etc.....	\$1,315 91
From State Comptroller—For clothing and money furnished discharged prisoners.....	4,211 00
	5,526 91
Department of Public Parks—Permits, licenses, rents, etc.....	12,710 67
Department of Public Works—	
Labor and material.....	\$24,536 49
Sales of old buildings and material.....	4,432 59
Sewers and drains.....	5,498 91
Street incumbrances.....	81 50
Tapping water-pipes.....	3,279 50
	37,828 99
Department of Street Cleaning—Sale of “trimmings”.....	20,802 98
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	
Labor and material.....	\$24 00
Licenses and permits.....	15 00
Counsel to Commissioner, costs, etc.....	42 00
Sewers and drains.....	2,545 00
	2,626 00
Equitable Gas-light Company—Account Franchise.....	18,690 86
Forfeited recognizances.....	4,467 11
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures—	
Inspectors' fees.....	\$1,096 53
Sealers' fees.....	152 40
	1,248 93
Interest on Taxes—	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$21,556 64
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	110,164 04
	131,720 68
Interest on Assessments—Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	88,007 25
Licenses—City Treasury—Mayor's First Marshal.....	15,347 50
Plumbers' certificates.....	205 00
Public Administrator—Commissions.....	2,706 57
Premium on Assessment Bonds.....	2,525 00
Registers' fees.....	21,976 01
Reimbursements—Account of Committed Children—New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	2,592 00
Sheriff's Fees (one-half payable to Sheriff).....	24,042 24
Surrogate's Court—Fees.....	2,000 90
Miscellaneous—Subpoenas, copying, etc.....	17 00
Total receipts of the General Fund.....	\$422,840 29

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Being reimbursements for moneys expended and unclaimed amounts, errors, etc., refunded—

Department of Public Works—Aqueduct repairs—Maintenance, etc.....	\$8 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction—Salaries.....	201 55
Department of Street Cleaning.....	500 00
Department of Public Instruction—Salaries.....	130 88
Health Department—Hospital Fund—From United States Government for care of sick immigrants.....	188 00
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Salaries.....	4 50

Total receipts on Appropriation Account..... \$1,032 93

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund—Sale of old material, rents, etc.....	\$1,207 94
Additional Public Parks Fund—Assessments.....	5,512 46
Annexed Territory of Westchester County—	
Disputed Tax.....	\$41 60
Interest on Tax.....	32 36
	74 05

Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	\$192 00
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	170 00
Croton Water Rent Refunding Account—Transfer from Sinking Fund Interest.....	2,867 53
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	419 73
Dock Fund—	
Premium on Dock Bonds.....	\$12,520 00
Repairs for private owners, etc.....	7,138 66
	19,658 66
Excise Licenses.....	366,160 00
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination—Sales of Vaccine Lymph or Virus.....	539 35
Fund for Street and Park Openings—Assessments.....	358,508 40
Gansevoort Market Fund—Assessment.....	4 00
Harlem River and Spuyten Duyvil Creek Improvement Fund—Assessments.....	117 12
Improvement of Parks and Parkways, Drives, etc., Chapter 11, Laws 1894—Refund.....	7 50
Intestate Estates.....	1,420 65
Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments.....	36 30
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Redemption of.....	22 82
Repaving—Chapter 35, Laws 1892, Premium on Bonds.....	12,650 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	36,712 25
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Parks.....	88 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	943 00
Sanitary Improvement—School house Fund—Premium on Bonds.....	961 80
School-house Fund—Premium on Bonds.....	11,804 32
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—Assessments.....	658,229 14
Street Incumbrances—Department of Street Cleaning.....	669 00
Theatrical and Concert Licenses.....	3,600 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	1,675 78
Water-meter Fund—	
Water Register.....	\$1,771 19
Receiver of Taxes.....	2,027 00
Clerk of Arrears.....	1,348 17
	5,146 36
Interest on Water-meter Fund.....	235 91
Zoological Garden Fund—Sale of Sheep, Central Park.....	424 80

Total receipts on Special and Trust Accounts..... \$1,490,058 87

Loans. Moneys Borrowed on the Credit of the Corporation on Bonds and Stocks.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR LOAN.	RATE OF INT.	AMOUNT.
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	To provide for a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York.....	Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882	3	\$72,000 00
Additional Water Stock.....	For new reservoirs, dams and a new aqueduct.....	Sec. 34, chap. 490, Laws of 1883	3	290,000 00
Additional Water Stock of the City of New York.....	To provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.....	Chaps. 189 and 515 Laws of 1893	3	126,000 00
Armory Bonds.....	For purchasing sites, erecting and furnishing new armories.....	Chap. 487, Laws of 1886 .. Chap. 299, Laws of 1883 .. Chap. 330, Laws of 1887 .. Chap. 385, Laws of 1890 ..	3	70,000 00
Assessment Bonds.....	For local improvements, regulating, grading and paving streets and building sewers.....	Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882	3	*568,000 00
Assessment Bonds.....	For improvement of Park avenue north of One Hundred and Sixth street.....	Sec. 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 .. Chap. 339, Laws of 1892 ..	3	262,500 00
Assessment Bonds.....	To provide for settling and establishing the location and boundaries of Fort Washington Ridge road, and for the improvement thereof.....	Sec. 18, chap. 114, Laws of 1892	3	4,285 84
Criminal Court-house Bonds.....	For the erection of a building for the criminal courts and other purposes in the City of New York.....	Chap. 371, Laws of 1887 ..	3	87,000 00
Dock Bonds.....	For building docks and slips and improvement of the water-front.....	Sec. 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882	3	†410,000 00
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Bonds.....	For improvement of the terminal facilities of the Brooklyn Bridge in each city.....	Chap. 128, Laws of 1891 ..	3	25,000 00
School-house Bonds.....	To provide additional accommodations for the common schools of the City of New York.....	Chap. 458, Laws of 1884 .. Chap. 136, Laws of 1888 .. Chap. 252, Laws of 1889 .. Chap. 264, Laws of 1891 ..	3	\$754,560 75
School-house Bonds, Sanitary Improvement.....	To provide for improving the sanitary condition of the buildings of the common schools in the City of New York.....	Chap. 432, Laws of 1893 ..	3	‡42,000 00
Water-main Stock.....	For the erection of the necessary pumping machinery, etc., and to lay the necessary mains to deliver water at higher elevations in the City of New York.....	Chap. 38, Laws of 1892 ..	3	32,500 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem river, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge (Washington Bridge).....	Chap. 487, Laws of 1885 .. Chap. 573, Laws of 1888 .. Chap. 249, Laws of 1890 ..	3	24,500 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a drawbridge over Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of present bridge at Third avenue.....	Chap. 413, Laws of 1892 ..	3	77,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem river at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge).....	Chap. 207, Laws of 1890 .. Chaps. 13 and 552, Laws of 1892 ..	3	45,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of a bridge over Harlem Ship Canal (Kingsbridge).....	Chap. 252, Laws of 1892 ..	3	67,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For gore of land, One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Seventh avenue.....	Chap. 207, Laws of 1890 .. Chap. 13, Laws of 1892 ..	3	250 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue approaches to new bridge at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge).....	Chap. 207, Laws of 1890 .. Chap. 319, Laws of 1893 ..	3	22,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For Riverside Park improvement.....	Chap. 575, Laws of 1887 ..	3	17,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For woman's cottage, Riverside Park.....	Chap. 74, Laws of 1894 ..	3	5,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For Military Parade Ground, Van Cortlandt Park.....	Chap. 530, Laws of 1892 ..	3	30,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For improvement of East River Park extension.....	Sec. 10, chap. 320, Laws of 1887 ..	3	11,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For furnishing and equipping Castle Garden for an aquarium.....	Chap. 254, Laws of 1893 ..	3	22,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For the enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History Building—East Wing.....	Chap. 423, Laws of 1892 .. Chap. 448, Laws of 1893 ..	3	79,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For completion of Metropolitan Museum of Art—North Extension.....	Chap. 513, Laws of 1889 .. Chap. 420, Laws of 1892 .. Chap. 276, Laws of 1893 ..	3	31,000 00

* Premium, \$2,525. Credited to “General Fund.”

† Premium, \$12,520. Credited to “Dock Fund.”

‡ Premium, \$11,804.32. Credited to “School-house Fund.”

§ Premium, \$961.80. Credited to “Sanitary Improvement—School-house Fund.”

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE LOAN.	RATE OF INT.	AMOUNT ISSUED.
Consolidated Stock.....	For erection and equipment of additional buildings for insane on Ward's Island and at Central Islip.....	Chap. 537, Laws of 1892....	3	\$98,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For improvement of parks, parkways and drives.....	Chap. 11, Laws of 1894....	3	120,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	To pay for damages to lands and buildings, caused by change of grade to streets and avenues by depression of railroad tracks in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	Chap. 537, Laws of 1893....	3	4,500 00
Consolidated Stock.....	To lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway in the City of New York.....	Chap. 102, Laws of 1893....	3	235,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For pavement of streets and avenues in the City of New York.....	Chap. 35, Laws of 1892....	3	\$500,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For repaving Third avenue, from Harlem river to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.....	Chap. 305, Laws of 1892....	3	57,500 00
Consolidated Stock.....	Disinfecting plant at Riker's Island.....	Sec. 5, chap. 368, Laws of 1894	3	10,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For the construction and improvement of Corlears Hook Park.....	Chap. 511, Laws of 1894....	3	1,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For construction of building for Seventh District Police Court, etc., and Eleventh Judicial District Court.....	Chap. 43, Laws of 1892....	3	1,000 00
Consolidated Stock.....	For the completion of Cathedral Parkway, etc.....	Chap. 45, Laws of 1894....	3	1,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	To provide for the establishment of a System of Block Tax Assessment Maps and Records in the City of New York.....	Chap. 542, Laws of 1892....	3	3,500 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	To provide for indexing and reindexing mortgages and other instruments, etc., under the Block Tax and Assessment Map System.....	Chap. 536, Laws of 1893....	3	6,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	To defray the necessary expenses of the Board of Health of the City of New York for preserving the health of the City.....	Chap. 535, Laws of 1893....	3	6,432 34
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For expenses of the Rapid Transit Commission.....	Chap. 752, Laws of 1894....	3	33,750 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For payment of judgments.....	Sec. 159, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882	3	120,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special..	For awards for damages in Street Opening Proceedings.....	Chap. 173, Laws of 1885... Chap. 222, Laws of 1888...}	3	125,000 00
Total Amount derived from Loans.....				\$4,497,278 93
† Premium, \$12,650. Credited to "Repaving"—Chap. 35, Laws of 1892.				

Payments.

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Payable from Taxation and Revenues of the General Fund—Warrants drawn for the Payment of—

General Expenses of the City Government, viz.:

Interest on the City Debt.....	\$2,177,145 33
Redemption of the City Debt.....	1,861,000 44
The Common Council.....	21,626 98
The Mayoralty.....	7,116 57
Finance Department.....	81,481 05
Law Department.....	44,092 26
Department of Public Works.....	773,444 93
Department of Public Parks.....	307,882 75
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	73,895 88
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	504,130 02
Health Department.....	113,240 57
Police Department.....	1,326,374 53
Department of Street Cleaning.....	638,404 05
Fire Department.....	715,409 89
Department of Buildings.....	49,853 06
Board of Education.....	1,276,254 86
College of the City of New York.....	51,024 87
Normal College of the City of New York.....	44,628 80
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	33,019 27
The Judiciary.....	383,456 49
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	82,796 50
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions.....	331,379 74
Municipal Service Examining Board.....	5,004 74
Bureau of Elections.....	84,109 72
The Coroners.....	16,120 02
The Sheriff's Office.....	30,743 44
Register's Office.....	32,499 95
Commissioners of Accounts.....	8,056 96
Miscellaneous.....	111,463 60

Total warrants drawn.....\$11,245,657 27

Add Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....1,253,103 69

Total.....\$12,498,760 96

Deduct Warrants canceled by Comptroller.....\$6,061 83

Deduct Warrants outstanding December 31, 1894.....1,408,483 56

Total.....1,414,545 39

Total payments from City Treasury on Appropriation Account.....\$11,084,215 57

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Payable from Special and Trust Funds and Proceeds of Bonds and Stocks—Warrants drawn against, viz.:

Additional Water Fund.....		\$202,931 89
Additional Water Fund of the City of New York—For Sanitary Protection of Water Supply		122,685 68
American Museum of Natural History—		
Enlargement of Building, East Wing.....	\$53,305 13	
Completion of Addition.....	24,200 71	
		77,505 84
Armory Fund—		
Ninth Regiment Armory.....	\$266 66	
Seventy-first Regiment Armory.....	24,488 00	
Troop "A," Armory.....	42,526 22	
General Account.....	359 91	
		67,640 79
Assessment Bonds, Redemption of		518,000 00
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....		3,301 39
Bridge over the Harlem River—		
About 1,500 feet north of High Bridge (Washington Bridge) ..		22,876 85
At One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street (Macomb's Dam Bridge)		42,724 94
At Third avenue.....		77,079 43
Bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal (Kingsbridge).....		66,619 48
Castle Garden in Battery Park, Equipment of and Furnishing Aquarium.....		21,529 46
Cathedral Parkway, Improvement and Completion of.....		605 19
Central Islip—Construction of Buildings for Insane		62,294 69
Central Park, Construction of—		
Tool-house and Wagon Shed	\$68 40	
Improvement of Northwest Corner	468 45	
		536 85
Change of Grade—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—		
Damage Commission Awards		4,793 94
Charity Hospital—Legacy from Estate of Emma Strecker, deceased Commissioners of Excise Fund—		150 00
Account 1893-1894.....	\$840 44	
Account 1894-1895.....	36,096 83	
		36,937 27

Criminal Court-house Fund.....	\$88,703 17
Croton Water Fund.....	67,724 65
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	1,616 20
Corlears Hook Park—Construction and Improvement.....	673 79
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	250 00
Department of Street Cleaning—New Plant.....	9,949 50
Dock Fund.....	328,804 67
East River Park, Improvement of Extension.....	8,201 23
Excise Licenses—Support of Committed Children.....	195,841 89
Fort Washington Ridge Road, Improvement of.....	4,405 84
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	100 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	413,294 03
Improvement of Parks and Parkways, etc., chapter 11, Laws of 1894—	
Bronx Park—Improvement of Old Boston Post Road, etc....	4 50
Central Park, Improvement of—	
Construction of Walk Connecting Seventy-ninth Street and Fifth Avenue with North Ramble.....	138 76
Central Park, West—Completing Tree Planting between Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Tenth Streets.....	122 73
Improvements between Seventh and Eighth avenues, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	5,858 70
Improvement of Entrance at Fifth Avenue and Eighty-fifth Street.....	1,350 37
Manhattan Square—	
Walks, Drainage, etc.....	1,909 40
Substructure to Walks, etc.....	2,937 80
Widening Bridle Roads from One Hundred and Third Street, East Drive, to Ninety-third Street, West Drive	368 68
Reconstructing Entrance and Drive, Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Second Street.....	933 33
Resurfacing Walks with Asphalt, from Fifty-ninth Street to Transverse Road No. 3.....	20,904 05
Improvements, between Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Second Streets, Fifth Avenue and East Drive....	13,018 81
Pointing Inclosing Walls.....	1,159 82
Graveling Roads in Upper Portion.....	10,816 72
Transverse Road No. 1, Improvement of.....	164 99
Transverse Road No. 2, Improvement of.....	3,571 17
Transverse Road No. 3, Improvement of.....	79 32
Transverse Road No. 4, Improvement of.....	183 85
Central Park and City Parks—Repairing Settees by Carpenters	636 39
Central Park and City Parks—Painting Settees, Fences, etc..	7 50
Crotona, Van Cortlandt and Bronx Parks, Improvement of—	
Removing dead trees, etc.....	98 46
Cathedral Parkway, Improvement of—From Seventh Avenue to Riverside Drive.....	21 12
Macomb's Dam Road, Improvement of—Between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and Seventh Avenue.....	3,531 06
Morningside Park, Improvement of—Improvement of Sidewalks bounding said Park.....	676 87
Morningside Park, Improvement of—Walks north of One Hundred and Twentieth Street, and completing walks south of One Hundred and Twentieth Street.....	12,390 16
Moshulu Parkway, Improvement of—Building thirty-foot roadway.....	947 48
Pelham Avenue, Improvement of—From Southern Boulevard through Bronx Park, etc.....	967 35
Pelham Park, Improvement of—Improvement of Eastern Boulevard, from Waterbury Lane to Pelham Bridge.....	261 18
Riverside Park, Improvement of—	
From Eighty-first to Ninety-sixth Street.....	360 38
From Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street.....	115 12
Van Cortlandt Park, Moshulu Parkway, Bronx Park, above Harlem River, Improvement of—Stone-breaking, etc....	96 08
Mount Morris Park, Improvement of—Completing Entrance to. Covering Walks with Asphalt.....	386 28
Paving Sidewalks adjoining Central Park, West Side Fifth Avenue, between Eighty-fifth and One Hundred and Eleventh Streets.....	3,816 79
Riverside Park, Improvement of—Covering with Asphalt, westerly walks, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Twentieth Street.....	7,557 73
Intestate Estates.....	8,703 30
Metropolitan Museum of Art—	14 68
Equipment and Furnishing North Wing.....	\$30,470 71
Electric Plant and Boiler-house.....	1,555 15
New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	32,025 86
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Fund.....	34,584 00
Park Avenue—Improvement of, above One Hundred and Sixth street.....	25,000 00
Police Pension Fund.....	100,000 00
Public Building for Seventh District Police Court, etc., and Eleventh Judicial District Court.....	75,000 00
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	72 00
Public Park in Seventh Ward (Corlear's Hook Park)—Acquiring title to.....	238,583 87
Rapid Transit Fund.....	11,665 90
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2 (chapter 52, Laws 1894).....	31,250 00
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	2,475 54
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	1,705 72
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—	91,048 90
Department of Public Works.....	62,371 85
Department of Public Parks.....	41 66
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	2,507 83
Revenue Bond Fund—	
Judgments.....	\$121,140 89
County Clerk's Office.....	1,700 08
Health Department.....	6,432 34
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments.....	3,906 14
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Salaries.....	2,250 00
Department of Street Cleaning.....	500 00
Repaving—Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	16,248 01
Repaving—Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	104,571 95
Repaving Third Avenue, from Harlem River to East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street.....	41,627 07
Repaving Third avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to Northern Boundary of Twenty-third Ward.....	13,932 74
Riverside Park—Construction of Retaining Wall.....	15,626 32
Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of, etc., chapter 74, Laws of 1894.....	3,599 04
Sanitary Improvement—School-house Fund.....	28,133 00
School-house Fund No. 2.....	616,515 55
Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue—Approaches to New Bridge Over Harlem River and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street..	20,543 92
Sheriff's Fees.....	11,542 25
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	710,113 15
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	3,234 85
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground—	
Improvement of.....	\$19 25
Extending Improved Portion of.....	29,264 20
Ward's Island—Construction of Buildings for Insane.....	29,283 45
Water-main Fund.....	33,984 25
Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	34,533 31
Revenue Bonds, 1894—Redemption of.....	1,772 56
	20,227,600 00
Total warrants drawn.....	\$25,309,013 59

* Exclusive of \$1,260,666.56 paid from Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

† Exclusive of \$2,567,000 redeemed and canceled by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

‡ Exclusive of \$11,542.25 paid from "Sheriff's Fees."

Add Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	\$1,797,619 36
Total.....	\$27,106,632 95
Deduct Warrants canceled by Comptroller.....	\$11,987 42
Deduct Warrants outstanding December 31, 1894.....	1,479,399 25
	1,491,386 67
Total payments from City Treasury on Special and Trust Accounts..	\$25,615,246 28
SUMMARY OF CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.	
Balance in City Treasury at close of business September 30, 1894.....	\$1,239,156 81
Receipts—	
From Taxes.....	\$30,300,159 05
From General Fund.....	422,840 29
On Appropriation Account.....	1,032 93
On Special and Trust Accounts.....	1,490,058 87
From Loans.....	4,497,278 93
Total receipts.....	36,711,370 07
Total.....	\$37,950,526 88
Payments—	
On Appropriation Account—General Expenses of the City Government.....	\$11,084,215 57
On Special and Trust Accounts—From Special Funds and Proceeds of Bonds and Stocks.....	25,615,246 28
Total payments.....	36,699,461 85
Balance in City Treasury at close of business December 31, 1894.....	\$1,251,065 03

II.—THE SINKING FUNDS.

I.—SINKING FUNDS FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.	
Market Rents and Fees.....	\$78,084 00
Market Cellar Rents.....	1,103 75
Licenses—	
Hackney Coaches.....	\$198 00
Pawnbrokers.....	11,500 00
Junk Dealers.....	45 00
Second-hand Dealers.....	125 00
	11,868 00
Dock and Slip Rent.....	461,513 12
Street Vaults—	
Department of Public Works.....	\$25,343 92
Department of Public Parks.....	231 38
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	763 80
	26,339 10
Revenue from Investments—	
Redemption Fund No. 1.....	\$1,141,095 11
Redemption Fund No. 2.....	94,139 56
	1,235,234 67
Interest on Deposits.....	21,340 71
Commissioner of Jurors—Fines.....	480 00
Assessments Collected under Chapter 550, Laws 1880—	
Assessment Fund.....	\$306 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	20,721 40
Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund.....	22,118 53
Assessment Fund—Road or Public Drive.....	27,322 53
	70,468 46
Railroad Franchises.....	31,851 62
Sales of Real Estate.....	7,560 00
New York and Brooklyn Bridge—Surplus Revenues.....	80,000 00
Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt—	
Surplus Revenue.....	150,000 00
Miscellaneous Account—Drawing Deed.....	50 00
Annual Installment, Amount raised by Tax in 1894 for Redemption of the City Debt, under provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884—For Account of Redemption Fund No. 2.....	1,316,764 10
Total revenues of the Redemption Funds.....	\$3,492,657 53
Investments Paid Off—	
Assessment Bonds.....	518,000 00
Revenue Bonds, 1894.....	1,100,000 00
Revenue Bonds, Special.....	543,236 34
Total Cash Receipts of Redemption Funds.....	\$5,653,893 87
PAYMENTS.	
Warrant Drawn for the Redemption of Seven per cent. Consolidated Stock*.....	\$1,955,000 00
Warrants drawn for Investments in New York City Three per cent. Bonds and Stocks, viz.:	
For account of Redemption Fund No. 2—	
Additional Water Stock.....	\$290,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Street Improvements).....	50,000 00
Consolidated Stock, viz.:	
Bridge over Harlem River, at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	25,000 00
Public Driveway.....	30,000 00
Total Investments, for account Redemption Fund No. 2.....	395,000 00
For Account of Redemption Fund No. 1—	
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	\$72,000 00
Additional Water Stock of the City of New York (chapter 189, Laws of 1893).....	126,000 00
Armory Bonds.....	70,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Street Improvements, Renewal).....	518,000 00
Assessment Bonds (Park Avenue Improvement).....	12,500 00
Assessment Bonds (Fort Washington Ridge Road).....	4,285 84
Criminal Court-house Bonds.....	87,000 00
Dock Bonds.....	10,000 00
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Bonds.....	25,000 00
Water-main Stock.....	32,500 00
Consolidated Stock, viz.:	
Bridge over Harlem River about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge.....	24,500 00
Bridge over Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	20,000 00
Gore of Land at One Hundred and Fifty-third Street and Seventh Avenue.....	250 00
Bridge over Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	77,000 00
Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal.....	67,000 00
Approaches to Macomb's Dam Bridge.....	22,000 00
Riverside Park Improvement.....	17,000 00
Woman's Cottage, Riverside Park.....	5,000 00
Van Cortlandt Park Parade Ground.....	30,000 00
East River Park Extension.....	11,000 00
Castle Garden Equipment for an Aquarium.....	22,000 00
American Museum of Natural History—Enlargement of Building.....	79,000 00

* NOTE.—In addition to this amount, \$1,955,000.00 Consolidated Stock, redeemed by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the following stocks, held as investments for account of the Sinking Fund for Redemption of the City Debt and payable from said fund, were canceled at maturity, November 1, 1894, pursuant to resolution of the said Commissioners adopted October 3, 1894:

Six per cent. Consolidated Stock.....	\$500,000 00
Three per cent. Consolidated Stock.....	12,000 00
Six per cent. New York County Court-house Stock.....	100,000 00
Total canceled.....	\$612,000 00

Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion of Extension, North Wing.....	\$31,000 00
Buildings for Insane—Ward's Island and Central Islip.....	98,000 00
Improvement of Parks, Parkways, etc. (chapter 11, Laws 1894).....	120,000 00
Land Drainage Commission for Change of Grade, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Awards.....	4,500 00
Public Driveway.....	205,000 00
Repaving Third Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Northern Boundary Line of Twenty-third Ward.....	57,500 00
Disinfecting Plant, Riker's Island—Account Department of Street Cleaning.....	10,000 00
Public Park in Seventh Ward (Corlears Hook Park).....	1,000 00
Seventh District Police Court, etc., and Eleventh Judicial District Court.....	1,000 00
Improvement of Cathedral Parkway.....	1,000 00
Revenue Bonds Special, for, viz.:	
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Maps.....	3,500 00
Indexing Conveyances.....	6,000 00
Health Department.....	6,432 34
Rapid Transit Commission.....	33,750 00
Awards in Street Openings.....	125,000 00
Judgments.....	120,000 00
Total Investments for Account Redemption Fund No. 1.....	\$2,155,718 18
Warrants drawn for Refunding, viz.:	
Over-payments for Street Vault Permits.....	\$195 53
Dock Rent, paid in error.....	100 00
Total Warrants drawn for Refundings.....	\$295 53
Total warrants drawn.....	\$4,506,013 71
Add Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	19,378 51
Total.....	\$4,525,392 22
Deduct Warrants outstanding December 31, 1894.....	15,481 77
Total payments from City Treasury on Redemption Account.....	\$4,509,910 45

II.—SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.	
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$3,330 18
House Rent.....	22,535 57
Ground Rent.....	12,714 50
Ferry Rent.....	74,388 12
Water Lot Rent.....	50 67
Croton Water Rent—	
Water Register.....	\$599,361 29
Receiver of Taxes.....	88,309 69
Clerk of Arrears.....	40,899 57
	728,570 55
Interest on Croton Water Rent.....	6,684 39
Court Fees and Fines.....	38,003 89
Stenographers' Fees.....	6,093 00
Fines and Penalties—	
Corporation Attorney.....	\$1,111 88
Warden City Prison.....	869 00
Warden District Prison.....	3,732 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction, Workhouse.....	281 00
	5,993 88
Total revenues of Interest Fund.....	\$898,364 75
PAYMENTS.	
Warrants drawn for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt, viz.:	
On Bonds and Stocks payable from this fund under laws authorizing their issue.....	\$61,286 50
On Bonds and Stocks held by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (section 1, chapter 178, Laws 1889).....	1,199,380 06
	\$1,260,666 56
Warrants drawn for Refunding, viz.:	
Croton Water Rent Paid in Error.....	\$2,867 53
Court Fee Paid in Error.....	3 00
	2,870 53
Warrants drawn for amount of fines imposed and collected by Court of Special Sessions, deposited in this fund and payable to, viz.:	
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	\$731 00
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	1,147 00
Trustees of the College of Pharmacy.....	400 00
New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	25 00
Health Department Pension Fund.....	2,353 00
	4,656 00
Warrant drawn for Surplus Revenue of the Interest Fund transferred to the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....	150,000 00
Total warrants drawn.....	\$1,418,193 09
Add Warrants outstanding September 30, 1894.....	403 00
Total.....	\$1,418,596 09
Deduct Warrants outstanding December 31, 1894.....	3,009 00
Total payments from City Treasury on account of Interest Fund.....	\$1,415,587 09

SUMMARY OF THE SINKING FUNDS.

	REDEMPTION FUND NO. 1.	REDEMPTION FUND NO. 2.	TOTAL REDEMPTION FUNDS.	INTEREST FUND.	TOTALS.
Cash Balance in the City Treasury at close of business, September 30, 1894.....	\$57,917 49	\$68,040 55	\$125,958 04	\$925,306 71	\$1,051,264 75
Receipts.....	4,242,990 21	1,410,903 00	5,653,893 87	898,364 75	6,552,258 62
Total.....	\$4,300,907 70	\$1,478,944 21	\$5,779,851 91	\$1,823,671 46	\$7,603,523 37
Payments.....	4,114,910 45	395,000 00	4,509,910 45	1,415,587 09	5,925,497 54
Balance in City Treasury at close of business, December 31, 1894.....	\$185,997 25	\$1,083,944 21	\$1,269,941 46	\$408,084 37	\$1,678,025 83

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Balance in the City Treasury at close of business September 30, 1894—	
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,239,156 81
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the redemption of the City Debt.....	\$125,958 04
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	925,306 71
	1,051,264 75
Total balance.....	\$2,290,421 56
Receipts during the quarter ending December 31 1894—	
For account of the City Treasury.....	\$36,711,370 07
For account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$5,653,893 87
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	898,364 75
	6,552,258 62
Total receipts.....	43,263,628 69
Total.....	\$45,554,050 25
Payments during the same period—	
On account of the City Treasury.....	\$36,699,461 85

On account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:			
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$4,509,910	45	
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	1,415,587	09	
			\$5,925,497 54
Total payments			\$42,624,959 39
Balance on hand at close of business, December 31, 1894—			
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,251,065	03	
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:			
For the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$1,269,941	46	
For the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.....	408,084	37	
			1,678,025 83
Total balance			\$2,929,090 86

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 25, 1895. }
I. S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, THURSDAY, April 4, 1895, 11 o'clock A. M. }

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—William L. Strong, the Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller; John Jeroloman, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; Francis M. Scott, the Counsel to the Corporation.

The minutes of the meeting held March 29, 1895, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of twelve thousand one hundred and fifty dollars (\$12,150) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stock-cocks, etc.," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1895, entitled "Salaries of Engineers, Clerks, Inspectors and Measurers in the Bureau of the Water Register, etc.," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

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 the sum of four thousand seven hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$4,725) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1895, entitled "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading—Salaries," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

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 the sum of six hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$675) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Street Improvements, for Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1895, entitled "Salaries, Department of Public Works," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

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 the sum of six hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$675) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1895, entitled "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, Salaries," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

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 the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,350) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same department for 1895, entitled "Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues—Salaries," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

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 presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 22, 1895. }

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

I have received from the Fire Department a voucher calling for the payment of \$522.50 to T. P. Galligan & Son for work performed in searching and overhauling the ruins at Nos. 151-159 Orchard street.

Section 502 of the Consolidation Act, as amended, provides that for the prosecution of this work the Fire Department shall employ laborers and materials necessary therefor, and that the Comptroller shall provide funds for the prosecution of such work. It is furthermore made the duty of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to transfer "to the order of the Comptroller such sums as may be necessary from the unexpended or excessive appropriation of the then current or of any previous year, or to issue revenue bonds payable out of the taxes of the next ensuing year."

I submit herewith a resolution authorizing the issue of revenue bonds payable in 1896 to provide funds for the payment of this bill. Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, }
NEW YORK, March 16, 1895. }

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith bill of T. P. Galligan & Son for \$522.50 under the provisions of section 502, as amended, of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the same being for necessary work performed in searching and overhauling ruins at Nos. 151 to 159 Orchard street on the 1st and 2d instant, with the request that the matter receive your attention.

Respectfully, O. H. LA GRANGE, President.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 502 of the New York City Consolidation Act, as amended, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue revenue bonds of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to the amount of five hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$522.50), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and the amount required for the redemption thereof to be included in the final estimate for the year 1896; and that out of the proceeds of said bonds the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay the bill of T. P. Galligan & Son for searching and overhauling ruins at Nos. 151 to 159 Orchard street, upon the presentation of a proper voucher therefor by the Fire Department.

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 presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 3, 1895. }

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of this Board held November 14, 1894, there was referred to the Comptroller a resolution of the Board of Parks adopting plans for the erection of retaining-walls along the westerly side of Riverside Park, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets, and requesting that the sum of \$25,000, remaining unspent out of the appropriation made May 6, 1892, for the improvement of said Park, under chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887, be made applicable to the carrying out of the work as shown on such plans, and also requesting an issue of bonds under the authority of chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894, to the amount of \$200,000, in addition thereto.

I submit herewith a report made to me by the Engineer of the Finance Department, who approves of the general plan and scope of the work.

The plans now submitted by the Park Department, however, though in harmony with those heretofore approved under the authority of chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887, are not identical therewith, and I do not believe it would be a strict compliance with the terms of the two acts above mentioned to permit the transfer of \$25,000 unspent out of an appropriation authorized under plans approved under the authority of one of these acts, to the construction of another section of this work, prosecuted under separate plans approved under the authority of the other act. A strict compliance with the terms of both of these acts is furthermore made imperative by reason of the limitation of expenditure which they both contain.

The same objection also applies to the request of the Board of Parks, contained in its resolution of November 21, 1894, relating to the expenditure of \$1,000 for making preliminary surveys for the Ninety-sixth street viaduct, which was referred to the Comptroller by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting held December 3, 1894.

Bonds to the amount of \$8,500 have already been authorized under the authority of chapter 74, Laws 1894, to provide for the construction of a Woman's Cottage in Riverside Park, near Seventy-ninth street.

I accordingly submit, for such action as this Board may deem proper, resolutions approving the plans last submitted by the Park Board, and authorizing the appropriation of one hundred and ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars (\$191,500), including \$1,000 for survey for the Ninety-sixth street viaduct, and which will make up in the aggregate the limit provided for by chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894. Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Parks, by a resolution adopted October 17, 1894, approved of a plan for the erection of retaining-walls along the westerly side of Riverside Park, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the said plan; and

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894, the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue bonds of the City of New York, in the manner now provided by law, which bonds shall be denominated "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," as provided by chapter 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of one hundred and ninety-one thousand five hundred (\$191,500), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than twenty years from the date of issue, as the Comptroller shall determine, the proceeds of which shall be applied to the expenses of making the preliminary surveys for the Ninety-sixth street viaduct mentioned in the resolution of the Board of Parks adopted November 21, 1894, and to the completion of the work of the Riverside Park and Drive, in the City of New York, in accordance with the aforesaid plans, and as provided by said chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894.

Which were 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 presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 4, 1895. }

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

I submit herewith nine vouchers for expenses of the Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed pursuant to chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890, for the purpose of acquiring the park commonly known as Washington Bridge Park. These bills aggregate \$10,825.80, and have been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation and taxed by Justices of the Supreme Court.

I offer the following resolution authorizing the issue of bonds to provide for the payment of these expenses. Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of ten thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars and eighty cents (\$10,825.80), and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same for such period as he may determine to be for the best interests of the city, but not less than ten years nor more than fifty years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of which stock shall be applied in payment of the following bills rendered in the matter of the application in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for the acquisition of Washington Bridge Park, pursuant to said chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890:

The New York News Publishing Company.....	\$1,725 40
"The Sun".....	2,240 40
M. T. Sharkey, services as Clerk to Commissioners.....	375 00
Sidney Harris, professional services on retainer of Corporation Counsel.....	250 00
Francis W. Ford, services as Surveyor, etc.....	910 00
T. G. Smith, services in measuring and appraising property, etc.....	325 00
Patrick Fox, services as appraiser and expert witness, etc.....	2,500 00
W. G. L. King, services as appraiser.....	1,000 00
D. Phoenix Ingraham & Co., services as appraisers.....	1,000 00

Total..... \$10,825 80

Laid over.

The Comptroller presented the following:

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, }
NEW YORK, March 13, 1895. }

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—I am in receipt of your communication of February 27, calling my attention to the authority conferred upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to distribute the Theatrical and Concert License Fund among charitable institutions, as provided by chapter 249 of the Laws of 1885, amending section 210 of the Consolidation Act, and chapter 307 of the Laws of 1887, and asking to be advised whether, in my opinion, this distribution is now subject to the provisions of section 14 of article 8 of the Amended Constitution of the State, and, if so, what course should be pursued in regard thereto by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

You further state that you add, for my information, that this distribution was made in 1894, by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted February 6, among sixty-four eleemosynary institutions, a complete list of which is to be found on pages 48 and 49 of the minutes of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1894.

I am also in receipt of your letter of March 1, 1895, inclosing a letter received by you from the President of the State Board of Charities, and asking to be advised what course you should pursue in regard to the payment of the different amounts appropriated for charities mentioned in that letter.

The letter referred to by you, from the President of the State Board of Charities, incloses to you a copy of the rules adopted by that Board, which requires the filing of certain reports, as to which the President says:

"The rule as to the presentation of bills to this Board is merely permissive, and intended to facilitate institutions and to save disbursing officers trouble. There is no necessity, however, for any institution availing of this rule. All that is necessary to entitle an institution otherwise justified in receiving moneys from you is to make proof that its report has been filed with this Board."

I am also in receipt of a third letter from you, dated March 2, 1895, inclosing a letter received by you from C. Loring Brace, Esq., Secretary of the Children's Aid Society, in which he, Mr. Brace, expresses it as his opinion that the amendment to the Constitution is not applicable to the Children's Aid Society for the reason that the payments to it are not "for inmates," nor do they receive inmates by commitment or otherwise, nor are they retained in any sense of the word.

He explains that during the past year twelve thousand children attended the schools, and at least six thousand different boys and girls registered at the lodging-houses. That they come and go without restraint other than the influence of the teachers; and that they cannot be called inmates, nor can they be said to be retained in any way.

He further says that the State Board of Charities has made no rules applicable to the Children's Aid Society, and, under the terms of the constitutional amendment, are not required so to do.

The provision of section 14 of article 8 of the Amended Constitution in regard to the subject matter of your letters is as follows:

"Payments by counties, cities, towns and villages to charitable, eleemosynary, correctional and reformatory institutions wholly or partly under private control for care, support and maintenance may be authorized but shall not be required by the Legislature. No such payments shall be made for any inmate of such institutions who is not received and retained therein pursuant to rules established by the State Board of Charities. Such rules shall be subject to the control of the Legislature by general laws."

A careful reading of this constitutional provision shows that the payments therein mentioned, and which are made dependent upon the observance of rules established by the State Board of Charities, are payments to charitable, etc., institutions for the care, support and maintenance of inmates received and retained therein. And it is equally clear that the application of the section must be confined to institutions which receive and retain inmates for whom they care and whom they support and maintain.

In my opinion the persons for whom payments can only be made after proof of compliance with the rules of the State Board of Health, are those persons who are taken entire charge of by the institutions in whose care they are, whether these institutions be hospitals or homes, or any other class of institutions for the relief of the needy and suffering.

There are many other institutions which furnish out-door relief of various kinds, or instruction, or medical attendance, or some other form of charity, which do not receive and retain inmates, and who do not furnish the care, support and maintenance mentioned in the constitutional provision, for it is evident that the care, support and maintenance in the section above quoted has relation only to the inmates who are received and retained by the institution.

We have, therefore, two well defined classes of charitable institutions, one of which is within the constitutional provision, and the other of which is not, and that this is so is clearly the opinion of the State Board of Charities, because their provisional rules and regulations, as amended February 15, 1895, pursuant to the article and section of the Constitution above mentioned, are and can only be made applicable to institutions of the class first mentioned, to wit, those which receive and retain inmates and provide for their care, support and maintenance.

There may of course be, and undoubtedly are, many charitable institutions which combine the elements and characteristics of both classes above mentioned; that is to say, institutions which receive and retain inmates and provide for their care, support and maintenance, and who at the same time furnish outdoor relief in various forms to other objects of charitable consideration. As to such institutions, I think it abundantly clear that the constitutional provisions above cited affects only the payments made for those objects of their care who are received and retained as inmates, and does not affect or apply to the payments made to them in consideration of their outdoor or other charitable relief work not constituting part of the care, custody and maintenance of inmates.

Replying now to the question propounded by your letter of February 27, I find that the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, referred to in it, reads as follows:

"Resolved, That pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by chapter 249 of the Laws of 1885, amending section 210 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 307 of the Laws of 1887, the sum of thirty-eight thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars is hereby appropriated to and among the following charitable institutions, and that the Comptroller be authorized to make payment to the proper officers of the said institution."

And then follow the names of sixty-four institutions.

The examination of this list of names shows that the charitable institutions to which contributions are to be made are of all kinds; some of them are hospitals or other institutions which receive the needy and suffering as inmates and retain entire control of them until their discharge; others again, are institutions which afford outdoor relief in various forms; and others again, not only receive and retain inmates in their institutions, but also afford outdoor relief.

The answer, therefore, to your question as to the distribution of the Theatrical and Concert License Fund to charitable institutions must be, that such payment is subject to the provisions of section 14 of Article 8 of the new Constitution to the extent that such payments are made for any inmate of any of the institutions who is received and retained therein, and who receives care, support and maintenance therefrom. As to such inmates, before payment is made you must be furnished with satisfactory proof that such inmate has been received and retained in such institution pursuant to the rules established by the State Board of Charities; as to those institutions which only afford outdoor relief in various forms, you require no such proof; and as to those which not only receive and retain inmates in their institutions, but also afford outdoor relief, you should require such proof as to the proportion of the money which is paid for the inmates as above defined.

As to the letter relative to the Children's Aid Society, it seems to me to be entirely clear that this institution does not fall within the meaning of the constitutional provisions. That society has industrial schools at which children attend without any legal restraint whatever, and also maintain boys' and girls' lodging-houses which are used for temporary lodging, but as to which no legal restraint or compulsion is exercised.

I think it will be entirely clear that in this case neither the children attending the school nor those obtaining shelter in the lodging-houses can be said to be inmates, and therefore this society, in my opinion, falls within the second division or class of charitable societies to which I have referred, and no proof as to the compliance with the rules of the State Board of Charities is requisite before payment may be made to it.

Your communication contains the further request for advice as to what course should be pursued in regard to the distribution of charitable funds in cases to which the constitutional provision applies.

The institutions to which the section of the constitution is applicable must produce to you proof of compliance with the rules of the State Board of Charities already referred to so far as regards all inmates retained therein on February 15, 1895, the day on which said rules were enacted by said State Board of Charities, and in regard to all inmates received or retained since that time.

This proof should be in the form of a certificate of the State Board of Charities to the fact of such compliance, as this would constitute the best evidence of the fact, but if the Board should neglect or refuse to furnish such a certificate then the institution claiming its share of the distribution, and asserting that it has complied with the rules of the State Board of Charities, must produce proof which will be satisfactory to you that it has in fact complied with these rules.

You will note that the rules of the State Board require the filing of certain reports, but that the rule with reference to the presentation of bills to the Board for the purpose of certification is merely permissive, and is intended to facilitate the performance of the duties of the institutions themselves and of the disbursing officers.

I return herewith the letter of Mr. C. Loring Brace, Secretary of the Children's Aid Society, and also of William R. Stewart, President of the State Board of Charities. Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Two inclosures.

The Mayor moved that a special meeting of this Board be held on Thursday, April 11, 1895, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering the distribution of the Theatrical and Concert License Fund among various charitable institutions, and that an opportunity be afforded those interested to be heard relative thereto, and that public notice be given in the CITY RECORD of the day and purpose of the meeting.

Which was adopted.

The following communications were received:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, March 19, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day it was Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of six thousand eight hundred and thirty-four dollars and sixty cents, from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1894, account entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Captains, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Doormen and Detective Sergeants," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same department for the year 1894, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Surgeons, which is insufficient to enable the Treasurer of this Department to pay the increased salaries of Surgeons as provided for by chapter 751, Laws of 1894, from the 22d day of May to the 31st day of December, 1894, inclusive, per opinion of Counsel to the Corporation dated March 13, 1895. Very respectfully, WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Referred to the Comptroller.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1895.

The Hon. Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on the 22d instant it was determined to request your Honorable Board to authorize the issue of bonds, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 76, Laws of 1894, from the balance of the allowance for the year 1894, and for the year 1895, as follows:

For new sites in process of acquisition, the previous appropriation therefor being estimated to be deficient.....	\$11,320 00
For a new site on East Twelfth street, for the acquisition of which proceedings have been begun, estimated cost.....	18,000 00
	\$29,320 00
For the erection of new buildings in West Forty-third street (\$24,000), and in East Twelfth street (\$24,000), upon sites in process of acquisition.....	\$48,000 00
For new buildings on Odgen avenue (\$14,000) and on Forrest avenue (\$14,000), on sites already acquired.....	28,000 00
	76,000 00
For additions and alterations to buildings already erected, including the premises No. 160 Chambers street, recently assigned to this Department by the Sinking Fund Commissioners.....	35,000 00
For fitting up and furnishing buildings.....	12,000 00
For placing the wires and conduits of the telegram and alarm system underground..	40,000 00
	\$192,320 00

It is especially requested that early action be taken upon this application, as the necessity for some of the expenditures is urgent. Very respectfully,
O. H. LA GRANGE, President.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, March 22, 1895.

Commissioner O'Brien presented the report of the Committee on Buildings stating that they have received a bill of Francis W. Ford, dated January 21, 1895, incurred by the Superintendent of School Buildings, in making a building survey of property on Oliver, Catharine and Henry streets, amounting to \$55, and recommend that the bill be paid, and submit the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty-five dollars (\$55) be and the same is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of bonds to be issued by the Comptroller of the City of New York, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 459 of the Laws of 1894, application for issue of which is hereby made, said sum to be applied in payment of bill of Francis W. Ford, dated January 21, 1895, for building survey of property on

Oliver, Catharine and Henry streets, for a new school building, requisition for which sum is hereby made upon the Comptroller.

ROBERT MACLAY, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, MILES M. O'BRIEN, CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Committee on Buildings.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by Board of Education March 6, 1895.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

Referred to the Comptroller.

A communication from John J. Linson, a Commissioner appointed by the Governor to report the evidence taken in a certain proceeding for the removal of John R. Fellows, the District Attorney for the County of New York, dated April 1, 1895, submitting bills for expenses, was received and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, Comptroller, and President of the Board of Aldermen for examination and report.

The Comptroller presented the following:

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 26, 1895.

To his Honor WM. L. STRONG, Mayor of the City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I have given to the papers, referred to me by your Honor, relative to a fire escape on this building, long and earnest consideration.

I cannot consciously recommend the expenditure of the money required for this purpose, but the grave responsibility seems to me to call for an examination or inspection by the Engineer of the Comptroller's Department, who knows the building well, and who will probably agree with me that the expenditure is unnecessary. I have the honor to remain, with great respect, your obedient servant,

ALEX. S. WEBB, President.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 13, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The Consolidation Act, section 499, page 241, says, "Every building in whole or in part occupied or used as a school or place of instruction, or assembly, shall be provided with such good and sufficient fire-escapes, or other means of egress in case of fire, as shall be directed by the Superintendent of Buildings, and said Superintendent shall direct such means of egress to be provided in all cases where he shall deem the same necessary."

The Superintendent of Buildings, under date of January 23, 1895, notifies the Mayor, etc., that the building known as the College of the City of New York is "not provided with good and sufficient means of escape in case of fire," and requires, by virtue of his office, that certain fire-escapes, named in his order, be placed on the Lexington avenue front.

President Alexander S. Webb, in his letter of the 26th ultimo to the Mayor, and which was referred to me, says "he cannot recommend the expenditure of the money required for the purpose."

The views of General Webb, as he expressed them to me, are as follows:

- 1st. That the building is heated by steam, the boilers for the generation of which are in another building entirely detached.
- 2d. That there are no fires in the building, except two in the basement, so placed that they could not be dangerous.
- 3d. That his arrangements and watchfulness, as well as the watchfulness of the employees of the institution, are such that it would be impossible, in his opinion, for a fire to occur which would be in any way dangerous.
- 4th. That the central stairways are broad and ample, and that they are supplemented by a 4 feet 6-inch stairway on the eastern end, and that these have proved sufficient to empty the chapel on the fifth floor of the 600 persons who assemble there in the morning in 1 minute 10 seconds by his watch.
- 5th. That the appearance of the building would be marred by the building of the escapes on the outside.
- 6th. That the college is soon to be removed to another locality.
- 7th. That the expense, some three or four thousand dollars, could not be justified under the circumstances.

I went through the building with the General, and cheerfully rendered him the praise which is his due for the admirable system everywhere apparent.

At the same time I cannot but remember the fact that the building is in no degree fireproof, and that an accident might occur which would create such a panic, especially in the chapel, as would possibly be attended by fatal results, the danger of which would be largely decreased by the proposed escapes on the westerly end.

The central stairways and the halls are ample for all ordinary purposes, but, with such numbers as are assembled in this building, I think all possible chances should be provided for.

There is no knowing how a fire may occur; the most unlooked for are frequently the most destructive. In a recent paper it is recorded that a school building in Toledo was almost totally destroyed by fire, the origin of which was supposed to be an explosion, caused by chemicals in the laboratory. In this building the laboratory is close at hand.

The expected erection of a new college I do not think can properly be received as an argument against the placing of the fire-escapes, inasmuch as it is scarcely possible to look for the occupation of the proposed new building in less than three years from this time.

The effect on the appearance of the building I do not consider worthy of thought, in connection with the object gained, nor do I think the necessary expenditure of money should be taken into consideration. Respectfully,

EUG. E. MCLEAN, Engineer.

Debate was had thereon, whereupon the Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment it is expedient and desirable that fire escapes should be provided for the building occupied by the College of the City of New York, and that the trustees of said College be and are hereby respectfully requested to take such measures as may be necessary to provide fire escapes for the said building.

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.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS ST., March 25, 1895.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks, held on the 20th instant, it was Resolved, That the revised figures submitted by Engineer Boller, showing the cost of the new Macomb's Dam Bridge and its approaches, be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for consideration in connection with the application of this Department, now before said Board, for the issue of bonds to the amount of \$48,145, for the purpose of completing that work.

Herewith I beg to forward the statement referred to in the above resolution, and I am directed to respectfully urge that action be taken upon the application now before your Board. Very respectfully,

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

MARCH 1, 1895.

Copy.

Hon. DAVID H. KING, JR., President Department of Public Parks, City:

DEAR SIR—I hand you herewith a statement of cost of the New Central Bridge, together with Jerome avenue approach thereto, the rate to be as follows:

Contract of Passaic Rolling Mill Company, as on final estimate.....	\$1,142,337 14
Supplemental contract, concreting around piles.....	13,789 25
Special orders—	
Joseph Edwards & Co.....	\$946 00
Passaic Rolling Mill Company.....	875 00
Joseph Edwards & Co.....	600 00
Steward & McDermott.....	984 00
Kelly & Co.....	750 00
Passaic Rolling Mill Company.....	714 00
Joseph Edwards & Co.....	289 50
	5,158 50
Valentine Cook & Son, railway contract.....	8,732 90

1,170,017 79

4 per cent. commission.....	46,800 71
Miscellaneous bills, Park Department.....	2,482 78
Engineering and inspection.....	18,540 44
“ “ to complete.....	500 00

\$1,238,341 72

Authorized expenditure as provided for in chapter 207, Laws of 1890, and chapter 319, Laws of 1893.....	1,250,000 00
Total cost, as above.....	1,238,341 72

Balance toward paving..... \$11,658 28

There remains to be done the paving between the wing walls from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-second street, which had best to be of granite for the roadway and asphalt for the foot-walks, which I estimate as follows:

2,000 square yards granite paving, at \$4 per yard.....	\$8,000 00
9,000 square feet asphalt sidewalk, at 25 cents.....	2,250 00
900 linear feet of curbing, at 70 cents.....	630 00
	\$10,880 00

I am, very truly yours,

ALF. P. BOLLER, Consulting Engineer.

Debate was had thereon, whereupon the Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to prepare and issue bonds of the

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of forty-eight thousand one hundred and forty-five dollars (\$48,145), to be issued under the authority of chapter 207 of the Laws of 1890, as amended by chapter 13 of the Laws of 1892, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half per cent. per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years from the date thereof, as the Comptroller may determine, for the purpose of completing the bridge over the Harlem river at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and approaches thereto, as authorized by the aforesaid statutes.

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.
A bill of John M. Bowers, for professional services rendered to the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners of the City of New York, was received and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

CITY OF NEW YORK—HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,
ALDRICH COURT, NO. 45 BROADWAY,
March 26, 1895.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—All the claims presented to this Commission, pursuant to the statutory notice published by the Board, and all claims for work done or material furnished in the completion of the work devolved by law upon the Commission, have been duly passed upon and certified to the Comptroller of the City of New York for payment. To meet these claims no additional appropriation is necessary, so far as this Commission is advised; but there is said to be some question, owing to the form in which requisitions have been granted, whether the unexpended balances can be used to liquidate such claims without permission of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Harlem River Bridge Commissioners therefore respectfully request that a resolution may be passed by your Honorable Board consenting to the use by the Comptroller of any unexpended balances to the credit of the Bridge Commission, for the purpose of paying any claims against said Commission, allowed and certified to the Comptroller pursuant to law.

By order of the Board. Respectfully,
MALCOLM W. NIVEN, Sec'y H. R. B. Commission.

Referred to the Comptroller.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller of the City of New York:

DEAR SIR—By chapter 501, Laws of 1894, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment were directed to make immediate provision for the payment of \$5,000 to the Sanitarium for Hebrew Children and \$30,000 to St. John's Guild. The Sanitarium made application to the Board for the payment of said sum, pursuant to the said statute, but a reply was received, dated July 2, 1894, that it was impossible to comply with the provisions of the act until 1895, for the reasons stated therein, a copy of said reply being hereto annexed.

Thereafter, and on or about July 31, 1894, the application was renewed, both on the part of the Sanitarium and of St. John's Guild for the moneys referred to, and such application was followed by a resolution on the part of the said Board appropriating one-third of the respective amounts referred to, upon condition that such amounts should be accepted in full.

A resolution was thereupon adopted by the said Sanitarium, authorizing the acceptance of one-third of the \$5,000 upon the condition referred to, and such one-third was paid to the Sanitarium. Copies of the resolution of the Board and of the Sanitarium are also attached hereto for convenience of reference.

Both societies pursue their benevolent labors in the same field and upon parallel lines. The Sanitarium not alone provides excursions for poor children and their mothers during the hot summer season, but also, in late years, established a sanitarium or hospital for sick children, and it need scarcely be said that the institution, like nearly all charitable institutions, requires all the money for this work which it can obtain, as the objects of its bounty are numerous and ever increasing.

The societies pursuing similar work in the same field and being alike recipients of legislative bounty should, of course, be treated in like manner in carrying out the legislative intent.

The resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, providing for a scaling down of the \$30,000 and \$5,000 appropriations to one-third, carried out this legislative intent of treating both institutions alike, and the Sanitarium, in accepting this one-third of the \$5,000, acted under the impression, and believed at the time that it would be treated in the same manner in which the St. John's Guild was treated, or it would certainly not have accepted the one-third awarded to it.

We have learned, however, that some time in December, 1894, the whole amount of \$30,000 was paid to St. John's Guild, but no further payment was made to the Sanitarium.

We certainly believe that this action on the part of the Board in favor of St. John's Guild requires similar action in favor of the Sanitarium, and that if the attention of the said Board is directed to the facts an appropriation will be made for the balance of the \$5,000 unpaid in favor of the Sanitarium.

We accordingly make such application and believe the facts as hereinbefore presented are such as not to require further argument to prove the propriety, fairness and justice of our present application.

We would therefore respectfully request you, on behalf of the Sanitarium, to submit this application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and we appeal to your sense of fairness to aid the worthy charitable organization of which I have the honor to be president, in securing the balance of the \$5,000 remaining unpaid.

Dated New York, February 25, 1895. Respectfully yours,
NATHAN LEWIS, President Sanitarium for Hebrew Children,
No. 60 Broadway, New York City.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
No. 2622 THIRD AVENUE, CORNER 141ST STREET,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, April 2, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I beg to notify you that under chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895 (approved by the Governor March 20, 1895), I am commanded, as Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, to lay out and establish within six months of the passage of the above Act a Grand Boulevard and Concourse, etc. For a fuller description thereof you are referred respectfully to the Act itself.

Section 8 of said chapter 130 reads as follows:

"For the purpose of defraying the expense of making the necessary surveys, maps, plans and profiles of the said grand boulevard and concourse and transverse roads, the Comptroller of the City of New York is hereby authorized to raise such sums of money as may be necessary therefor, but not to exceed ten thousand dollars, by the issue and sale of revenue bonds of said city, and the amount necessary to redeem such bonds shall be included in the first estimate of the amounts required to pay the expense of conducting the public business in said city for the next ensuing financial year."

The entire sum of ten thousand dollars provided for will be necessary for the purpose of defraying the expense of making the necessary surveys, etc., as mentioned in the above section.

You will oblige me very much by taking such action as will enable me to commence the work provided for by chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895.

Awaiting a reply at your earliest convenience, I remain, respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the Excise Fund, under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children in the month of January, 1895, committed by magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law:

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE.	AMOUNT.
Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.....	1,091	33,356	\$2 per week.	\$9,530 29
Institution of Mercy.....	1,051	32,114	"	9,175 43
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	975	29,921	"	8,548 86
Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	650	19,851	"	5,538 15
Asylum Sisters of St. Dominic.....	468	14,414	"	4,118 29
St. Joseph's Asylum.....	738	22,520	"	6,434 20
Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory.....	440	13,246	"	3,784 57
St. Agatha Home for Children.....	412	12,498	"	3,570 86
St. James' Home.....	103	3,177	"	907 71
Association for the Benefit of Colored Orphans.....	188	5,802	"	1,657 72
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.....	176	4,827	"	1,379 14
Five Points House of Industry.....	353	10,578	"	3,022 29
Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.....	110	3,410	"	974 29
St. Michael's Home.....	68	2,080	"	594 29
St. Ann's Home.....	368	10,661	"	3,045 00
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	266	7,753	"	2,215 14
St. Elizabeth's Industrial School.....	61	1,723	"	492 29
Total.....				\$64,989 60

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 the sum of seven hundred and seventy-nine dollars and eighteen cents (\$779.18) be and hereby is appropriated from the Excise Fund to the Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls, for the support of seventy-six (76) inmates, in the month of January, 1895, aggregating one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six days, at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents per annum, pursuant to section 208, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).

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 the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the "Excise Fund," under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children, in the month of February, 1895, committed by magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law:

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE.	AMOUNT.
Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.....	1,088	30,187	\$2 per week.	\$8,624 86
Institution of Mercy.....	1,039	28,600	"	8,170 43
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	952	26,483	"	7,566 57
Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	651	17,999	"	5,142 32
Asylum Sisters of St. Dominic.....	466	12,829	"	3,665 43
St. Joseph's Asylum.....	737	20,399	"	5,828 29
Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory.....	440	12,185	"	3,481 43
St. Agatha Home for Children.....	405	11,082	"	3,166 29
St. James' Home.....	102	2,836	"	810 29
Association for the Benefit of Colored Orphans.....	191	5,238	"	1,496 57
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.....	174	4,591	"	1,311 71
Five Points House of Industry.....	335	8,920	"	2,548 57
Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.....	110	3,011	"	860 29
St. Michael's Home.....	66	1,835	"	524 29
St. Ann's Home.....	361	9,867	"	2,819 14
Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	254	6,968	"	1,990 86
St. Elizabeth's Industrial School.....	58	1,597	"	456 29
Total.....				\$58,463 63

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 the sum of six hundred and thirty-nine dollars and four cents (\$639.04) be and hereby is appropriated from the "Excise Fund" to the "Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls," for the support of seventy-three (73) inmates, in the month of February, 1895, aggregating 1,555 days, at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, pursuant to section 208, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).

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 communication was received:
DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
NEW YORK, March 30, 1895.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
SIR—I am to-day in receipt of a copy of a resolution passed March 29 by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting me to withhold advertising for the proposals for building the Delehanty boat "until said patent was received and this Board has had an opportunity of examining the same."

I regret to say that information as to this action did not reach me until after I had awarded the contract to Mr. Nixon, after due advertising, and had urged him to hasten the work as much as possible. He left me, saying he would telegraph for material to be shipped immediately. Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE E. WARING, JR., Commissioner.

Lieutenant-Commander Delehanty appeared and presented his application for a patent for a self-propelling dumping-boat, in compliance with a resolution of this Board adopted March 29, 1895.

Debate was had thereon, whereupon the President of the Board of Aldermen moved that the whole subject be laid upon the table.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and Counsel to the Corporation—4. Negative—The Comptroller—1.

The following communications were received:
HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 29, 1895.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, New York City:

SIR—Referring to an application of the Health Department to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution passed by the Board of Health on the 12th instant, requesting an appropriation under chapter 535, Laws of 1893, for the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) to pay the salaries of ten Medical Inspectors for two months from April 1, 1895, at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100) per month, and for an appropriation of one thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,950) to pay the salaries of ten Disinfectors for three months from April 1, 1895, at the rate of sixty-five dollars (\$65) per month, being a total of three thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$3,950), I desire to respectfully state that, although there is but one case of smallpox at present within the city limits and the epidemic of that disease which existed last year has disappeared (there having been during the year 1894 seven hundred and seventy cases and during the last three months only twenty-four cases), it is quite important that the ten Medical Inspectors engaged in affording free vaccination to the poor should be continued during the months of April and May, for the reason that those two months are the most favorable in the year for such vaccination, and that many of the poor and the ignorant have the belief that it is only at that period when their children can be safely vaccinated. As to the necessity of continuing the ten Disinfectors during the three months named, and in fact during the entire year, I respectfully state that during the last year the work of this Department has been greatly extended and perfected in the disinfection of the rooms where contagious diseases, especially diphtheria, scarlet fever and tuberculosis (consumption) have occurred, and in the disinfection of bedding, clothing, etc., which have been in contact with persons sick with those diseases. To continue this necessary and important work it is absolutely necessary that the temporary Disinfectors should be continued in the service of the Board as requested, and in fact they should become a part of the permanent corps, in order to accomplish the sanitary results desired, and to protect the public from the dangerous contagious diseases above named.

I would respectfully suggest that the amount required for the above purpose might be transferred from the appropriation entitled "For the Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals, 1895," on which there has been saved the sum of eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000) by the reduction of the contract price for such work from thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000) to twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) per annum. Very respectfully,
CHARLES G. WILSON, President.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller called up the communication from the Fire Department, requiring an appropriation for additional fire hydrants, under chapter 510, Laws of 1894, laid over at meeting of March 12, 1895.

Debate was had thereon, when the same was ordered laid over, and the Commissioner of Public Works was requested to be present at a meeting to be held on Thursday, April 11, 1895, when the subject will be considered.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, March 25, 1895.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks held on the 20th instant the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to authorize the issue of bonds to the amount of forty-five thousand dollars, as provided by chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887, and in the manner therein prescribed, for the purpose of laying asphalt walks in the Central Park." Very respectfully,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary D. P. P.

Referred to the Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, April 3, 1895.

To the Hon. the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks held this day the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

"Whereas, There were purchased, under contracts made during the year 1894, materials for asphalt walks in the Central Park and vicinity and paid for from funds provided for the purpose under chapter 11, Laws of 1894, a quantity of which materials was and is still unused,

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to consent to the use of these remaining materials for other necessary work on the Central Park for which such materials will be required." Respectfully,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

Referred to the Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, March 25, 1895.
To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Parks, held on the 20th instant, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be respectfully requested to authorize the transfer of the sum of one thousand dollars from the amount authorized to be expended under the provisions of chapter 575, Laws of 1887, for 'Central Park, construction and improving northwest corner,' to the account made under the same law for 'Central Park, construction of entrance at West Ninetieth street.'"

In explanation of the request contained in the foregoing resolution I am directed to state that the amount asked for is required to meet certain expense necessitated by a modification of the plans for the entrance to Central Park at West Ninetieth street, in order to obviate certain objectionable features, and to meet the wishes of the property owners in that vicinity. Very respectfully,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary, D. P. P.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

In compliance with the law governing such matters, I beg to submit herewith a plan of reorganization of the clerical force of the office of Commissioner of Jurors, and trust it may meet with your approval. The designation given many of the clerks, as printed in the CITY RECORD, are at the present time misnomers.
WM. PLIMLEY, Commissioner of Jurors.

No.	PRESENT TITLE.	PROPOSED TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY PAID.	PROPOSED SALARY UNDER REORGANIZATION.
1	Commissioner.....	Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
1	Deputy Commissioner.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
1	Assistant Deputy Commissioner.....	Assistant Deputy Commissioner.....	1,600 00	1,800 00
1	Register.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,400 00
1	Cavasser.....	Fines Register.....	1,400 00	1,200 00
1	Register.....	Liable ".....	1,300 00	1,200 00
1	".....	".....	1,300 00	1,200 00
1	Exempt Clerk.....	Exempt Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1	Enrollment Clerk.....	Enrollment Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1	Cavasser.....	Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
1	Assistant Enrollment Clerk.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	Check Clerk.....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	".....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	Enrollment Messenger.....	".....	900 00	900 00
1	Delinquent Messenger.....	".....	800 00	800 00
1	Enrollment Messenger.....	".....	800 00	800 00
1	Check Clerk.....	".....	840 00	800 00
1	".....	".....	840 00	800 00
1	".....	".....	840 00	800 00
1	".....	".....	840 00	800 00
1	".....	".....	720 00	700 00
1	".....	".....	600 00	600 00
1	".....	".....	500 00	500 00
			\$32,220 00	\$32,300 00
	Contingent expenses.....		1,800 00	1,800 00
			\$34,100 00	\$34,100 00

The Comptroller moved that the changes in classification and compensation of clerks, etc., in the office of the Commissioner of Jurors made by the Commissioner of Jurors, as specified in the foregoing schedule, be and the same hereby are approved.

Adopted.

An opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation relative to the application of the Register, of March 11, 1895, for a set of land maps for his office was received and referred to the Comptroller. On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday, April 6, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, SATURDAY, April 6, 1895, 10.30 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—William L. Strong, the Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller; John Jeroloman, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments. Absent—Francis M. Scott, the Counsel to the Corporation.

The minutes of the meeting held April 4, 1895, were read and approved.

The Comptroller, to whom was referred by this Board, at a meeting held April 4, 1895, a communication from the Department of Public Parks, dated April 3, 1895, requesting authority to use materials purchased under chapter 11, Laws of 1894, for other necessary work in Central Park, presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 5, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The Department of Public Parks, by resolution adopted April 3, 1895, requests the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to use materials purchased under contracts made during the year 1894, for asphalt walks in the Central Park and vicinity, and paid for from funds provided for the purpose under chapter 11, Laws of 1894, for other necessary work on the Central Park for which such materials will be required.

I inclose a statement furnished by the Department of Parks, showing the quantities of such materials remaining on hand unused, and the value thereof, at the prices at which the materials were purchased.

The total value is \$18,309.29.

There appears to me no reason why the consent should not be given.

Respectfully, EUG. E. MCLEAN, Engineer.

Approximate Estimate and Cost of Materials Furnished for Laying Asphalt Walks Under Chapter 11, Laws of 1894.

For the following named work:

1. Riverside avenue improvement, covering with asphalt the westerly walk, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Twentieth street.
2. Paving sidewalks adjoining Central Park, westerly side Fifth avenue, Eighty-fifth to One Hundred and Tenth street Plaza.
3. Transverse roads Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, improvement of, etc.

Not used and now on hand. April 5, 1895.

No. 1. *Riverside Avenue, Improvement of—Covering with Asphalt the Westerly Walk, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Twentieth Street.*

MATERIAL.	QUANTITY.	PRICE.	AMOUNT.
Mastic.....	202.71 gross tons.....	\$16.60 per ton.....	\$3,364 98
Bitumen.....	52.43 ".....	28.50 ".....	1,483 55
Cement.....	117 barrels.....	1.97 per barrel.....	230 40
Sand.....	138 cubic yards.....	1.20 per cubic yard.....	165 60
Broken stone.....	475 ".....	1.55 ".....	736 25
Grit.....	67 ".....	1.90 ".....	127 30
Wood.....	117 cords.....	5.95 per cord.....	696 15
			\$6,809 32

No. 2. *Paving Sidewalks Adjoining Central Park on the Westerly Side Fifth Avenue, from Eighty-fifth Street to One Hundred and Tenth Street Plaza.*

MATERIAL.	QUANTITY.	PRICE.	AMOUNT.
Mastic.....	77 gross tons.....	\$16.60 per ton.....	\$1,278 20
Bitumen.....	27 ".....	28.50 ".....	769 50
Cement.....	126 barrels.....	1.97 per barrel.....	248 22
Sand.....	41 cubic yards.....	1.20 per cubic yard.....	49 20
Broken stone.....	24 ".....	1.55 ".....	37 20
Grit.....	108 ".....	1.90 ".....	205 20
Wood.....	36 cords.....	5.95 per cord.....	214 20
			\$2,801 72

No. 3. *Transverse Roads Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, Improvement of, etc.*

MATERIAL.	QUANTITY.	PRICE.	AMOUNT.
Mastic.....	190 gross tons.....	\$16.60 per ton.....	\$3,154 00
Bitumen.....	52.50 ".....	28.50 ".....	1,496 25
Cement.....	1,285 barrels.....	1.97 ".....	2,531 45
Sand.....	None.....	1.20 ".....
Broken stone.....	548 cubic yards.....	1.55 ".....	849 40
Grit.....	220 ".....	1.90 ".....	418 00
Wood.....	39 cords.....	5.95 ".....	232 05
			\$8,698 25

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment consents to the use of materials for asphalt walks in the Central Park, now on hand in the possession of the Department of Public Parks, for any other necessary work in the Central Park for which such materials will be required.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller, to whom was referred, April 4, 1895, a communication from the Department of Public Parks, dated March 25, 1895, requesting this Board to authorize the issue of \$45,000 bonds, as provided by chapter 575 of the Laws of 1887 ("which authorizes the issue of bonds or stock to the amount of \$750,000, to Complete the Construction of the Central Park, Riverside Park and other Parks"), for the purpose of laying asphalt walks in the Central Park, including Manhattan Square, presented a report of the Engineer of the Finance Department relative thereto.

Debate was had thereon, whereupon the subject was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for examination and report.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Thursday, April 11, 1895, at eleven o'clock A. M.
E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF POLICE.

The Board of Police met on the 3d day of April, 1895. Present—Commissioners Murray, Kerwin and Andrews.

Leave of Absence Granted.

Roundsman Ed. E. Griffenhagen, Thirty-seventh Precinct, two months' extension—sick.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—On complaint of W. E. C. Bradley, of bill-posters throwing paper in the streets; copy to Commissioner of Street Cleaning. Captain Cortright, Eleventh Precinct—On complaint of Austin McKibbin that officer at Bowery and Grand street does not give proper attention to the southeast corner. Captain Cortright, Eleventh Precinct—On complaint of "Clerks and Salesmen" of violation of Sunday law; copy to Mayor. Sergeant Walsh, Fourth Precinct—On complaint of "Clerks and Salesmen" of violation of Sunday law; copy to Mayor. Captain Berghold, Sixth Precinct—On application of Abm. L. Wolbarst, City Vigilance League, for detail of an officer at Bowery and Canal street. Captain Thompson, Thirtieth Precinct—On complaint of violation of excise law at No. 2509 Eighth avenue; copy to Board of Excise. Captain Brooks, Twenty-ninth Precinct—On communication from John S. Henry, Central Labor Union, relative to death of T. W. Gilbert; copy to Mayor. Captain Westervelt, Twenty-eighth Precinct—On complaint of H. Caro, relative to disorderly boys on Park avenue, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-eighth streets. Sergeant Dean, Twenty-seventh Precinct—On complaint of H. Caro, relative to disorderly boys on Park avenue, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-eighth streets. Sergeant Wiegand, Fourteenth Precinct—Concerning policy shop at No. 190 Second street; copy to Mayor. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Mrs. Marion Crawford, Santiago, Cal., relative to Mary Cairns or Mrs. A. Cairns. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Mrs. W. G. Thompson, Dublin, as to her husband. Contagious disease in families of Patrolman Richard Manning, Second Precinct; Morris Cohen, Eighth Precinct; William H. Ahrens, Fourteenth Precinct. Board of Examiners—Eligible list for Roundsmen. Property Clerk and Clerk of Bureau Clothing and Equipments—Reports for quarter ending March 31, 1895.

Reports Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Captain Ryan, Thirty-first Precinct, Captain Schmittberger, Thirty-fifth Precinct, and Sergeant Coffee, relative to four unserviceable horses.

Application of Kate Hagan for increase of pension was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.

Counsel to Corporation—Stating that the services of Patrolman John J. Donovan are no longer required.

Counsel to Corporation—Asking copy of proceeding in case of William Lawson.

C. H. Philbrook, Portsmouth, N. H.—Inquiry as to his father.

Supervisor City Record—Relative to publication of quarterly report.

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

Communications Ordered on File.

Board of Apportionment—Notice of meeting on 4th instant.

Lyman Rhodes, Mercantile Safe Deposit Company—Notice of resignation of Lester Lewis, Special Patrolman.

Communication from L. J. Grant, in behalf of William H. Kilgannon, demanding appointment on the Police force, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Communications Referred to Superintendent for Report, etc.

C. M. Gish—Relative to goods ordered from J. Linn & Co., No. 48 Bond street.

F. M. Underhill—Complaint of disorderly boys.

J. Edward Simmons, President New York Infant Asylum, Sixty-first street and Amsterdam avenue—Complaint of annoyance by disorderly boys, and asking detail of officer.

Henry Dubois & Sons—Asking name of floating coal elevator which took fire on Friday, March 29, 1895, at Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, North river.

William Henkel, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Department of Public Works)—Relative to violations of Corporation Ordinances concerning obstructions in the streets by building material, etc.—to direct that officers call for permits from time to time to see that they are in force; and that they strictly enforce the ordinances relating to street obstructions.

William Henkel, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Department of Public Works)—Alleging that owners of vehicles are placing them upon the sidewalk to prevent their removal, under the provisions of the statute for cleaning the streets, etc.—to enforce ordinances relative to street and sidewalk incumbrances therein referred to.

John McGuire, No. 316 East Thirty-eighth street—Complaint of disorderly persons.

Mercantile Safe Deposit Company—Asking Appointment of Ferdinand Voss and Michael Dillion as Special Patrolmen.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and are hereby employed on probation as Patrolmen, viz:

Edward J. Bourke, Daniel A. Hart, Henry P. McCabe, James P. Casey, Daniel Moriarty, Andrew J. Kiernan, John D. O'Connor, Richard L. Jackson, James Hart.

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

Resolved, That Joseph Smith (No. 4 on the eligible list), be rejected from the list of eligible candidates, upon the ground that his former occupations, duties and training are not deemed a satisfactory and proper preparation for the duties of police officer; and further, for the reason that upon examination by the Board of Police, his answers in regard to his former career were vague, uncertain and unsatisfactory.

Resolved, That Thomas H. Walsh (No. 7 on the list), be rejected from the list of eligible candidates, upon the ground that upon personal examination by the Commissioners, his answers to their questions in regard to his former occupations, duties and education were contradictory, uncertain and unsatisfactory.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Secretary of the Civil Service Board for the names of persons eligible for appointment on the Police force, sufficient in number to enable the Board to fill ten vacancies now existing.

Detail and Remand.

Roundsman Robert W. Clark, Thirty-sixth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant, temporarily. Patrolman John J. Donovan, remand to patrol.

Details by the Superintendent under Rule 32—Filed.

Special Patrolmen Appointed.

W. R. George, for E. L. Fox, Eleventh Street Methodist Episcopal Church. Michael Carroll, at Miner's Eighth Avenue Theatre. Abm. L. Cottrell, at House of Refuge.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of one hundred dollars, to enable the Treasurer to pay James H. Butler for inspecting the work of construction of twelve patrol wagons, for account of the year 1894, in accordance with an appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for said year; and that the Commissioners of the Board of Police be directed to approve the same, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Police, adopted February 13, 1895; and that the Treasurer be directed to pay the same on receipt of the money from the Comptroller.

Resolved, That Patrolman William F. Delany, Second Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of ten dollars (subject to the deduction under the rule) for the arrest of a deserter.

Resolved, That application be and is hereby respectfully made to the Empire City Subway Company (limited) for space in the subway conduits for cables to contain the electrical conductors for the Police Department, as follows: Third avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirtieth streets; Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets; One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Third to Amsterdam avenue.

Resolved, That application be and is hereby respectfully made to the Board of Electrical Control for permission to construct subsidiary conduits, leading from the subway manholes to the Police Station-houses, in the following streets and avenues, viz.: One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Third avenue westerly through One Hundred and Twenty-first street to the Fifth District Police Court (200 feet); One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Third avenue westerly through One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street to the Twenty-ninth Precinct Station-house (400 feet); One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Third avenue northerly through Third avenue to Harlem river cable-box (175 feet); One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, through Amsterdam avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, thence easterly through One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the Thirtieth Precinct Station-house (725 feet).

Resolved, That the Committee on Repairs and Supplies be and is hereby authorized to perform the work of connecting by underground branch conduit and necessary cable the residence of Dr. Cook with the wires of the Police Department leading to Central Department, at an expense not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Resolved, That the proposal of the American Gas Control Company to equip with their gas system the Station-houses of the Sixteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-second Precincts for thirty days, without expense to the Police Department, for the purpose of testing the value of the system in saving expense for gas consumed, be accepted, under direction of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Resolved, That the Board of Police desires to express to the Corporation Counsel its disapproval of the provisions of Assembly Bill 1581, amending section 271 of the Consolidation Act, relative to the promotion of officers and members of the Police force, making a legal grade of Roundsman instead of details as such, upon the ground that it takes from the Board of Police an important means of discipline.

Resolved, That the request of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections for authority to remove surplus election records, now stored in the attic and on the second floor of building No. 301 Mott street, for permanent storage in the sub-cellar on the Mott street side, be granted.

Adjourned. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 5th day of April, 1895. Present—Commissioners Murray, Kerwin and Andrews.

The following proposals for furnishing electrical conductors, aerial and underground, were opened, read and referred to the Chief Clerk for report:

No. 1. Western Electric Company..... \$13,535 00
No. 2. The Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Company..... 7,980 00
No. 3. The Standard Underground Cable Company..... 13,244 00

The Following Reports Were Ordered On File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154; on character, etc., E. A. Grandall, No. 390 Eighth avenue—copy to Mayor; on application of H. Du Bois & Sons, for name of floating coal elevator that took fire at Thirtieth street, North river. Captain Grant, Seventh Precinct—As to policy shop at No. 9 Hamilton street—copy to Mayor. Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of Rev. John T. Wilds, of annoyance by boys and inadequacy of police protection—copy to Mayor; on complaint of Mrs. Weissberg, as to policy shops. Sergeant Cully, Thirteenth Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Weissberg as to policy shops. Sergeant Dean, Twenty-seventh Precinct—On complaint of H. D. Sherrill, of condition of sidewalk at Eighty-ninth street and Madison avenue. Chief Clerk—Pursuant to resolutions of March 26, 1895. Board of Surgeons—Disabilities for March, 1895. Inspectors—Reports for quarter ending March 31, 1895. Contagious diseases in families of Patrolmen William Bailey, Twenty-ninth Precinct, and Charles W. Schultz, Thirty-fourth Precinct. Death of Doorman Andrew Fitzpatrick, Tenth Precinct, on 5th instant.

Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Patrolman James Churchill, Sixteenth Precinct. Patrolman Charles Burch, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

Application of Patrolman Thomas H. Kane, Twenty-seventh Precinct, for transfer to Sanitary Company, was denied, on report of the Superintendent.

Applications Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Anna A. Nafew, widow of Henry B. Nafew, late pensioner, for pension. Mrs. M. A. Maher, for increase of pension.

Communication from the Supervisor City Record, relative to advertisement of the Property Clerk, was referred to the Chief Clerk.

Communications Ordered on File.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Acknowledging receipt of report relative to goats. Superintendent of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication from S. Norris Craven & Co.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

Board of Excise—Asking character, etc., of C. J. Reuter and W. F. Heintz. "A Widow"—Complaint of disorderly persons in Forty-ninth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. Cosmopolitan Park—Application for appointment of Edward Kennedy as Special Patrolman.

Details by Superintendent Under Rule 32—Filed.

Resignation accepted—Patrolman David A. Montgomery, Thirty-first Precinct.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine the following officers and report as to their physical condition, with a view to retirement:

Patrolman Daniel P. Sullivan, Tenth Precinct. Patrolman John Dennerlein, Thirty-fourth Precinct.

On reading and filing communication from the Civil Service Board, eligible list for Patrolmen, it was

Resolved, That the following persons, named in said eligible list, be cited before this Board on Monday, 8th instant, at 12 M., and that they be requested to bring with them such letters of recommendation from former employers, or other responsible persons, as they may deem proper: Thomas McNamara, Thomas J. Bell, Patrick Donovan, Eugene Sullivan, Patrick Hamill, William H. Kinsler, William Tabell, William Toomey, Eugene C. Casey, James P. Ryan, Peter W. Connor, John H. Lent.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to N. D. Bush the sum of two hundred dollars for services and supervision in repairs to station-houses, etc.—All aye.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to investigate and report the circumstances of interference with an officer in the discharge of his duty, upon the occasion of fireworks being discharged in the streets of the Sixth Precinct, on the evening of April 4, 1895—All aye.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to recommend the numbers of precincts to be placed upon three new patrol wagons, almost completed.

Resolved, That the attention of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and is hereby respectfully called to the request of the Board of Police, dated February 1, 1895, asking authority for the Board to lease certain stables for the accommodation of patrol wagons and horses in the Twenty-second, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Precincts, one wagon to each Precinct.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be authorized and directed to suspend from duty such officers as may be returned as indicted by the Grand Jury, before the next meeting of this Board.

On reading and filing communication from Arthur McMullen, Clerk of the Board of Education, dated 4th instant, relative to the school census, and asking whether the books containing the same may be delivered direct to the Board of Education, it was

Resolved, That inasmuch as a very large number of the books containing the census of population, and those relating to school children, have already been delivered to the Health Department in pursuance of agreement, it is the sense of this Board that the Superintendent should continue to deliver all books, relating to the census, to the Health Department until the work is completed; and that a copy of the communication from the Clerk of the Board of Education be referred to the Board of Health with the request that the Health Department confer with the Board of Education with the view of giving the information desired, and of ascertaining whether any other arrangement, under the circumstances, would be more desirable.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman William Jordan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas F. Brady, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Edward F. Sullivan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Thomas Slattery, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Jonathan Haggerty, Third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman Thomas Lawler, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James P. Fannan, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John H. Smith, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman Peter Gallagher, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William F. Regan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman James J. Murphy, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William H. Leonard, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman John H. Tierney, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Charles W. Baker, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James Whalen, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James Whalen, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James Whalen, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Thomas F. McConnell, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman George J. Milburn, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William F. O'Neil, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James Mairs, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Frederick Meade, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John S. Coyle, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Thomas Kane, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas F. Moen, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman George Nicholas, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John F. Keohane, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John F. Keohane, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Mark Harrigan, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Angus J. McDonald, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William D. Tracey, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Richard Ennis, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William Rothman, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman George Price, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Michael H. Foley, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Joseph M. Gies, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James Ryan, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay; Patrolman John J. Churchill, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Patrick Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Patrick Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Andrew Schoelles, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-

half day's pay; Patrolman Francis Mallon, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John W. Ahearn, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Joseph Cassidy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Emil A. Kasschan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Jacob Hoffman, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Frederick Stahl, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Edwin Thwaite, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Henry E. Corbett, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Thomas Troy, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Charles J. Shields, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Simon Shattenkirk, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Bernard Carney, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman William Keane, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John J. Bergan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman James E. Murray, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman Dennis F. Fox, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John H. Walsh, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay; Patrolman Patrick Donnallon, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay; Patrolman John H. Crosby, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William Edwards, First Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer; Patrolman James Lawlor, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman Nicholas J. Tonner, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman George Issing, Fifteenth Precinct, a legal offense; Patrolman Charles Daggett, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman William Reilly, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman Samuel T. Ferguson, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty; Patrolman Nicholas Vogler, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, April 9, 1895.

Supervisor of the City Record: SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the week ending April 6, 1895:

Appointments Examined.—James Baker, No. 313 East Ninth street, Driver, passed; John F. Linden, No. 148 West Sixty-second street, Machinist, passed; William Young, No. 58 Sixth avenue, Painter, passed; Frederick Durr, No. 76 Charles street, Ice Dealer, passed; George McCormack, No. 40 Dominick street, Laborer, passed; John E. Lynch, No. 118 West Thirty-third street, Deliverer, passed; John M. Guilfoyle, No. 85 Manhattan street, Driver, passed; Hugh J. Smith, No. 230 East Twenty-second street, Driver, passed; Andrew Gallagher, Seventy-second street and Eighth avenue, Watchman, passed; John D. O'Connor, No. 141 East Forty-second street, Porter, passed; James Hart, No. 747 Washington street, Conductor, passed; Richard L. Jackson, No. 152 Tenth avenue, Driver, passed; Edward J. Bourke, No. 130 Charles street, Electrician, passed; Daniel A. Hart, No. 40 North Moore street, Foreman, passed; James P. Casey, No. 363 First avenue, Electrician, passed; Henry P. McCabe, No. 383 Lenox avenue, Mes-enger, passed; Andrew J. Kiernan, No. 244 Fifth avenue, Expressman, passed; Daniel Moriarty, No. 6 Monroe street, Driver, passed.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending March 23, 1895:

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.
Surrogates'.	47 329	1895. Mar. 18	Larkin Michael (Matter of the estate of).....	Application for letters of administration.
"	47 330	" 18	Dillon, Patrick J., as executor, etc., of Julia E. Hayes, deceased (Matter of).....	Judicial settlement of executor's accounts.
Superior....	47 331	" 18	Holmes, Booth & Haydens Co.	To recover back excess of personal tax paid for the year 1894. \$525.24.
Supreme....	47 332	" 18	Sesselman, Andrew (ex rel.) vs. William Brookfield, (commissioner of Public Works).....	Certiorari to review the removal of relator, December 20, 1894, from position of Assistant Engineer in the Department of Public Works.
"	47 333	" 19	Frank, Mary.....	Damages for personal injuries received by falling on sidewalk in Grand street on January 2, 1895, \$5,000.
Com. Pleas..	47 334	" 19	Smith, James S., and DeWitt C. Hanfield.....	Amount claimed under contract of Collins & G'illis for regulating, etc., portion of grounds in Van Cortlandt Park for a military parade ground, \$4,683.37.
"	47 335	" 19	Laverdure, Rose, by Alphonse Laverdure, her guardian ad litem.....	Damages for personal injuries received September 20, 1894, by falling in hole in sidewalk in 8th avenue, between 100th and 101st streets, \$10,000.
"	47 336	" 20	In the matter of the Willis avenue bridge over the Harlem river.....	Proceedings to acquire title to the property.
"	47 338	" 20	Merritt, William J.....	To recover back excess of assessment for Morning-side avenue, regulating, etc., from 110th to 123d streets upon Ward Nos. 18 to 22 in Block 924, \$704.12.
Supreme....	47 339	" 20	Bohm, Magdalena.....	Damages for personal injuries received by falling down embankment at the westerly side of Convent avenue, between 127th and 128th streets, on November 21, 1894, \$10,000.
Surrogates'.	47 340	" 20	Dammann, Henry (Matter of the estate of).....	Judicial settlement of the accounts.
Supreme...	47 341	" 20	Kelly, Peter.....	Damages for personal injuries caused by falling in hole in sidewalk on northerly side of 116th street, between 8th and St. Nicholas avenues, \$5,000.
"	47 342	" 20	Barnes, Walter F.....	For furniture furnished for the New Criminal Court-house Building, delivered between December 1 and 21, 1894, \$834.
Superior...	47 343	" 21	McBride, John, vs. The Board of Education of the City of New York.....	Services as Janitor and for cleaning Primary School No. 12 in August, September and October, 1892, \$256.
Supreme...	47 344	" 21	Flewelling, Nathaniel D.....	For services cleaning barn-yard, moving poultry-house, furnishing 160 loads of stone for ditch, etc., in April and July, 1893, \$126.50.
"	47 345	" 21	Roth, Herman L., and Henry D. Sedgwick, Jr. (ex rel.) vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller, etc.....	Mandamus to compel payment for services as counsel assigned to defend Tiedel Tuckwitz, between February 15 and March 1, 1895, in the Court of General Sessions, \$500.
"	47 346	" 22	New York Life Insurance Co. vs. Gardner Landon, Jr., and Clara E. Landon, his wife, The Mayor, etc., et al.....	To foreclose a mortgage.
"	47 347	" 22	Hill, William et al., as executors of Moses Taylor, deceased, and others.....	For liquidated damages for use of westerly half of Pier 12, East river, as a dumping-board, by Street Cleaning Department, from January 1 to May 15, 1894, \$1,800.
Surrogates'.	47 348	" 23	Knapp, David H. (Matter of the estate of).....	Judicial settlement of the accounts.
Supreme....	47 349	" 23	O'Brien, John E., and others (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Assessors and the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessment lists.....	Certiorari to review the proceedings of the respondents in the matter of awards for change of grade of 134th street, between Alexander and Willis avenues.
"	47 350	" 23	Devlin, Joseph (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.....	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the Police force.
"	47 350	" 23	Dowling, John (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Police Commissioners, etc.....	Certiorari to review the removal of relator from the Police force.

SCHEDULE "B."—JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

People ex rel. Benjamin Brewster and another, as executors vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—Order and judgment on remittitur entered.
Margaret Ray—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$1,300 (corrected judgment).
Julia Ann Flynn—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$1,200 (corrected judgment).
Adeline F. Austen—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$50.
Jacob I. Menken—Order entered dismissing the appeal with costs.
Clarence E. Johnson et al.—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$304.50.
Pauline Goldberg—Order entered dismissing the complaint for lack of prosecution.
People ex rel. Adam A. Cross; George Smith; vs. the Board of Police Commissioners—General Term order of reversal entered directing the reinstatement of the relator with \$50 costs and disbursements.
People ex rel. Bleeker Street and Fulton Street Ferry Railroad Company vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—General Term order of affirmance entered with costs.

People ex rel. David L. Follett and another vs. Ashbel P. Fitch as Comptroller—Order of remittitur entered.

People ex rel.—Frederick A. Schermerhorn; William C. Schermerhorn; vs. Ashbel P. Fitch as Comptroller—Orders entered granting writs of mandamus directing the Comptroller to issue bonds for the payment of awards.

Lawrence Martin—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$2,526.47.

Theresa Boas—General Term order of affirmance entered in favor of the plaintiff with costs; judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the plaintiff and for \$70.80 costs and disbursements.

People ex rel. John Torney vs. Joseph H. Stiner, Police Justice, etc.—General Term order of affirmance entered in favor of respondent with costs.

Hannah A. Campbell; Louis Machetsky; Frederick Akers—Orders entered setting causes down on day calendar for March 25, 1895.

Carlos F. Macdonald—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$350.

SCHEDULE "C."—SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Pauline Goldberg—Motion to dismiss the complaint for lack of prosecution made before Patterson, J.; motion granted; A. T. Campbell, Jr., for the City.

In the matter of Colonial Park—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded on March 18, 20 and 22, and adjourned to March 25, 1895; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

In the matter of Fort Washington Ridge road—Hearing before the Commissioners appointed by the Court proceeded on March 18 and 22, and adjourned to March 26, 1895; J. T. Malone for the City.

In the matter of the One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street Fire Department site—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 25, 1895; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

John Slattery—Motion to place cause on Special Circuit calendar made and granted; E. H. Hawke, Jr., for the City.

Lawrence Martin—Tried before Sedgwick, J., and jury; verdict directed by consent for \$2,350; D. J. Dean for the City.

In the matter of Speedway—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 27, 1895; E. H. Hawke, Jr., for the City.

In the matter of the Third Avenue Bridge approaches—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 25, 1895; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

In the matter of Moshulu Parkway public school site—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 26, 1895; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

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

In the matter of Fort Washington Park—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 26, 1895; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

In the matter of the St. Ann's Avenue public school site—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 26, 1895; C. D. Olendorf and G. Landon for the City.

Hannah A. Campbell; Frederick Akers; Louis Machetsky—Motions to restore causes to day calendar made before Giegerich, J.; motions granted; A. T. Campbell, Jr., for the City.

Sarah Brown vs. Isaac Cowen et al.—Trial begun before Freedman, J., and jury, and adjourned to March 25, 1895.

In the matter of Riverside Park extension—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and adjourned to March 29, 1895; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, NEW YORK, March 31, 1895.

The Honorable WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—As required by section 49 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, we make the following report of the "operations and action" of the Department of Taxes and Assessments for the three months ending March 31, 1895:

The Books of Annual Record of Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate for the year 1895, were completed and opened for inspection and correction on the second Monday of January last, as required by law.

Prior to that time, notice of the opening of such books was advertised in two of the daily newspapers and in the CITY RECORD, and since then the fact that such books were open for inspection and correction has been continuously advertised in the CITY RECORD, as required by section 817 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The following is a summary of the work done by the Board of Assessors during the three months ending January 31, 1895:

Number of assessment lists received from the Department of Public Works..	66	\$848,318 33
Number of assessment lists received from the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	35	469,010 10
Total.....	101	\$1,317,328 43

Number of assessment lists apportioned and advertised for objections.....	89	\$673,669 27
Number of assessment lists presented for confirmation to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	87	1,498,276 82
Number of assessment lists in the Finance Department awaiting the interest certificates of the Comptroller.....	61	426,800 71
Leaving unacted upon.....	87	1,997,989 99

Respectfully submitted, E. P. BARKER, JOHN WHALEN, JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Railroads. Bridges and Tunnels.
Finance. Law.
Salaries and Offices.

RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold a public hearing on Friday, April 25, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider the following matters:

"Resolution compelling surface railroads to give transfers, and to run none but through cars."

"Resolution compelling railroad companies to run closed cars when weather and temperature will not permit the use of open cars."

FINANCE—The Committee on Finance will hold a meeting on Monday, April 15, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 16, City Hall.

SALARIES AND OFFICES—The Committee on Salaries and Offices will hold a meeting on Tuesday, April 16, at 12 o'clock M., in Room 16, City Hall, "to consider the appointment of Physician to the County Jail."

BRIDGES AND TUNNELS—The meeting of the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels is postponed until Monday, April 15, at 1 o'clock P. M.

LAW—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Saturday, April 13, at 11 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, "to consider matter of push-carts, and other matters."

WM. H. TEN EYCK,
Clerk Common Council.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Works—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

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

City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

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

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

Bureau of Street Openings—Staats-Zeitung Building, Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street. Department of Charities and Correction—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway. Department of Street Cleaning—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Coroners' Office—New Criminal Court Building, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.

Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9.30 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13. Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15.

Superior Court—Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 36. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I, Room No. 34. Part II, Room No. 35. Part III, Room No. 36. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of Common Pleas—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I, Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

Over and Terminer Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10 o'clock A. M. Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

District Court—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 3 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 151 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 9, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, April 8, 1895.

THIRTIETH AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED and cartage property, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, April 24, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, of the following property:

Revolvers, Pistols, Guns, Knives, Razors, Hair Clippers, Scissors, Tools, Pocket-books, Overcoats, Male and Female Clothing, rolls of Cloth, Canned Goods, Liquor, Musical Instruments, Toys, Pictures and Frames, Telegraph Apparatus, Books, Segars, Soaps, Candles, chest of Tea, Muffs, Foot Cartridges, lot Coffee, chests of Tea, Muffs, Footballs, Crockery, Hats, Whips, Swords, Safes, Tin, Letter Press, Axes, Harness, Brooms, Pails, Type, small lots of jewelry, and a lot of miscellaneous articles and cartage property, consisting of the following articles: Lounge, Lumber, Glasses, box Tea, Wardrobe, Stoves, trunks of Clothing, Bureau, Crockery, Pictures, Steam Pump, barrel of Castings, Marble Slab.

For particulars see catalogues on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,

Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, 1895.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,

Property Clerk.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the College of the City of New York, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, April 25, 1895, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand Street, for supplying the College buildings with three hundred (300 tons, more or less, of broken coal, and twenty (20 tons, more or less, of stove coal, all to be Plymouth red ash coal, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, to be stored in the bins of the College at the expense of the contractor.

The Executive Committee reserves 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 residents of this city are required.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Executive Committee for the care of the College of the City of New York."

R. DUNCAN HARRIS,

Chairman Executive Committee.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, April 11, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE

New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the

year 1895, are open and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April, 1895.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when between 10 A. M. and 12 M., at this office, during the same period.

EDWARD P. BARKER,

JOHN WHALEN,

JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,

Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LABOR and materials for altering the building near the foot of East Sixteenth street, known as the Disinfecting Depot of the Willard Parker Hospital, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of the 16th day of April, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
NO. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, April 19, 1895, at 4 P. M., for supplying the Coal and Wood required for the Public Schools in the city for the year ending May 1, 1896, say twenty thousand (20,000) tons of coal, more or less, and twenty-five (25) cords of oak and eight hundred and fifty (850) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash—furnace, egg, stove and nut sizes—clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.:

Fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) tons of furnace size.

Twenty-nine hundred (2,900) tons of egg size.

Nine hundred (900) tons of stove size.

And seven hundred (700) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality; the pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia, first growth and sound. The proposals must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet solid measure for both oak and pine wood. The wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered sawed and split, and must be piled in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of the school buildings as may be designated by the proper authorities, and measures for payment are to be made by the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education of the said wood so piled in the school buildings.

Proposals must state the price per cord for—
Oak wood, 16-inch lengths.
Oak wood, 16-inch lengths, split to stove size.
Oak wood, 12-inch lengths.
Oak wood, 12-inch lengths, split to stove size.
Pine wood, 17-inch lengths, split for kindling.
Pine wood, 13-inch lengths, stove size.
Pine wood, 13-inch lengths, split for kindling.
Pine wood, 9-inch lengths, split for kindling.
Pine wood, 6-inch lengths, split for kindling.
Said coal and wood will be inspected, and said coal weighed, under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education.

The contractor will be required to present with every bill for deliveries a bill of lading with each boat-load as partial evidence of the kind and quality of the coal claimed to have been delivered, and with all bills to present his affidavit stating the quantity and quality of coal delivered, where the same was weighed, and certifying the correctness of his claim.

The coal and wood must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity of each between the fifteenth of May and the fifteenth of October, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; the contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-six.

Two stipulated sureties, or bond by one of the Guarantee Companies, for the faithful performance of the contract, will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposer's sureties. No compensation above the contract price will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting or piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of said school buildings.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserves to itself the right to impose such conditions and penalties in the contract as it may deem proper, and to reject any or all proposals received when deemed best for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained from the Clerk of the Board of Education.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE,
J. A. GOULDEN,
JACOB W. MACK,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, April 6, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Ninth Ward at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, April 23, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 3, corner Hudson and Grove streets.

JOHN P. FAURE, Chairman,
ARTHUR H. KENNEDY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, April 10, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, April 18, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Primary School No. 9, at the southwest corner of First avenue and Ninety-ninth street.

HERMANN BOLTE, Chairman,
JOHN E. SHEA, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Dated New York, April 5, 1895.

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 Wednesday, April 17, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Primary School No. 9, at the southwest corner of First avenue and Ninety-ninth street.

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

Dated New York, April 4, 1895.

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

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

It is required as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of this Board, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal, when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the proper Board

of Trustees, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, April 8, 1895.

LEWIS J. PHILLIPS, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1895,

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

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

For a term of one year from May 1, 1895:

Lot 1. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 24, and Pier, new No. 25.

Lot 2. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 41, and Pier, old No. 42.

Lot 3. Pier, old No. 42, and 27 feet of bulkhead north-

erly of same, with reservation for dump of the Depart-

ment of Street Cleaning at the southerly side.

Lot 4. The northerly 72 feet of bulkhead between

Pier, new No. 34, and Pier, new No. 35.

Lot 5. Southerly 81 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 35, and Pier, new No. 36.

Lot 6. Northerly 95 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 38, and Pier, new No. 39.

Lot 7. Southerly 92 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 39, and Pier, new No. 40.

Lot 8. Northerly 92 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 39, and Pier, new No. 40.

Lot 9. Northerly half of bulkhead between Pier, new

No. 41, and Pier, new No. 42, about 94 feet.

Lot 10. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 42, and Pier,

new No. 43.

Lot 11. Pier, new No. 43, except wharfage room and

water on the northerly side, which is used by the

Christopher Street Ferry. This pier has a shed upon it.

Lot 12. Northerly 78½ feet of bulkhead between

Pier, new No. 45, and Pier, new No. 46.

Lot 13. Bulkhead along the easterly side of approach

to Pier, new No. 46, and Pier, new No. 47, about 47½

feet.

Lot 14. Bulkhead northerly of approach to Pier, new

No. 47, about 308 feet, inclusive of 16 feet southerly of

Pier, old No. 54.

Lot 15. Pier, old No. 54.

Lot 16. Bulkhead between Pier foot of Gansevoort

street and Pier, old No. 57. (This bulkhead is set apart

for the use of vessels transporting farm and market

produce. See chapter 489, Laws of 1890.)

Lot 17. Pier, old No. 57. (This pier is set apart

for the use of vessels transporting farm and market

produce. See chapter 489, Laws of 1890.)

Lot 18. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 57, and Pier,

old No. 58. (This bulkhead is set apart for the use of ves-

sels transporting farm and market produce. See chapter

489, Laws of 1890.)

Lot 19. Pier, old No. 58, northerly of Bloomfield street,

except berth for fire-boat on northerly side. (This pier

is set apart for the use of vessels transporting farm and

market produce. See chapter 489, Laws of 1890.)

Lot 20. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 58, and Pier,

old No. 59. (This bulkhead is set apart for the use of ves-

sels transporting farm and market produce. See chapter

489, Laws of 1890.)

Lot 21. Northerly half and end of Pier, old No. 60,

foot of West Thirtieth street.

Lot 22. Northerly half and end of Pier foot of West

Nineteenth street.

Lot 23. Pier foot of West Twentieth street.

Lot 24. Pier, new No. 53, except wharfage room and

water on the southerly side, which is used by the Eric

ferry.

Lot 25. Southerly 140 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 53, and Pier, new No. 54.

Lot 26. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 57, and Pier,

new No. 58.

Lot 27. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 58, and Pier,

new No. 59.

Lot 28. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 59, and Pier,

new No. 60.

Lot 29. Bulkhead foot of West Forty-first street.

Lot 30. Northerly 150 feet of bulkhead between West

Lot 54. Pier, new No. 6.

Lot 55. Bulkhead between Pier, new No. 6, and Pier,

new No. 7.

Lot 56. Westerly half of Pier No. 12 and bulkhead

westerly, about 100 feet in length.

Lot 57. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 18, and Pier,

old No. 19.

Lot 58. Westerly half of Pier, old No. 19.

Lot 59. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 20, and Pier,

old No. 21, with platform in front of same.

Lot 60. Easterly 80 feet of bulkhead between Pier,

old No. 36, and Pier, new No. 29.

Lot 61. Pier, new No. 29, with exception of reserva-

tion for bath at same.

Lot 62. Westerly portion of bulkhead between Pier,

new No. 29, and Pier, old No. 38, about 60 feet in

length.

Lot 63. Easterly half of bulkhead between Pier, old

No. 40, and Pier, new No. 32, about 55 feet in length.

Lot 64. Pier, new No. 32.

Lot 65. 50 feet of bulkhead easterly of Pier, new

No. 32.

Lot 66. Pier, old No. 43.

Lot 67. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 43, and Pier,

old No. 44.

Lot 68. Easterly side and outer end of Pier, old No.

44. (Dump of Department of Street Cleaning on westerly

side.)

Lot 69. Pier, old No. 48.

Lot 70. Easterly half of Pier, old No. 53.

Lot 71. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 53 and Pier,

old No. 54.

Lot 72. Bulkhead at foot of Corlears street.

Lot 73. Bulkhead at foot of Cherry street, southerly

of Pier, old No. 55, about 50 feet in length.

Lot 74. Northerly half of Pier, old No. 56; southerly

half of Pier, old No. 57, and bulkhead between Pier,

old No. 56, and Pier, old No. 57, about 90 feet in length.

Lot 75. Northerly half and outer end of Pier, old No.

61. (Dump of Department of Street Cleaning on south-

erly side.)

Lot 76. Bulkhead between Pier, old No. 61, and Pier,

old No. 62, at the foot of Stanton street.

Lot 77. Pier, old No. 62, at the foot of Stanton street.

Lot 78. Bulkhead along the northerly side of Stanton

street.

Lot 79. Bulkhead at the foot of East Fourth street,

about 60 feet, and return along the northerly side of

East Fourth street.

Lot 80. Northerly half of Pier at foot of East Eighth

street.

Lot 81. Pier at foot of East Ninth street, bulkhead

between East Ninth street and East Tenth street, and

the southerly half of Pier foot of East Tenth street.

Lot 82. Northerly half of Pier foot of East Tenth

street.

Lot 83. Southerly half of Pier foot of East Eleventh

street.

Lot 84. Bulkhead between East Seventeenth street

and East Eighteenth street.

Lot 85. Pier at foot of East Thirty-third street.

Lot 86. Pier at foot of East Thirty-fifth street.

Lot 87. Platform south of East Thirty-eighth street,

about 50 feet in length.

Lot 88. Pier at foot of East Thirty-eighth street, ex-

cept reservation for Street Cleaning Dump on northerly

side thereof.

Lot 89. Bulkhead between East Thirty-eighth and

East Thirty-ninth streets.

Lot 90. Bulkhead at foot of East Thirty-ninth street,

and return, about 165 feet in length, with privilege of

maintaining dump thereon.

Lot 91. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-second street.

Lot 92. Northerly half of Pier foot of East Forty-

sixth street. (Department of Street Cleaning has dump

on southerly side.)

Lot 93. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-eighth street.

Lot 94. Bulkhead foot of East Fifty-third street.

Lot 95. Bulkhead at foot of East Fifty-fourth street.

Lot 96. Bulkhead at foot of East Fifty-sixth street.

Lot 97. Water-front between East Fifty-ninth and

East Sixtieth streets, with privilege of maintaining a

dump on same.

Lot 98. Pier at foot of East Sixtieth street.

Lot 99. Bulkhead platform between East Sixtieth and

East Sixty-first streets.

Lot 100. Pier at foot of East Sixty-first street.

Lot 101. Bulkhead between East Sixty-first and East

Sixty-second streets.

Lot 102. Bulkhead platform at foot of East Seventy-

fifth street.

Lot 103. Bulkhead at foot of East Seventy-sixth street.

Lot 104. Bulkhead at foot of East Seventy-eighth

street, and southerly 55 feet of bulkhead between East

Seventy-eighth and East Seventy-ninth streets.

Lot 105. Pier at foot of East Seventy-ninth street, and

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

part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 2, 1895.
EDWARD C. O'BRIEN,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
EDWIN EINHORN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 5, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.
BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, April 17, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING COLLEGE PLACE AND GREENWICH STREET, from Chambers street to Dey street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Wadsworth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

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

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

the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING FIFTEEN HUNDRED STREET LAMPS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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 Commis-

sioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 58 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, September 10, 1894.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
DANIEL P. HAYS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 4789, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Grove street, from Third to Brook avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4875, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Seventy-fourth street, at the easterly and westerly sides of Columbus avenue.

List 4886, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street at Willis avenue to Brook avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4434, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building culverts, and grading approaches, in Third avenue, from the line of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards to Pelham avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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 Grove street, from Third to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. To the extent of half the block from the easterly and westerly sides of Columbus avenue and Seventy-fourth street.

No. 3. Both sides of Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, at Willis avenue, to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Third avenue, from a point distant 100 feet south of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line to Pelham avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 11th day of May, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1895.

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

List 4890, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Beach avenue, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

List 4897, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad wall, with granite blocks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Beach avenue, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of the Boulevard.

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 10th day of May, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 9, 1895.

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

List 4838, No. 1. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Third to Brook avenue, with granite blocks.

List 4847, No. 2. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Third to Brook avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 4866, No. 3. Paving Greenwich street, from Battery place to Fulton street, with granite blocks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 4901, No. 4. Laying crosswalks across Avenue St. Nicholas, at south side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

List 4902, No. 5. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between West End avenue and Boulevard.

List 4903, No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Amsterdam and Audubon 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-fourth street, from Third to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Third to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Greenwich street, from Carlisle to Albany street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Albany street, on Ward Nos. 288 to 293, inclusive, and Ward Nos. 501 and 534.

No. 4. To the extent of half the block from the southerly intersection of Avenue St. Nicholas and One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue; also block bounded by Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, Boulevard and West End avenue (not including west side of Boulevard, from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street).

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 7th day of May, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1895.

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

List 4702, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Woodruff street, from the Southern Boulevard to Lillian place, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 4818, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.

List 4837, No. 3. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Elton avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 4839, No. 4. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, with granite blocks, and setting curbstone and laying crosswalks.

List 4846, No. 5. Regulating and paving One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue, with trap-blocks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Woodruff street, from the Southern Boulevard to Lillian place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Elton avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Franklin avenue; also, both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extending about 215 feet west of Franklin avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

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

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 5, 1895.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

4926. Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifth street, from Boulevard to Riverside avenue.

All persons who consider their property to have been injuriously affected by the regulating and grading of any of the streets and avenues above described, in consequence of a change of grade having been made therein are hereby notified to transmit, in writing, the evidence relating thereto, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, No. 27 Chambers street, on or before 11.30 A. M. on the 15th day of April, 1895, at which time a public hearing will be given to all parties whose property may be affected by the aforesaid improvements.

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

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

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

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

One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and east side of Washington avenue, extending about 275 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

TO LET.

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

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

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A.M., on Wednesday, April 17, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Mott avenue to Rader avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AND LAYING CROSSLAWS IN KELLY STREET, from Westchester avenue to Prospect avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, PAVING THE GUTTERS WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT AND BUILDING FENCES IN JOHN STREET, from St. Ann's avenue to Eagle avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSLAWS IN WELCH STREET, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster avenue, and PLACING FENCES WHERE REQUIRED.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSLAWS IN FOREST AVENUE, from the southerly curb-line of Home street to the southerly curb-line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSLAWS IN BEACH AVENUE, from the Southern Boulevard to Kelly street.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING BRANCH SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between Valentine avenue and Third avenue.

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN PELHAM AVENUE, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to Lorillard place.

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

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

The person who above mentioned must be accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, or money to the order of the Commissioner, or money to the order of the City of New York, in 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.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, or money to the order of the Commissioner, or money to the order of the City of New York, in 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.

ment 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.

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work if he deems it for the best interests of the city.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at this office.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 13, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Lumber, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M. of Wednesday, April 24, 1895.

LUMBER.

9,300 superficial feet extra clear Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, well seasoned, free from sap, knots or shakes, 2" x 3", tongued and grooved and comb grained.

75 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 12" x 25'. All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within 10 days from date of proposal.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except such as are designated in the specifications.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Lumber," 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 quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested, and 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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

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

TWELFTH WARD.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

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

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

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

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 2, 1895.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

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

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

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH,
Comptroller.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

500,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
100,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
5,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or

contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred and fifty (250) dollars. Such check or money must not be 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to DECATUR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Kingsbridge road to Brooklyn 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1894, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Decatur avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing location, etc., etc., of streets, etc., within the area bounded on the south by East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, on the west by Marion avenue, on the north by Suburban street and on the east by the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, etc., and filed in the office of the Commissioners of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on the 9th day of April, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 10th day of April, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 11th day of April, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 12, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of May, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners

in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 12, 1895.

WILLIS HOLLY,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
FRANCIS L. DONOHUE,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to FOX STREET, OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Fox street, or East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, Section 3 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, January 18, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894, and 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 respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 12, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of May, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 12, 1895.

EMANUEL BLUMENTHAL,
HENRY GRASSE,
DANIEL O'CONNELL,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS PROCEEDING, OR IN ANY OF THE LANDS AFFECTED THEREBY.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 20th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock, P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 2,098 feet 2 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly line of the Boulevard, measured along the easterly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 2,022 feet 10 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from the Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Fort Washington Depot road, extending from Kingsbridge road to the Boulevard, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.

JOHN JEROLOMAN, Chairman.
G. M. SPEIR,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands at the northeasterly corner of Tremont and Morris avenues, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice (April 11, 1895), file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 285 Broadway, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1883, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, which said acts are, by chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, made applicable to this proceeding, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear the parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 24th day of April, 1895, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 9, 1895.

ELLIOT SANDFORD,
EDWARD L. PATTERSON,
ALBERT BACH,
Commissioners.

ISAAC B. BRENNAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 10th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 10th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Opening in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 10, 1895.

E. FERRERO, Chairman,
JAMES R. TORRANCE,
JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 6th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 6th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Opening in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues or roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 10, 1895.

JAMES R. TORRANCE, Chairman,
E. FERRERO,
JOSEPH A. CARBERRY,
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 BECK STREET, OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Beck street, or East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, "Section 3 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on January 18, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 20th day of January, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 9, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the tenth day of May, 1895, at 1 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 or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1895.

ERNEST HALL,
FRANKLIN BIEN,
HENRY ALLEN,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventieth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing location, etc., of streets, avenues and roads within the area bounded by Third avenue and East One Hundred and Seventieth street, etc., etc., in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City and County of New York May 11, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on May 16, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 9, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1895, at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1895.

G. M. SPEIR,
EDWARD TERRILL,
RIGNALD D. WOODWARD,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 26th day of December, 1894, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, Section 3 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, etc., and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on the 18th day of January, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of January, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 19th day of January, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 8, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the second day of May, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
WALES F. SEVERANCE,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 6th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 6th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock P. M.

week-days next after the said 6th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, No. 1 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 6, 1895.

ALBERT BACH, Chairman,
JNO. G. OKKEFFE,
ISAAC RODMAN,
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, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of JACKSON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 1), in said city, on the 18th day of April, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. 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 at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 3, 1895.

ROBT. E. DEYO, Chairman,
ROBT. McCAFFERTY,
JOHN J. CLARKE,
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 that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 6th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 6th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Edgecombe road, from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house of the City of New York, on the 31st day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 6, 1895.

JNO. G. OKKEFFE, Chairman,
ISAAC RODMAN,
ALBERT BACH,
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 PEROT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boston avenue to Segwick avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Perot street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, "Map or Plan showing change of street system, etc.," etc., filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks February 3, 1890; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on February 3, 1890, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on February 4, 1890, 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 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 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 5, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of April, 1895, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 5, 1895.

JAMES R. ELY,
JAMES T. LEWIS,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Clinton avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map entitled "Map or plan showing location, etc., of streets, etc., within the area bounded by Third avenue, East One Hundred and Seventieth street, etc.," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards May 9, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on May 11, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on May 10, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office 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 respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, April 5, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the first day of May, 1894, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 5, 1895.

H. H. CHITTENDEN,
CHARLES D. BURELL,
BOUDINOT KEITH,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners,

occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 3d day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1895.

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue, distant 103.86 feet from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard with the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with the said westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to a point distant 100 feet from the northerly line of Valentine avenue; thence easterly and parallel with the said northerly line of Valentine avenue to a point on the easterly line of Summit avenue distant 589.50 feet from the northerly line of Briggs avenue; thence by the prolongation of said line to a point distant 100 feet from the easterly line of Rockfield street; thence southerly and parallel with the said easterly line of Rockfield street to the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway; thence along the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence along the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 3, 1895.

FRANCIS L. DONOHUE, Chairman,
JOHN D. TREADWELL,
A. M. DRYFOOS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 3d day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described, viz.: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Travers street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Bainbridge avenue, running thence easterly and parallel with the said northerly line of Bainbridge avenue to a point distant 100 feet from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly and parallel with the said westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to the southerly line of Briggs avenue; thence along said southerly line of Briggs avenue to the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway; thence along the westerly line of Moshulu Parkway to the southerly line of Perry street; thence along the southerly line of Perry street to a point in the prolongation of said line, distant 100 feet from the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly and parallel with the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard to a point distant 100 feet from the southerly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence westerly and parallel with said southerly line of Bainbridge avenue to the easterly line of Travers street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Travers street to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York April 3, 1895.

ROBERT H. CLARKE, Chairman,
JOHN D. TREADWELL,
THOMAS NOLAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and in behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain pieces or parcels of land extending from the easterly side of Jerome avenue, at One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, opposite One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, for the purpose of the construction of the JEROME AVENUE APPROACH, with the necessary abutments and arches, to the New Macomb's Dam Bridge across the Harlem river, in said city.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room 1), in said city, on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 12:30 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the

Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of May, 1895, at the opening of court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 30, 1895.

LEWIS J. CONLON, Chairman,
WM. C. HOLBROOK,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 20th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 20th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth street and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth street and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; and westerly by the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 3, 1895.

WILLIAM J. C. BERRY, Chairman,
ISAAC FROMME,
JAMES R. TORRANCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to a public place or square lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad avenue, East, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on March 26, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street, avenue or place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on Section 1 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on or about the 23d day of March, 1894, and as shown on map or plan showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Third avenue, etc., filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on August 29, 1894, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on August 31, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on September 4, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 2, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of April, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such

time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 2, 1895.

FORDHAM MORRIS,
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,
WILLIAM GROSMAN,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 26th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Hall place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter, and as shown and delineated on a map, entitled, Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on June 13, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by 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 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 8, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1895, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.

MYER S. ISAACS,
J. H. KLEIN,
JOHN W. D. DOBLER,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its present terminus easterly to the westerly line of Edgecombe road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 6th day of May, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 6th day of May, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-second street and One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from the westerly line of Edgecombe road to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of May, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 6, 1895.

EDWARD C. STONE, Chairman,
CHAS. PUTZEL,
H. ALFRED FREEMAN,
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 NINTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Two Hundred and First street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 18th day of April, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 18th day of April, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in the said city, there to remain until the 30th day of April, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street, midway between the westerly side of Ninth avenue and the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along a line midway between the westerly side of Ninth avenue and the easterly side of Tenth avenue, to a point midway between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets; thence westerly along the middle of the block between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Tenth avenue to the northerly side of Two Hundred and Eighteenth street; thence westerly across the Kingsbridge road and along the northerly side of Two Hundred and Eighteenth street to a point about 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly, and parallel to the Kingsbridge road, to the southerly side of the U. S. Government Canal; thence southerly along the southerly side of the U. S. Government Canal and the westerly bank of the Harlem river to a point midway in the block between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Eleventh streets; thence westerly along the middle of said block to a point midway between the easterly side of Ninth avenue and the westerly side of Exterior street; thence southerly and along a line midway between the easterly side of Ninth avenue and the westerly side of Exterior street to the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Two Hundred and First street to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as the same is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of May, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 26, 1895.

ISAAC FROMME,
THEODORE E. SMITH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 8th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Wales avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated November 22, 1894, and signed "L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greifenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer," and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as section 2 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of April, 1895, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 6, 1895.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALES F. SEVERANCE,
WILLIS HOLLY,
W. G. BATES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ST. MARY'S STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from St. Ann's avenue to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Commissioners of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as St. Mary's street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein dated April 12, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on certain maps, entitled "Section 2 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York," and filed one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1894, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on the 15th day of June, 1894, and one in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, on or about the 19th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of April, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALES F. SEVERANCE,
WILLIS HOLLY,
MATTHEW CHALMERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BROWN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Brown place, as shown and delineated in red color on a map hereto attached, dated the 23d day of December, 1893, and signed by Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868 and filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County at White Plains on or about February 23, 1871, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan of the streets, roads and avenues in that portion of the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded on the north by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, on the east by St. Ann's avenue and Long Island Sound, on the south by Long Island Sound and Harlem river, and on the west by Railroad avenue, East, as established and classified by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and filed, one in the office of the Department of Public Parks, on the 25th day of January, 1885, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1885, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 29th day of January, 1885, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the Acts or parts of Acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any

claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, March 27, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of April, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALES F. SEVERANCE,
GEO. E. MOTT,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as St. Joseph's street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 7th day of September, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Section 2 of Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," prepared under authority of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened and laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1892, and the Acts or parts of Acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 27, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of April, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 27, 1895.

WALES F. SEVERANCE,
JAMES E. LARNED,
GEO. CHAPPELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Perry avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated October 31, 1894, and signed "Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer," and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing width, course, classification and grade of streets, avenues and roads within the area bounded by Southern Boulevard, Briggs avenue, Moshulu Parkway and Marion avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890," and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of May, 1894; in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 29th day of May, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed

thereof, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room No. 1), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 23, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of April, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, March 23, 1895.
ISAAC L. EGBERT,
LLOYD MCK. GARRISON,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from Brook avenue to Courtlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 7th day of September, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868, and filed in the Office of the Register of Westchester County, at White Plains, on or about February, 23, 1871, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one Act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 22, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, March 22, 1895.
GEO. E. MOTT,
THEODORE WESTON,
JAMES R. TORRANCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Boone street, as shown and delineated on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled proceeding, and also on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act, entitled,

"An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 21, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1895, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, March 21, 1895.
JNO. H. JUDGE,
JOHN T. FARLEY,
WILLIS HOLLY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Travers street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated October 4, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing change of street system in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York bounded on the north by the Southern Boulevard, on the east by Webster avenue, on the south by Travers street, and on the west by Jerome avenue," dated June 1, 1888, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks on or about the 24th day of June, 1889; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 26th day of June, 1889, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 27th day of June, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 18, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, March 18, 1895.
JOHN T. FARLEY,
GEO. CHAPPELL,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City and County of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of February, 1895, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on March 26, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition in the above-entitled matter and as shown and delineated on Section 1 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, March 21, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on or about March 23, 1894, and as shown on map or plan showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, etc., filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, August 29, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about August 31, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about September 4, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the

Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 2, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (April 2, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of April, 1895, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, April 2, 1895.
FORDHAM MORRIS,
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,
WILLIAM GROSSMAN,
Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 13th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situate in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, Westchester County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, dated December 18, 1894, signed and certified by Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and George W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York; map of lands in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York City in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map was filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 21st day of February, 1895, and a copy or duplicate thereof is now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at No. 31 Chambers street in said city.

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

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

FIRST PIECE.

Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., at the northwesterly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 31 degrees 45 minutes west 760.00 feet; thence (2) north 89 degrees 23 minutes west, crossing Tomahawk street, 1,450.00 feet; thence (3) north 8 degrees 25 minutes west 330.80 feet; thence (4) north 71 degrees 00 minutes east 280.00 feet; thence (5) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 1,009.90 feet; thence (6) north 43 degrees 31 minutes west 474.95 feet; thence (7) north 54 degrees 06 minutes west 624.90 feet; thence (8) north 76 degrees 06 minutes west 599.26 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (9) north 57 degrees 12 minutes west crossing said right of way 116.13 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (10) still north 57 degrees 12 minutes west 211.21 feet; thence (11) north 5 degrees 17 minutes west 675.00 feet; thence (12) north 3 degrees 28 minutes east 1,180.00 feet; thence (13) north 29 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 960.00 feet; thence (14) north 39 degrees 38 minutes 30 seconds west 390.00 feet; thence (15) north 38 degrees 42 minutes 30 seconds west 476.70 feet to the easterly line of Mahopac avenue; thence (16) north 9 degrees 36 minutes west crossing said avenue 188.25 feet to the westerly line of said avenue; thence (17) north 00 degrees 19 minutes east along the westerly line of said avenue 447.50 feet; thence (18) south 83 degrees 23 minutes west 77.82 feet; thence (19) north 13 degrees 03 minutes west 1,006.60 feet; thence (20) north 41 degrees 30 minutes west crossing the road leading to Peekskill 950.23 feet; thence (21) north 6 degrees 33 minutes east 1,474.37 feet to the county line between Westchester and Putnam; thence along said county line 221 north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 311.95 feet to a point in the centre of the Muscoot river on said county line; thence still along said county line (23) north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 338.25 feet; thence (24) south 0 degrees 22 minutes west 971.65 feet; thence (25) south 4 degrees 53 minutes east, crossing the road leading to Peekskill, 809.16 feet; thence (26) south 36 degrees 17 minutes east 675.60 feet; thence (27) south 21 degrees 48 minutes east 934.26 feet; thence (28) south 7 degrees 18 minutes east 825.00 feet; thence (29) south 34 degrees 12 minutes east 981.78 feet; thence (30) south 87 degrees 21 minutes east, crossing Mahopac avenue, 337.38 feet; thence (31) south 31 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds east 748.40 feet; thence (32) south 6 degrees 10 minutes west 925.00 feet; thence (33) south 4 degrees 41 minutes east 1,200.00 feet; thence (34) south 59 degrees 26 minutes east 750.00 feet; thence (35) south 77 degrees 11 minutes east 152.57 feet to the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (36) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 100.94 feet to the easterly line of said right of way; thence (37) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 310.13 feet; thence (38) south 42 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds east 313.65 feet; thence (39) south 25 degrees 08 minutes 30 seconds east 750.00 feet; thence (40) south 00 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds east 690.00 feet; thence (41) south 34 degrees 43 minutes 30 seconds east 523.00 feet; thence (42) south 68 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds east 647.63 feet to the westerly line of the land taken for Reservoir "A"; thence along

the land taken for Reservoir "A" the twelve following courses: (43) north 4 degrees 28 minutes east 151.15 feet; thence (44) north 66 degrees 34 minutes east 476.20 feet; thence (45) north 34 degrees 48 minutes east 497.72 feet; thence (46) north 12 degrees 39 minutes east 184.40 feet; thence (47) south 26 degrees 40 minutes east 49.60 feet to the centre of the Muscoot river; thence (48) still south 86 degrees 49 minutes east 30.23 feet; thence (49) south 14 degrees 25 minutes east 160.30 feet; thence (50) south 84 degrees 00 minutes east 989.52 feet; thence (51) north 78 degrees 13 minutes east, crossing Tomahawk street, 354.70 feet; thence (52) south 76 degrees or minute east 434.65 feet; thence (53) north 52 degrees 30 minutes east 668.00 feet; thence (54) north 6 degrees 54 minutes east 249.60 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing one hundred and ninety-three and four hundred and ten one-thousandths (193.410) acres.

SECOND PIECE.

Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., on the southerly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 1 degree 46 minutes east 44.64 feet; thence (2) south 75 degrees 01 minute 30 seconds west 1,039.60 feet; thence (3) north 84 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds west 466.08 feet; thence (4) north 2 degrees 07 minutes 30 seconds west 581.25 feet; thence (5) north 77 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds west 548.40 feet; thence (6) north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east 154.43 feet to the southerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (7) still north 25 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds east, crossing said road, 187.57 feet; thence (8) north 60 degrees 34 minutes west 490.52 feet; thence (9) south 52 degrees 22 minutes west 85.18 feet to the centre line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (10) south 00 degrees 46 minutes west 30.50 feet to the southerly line of said road; thence (11) south 53 degrees 44 minutes west along the southerly line of said road 228.32 feet; thence (12) south 88 degrees 59 minutes west 490.47 feet; thence (13) north 70 degrees 31 minutes west 367.25 feet; thence (14) north 83 degrees 48 minutes west 369.24 feet; thence (15) north 7 degrees 35 minutes east 1,111.70 feet; thence (16) south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 255.60 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (17) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 101.07 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (18) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 330.84 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to West Somers; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (19) south 00 degrees 37 minutes west 237.12 feet; thence (20) south 5 degrees 14 minutes east 129.45 feet; thence (21) south 2 degrees 36 minutes west 535.56 feet; thence (22) south 1 degree 06 minutes west 124.02 feet; thence (23) south 1 degree 10 minutes east 109.75 feet to the northwesterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (24) south 40 degrees 12 minutes west along the northwesterly line of said right of way 1,051.52 feet; thence (25) south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 123.77 feet to the southeasterly line of said right of way; thence (26) still south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 585.43 feet to the town-line between Somers and Yorktown; thence (27) north 55 degrees 59 minutes east 667.44 feet; thence (28) south 71 degrees 11 minutes east 691.78 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (29) south 73 degrees 01 minute east 1,046.32 feet; thence (30) south 25 degrees 29 minutes west 431.10 feet; thence (31) north 82 degrees 16 minutes west 489.24 feet; thence (32) south 5 degrees 54 minutes west 230.05 feet; thence (33) north 80 degrees 32 minutes west 344.45 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (34) south 1 degree 27 minutes 30 seconds west along the easterly line of said road 496.00 feet; thence (35) north 81 degrees 20 minutes east 1,031.52 feet; thence (36) north 56 degrees 30 minutes east 608.35 feet; thence (37) south 89 degrees 32 minutes east 507.66 feet; thence (38) south 87 degrees 59 minutes east 556.38 feet; thence (39) south 62 degrees 42 minutes east 552.60 feet; thence (40) south 10 degrees 47 minutes east 546.67 feet; thence (41) south 74 degrees 28 minutes west 455.60 feet; thence (42) south 12 degrees 14 minutes east 1,875.05 feet; thence (43) south 48 degrees 01 minute east 712.00 feet; thence (44) south 37 degrees 24 minutes east 627.07 feet; thence (45) south 1 degree 41 minutes east 593.88 feet; thence (46) south 69 degrees 45 minutes east 291.44 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (47) still south 69 degrees 45 minutes east, crossing said road, 558.16 feet; thence (48) north 26 degrees 27 minutes east 280.00 feet; thence (49) south 57 degrees 14 minutes east 787.00 feet; thence (50) south 59 degrees 15 minutes east 509.15 feet; thence (51) north 82 degrees 21 minutes east 707.85 feet; thence (52) north 3 degrees 09 minutes west 222.79 feet; thence (53) south 87 degrees 28 minutes 30 seconds west 94.54 feet; thence (54) south 77 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds west 107.58 feet; thence (55) north 25 degrees 25 minutes west, crossing the Muscoot river, 130.90 feet; thence (56) north 69 degrees 15 minutes east 43.87 feet; thence (57) north 8 degrees 28 minutes east 268.20 feet; thence (58) north 82 degrees 24 minutes west 547.54 feet; thence (59) north 56 degrees 01 minute west 1,628.26 feet; thence (60) north 00 degrees 16 minutes west 771.04 feet; thence (61) north 28 degrees 01 minute west 37.41 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (62) still north 28 degrees 01 minute west, crossing said road, 143.80 feet; thence (63) north 61 degrees 31 minutes west 943.17 feet; thence (64) north 14 degrees 47 minutes west 509.00 feet; thence (65) north 35 degrees 28 minutes east 413.20 feet; thence (66) north 9 degrees 56 minutes west 1,469.60 feet; thence (67) north 61 degrees 54 minutes east 145.53 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (68) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 98.00 feet; thence (69) north 28 degrees 18 minutes west 206.60 feet; thence (70) north 20 degrees 23 minutes west 298.55 feet; thence (71) north 29 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds west 40.31 feet; thence (72) north 18 degrees 57 minutes west 79.62 feet; thence (73) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 314.86 feet; thence (74) north 1 degree 46 minutes west 240.12 feet; thence (75) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 315.00 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing two hundred and seventy-six and five hundred and fifty-two one-thousandths (276.552) acres.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee except those parcels designated as Nos. 7, 17, 37, inclosed within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

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

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

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

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

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

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