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HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1894.

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Cyrus Edson, M.D., and the President of the Board of Police.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following Reports were Received from the Sanitary Committee:

- 1st. Weekly reports from Willard Parker Hospital. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports from Reception Hospital. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly reports from Riverside Hospital (small-pox). Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly reports from Riverside Hospital (fevers). Ordered on file.
- 5th. Reports on changes in the Hospital Service.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following changes in the Hospital Service be and are hereby approved:

NAMES.	POSITION.	SALARY.	APPOINTED. RESIGNED.	DATE.
A. M. Kelleher.....	Nurse.....	\$420 00	Appointed, vice McCord.....	Nov. 1, 1894.
Minnie Van Rinkle.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	Appointed, vice Small.....	" 2, "
Kittie Stevenson.....	Laundress.....	168 00	Resigned.....	" 4, "
Kate Dunphy.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	" 4, "	" 4, "
Kate Dunphy.....	Laundress.....	168 00	Appointed, vice Stevenson.....	" 5, "
Margaret Carr.....	Chambermaid.....	168 00	Resigned.....	" 5, "
Bessie Shannon.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	" 5, "	" 5, "
Bessie Shannon.....	Chambermaid.....	168 00	Appointed, vice Carr.....	" 5, "
Mary Melville.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	Appointed, vice Dunphy.....	" 6, "
Bridget Dunn.....	".....	168 00	Discharged.....	Oct. 31, "
Mary M. Barboar.....	Nurse.....	360 00	Appointed.....	Nov. 1, "
Ida Brown.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	Appointed, vice Dunn.....	" 4, "
Neta Van Wormer.....	Nurse.....	360 00	" 1, "	" 1, "
".....	".....	360 00	Resigned.....	" 7, "
Ida Brown.....	Helper.....	144 00	Discharged.....	" 3, "
Annie Weir.....	".....	144 00	Appointed, vice Brown.....	" 4, "
Abbie Dalton.....	".....	144 00	Discharged.....	" 6, "

6th. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of Edward Krell, gardener at North Brother Island, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of thirty dollars per month from November 15.

7th. Report in respect to cases of contagious diseases in Dispensaries.

The report was approved and the Secretary was directed to forward copies of the report to the dispensaries of the City, with the request that the recommendations contained therein be enforced.

The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
James Allen.....	\$31 60	Paul G. Decker.....	\$39 30
Consolidated Gas Company.....	334 37	Clark & Wilkins.....	15 00
Arthur McGerald.....	35 30	Commonwealth Ice Company.....	184 80
George Tieman.....	4 50	George Burger.....	15 25
A. J. Tagliabue.....	3 00	Borsum Brothers.....	6 30
R. W. Robinson & Son.....	154 12	Bartelle & Renwick.....	94 93
Charles P. Woodworth & Son.....	135 71	Blake & Williams.....	210 00
James McCauley.....	166 66	Albany Perforated Paper Company.....	7 50
Thomas F. White.....	3,000 00	D. Appleton & Co.....	5 00
Emmons Clark.....	668 57	John Boyle.....	110 20
Louis Ettlinger.....	333 32	Carter & Collins.....	129 21
Edward D. Peters.....	200 00	L. W. Ahrens Stationery and Printing Com- pany.....	7 50
Jacob Fleischhauer.....	150 00	Murray & Co.....	75 00
George Ermold.....	18 68	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	20 92
Parke, Davis & Co.....	47 50	Church E. Gates & Co.....	14 34
New York Belting and Packing Company.....	96	H. H. Becker.....	15 90
Merk & Co.....	13 05	Patterson Brothers.....	2 32
E. P. Hopkins.....	9 75	Oelschlaeger Brothers.....	15 00
Zindars & Hunt.....	6 50	Osborne & Burke.....	60
Bloomfield Brothers.....	750 68	Old Farmers' Milk and Cream Company.....	282 26
Cox & Cameron.....	53 74	New York Mutual Gas-light Company.....	23 87
Emil Greiner.....	233 60	Nason Manufacturing Company.....	71 47
F. N. Class.....	7 00	New York Condensed Milk Company.....	136 08
Borne, Scrymser & Co.....	51 80	Adam Nimphius.....	7 00
T. J. Byrne.....	2 50	Lehn & Fink.....	18 60
Colgate & Co.....	5 40	Leonard & Ellis.....	3 25
Baker, Smith & Co.....	10 00	Conrad Keller.....	11 10
Oakland Chemical Company.....	10 20	Bernard Kenny.....	20 00
Meyer, Sniffen Company.....	4 80	Howell Condensed Milk and Cream Com- pany.....	5 00
Keegler & Woollens.....	6 03	Herring-Hall-Marvin Company.....	40 00
Peter Henderson & Co.....	9 00	Standard Oil Company, Pratt Works.....	5 61
Charles M. Young.....	150 00	William Young.....	17 25
John M. Smith.....	98 00	W. P. Young & Brother.....	20 56
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	25 00	Lowell M. Palmer.....	211 20
Whitall, Tatum & Co.....	1 61	Gustav E. Stechert.....	9 86
Jordan L. Mott Iron Works.....	2 47	Seabury & Johnson.....	31 68
Thomas C. Dunham.....	24 30	Stohmann, Ffarr & Co.....	1 60
Jacob Fleischhauer.....	372 00	George Vause.....	10 75
Brady Manufacturing Company.....	52 25	Henry Woehr.....	5 05
James T. Dougherty.....	25 25	Milton Rathbun.....	192 02
Eimer & Amend.....	23 67	Richard Webber.....	555 03
The Century Company.....	15 00	Richard Webber.....	521 87
McNab & Harlin Manufacturing Company.....	1 25	Eugene G. Blackford.....	38 99
E. Heinecke.....	1 75	Hollywood Company.....	67 83
Real Estate Record and Guide.....	6 00	Francis H. Leggett.....	142 11
Carl H. Schultz.....	22 08	American Grocery Company.....	38 10
R. P. Vollmer.....	281 65	Austin, Nichols & Co.....	143 59
McKesson & Robbins.....	45 83	Thomas Dwyer.....	600 24
Galvano Faradic Manufacturing Company.....	60 00	Jackson & Warner.....	109 35
Gilbert & Barker Manufacturing Company.....	37 38	Neuchatel Asphalt Company.....	3,987 00
Gilbert & Barker Manufacturing Company.....	50 71	A. Demarest & Co.....	25 50
James Fay.....	40 50		
J. Friedenthal.....	16 90		
Dennison Manufacturing Company.....	2 25		

Ayes—The President, Commissioners Edson and Martin.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

- 1st. Weekly reports of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected. Ordered on file:

Orders received for prosecution.....	237
Attorney's notices issued.....	313
Nuisances abated before suit.....	184
Civil suits commenced for other causes.....	44
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit.....	24
Suits discontinued—By Board.....	35
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits.....	4
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits.....	6
Civil suits now pending.....	268
Criminal suits now pending.....	16
Money collected and paid to cashier—Civil suits.....	\$5
Money paid into the Court—Criminal suits.....	30

Orders received for prosecution.....	137
Attorney's notices issued.....	181
Nuisances abated before suit.....	134
Civil suits commenced for other causes.....	44
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit.....	32
Suits discontinued—By Board.....	35
Judgments opened by the Court.....	2
Civil suits now pending.....	277
Criminal suits now pending.....	16

2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit:

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Reinhardt, Susman.....	2497	Fleming, Cornelius D.....	26
Greenberg, Henry M.....	3351	Sanano, Camille.....	62
Post, John D.....	3402	Holck, Henry.....	63
Brown, Henry.....	3536	Huckoff, Nathan.....	64
Arinstein, Abraham.....	3537	Roberts, Henry.....	72
Silverstone, Louis.....	3557	Frankenthaler, Louis.....	77
Baum, David.....	3574	Cohen, Herman.....	84
Everard, James.....	3579	Flanagan, Bernard.....	85
Duffy, Richard.....	2	Schaefer, Francis.....	93
Lustig, Max.....	10	Howland, Lavena.....	95
King, David H.....	15	Levy, David M.....	128
Weil, Jonas and Mayer Bernard.....	22	Lawrence, Francis C.....	82
Meyer, Henry.....	3002	Taylor, Walter W.....	90
Dunmick, John W.....	3207	Wallach, Moses.....	103
Horgan, John.....	3377	Burmeister, William.....	105
McKeever, Charles.....	3473	Newmann, Adolph.....	106
Garofalo, Louise.....	3516	O'Neill, Francis.....	110
Witkowski, Isaac.....	3539	Humphrey, Henry.....	117
Germond, John M.....	3542	Lutz, Charles.....	119
Green, Andrew H.....	3546	Wright, Mary.....	120
Bianchi, Joseph.....	3555	Rauch, John.....	121
Moss, Mary.....	41	Boehmar, Franz.....	137
Federgreen, Nathan.....	43	Keane, Annie C.....	161
Halsey, Edwin.....	47	Blumenthal, Celia.....	170
Maclay, John and Davies, William.....	48	Poche, Antoinette.....	176
Harrison, Michael.....	69	Rutherford, Walter.....	182
Kaiser, John.....	71	Clancey, John J.....	185
Herman, Simon.....	73		

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- 1st. Weekly reports of Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports of Chief Sanitary Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly reports of work performed by Sanitary Police. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly reports on sanitary condition of manure dumps. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly reports on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks. Ordered on file.
- 6th. Weekly reports on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses. Ordered on file.
- 7th. Weekly reports of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists. Ordered on file.
- 8th. Weekly reports of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors. Ordered on file.
- 9th. Weekly reports of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades. Ordered on file.
- 10th. Monthly reports on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage. Ordered on file.

11th. Reports on compliance with certain orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders against certain premises be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason that the cause for the same has been removed:

No. 52 West Sixty-fifth street.

No. 288 Front street.

No. 86 Monroe street.

No. 131 Suffolk street.

No. 557 West Thirty-second street.

No. 2208 First avenue.

No. 19 West Ninety-eighth street.

12th. A notice from Michael C. Renner, that the sewer connection of Nos. 534 and 540 W. Forty-fifth street will be cut off in thirty days, was received and ordered on file.

13th. A communication from Assistant Superintendent Dillingham in respect to the exposed condition of offices on the ground floor, was received and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

14th. Report in respect to the seizure of five cows infected with tuberculosis. Ordered on file.

15th. Report on the condition of an old abandoned fish pond on the north side of the road from Bartow to City Island, near Jordan's Hotel.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of a communication from the State Board of Health and the report of Sanitary Engineer Koen theoreon in respect to the sanitary condition of a pond situated on the north side of the road from Bartow to City Island and west of and adjoining John F. Jordan's hotel, be forwarded to the Park Department with the request that for sanitary reasons this report receive special attention.

16th. Report in respect to fencing of vacant lots Nos. 65 to 69 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector Lucas, on the condition of vacant lots Nos. 65 to 69 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, with the request that for sanitary reasons the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to have said lots fenced.

17th. Report in respect to fencing of vacant lots south side Ninetieth street, one hundred feet east of Amsterdam avenue.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector Lucas, on the condition of vacant lots south side Ninetieth street, one hundred feet east of Amsterdam avenue, be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, with the request that for sanitary reasons the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to have said lots fenced.

18th. Report in respect to fencing of vacant lots Nos. 114 and 116 West Ninety-fifth street.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector Lucas, on the condition of vacant lots Nos. 114 and 116 West Ninety-fifth street, be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, with the request that for sanitary reasons the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to have said lots fenced.

19th. Report in respect to fencing of vacant lots north side of Sixty-sixth street, two hundred and fifty feet west of Central Park, West, and extending fifty feet west.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector Lucas, on the condition of

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows :

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows :

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied as follows :

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked :

Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied :

Whereas, The premises Nos. 69, 71 and 75 West One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the City and County of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health

and a public nuisance; the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz:

That the use of said premises as a stable be discontinued; that the said premises be cleaned; that the filth-saturated soil be removed and replaced with fresh earth, and the surface so graded that all surface water shall be freely discharged therefrom.

31st. Report and certificate declaring premises 510 and 512 West Fifty-sixth street a public nuisance.

Whereas, The premises 510 and 512 West Fifty-sixth street, in the City and County of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance; the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz:

That the use of said premises as a stable be discontinued; that the said premises be cleaned; that the filth-saturated soil be removed and replaced with fresh earth, and the surface so graded that all surface water shall be freely discharged therefrom.

32d. Report and certificate declaring premises 1323 Fifth avenue a public nuisance.

Whereas, The premises 1323 Fifth avenue, in the City and County of New York, and the business pursuit specified in this case, being in the opinion of the Board in a condition and in effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance, and the Board having taken and filed among its records the reports of the Sanitary Superintendent and the Inspectors relating thereto, and what it regards as sufficient proof to authorize its declaration that the premises and business pursuit in this case are in condition and effect dangerous to life and health and a public nuisance; the Board hereby enters in its records the said premises as a nuisance, and declares the same to be a public nuisance dangerous to life and health, and in respect thereto orders, viz:

That the use of said premises as a stable be discontinued; that the said premises be cleaned; that the filth-saturated soil be removed and replaced with fresh earth, and the surface so graded that all surface water shall be freely discharged therefrom.

33d. Reports and certificates for the vacating of certain premises.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot south side One Hundred and Fortieth street, beginning seventy-five feet west of Eleventh avenue and extending one hundred feet west, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot south side One Hundred and Fortieth street, beginning seventy-five feet west of Eleventh avenue and extending one hundred feet west, be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 806 Eighth avenue has become dangerous to life, by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 806 Eighth avenue be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon lot east side Jefferson avenue, first, third and fourth houses north of Tremont avenue, have become dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said buildings situated on lot east side Jefferson avenue, first, third and fourth houses north of Tremont avenue, be required to vacate said buildings on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said buildings are dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said buildings and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said buildings be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 96 Lincoln avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 96 Lincoln avenue be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 2398 Arthur avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 2398 Arthur avenue be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot east side Roger avenue, first house north of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot east side Roger avenue, first house north of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot northwest corner Pelham avenue and Lorillard street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot northwest corner Pelham avenue and Lorillard street be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 84 Columbia street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 84 Columbia street, be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 303 East Twenty-third street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 303 East Twenty-third street be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 346 East Fifty-third street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 346 East Fifty-third street be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 2114 Boulevard has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 2114 Boulevard be required to vacate said building on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the cellar situated upon Lot No. 351 West Thirty-ninth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance in the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants.

Ordered, That all persons in said cellar situated on Lot No. 351 West Thirty-ninth street be required to vacate said cellar on or before November 21, 1894, for the reason that said cellar is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance in the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said cellar and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said cellar be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

The following Communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases:

- 1st. Weekly reports of work performed by Division of Contagious Diseases. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports of work performed by the Veterinarian. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Reports of examinations of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Report in respect to outbreak of small-pox in vicinity of Thirty-ninth street and Ninth avenue. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were received from the Register of Records:

- 1st. Weekly letters. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly abstract of births. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly abstract of still-births. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases. Ordered on file.
- 6th. Weekly mortuary statements. Ordered on file.
- 7th. Weekly reports of work performed by Clerks. Ordered on file.
- 8th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following birth and marriage certificates:

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
1. Louis Pincus	Born	July 14, 1894
2. Gretchen Kunz	"	Aug. 28, "
3. Anna M. Elliott	"	" 30, "
4. Frank Donaldson	Married	June 15, "
5. James Hartnett	"	" 21, "
6. John McGlew	"	Apr. 25, "
7. John Carr	"	" 25, "
8. Hugh Gray	"	" 15, "
9. George W. Mittnacht	"	July 26, "

9th. Report on applications to file supplemental papers.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
Hang Sager	Born	Dec. 5, 1872.
Marriot Bibeyran	Died	" 25, 1893.
Henry Julius Schroeder	"	Aug. 7, 1890.

10th. The application to register the marriage of Moses Rosenberg and Adella Adler, September 30, 1893, was referred to the Attorney and Counsel.

The following Communications were received from the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratory:

- 1st. Weekly reports of work performed by the Division of Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection. Ordered on file.

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

Copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as follows:

Appropriation of \$3,000 for 15 Medical Inspectors.

Transferring \$598.24 from Hospital Fund, 1893.

—were received and ordered on file.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in respect to unexpended balances of appropriations for the year 1893 was received and referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the time for the completion of contract for laying rock asphalt driveways and artificial stone sidewalks for the new Reception Hospital and boiler-house at the foot of East Sixteenth street be and is hereby extended to April 21, 1894.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the bill of "The Neuchatel Asphalt Company," for extra work and materials for laying artificial stone sidewalks, etc., at the new Reception Hospital, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, be and is hereby approved to the amount of one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy nine cents.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the services of the following-named Medical Inspectors be continued for two months from November 1, with salaries at the rate of one hundred dollars per month:

E. J. Graff, Jr.	Andrew Egan.	J. H. Huddleston.
Otto Maier.	D. F. Linehan.	W. E. Studdiford.
J. G. Hrons.	J. J. Dooley.	Leonard K. Graves.
Gessner Harrison.	Charles Ver Nooy.	William J. Pulley.
H. A. Vedder.	Lachlan Tyler.	H. F. Koester.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Dr. J. W. Gallivan, No. 207 West Sixty-ninth street, be and is hereby appointed a Medical Inspector from November 16 to December 31, with salary at the rate of one hundred dollars per month.

The resignation of Dr. Andrew Egan was accepted, to take effect November 15.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a permit be and is hereby granted to Martin Engel to keep at No. 73 Rutgers street not to exceed at any one time two hundred live poultry, subject to supervision and approval by the Sanitary Superintendent as to suitable alterations of building for such purpose.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a permit for thirty days be and is hereby granted to the Sanitary Refuse Company at foot of West Forty-first street, North river, south side, to extract grease, in sealed steel tanks, from bones and all kinds of garbage now deposited on city dumps, subject to supervision by the Sanitary Superintendent and to revokal of permit at any time in case any nuisance is created by the work.

A copy of the minutes of a meeting of the Medical Board of Willard Parker and Riverside Hospital of date November 13, 1894, was received and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That C. H. G. Steinsieck be and is hereby provisionally employed as Resident Physician at Riverside Hospital, in this Department, from November 14, 1894, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the claim of Phillip Merkert for fifty dollars, for a horse sick with glanders and killed by order of the Veterinary Surgeon of this Department, be and is hereby approved and audited, and the Secretary is directed to forward this resolution with the proofs in the case to the Board of Claims at Albany.

Pursuant to notice in the CITY RECORD for proposals for labor and materials for alterations to be made in the boiler-house of the Reception Hospital near the foot of East Sixteenth street, and the furnishing and erection of a steam laundry plant, the Board proceeded to the opening of proposals for the same, as follows:

J. W. Craw.....	\$3,582 77
P. K. Lantry.....	3,380 00
Blake & Williams.....	3,539 00
American Laundry Machinery Company.....	3,294 50
John Spence.....	3,222 00
P. Carraher, Jr.....	2,473 00

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following security deposits on bids for labor and materials for alteration to be made in the boiler-house of the Reception Hospital near the foot of East Sixteenth street, and furnishing and erection of a steam laundry plant opened November 14, be forwarded to the Comptroller:

J. W. Craw, check.....	\$75 00
P. K. Lantry, check.....	75 00
Blake & Williams, check.....	75 00
American Laundry Machinery Company, check.....	75 00
John Spence, check.....	75 00
P. Carraher, Jr., currency.....	75 00
	\$450 00

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the contract for labor and materials for alteration to be made to the boiler-house of the Reception Hospital near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York, and the furnishing and erection of a steam laundry plant, be and is hereby awarded to P. Carraher, Jr., for the sum of two thousand four hundred and seventy-three dollars, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller; and that the President be and is hereby authorized to execute the contract in the form approved by the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the proposal of P. Carraher, Jr., for labor and materials for alteration to be made to the boiler-house of the Reception Hospital near the foot of East Sixteenth street, City and County of New York, and the furnishing and erection of a steam laundry plant be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties.

Work Performed by the Sanitary Bureau for the Week ending November 3, 1894.

There were 14,235 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 447 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 245 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 33 permits.

There was issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 1 permit.

There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 2 miscellaneous permits.

Work Performed by the Sanitary Bureau for the Week ending November 10, 1894.

There were 11,445 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 419 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 226 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 14 permits.

There was issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 1 permit.

There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 2 miscellaneous permits.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 8 permits.

Work Performed by the Bureau of Records for the Week ending November 3, 1894.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates Re- ceived and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000, Popula- tion Estimated at 1,980,893.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroners' Cases.	Searches Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Register.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	321	....	107	8.45	....	....	....	37	26	....	321
Births.....	1,087	183	....	28.63	....	....	....	28	14	....	1,300
Deaths.....	636	10	....	16.75	636	6	66	192	172	....	636
Still-births.....	64	9	....	1.60	64	....	4	....	....	....	....

The 636 deaths represent a death-rate of 16.75, against 16.50 for the previous week, and 18.40 for the corresponding week of 1893.

The number of deaths varied little from that of the previous week. There was an increase of 5 in the deaths from typhoid fever, of 4 from scarlet fever, of 5 from pythiasis, of 10 from pneumonia, and of 20 from Bright's disease, nearly offset by a decrease of 6 in the deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, of 8 from diseases of the nervous system, of 5 from bronchitis, and of 7 from other diseases of the respiratory organs.

The deaths from diphtheria were most numerous in the Twelfth Ward and from scarlet fever in the Eighteenth Ward, while the few deaths from measles were scattered through as many wards.

Work Performed by the Bureau of Records for the Week Ending November 10, 1894.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates Re- ceived and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000, Popula- tion Estimated at 1,982,211.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroners' Cases.	Searches Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Register.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	359	38	....	9.45	....	....	....	30	20	....	359
Births.....	907	....	180	23.87	....	....	....	29	25	....	1,300
Deaths.....	601	....	35	15.82	601	7	82	197	130	....	601
Still-births.....	67	3	....	1.76	67	....	5	....	....	....	....

The 601 deaths represent a death rate of 15.82 against 16.75 for the previous week and 17.46 for the corresponding week of 1893.

The decrease of 35 deaths was mainly due to a decrease of 12 in the deaths from typhoid fever, of 10 from diseases of the digestive organs, and of 11 from old age, partially offset by an increase of 8 in the deaths from diphtheria, and of 7 in the deaths from heart diseases.

The deaths from diphtheria were most numerous in the Nineteenth Ward, while the deaths from measles and scarlet fever were scattered, there being no more than one death in any one ward.

Analysis of Croton Water for Thursday, November 1, 1894. Sample taken from Hydrant, Elm and Franklin Streets.

	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.....	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Yellow brown.....	Yellow brown.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.159.....	0.272.
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.261.....	0.448.
Phosphates.....	None.....	None.
Nitrites.....	".....	"
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.235.....	0.0403.
Free Ammonia.....	0.0006.....	0.0010.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0044.....	0.0075.
Hardness equivalent to { Before boiling.....	3.388.....	5.81.
Carbonate of Lime. { After boiling.....	3.388.....	5.81.
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.166.....	2.00.
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	3.956.....	6.80.
Total solids (by evaporation).....	5.130.....	8.80.

Remarks—Temperature at hydrant, 57° Fahr.

Analysis of Croton Water for Friday, November 2, 1894. Sample taken from Hydrant, Elm and Franklin Streets.

	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Turbid.....	Turbid.
Color.....	Yellow brown.....	Yellow brown.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.154.....	0.264.
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.278.....	0.476.
Phosphates.....	None.....	None.
Nitrites.....	".....	"
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0184.....	0.0317.
Free Ammonia.....	0.0009.....	0.0015.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0058.....	0.0100.
Hardness equivalent to { Before boiling.....	3.388.....	5.81.
Carbonate of Lime { After boiling.....	3.388.....	5.81.
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.166.....	2.00.
Mineral Matter (non-volatile).....	3.907.....	6.70.
Total solids (by evaporation).....	5.073.....	8.70.

Remarks—Temperature at hydrant, 56° Fahr.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Approved Papers for the Week ending December 15, 1894.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William C. Dewey to place and keep two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of the Hotel St. Albans, Nos. 349 and 351 West Fifty-eighth street, provided the lamps be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the posts shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamps not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to McKane & Listern to place and keep two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of their premises, No. 1270 Broadway, provided the lamps be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the posts shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamps not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamps-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Bremer avenue, from Jerome avenue to Birch street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Ninth avenue to Lawrence street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the sidewalks in front of Nos. 232, 234 and 236 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses, with a row of specification paving blocks between the courses, be laid across Seventh avenue, at its intersection with the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, and across St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, at their intersection with the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks on the south side of Eighty-third street, commencing at Madison avenue and extending west about seventy feet, be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and street-lamp placed thereon and lighted in front of St. Jean the Baptist School, No. 187 East Seventy-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Morningside Park, East, to Manhattan avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the avenue on the easterly side of Morningside Park, from One Hundred and Fourteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-third street, be and is hereby designated as Morningside Park, East; this resolution to take effect December 1, 1894.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninetieth street, from First avenue to the East river, be paved with asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset, where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1882, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Jumel Terrace, from One Hundred and Sixtieth street to One Hundred and Sixty-second street, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, be flagged eight feet wide, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1894.

Resolved, That the Commission for Lighting the City be and it is hereby respectfully requested to light with electricity West Fifty-third street, from Seventh to Ninth avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 11, 1894.

Resolved, That the names of the following persons, recently appointed or superseded as Commissioners of Deeds, be corrected so as to read as follows:

Byron C. Reed.
Bryan C. Reed, to read Byron C. Reed.
Irving J. Kemper, to read Irving J. Kemper.
A. A. Schaeffer, " A. A. Schaeffer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 11, 1894.

Resolved, That Fort Independence street, from Sedgwick avenue to Broadway, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space of four feet in width, and crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues and streets, where not already done; also that a bridge be built to carry Fort Independence street over the tracks of the New York and Putnam Railroad in accordance with the established grade, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Melrose avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, be regulated and paved with granite-block pavement, and crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Railroad avenue, East, to a point about two hundred and fifty feet easterly therefrom, be regraded and regraded, the curb-stones reset, the flagging relaid a space of four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting or terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the east side of Courtlandt avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from a point about twenty-four feet easterly from Railroad avenue, East, to a point about one hundred and ninety-nine feet easterly from Railroad avenue, East, be fenced in with a picket fence, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That Locust avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Forty-first street, be regulated and graded, the carriageway paved with granite-block pavement, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, be regulated and paved with granite-block pavement, and crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That Jerome avenue, from Wolf place to One Hundred and Ninetieth street (formerly St. James street), be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, fences placed along the sides thereof where necessary, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That Marcher avenue, from Jerome avenue to Featherbed lane, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, approaches built, fences placed where necessary, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Resolved, That section 57 of article V. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, as amended by ordinances approved April 9, 1883, and June 14, 1883, respectively, be and is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following, to wit:

"Provided, nevertheless, that no peddler, huckster, hawk or vender of any kind of merchandise shall be allowed to cry his wares within two hundred and fifty (250) feet of any school-house between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on school days, or stop or remain in Nassau street, between Spruce and Wall streets, from 8 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M., under the penalty of ten dollars for each offense, or five days' imprisonment, or both."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 11, 1894.
Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

Your Committee beg leave to report that "The Society of the War of 1812," commonly known as "The Veteran Corps of Artillery," was originally organized in this City on "Evacuation Day," in November, 1790, by ex-officers and soldiers of the War of the Revolution, and was recognized by the State of New York as an independent military organization.

After 1808, for many years, national salutes were fired on Independence Day, in the City Hall Park, by this patriotic corps.

In the War of 1812, it volunteered, in June of that year, for temporary garrison duty in the North Battery, foot of Hubert street, and in 1814, at request of Governor Daniel D. Tompkins, volunteered in defense of the country against anticipated invasion by a British army, and was mustered into the service of the United States in this city, on September 2, 1814, and honorably discharged on December 3, 1814.

During this service in the defenses of New York Harbor, the corps was attached to the Third Regiment, New York State Artillery, now known as the Eighth Battalion, National Guard, State of New York, in this city.

As the Revolutionary members passed away, the corps was recruited and increased from among those citizens of New York and vicinity who had served honorably in the War of 1812.

It has consequently numbered in its ranks some of the most eminent citizens who had served in that war. Among whom may be mentioned the late Governor William L. Marcy, Thurlow Weed, General John A. Dix, John Leveridge, Recorder John B. Scott, Judge David Murray Hoffman, Comptroller Azariah C. Flagg, President Charles King, of Columbia College, and the former President of this Board, James B. Murray, and many of the former members of this Board.

In 1818 the Corps assisted in receiving the remains of Major-General Richard Montgomery, who had been killed at Quebec in 1775.

In 1824 it officially received Major-General, the Marquis de Lafayette, on his arrival at the Battery.

In 1836 it was formally reviewed and commended in general orders by Governor Marcy, and on January 8, 1848, it consolidated with the military society of the War of 1812, which had been organized in this city in January, 1826, exclusively by officers and ex-officers of the Armies and Navies of the United States who had served in that war.

On July 4, 1851, Mayor Ambrose C. Kingsland reviewed the corps in City Hall Park, and presented to it the National colors.

For many years it was given by the Corporate authorities of this City the use of Room No. 4, in the City Hall, for a headquarters' office.

Since 1815, it has charged itself with the duty of raising the National flag on the staff at the Battery and on the Block House, near McGown's Pass, on Harlem Heights in Central Park, on July 4, "Independence Day," and on November 25, "Evacuation Day."

Frequently the only public celebration of the evacuation of this city by the British Army in 1783 has been by this honorable old military organization, which has been so closely identified with our city.

The last public parade of the corps was on April 30 and May 1, 1889, when it met the President of the United States at the reviewing stand in Madison Square, on the occasion of the Centennial Celebration of the Inauguration of the Government of the United States under the Constitution.

On that occasion but five veteran members were able to attend, and the twenty-two venerable survivors then decided to perpetuate the corps by admitting descendants and by incorporating as a military institution.

Six Veterans still survive, two of whom are on the Council of Administration, or Board of Directors, viz.: Lieutenant Michael Moore, United States Army, retired, and Thomas Morgan Sturtevant, who manage, despite their advanced years, to attend meetings.

Last year the Corps sent a delegation which, under escort of the detachment from the regular Army and Navy, assisted in the unveiling of the statue of Captain Nathan Hale, in City Hall Park.

For a number of years the Corps has had the prescriptive use of the Governor's Room in the City Hall for its annual meeting on the Anniversary of Major-General Andrew Jackson's great victory in the battle of New Orleans.

The resolution herewith submitted and recommended for adoption is merely proposed to sanction such temporary use until the further order of this Board.

Resolved, That, until the further order of this Board, "The Society of the War of 1812," founded and incorporated by the veterans of that war, and commonly known as "The Veteran Corps of Artillery," may continue to have the use of the Governor's Room in the City Hall of this City, for their annual meetings on the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, or succeeding day, when such anniversary shall fall on Sunday.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 11, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, December 14, 1894.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk Common Council.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1894.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President John J. Scannell, in the chair, and Commissioners Anthony Eickhoff and S. Howland Robbins.

The Departmental Estimate for 1895 was considered, and, on motion, adopted as follows:

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1895.

FOR SALARIES.

Headquarters Pay-roll (sections 46, 48 and 52, chapter 410, 1882)—

3 Commissioners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$15,000 00
Secretary.....	4,000 00
Assistant Secretary.....	2,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	3,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper.....	2,000 00
4 Medical Officers, at \$2,000 each.....	8,000 00
Clerk.....	2,000 00
Superintendent of Supplies.....	2,000 00
Property Record Clerk.....	1,500 00
4 Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	6,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00
Assistant Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.....	1,900 00
Janitor.....	1,140 00
2 Night Watchmen, at \$915 each.....	1,830 00
Elevator Attendant.....	900 00
Engineer.....	1,300 00
2 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	1,824 00
2 Cleaners, at \$300 each.....	600 00
	\$57,494 00

\$55,530 was allowed for the current year, less than \$2,000 more is asked for the coming year. This is for an additional Medical Officer, who is much needed. The uniformed force of the Department consists of more than 1,100 officers and men, and it was found necessary to appoint an additional physician (who had regularly passed a Civil Service examination) early in the present year, without pay, because there was no appropriation to pay him. He has continued to render this service without remuneration to the present time. The Medical Officers of the Department are kept very busy and are subject to call at all hours.

Instructor of Corps of Sappers and Miners (section 447, chapter 410, 1882)..... 2,000 00

Chief of Department and Assistants Pay-roll (chapter 710, 1892)—

Chief of Department.....	\$6,000 00
2 Deputy Chiefs of Department, at \$4,200 each.....	8,400 00
13 Chiefs of Battalion, at \$3,300 each.....	42,900 00
	57,300 00

Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls (section 48, chapter 410, 1882; chapter 354, 1883; chapter 234, 1884; chapter 552, 1885, and chapter 710, 1892)—

For present organization:

85 Foremen, at \$2,160 each.....	\$183,600 00
96 Assistant Foremen, at \$1,800 each.....	172,800 00
140 Engineers of Steamer, at \$1,400 each.....	196,000 00
635 Firemen, 1st grade, at \$1,200 each.....	762,000 00
49 Firemen, 2d grade, at \$1,100 each.....	53,900 00
82 Firemen, 3d grade, at \$1,000 each.....	82,000 00
4 Ununiformed Engineers, at \$1,400 each.....	5,600 00
4 Ununiformed Pilots, at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
10 Ununiformed Stokers, at \$912.50 each.....	9,125 00
	\$1,469,825 00

For a new company in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, near Willis avenue:

1 Foreman.....	\$2,160 00
1 Assistant Foreman.....	1,800 00
2 Engineers of Steamer, at \$1,400 each.....	2,800 00
8 Firemen, 3d grade, at \$1,000 each.....	8,000 00
	14,760 00

For 100 Probationary Firemen, 1 month each..... 8,333 00

For Theatre Details:

43 Firemen, 3d grade.....	43,000 00
	1,535,918 00

The increase over the amount allowed for the current year, which was \$1,467,903, is accounted for as follows:

Increased pay of 10 stokers on fire-boats, from \$730 to \$912.50, per annum..... \$1,925 00

The pay of the stokers was raised to conform to the prevailing rate paid for such services.

New company on One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, near Willis avenue, the house for which is very nearly completed..... 14,760 00

This new company has been urgently needed at the location specified for some years.

100 Probationary Firemen, at \$1,000 per annum, for one month each..... 8,333 00

This item is to pay the candidates while undergoing the prescribed probationary service.

Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls (section 48, chapter 410, 1882; chapter 354, 1883; chapter 234, 1884; chapter 552, 1885, and chapter 710, 1892)—

43 Firemen, 3d grade, for theatre details, at \$1,000 per annum..... \$43,000 00

This item is to provide the number of men required under the provisions of section 454, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 247, Laws of 1894. This requirement is for one additional member to each company now furnishing details at theatres, several of which take up all the time of the men detailed, and therefore cause a loss of the services of a man to the company. This is very detrimental to the service, especially during the night, when a full complement is a necessity. The additional men are required to keep up the standard of the companies, at all times, to the number they should have for fire duty. Attention is also invited to the statements made in support of this demand in the estimate for this year.

Total..... \$68,018 00

Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll (sections 48, 427 and 428, chapter 410, 1882)—

Inspector of Combustibles.....	\$3,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,000 00
4 Surveyors, at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
5 Oil Collectors, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
1 Messenger.....	1,000 00
	\$17,500 00

Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll (sections 48, 427 and 428, chapter 410, 1882)—

Fire Marshal.....	\$3,000 00
2 Assistant Fire Marshals, at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Stenographer.....	1,200 00
	9,900 00

The increase over the amount allowed for the present year is only \$200, being for additional salary for a Clerk who has, under the Civil Service laws and rules, been advanced from the first to the second grade.

Bureau of Fire-alarm Telegraph and Electrical Appliances Pay-roll (sections 48, 428 and 517½, chapter 410, 1882)—

For the Fire-alarm Telegraph Service:

Superintendent.....	\$4,000 00
Chief Operator.....	2,500 00
Operator.....	1,500 00
4 Operators, at \$1,380 each.....	5,520 00
4 Assistant Operators, at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
Clerk.....	1,000 00
Batteryman.....	1,200 00
Assistant Batteryman.....	1,000 00
2 Alarm-box Inspectors, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Machinist.....	1,100 00
2 Linemen, at \$900 each.....	1,800 00
Foreman of Construction.....	1,000 00
	\$27,420 00

For the supervision of electrical wiring in buildings under the provisions of section 517½, Consolidation Act:

2 General Inspectors, at \$1,800 each.....	\$3,600 00
8 Inspectors, at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00
Draughtsman and Map-maker.....	1,200 00
Stenographer Clerk.....	1,200 00
Clerk.....	1,000 00
Messenger.....	750 00
	17,350 00

For "the construction, care and management of the fire-alarm telegraph system" alone, without reference to the other duties imposed upon the Bureau by section 517½ of the Consolidation Act, enacted in 1892, \$26,945 was allowed for the current year. For the coming year \$27,420 is asked. The increase is approximately accounted for, as follows:

Superintendent, increase of salary.....	\$500 00
Chief Operator, ".....	700 00

The same relative positions in telegraph companies and elsewhere command even larger salaries than are here asked for the Superintendent of Telegraph and the Chief Operator.

As the repeated demands made by the Commissioners for an appropriation to carry out the provisions of section 517½ of the Consolidation Act, which charged this Bureau "with the duty of enforcing all the provisions of this title (title 5, "Consolidation Act), and all the rules, regulations, orders and requirements made thereunder in regard to electrical wires and the currents for furnishing light, "heat or power, for any building in said city," etc., have been entirely ignored, the estimate of appropriation required to put this provision of law into operation has been made separate.

Attention is invited to the following provision, quoted from the section of the law referred to:

"The expense herein imposed shall be provided for in the annual appropriation for said Department."

Although the law seems to be mandatory, its provisions cannot be enforced by the Department without an appropriation for the purpose.

Attorney to the Department Pay-roll (sections 48 and 52, chapter 410, 1882):

Attorney.....	4,000 00
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Repair Shops Pay-roll (sections 48 and 428, chapter 410, 1882):

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.....	\$2,000 00
Storekeeper.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Clerk.....	900 00
Engineer.....	1,200 00
Foreman, at \$5 per day.....	1,560 00
Temporary Bookkeeper, at \$4 per day.....	1,248 00
24 Machinists, at \$3 per day.....	22,464 00
Machinist, at \$4 per day.....	1,248 00
5 Machinists' Helpers, at \$2 per day.....	3,120 00
7 Blacksmiths, at \$3 per day.....	6,552 00
Blacksmith's Helper, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 00
4 Blacksmith's Helpers, at \$2.10 per day.....	2,363 00
Woodworker, at \$3 per day.....	936 00
Carpenter, at \$3 per day.....	936 00
7 Wheelwrights, at \$3 per day.....	6,552 00
2 Harnessmakers, at \$3 per day.....	1,872 00
Harnessmaker's Helper, at \$2 per day.....	624 00
3 Hose-repairers, at \$3 per day.....	2,808 00
2 Hose-repairers' Helpers, at \$2.50 per day.....	1,825 00
Painter, at \$4 per day.....	1,248 00
2 Painters, at \$3 per day.....	1,872 00
5 Painters, at \$2.75 per day.....	4,490 00
Watchman, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 00
Janitor, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 00
4 Drivers, at \$2.50 per day.....	3,650 00
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day.....	1,872 00
	78,276 00

The estimate for this branch of the Department is the same as the one submitted last year, and amounts to \$11,276 more than was allowed for this year. The increase is entirely for additions to the mechanical force, which are very urgently needed. During the last ten years the number of fires has increased more than sixty per centum, while the appropriation for this branch of the Department has been increased in that time less than twenty per centum. The increase herein asked for represents for the same period only thirty-five per centum.

Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll (sections 48 and 428, chapter 410, 1882)—
Foreman \$1,500 00
Driver 912 00
10 Stablen, at \$2 per day 7,300 00

\$9,712 00

The amount allowed for this branch for the current year was \$7,522. The increase, therefore, amounts to \$2,190, being for three additional Stablen, at \$2 per day, which are rendered necessary by the greater number of horses trained, and of sick horses, as well as by the fact that the number of men detailed from the uniformed force at the stables has been decreased.

Total salaries \$1,816,870 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc. (sections 181, 424, 425 and 426, chapter 410, 1882)—

Apparatus:
New \$30,000 00
Repairs 8,000 00
Implements, etc. 7,000 00

\$45,000 00

Buildings:
Alterations \$37,000 00
Repairs 38,000 00

\$75,000 00

Fuel:
Cannel coal \$5,000 00
Anthracite and Cumberland coal 37,000 00
Wood 1,600 00

43,600 00

Gas, etc. 16,000 00
General supplies 40,000 00

Horses:
New horses \$24,000 00
Removing manure 1,200 00
Incidentals, extra horse-hire and medicines 1,500 00

26,700 00

Forage 50,000 00
Horseshoeing 15,500 00
Harness and Harness Shop 6,000 00

Hose Shop and new hose:
New hose \$30,000 00
Materials, suction, nozzles, etc. 6,000 00

36,000 00

Machine and Paint Shops—Materials, etc. 15,500 00
Rents 5,000 00

Telegraph Supplies and Repairs:
Labor \$25,000 00
Telephone rent 2,200 00
Materials 6,000 00
Repairs, etc. 3,500 00
New boxes 1,000 00
Keyless doors 2,500 00
Alarm box signs 500 00
Box alterations 1,000 00

41,700 00

Maintenance fire-boats 25,000 00

\$441,000 00

\$400,000 was allowed for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," for the current year. The above estimate is therefore \$41,000 more. The principal items of increase are for "Buildings—Repairs and Alterations," about \$15,000; for "General Supplies," \$13,000; "Horses," \$7,000; "Forage," \$5,000; "Hose," \$5,000. This comparison is with the allowance made by the Commissioners for these several items out of the gross appropriation of \$400,000 made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The amount allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the present year was very low, and an inspection of the houses of the Department shows the necessity for the increase in that item during the coming year.

For the item "General Supplies" the increase is required to enable the refurnishing of a number of company houses which very much need it.

The increase for "Horses" is, as a recent inspection of all the horses of the Department shows, an absolute necessity.

The price of forage has already advanced, and is expected to advance still more, which renders the increase for this purpose necessary.

The additional amount for the item "Hose" is also needed.

Aggregate \$2,257,870 00

The foregoing estimate, amounting to two millions two hundred and fifty-seven thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars (\$2,257,870), is adopted as the sum of money which will be required for the expense necessary to the administration of the Fire Department of the City of New York for the year 1895.

J. J. SCANNELL,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF, } Fire
S. HOWLAND ROBBINS, } Commissioners.

NEW YORK, September 1, 1894.

Comparative Statement to Accompany Departmental Estimate for 1895.

	ESTIMATE FOR 1894.	APPROPRIATION FOR 1894.	ESTIMATE FOR 1895.
For Salaries—			
Headquarters	\$57,910 00	\$51,530 00	\$57,494 00
Instructor, Corps Sappers and Miners.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Chief of Department and Assistants	57,300 00	57,300 00	57,300 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies.....	1,530,600 00	1,467,900 00	1,535,918 00
Bureau of Combustibles.....	17,500 00	17,500 00	17,500 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal.....	9,900 00	9,700 00	9,900 00
Bureau of Fire-alarm Telegraph and Electrical Appliances...	54,750 00	29,945 00	44,770 00
Attorney.....	6,500 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Repair Shops.....	78,276 00	67,000 00	78,276 00
Hospital and Training Stables.....	7,522 00	7,522 00	9,712 00
Total Salaries.....	\$1,822,258 00	\$1,715,337 00	\$1,816,870 00
For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	463,000 00	400,000 00	441,000 00
For Placing and Maintaining Fire-alarm Electrical Conductors } underground	150,000 00	30,000 00	.....
For New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies...	100,000 00	60,000 00	.....
For New Sites for Apparatus Houses.....	75,000 00	35,000 00	.....
Total usual purposes.....	\$2,610,258 00	\$2,240,337 00	\$2,257,870 00
For Elm Street Improvement.....	110,000 00	.....	.....
For Emergencies and Contingencies.....	50,000 00	.....	.....
Aggregate	\$2,770,258 00	\$2,240,337 00	\$2,257,870 00

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
No. 2622 THIRD AVENUE, CORNER 141ST STREET,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, December 14, 1894.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 13, 1894:

Permits Issued.

For sewer connections.....	10
For sewer repairs.....	5
For Croton connections.....	12
For Croton repairs.....	15
For placing building material.....	6
For crossing sidewalk with team.....	2
For miscellaneous purposes.....	7
Total.....	57

Public Moneys Received.

For sewer connections.....	\$130 00
For restoring pavements.....	77 00
For building vaults.....	153 60
Total.....	\$360 60

Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

Foremen.....	5	Team.....	1
Skilled Laborers.....	6	Carpenters.....	2
Sewer Laborers.....	6	Cleaners.....	3
Laborers.....	37		
Machinist.....	1		
Carts.....	3		
Total.....	64		

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week \$79,820 64

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met at the Mayor's office on Friday, December 12, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., pursuant to notice.

The roll was called, and the following members were present and answered to their names:

The Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Absent—The Mayor.

Owing to the absence of the Mayor, on motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Friday next, the 14th instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1894.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, December 14, 1894.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Dec. 8, 1894	30	\$51 50
Monday, " 10, "	59	145 00
Tuesday, " 11, "	68	594 75
Wednesday, " 12, "	82	1,192 50
Thursday, " 13, "	60	621 25
Friday, " 14, "	76	103 50
Totals.....	375	\$2,711 50

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

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

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9); JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4); WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE FRATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings Room 14.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrear of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

Office of the Public Administrator

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

Bureau of Street Openings.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; **CHAS. E. SIMMONS**, **M. D.**, and **EDWARD C. SHEEHY**, Commissioners; **GEORGE F. BRITTON**, Secretary.
 Purchasing Agent, **FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN**. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 4 P. M.
 Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 12 M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
 Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. **WILLIAM BLAKE**, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; **ANTHONY EICKHOFF** and **S. HOWLAND ROBBINS**, Commissioners; **CARL JUSSEY**, Secretary.
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; **PETER SEERY**, Inspector of Combustibles; **JAMES MITCHELL**, Fire Marshal; **WM. L. FINDLER**, Attorney to Department; **J. ELLIOT SMITH**, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph. Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and **CYRUS EDSON**, **M. D.**, the President of the Police Board, *ex officio*, and the Health Officer of the Port, *ex officio*, Commissioners; **EMMONS CLARK**, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL P. HAYS, Chairman; **LEMUEL SKIDMORE** and **LEE PHILLIPS**, *ex officio*, Members of the Supervisory Board; **LEE PHILLIPS**, Secretary and Executive Officer; **JOHN FOORD**, Examiner.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; **E. P. BARKER** (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, and the COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, Members; **CHARLES V. ADIE**, Clerk.
 Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman; **EDWARD CAHILL**, **PATRICK M. HARTY** and **HENRY A. GUMBLITON**, Assessors; **WM. H. JASPER**, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, President; **MICHAEL C. MURPHY** and **EUGENE L. BUSH**, Commissioners; **JAMES F. BISHOP**, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN B. SEXTON, Sheriff; **WM. H. McDONOUGH**, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FERDINAND LEVY, Register; **JOHN VON GLAHN**, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT B. NOONEY, Commissioner; **JAMES E. CONNER**, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY D. PURROY, County Clerk; **P. J. SCULLY**, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; **EDWARD T. FLYNN**, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books
 No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.
W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; **EDWARD H. HAYES**, Assistant Supervisor; **JOHN J. McGRATH**, Examiner.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, **JOHN B. SHEA**, **EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK** and **WILLIAM H. DOBBS**, Coroners.
EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens 10:30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; **GEORGE L. INGRAM**, **ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE**, **GEORGE C. BARRETT**, **GEORGE P. ANDREWS**, **EDWARD PATTERSON** and **MORGAN J. O'BRIEN**, Justices; **HENRY D. PURROY**, Clerk.
 General Term, Room No. 9, **WILLIAM LAMB, Jr.**, Clerk.
 Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, ————
 Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, **WILLIAM J. HULL**, Clerk.
 Chambers, Room No. 11, **AMERSON A. McCALL**, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, **WALTER A. BRADY**, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, **JOHN LERSCHER**, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part III, Room No. 15, **GEORGE F. LYON**, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, **J. LEWIS LYON**, Clerk.

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. 17.
 Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 10, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
SIMON M. EHRLICH, Chief Justice; **ROBERT A. VAN WYCK**, **JAMES M. FITZSIMONS**, **JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER**, **JOHN H. MCCARTHY** and **LEWIS J. CONLAN**, Justices; **JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK**, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk; 10 A. M. till 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 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Part I, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Part II, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH F. DALY, Chief Judge; **MILES BEACH**, **HENRY BOOKSTAVEN**, **HENRY BISCHOFF, JR.**, **ROGER A. PRYON** and **LEONARD A. GREGERICH**, Judges; **ALFRED WAGSTAFF**, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
JAMES P. KEATING, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; **RANDOLPH B. MARTINE**, **JAMES FITZGERALD** and **RUFUS B. COWING**, Judges.
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, opens 11 A. M. adjourns 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.
JOHN SPEDWICK, Chief Judge; **JOHN J. FREEDMAN**, **CHARLES H. TRUAX**, **P. HENRY DUGRO**, **DAVID McADAM** and **HENRY A. GILDERSLERVE**, Judges; **THOMAS BOESE**, Chief Clerk.

POLICE COURTS.

Judge—**CHARLES WELDE**, **DANIEL F. McMAHON**, **EDWARD HOGAN**, **CHARLES N. TANTON**, **CLARENCE W. MEADE**, **PATRICK DUVYER**, **THOMAS F. GRADY**, **JOHN R. VOORHIS**, **WILLIAM H. BUKE**, **CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR.**, **JOSEPH KOCH**, **BERNARD F. MARTIN**, **JOHN J. RYAN**, **THOMAS L. FEITNER**, and **JOSEPH M. DEUEL**.
JAMES McCABE, Secretary.
 Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 First District—Jombs, 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.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

PROPOSALS FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT-SOIL, OFFAL AND DEAD ANIMALS FROM THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 566 AND 567 OF THE NEW YORK CITY CONSOLIDATION ACT OF 1882.

Proposals for the removal of night-soil, offal and dead animals from the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of sections 566 and 567 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, will be received by the Board of Health at its office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 1 o'clock P. M. of the 19th day of December, 1894.

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

The person or persons making proposals for this contract must be thoroughly equipped and well prepared for the business. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$50,000.

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

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

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities at 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 Board of Health after the proposal is accepted and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Secretary of the Board.

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

By order of the Board of Health.

CHARLES G. WILSON, President.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.**PROPOSALS FOR TWELVE HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1895.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING twelve hundred (1,200) tons of (2,240 pounds each) White Ash Coal, as required, during the year 1895, and in accordance with the 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 1 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 27, 1894. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,200 Tons White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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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 THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

Dated New York, December 15, 1894.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
 Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.**PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1895.****SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING**

all the Meats required for the year 1895 to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 27, 1894. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1895," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES 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 furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; 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 THOUSAND (\$50,000) DOLLARS.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.

Dated New York, December 15, 1894.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
 Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.**PROPOSALS FOR FORTY-THREE THOUSAND (43,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1895.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Department of Public Charities and Correction, during the year 1895, as may be required and in accordance with the specifications,

FORTY-THREE THOUSAND (43,000) TONS (2,240 POUNDS EACH) OF WHITE ASH COAL,

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 1 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, December 27, 1894. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 43,000 Tons White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES 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 FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000) DOLLARS.

See General Conditions of Bidding below.**GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING.**

Dated NEW YORK, December 15, 1894.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries and other Supplies during the year 1895, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 26, 1894.

- 42,000 pounds Butter, in tubs of about 60 pounds each net, to be of uniform color, pure, entirely sweet and clean of flavor.
- 3,800 pounds Cocoa.
- 1,200 pounds fine Oolong Tea, in original packages.
- 1,050 pounds fine Young Hyson Tea, in original packages.
- 80 barrels Soda Biscuit, barrels to be returned.
- 88 barrels fine Flour, "Pillsbury's" Best.
- 25 barrels Biscuits, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 to the barrel.
- 40 barrels prime quality Malt Vinegar.
- 688 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured and to average not less than five pounds each, to be delivered as required in boxes of four quintals each.
- 100 tubs prime kettle-rendered Lard, in packages of about 50 pounds each.
- 1,200 bushels Rye, well grown and clean.
- 170 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
- 120 dozen Sea Foam.
- 86 dozen Chow Chow, C. & B., pints.
- 60 dozen Tomato Catsup.
- 80 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, L. & P., pints.
- 24 dozen Olive Oil, quarts.
- 3,800 pounds Candles, in 40-pound boxes, 16 ounces to the pound.
- 200 pounds Ball Blue.
- 225 barrels prime Sal Soda, about 350 pounds each.
- 95 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. chlorine.
- 100 dozen Sapallo (Morgan's).
- 100 dozen Sage.
- 100 dozen Thyme.
- 75 dozen Extract Vanilla.
- 60 dozen Extract Lemon.
- 60 dozen Gherkins, C. & B., pints.
- 30 dozen Cox's Gelatine.
- 25 dozen Currant Jelly.
- 600 pounds Saltpetre.
- 60 pounds Powdered Borax.
- 75 pounds Indigo.
- 900 pounds Pure Mustard.

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 Groceries, Provisions, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The 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 1889.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as 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 and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no

estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries and other Supplies during the year 1895, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, December 26, 1894.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

- 24,500 pounds Oolong Tea, in half chests, free from all admixture and in original packages as imported.
- 46,750 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
- 13,450 pounds Chicory.
- 14,500 pounds Cheese, State Factory, full cream, fine, and bearing the State brand stenciled on each box.
- 19,875 pounds Dried Apples.
- 50,500 pounds Barley, No. 3.
- 8,700 pounds Maracabo Coffee, roasted.
- 21,700 pounds Wheaten Grits.
- 72,700 pounds Hominy.
- 7,150 pounds Macaroni.
- 88,000 pounds Oatmeal.
- 3,800 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.
- 323 pounds Ground Pepper, pure, in foil, 1/4 lbs.
- 13,150 pounds Rice.
- 145,500 pounds Brown Sugar.
- 189,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
- 32,250 pounds Standard Cut Leaf Sugar.
- 17,050 pounds Standard Granulated Sugar.
- 61,600 pounds Laundry Starch.
- 10,800 pounds Laundry Starch.
- 6,750 pounds Corn Starch.
- 2,800 pounds Tapioca.
- 663 barrels prime quality American Salt, in barrels of 20 pounds net.
- 240 barrels Syrup.
- 68,725 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh and candled at the time of delivery, and to be furnished in cases of the usual size.
- 1,541 bushels Beans, not to be older than the crop of 1894, and to weigh 62 pounds net to the bushel.
- 937 bushels Peas, not to be older than the crop of 1894, and to weigh 60 pounds net to the bushel.
- 67,800 pounds Fine Meal, free from adulteration, in bags of 50 pounds net.
- 610 bags Coarse Meal, free from cob, in bags of 100 pounds net.
- 7,000 bags Bran, in bags of 50 pounds net.
- 19,100 bushels mixed No. 2 Oats, 32 pounds net to the bushel.
- 8,800 barrels White Potatoes, to be good, sound and of fair size, to weigh 172 pounds net to the barrel; barrels to be returned.
- 328,500 pounds Hay, prime quality Timothy, tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 337,000 long bright Rye Straw, weight and tare same conditions as on hay.
- 247,000 pounds Brown Soap of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure" and Family Soap; to be delivered in 10's of not less than 4000 pounds, and all to be delivered within 90 days after the contract is awarded. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 60 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Storehouse, B. I.; an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material; it must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts of alcohol of ninety-four per cent, and contain not more than thirty-three per cent. of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for the same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

PAINTS AND OILS.

- 62,500 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from all adulterations and added impurities, subject to analysis if necessary, to be delivered in 25 to 100 pound packages, as required.

- 43 barrels pure quality boiled Linseed Oil.
- 56 barrels prime quality raw Linseed Oil.
- 76 barrels prime quality Turpentine.
- 325 bags prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

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 Groceries, Provisions, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The 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 1889.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Cor-

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as 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 and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in FIFTEEN HUNDRED (\$1,500) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

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

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

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

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

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

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in SIX THOUSAND (\$6,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, December 12, 1894.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

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

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

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

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 470, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished

at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

About 24,000 pounds of Poultry.

52 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.

93 barrels good quality and fair size Red Apples, each barrel to contain two and a-half bushels.

27 barrels prime quality "Family" Pork.

For use on Christmas.

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made of Poultry on Monday, December 24, 1894, before 7 o'clock A. M., all in accordance with specifications.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December 9, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

10. 750 pounds, more or less, of pure CHLOROFORM, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 1-pound bottles, packed 50 in a case.

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

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

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

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

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

16. 175 pounds, more or less, of pure BEECHWOOD CREOSOTE, U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 3-pound glass-stoppered bottles, in lots of not less than 25 pounds at a time.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

24. 120 dozen, more or less, of CLINICAL THERMOMETERS, to be substantially made, with single bulb, plain front, indestructible index, flat back, having each even degree numbered, the graduation between 94 and 100 extending over a space not shorter than 1 1/2 inches, and to be correct within 0.2 of a degree, as determined by the standard thermometer at the General Drug Department. The thermometers are to be delivered in hard rubber cases. Empty cases are to be taken back by the contractor, and the price bid for the same is to be deducted from each bill.

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

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

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

27. 150 ounces of MORPHINE SULPHATE, of the standard of the U. S. Pharm. (1890). To be delivered in 1/4-ounce vials, original packages of the manufacturer.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(a) Round Shoulder, Bos-on Style, Narrow Mouth.

80 gross 1 ounce. 5 gross in a box.

80 " 2 " 5 " "

120 " 4 " 3 " "

120 " 8 " 2 " "

8 " 32 " 1/2 " "

(b) Union Oval.

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested, and 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 470, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies 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 debt 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 section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR TOWING AND unloading scows at Riker's Island until the sixteenth day of April, 1895, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Centre and Franklin streets, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon, December 26, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Form of contract and proposals may be had at the Department of Street Cleaning.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF PERMITS FOR THE TEMPORARY OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC STREETS BY LICENSED VEHICLES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHAPTER 697, Laws of 1894, authorizes the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to grant permits for the temporary occupancy of portions of the streets and public places in the City of New York, from 4 P. M. until 8 A. M., and on Sundays and legal holidays only, by unlicensed licensed trucks or other unlicensed vehicles owned by residents of the City of New York who have the consent of the owner or lessee of the abutting property upon the condition that the owners of trucks or vehicles for which such permits are issued shall keep the street clean under and around said trucks or vehicles, and subject to such other rules and conditions as the said Commissioner may from time to time prescribe, which permits the said Commissioner may at any time revoke.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

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

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

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

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

TO PRINTERS AND LITHOGRAPHERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

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

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

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for all the printing, lithographing or stamping required by any department or court—all the District Courts being considered as one, the blanks, etc., being similar—unless there be an item involving more than five hundred dollars, or several items each involving the expenditure of a like sum, in which case a contract or contracts will be made with the lowest bidder or bidders on such item or items, and the contract for the remainder of the work for the department will be awarded to the bidder ascertained to be lowest after the deduction of such item or items. The bids must, therefore, be in detail on the items required for a department or court.

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

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

tionate part of the contract price, when it shall appear that the contractor has done his work, until temporary stayed by the inability of a department, etc., to furnish "copy."

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

Blanks, etc., must be dated "1895," unless otherwise marked; but those of the Bureau of Assessments in the Finance Department shall have only the date "1895." Particular care must be taken that the names of the new incumbents of offices are put upon the blanks, etc. For instance, Mayor, William L. Strong; President of the Board of Aldermen, John Jeroloman; Sheriff, Edward J. H. Tamsen; Recorder, John W. Goff; Judge of the Superior Court, Henry R. Beckman; Coroners, William O'Meara and Emil W. Hoerber.

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

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.

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

THOMAS F. GILROY,

Mayor.

WM. H. CLARK,

Counsel to the Corporation.

MICHAEL T. DALY,

Commissioner of Public Works.

W. J. K. KENNY,

Supervisor of the City Record.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, December 28, 1894, for supplying New Furniture (Item I. of the Specifications) for New School Building on north-east corner of Eighth-first street and Avenue A.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,

JOSEPH FETTREICH, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, December 15, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, December 28, 1894, for supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Grammar School Building No. 57; also, for New Furniture for the Addition to Grammar School Building No. 43.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,

ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, December 15, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, December 27, 1894, for supplying a Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the Addition to Grammar School Building No. 60, erected on north side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and College avenue.

JAMES A. FERGUSON, Chairman,

J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, December 14, 1894.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, December 19, 1894, for supplying New Pianos for Grammar School No. 6, at Eighty-fifth street and Madison avenue.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,

JOSEPH FETTREICH, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, December 6, 1894.

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

SAMUEL RINALDO, Chairman,

FRANCIS COAN, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

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

JAMES A. FERGUSON, Chairman,

J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, December 1, 1894.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR CONVEYING pupils from Williamsbridge to Grammar School No. 64, and return, in two stages, on every school day from and including January 3, 1895, to and including July

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1894.

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 Friday, December 28, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING LEXINGTON AVENUE, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and Second street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, from Bradhurst avenue to Eighth avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TWO HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to United States Channel Line, Harlem river, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TWO HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Harlem river, 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 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be

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

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

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

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

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

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

Register's Office.
City Record Book Bindery.
New Court-house.
Harlem Court-house.
Brown-stone (Court-room) Building.
City Hall.
Corporation Counsel's Office.
Corporation Attorney's Office.
Office of Public Administrator.
Criminal Court-house.
Office of Board of Assessors.
Office of Department of Buildings.
Office of Department of Public Works.
Office of Commissioner of Street Improvements.
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
County Jail.
Corporation Yard, East Sixteenth street.
Corporation Yard, West Fifty-sixth street.
Rivington street Pipe Yard.
Pipe Yard, East Twenty-fourth street.

Repair Shop of Bureau of Streets and Roads, West One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Columbus avenue.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, West Thirtieth street.

Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East Eighty-seventh street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, No. 3351 Third avenue.
Tool Shop of Water Purveyor, No. 186 Mulberry street.

South Gate-house.
Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.
Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street.

Office of Chief Engineer, Croton Aqueduct, High Bridge.
Public Bath at Battery.

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

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

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the Commissioner

of Public Works of the City of New York, if an award for a portion is made warranting a less amount of security.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 right is reserved, when an estimate is made containing bids for supplying gas to one or more of the markets, armories, buildings, offices, etc., as aforesaid, to accept from such estimate or bid so much thereof as may be the lowest in respect to each particular market, armory, building or office as aforesaid, and to reject the remainder of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lighting any particular market, armory, building, office, etc., will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder on the lighting of each particular market, armory, building, office, etc.

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

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

The right to decline all estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation, by the Commissioner of Public Works, and no estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

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

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

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

TERMS OF SALE.

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS

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

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number

of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

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

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING Horses, not exceeding eighty (80) in the aggregate, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, December 28, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has

been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, December 15, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE WATER TOWER.

to this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, December 28, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The apparatuses are to be completed and delivered within ninety (90) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING the materials and labor and doing the work required in making alterations, etc., to the fire-boiler "Wm. F. Havemeyer" (Engine Company No. 43) of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, December 28, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to

be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, 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 seven hundred (700) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of thirty-five (35) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE WATER TOWER

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

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

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

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

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

The apparatuses are to be completed and delivered within ninety (90) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 13, 1894.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, December 26, 1894:

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The quantities to be furnished and by which the bids will be tested, are as follows:

255,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
50,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
3,800 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, eighty pounds to the bag.
350 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, one hundred and twelve pounds to the bag.
350 bags first quality Bran, forty pounds to the bag.

All of the articles are to be delivered, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed, at the following places:

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).
Sixty-sixth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).
Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).
One Hundred and Fifth street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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 in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and

that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must 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 ten days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Blank forms for proposal and forms of the contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
A. B. TAPPEN,
NATHAN STRAUS,
EDWARD BELL,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 489.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH RIVER, BETWEEN THE BATTERY AND WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows:

Mud dredging, not to exceed 200,000 cubic yards.

N. B.—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 dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between the Battery and West Thirty-fourth street, on the North river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of May, 1895.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Commissioners of the Department of Docks,
Dated New York, November 22, 1894.

(Work of Construction Under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 488.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12"	6,198
" " " " 6" x 6"	1,647
Total	7,845

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of waste.

- 3/4" x 10" square wrought-iron 598 pounds.
- Dock-spikes, about 1,000 cubic yards.
- Sand or Cow Bay Gravel, about 3,268 cubic yards.
- Paving to be laid, about 3,268 square yards.

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

5. Filling to be furnished and rammed in place, about..... 966 cubic yards.
6. Labor of all kinds, including removal of existing earth, etc., all grading, spreading, leveling, ramming of earth, paving sand or gravel and paving blocks, moving of paving-blocks, timber, etc., framing and carpentry, etc., as set forth in the specifications, and as directed by the Engineer.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 9th day of February, 1895, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All surplus material excavated will be removed by the contractor.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of 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.

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

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

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

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

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

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, November 1, 1894.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Wednesday, December 19, 1894, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order.

CHARLES H. KNOX,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.
Dated New York, December 12, 1894.

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

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

PUBLIC POUND.

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

MICHAEL DONOHUE,

Pound Master.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owners 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 4723, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Lexington Avenue, commencing at One Hundred and Twenty-first street and extending south about 125 feet, and on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Lexington Avenue to Sylvan place.

List 4724, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third Avenue to Sylvan place.

List 4725, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Seventy-first street, commencing at Central Park, West, and extending 150 feet westerly.

List 4726, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding northwest corner of Vandam and Macdougall streets, extending a distance of about 65 feet on Vandam street and about 40 feet on Macdougall street.

List 4727, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of Ninety-third street, commencing at Madison Avenue and extending easterly about 100 feet.

List 4728, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding west side of Central Park, West, from Sixty-seventh to Seventieth street, and from Seventy-sixth to Seventy-seventh street.

List 4729, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding west side of Avenue A, between Seventieth and Seventy-second streets, and between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets.

List 4730, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Lexington Avenue, commencing at One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and extending north about 100 feet.

List 4731, No. 9. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Lexington Avenue, from One Hundred and Eighteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

List 4732, No. 10. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Thirty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 4733, No. 11. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Seventh Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, and on both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Lenox to Seventh Avenue.

List 4734, No. 12. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Seventh Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

List 4735, No. 13. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of One Hundred and Third street, from Columbus to Amsterdam Avenue.

List 4736, No. 14. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of Sixty-seventh street, from Amsterdam to West End Avenue.

List 4737, No. 15. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Ninety-sixth street, between Park and Madison Avenues.

List 4738, No. 16. Fencing the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Park and Madison Avenues.

List 4739, No. 17. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Third Avenue to Railroad Avenue, East, together with a list of awards for damages caused by change of grade.

List 4740, No. 18. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Courtlandt Avenue to Railroad Avenue, East, together with a list of awards for damages caused by 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. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Lexington Avenue and Sylvan place, on Block 411, Ward Nos. 50½, 51 and 52.

No. 2. North side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Sylvan place to Third Avenue.

No. 3. South side of Seventy-first street, extending about 125 feet westerly from Central Park, West.

No. 4. Northwest corner of Vandam and Macdougall streets, extending about 20 feet on Macdougall street and about 75 feet in Vandam street.

No. 5. North side of Ninety-third street, east of Madison Avenue, on Block 478, Ward Nos. 23, 24 and 25.

No. 6. West side of Central Park, West, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth street, on Block 114, Ward Nos. 29 to 34, inclusive, and between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, on Block 116, Ward Nos. 30, 31 and 32.

No. 7. West side of Avenue A, between Seventieth and Seventy-second streets, and between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets.

No. 8. East side of Lexington Avenue, extending about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-first street.

No. 9. East side of Lexington Avenue, from One Hundred and Eighteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, on Block 409, Ward No. 20, and Block 410, Ward Nos. 21 and 21½.

No. 10. South side of Thirty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue.

No. 11. East side of Seventh Avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Lenox to Seventh Avenue, on Block 722, Ward Nos. 36, 50, 51, 59, 59½, 60 and 61, and Block 723, Ward Nos. 7½, 8½, 9½, 10½, 13 to 28, inclusive.

No. 12. East side of Seventh Avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

No. 13. South side of One Hundred and Third street, between Columbus and Amsterdam Avenues, on Block 1020, Ward Nos. 41, 43, 60 and 61.

No. 14. North side of Sixty-seventh street, between Amsterdam and West End Avenues, on Block 202, Ward Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22 and 23.

No. 15. North side of Ninety-sixth street, between Park and Madison Avenues.

No. 16. East side of Madison Avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, east of Madison Avenue, on Block 490, Ward Nos. 21, 47½, 48 and 50 to 54, inclusive.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Third Avenue to Railroad Avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Railroad Avenue, East, to Courtlandt Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at 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 18th day of January, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,

PATRICK M. HAVERTY,

EDWARD CAHILL,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK, December 17, 1894.

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

List 4726, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Willis to Brook Avenue, together with list of awards for damages caused by change of grade.

List 4727, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Washington Avenue and Railroad Avenue, East.

List 4718, No. 3. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Park and Madison Avenues.

List 4740, No. 4. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of Forty-sixth street, between First and Second Avenues.

List 4741, No. 5. Fencing the vacant lots on the west side of Park Avenue, commencing 25 feet north of Ninety-fifth street and extending north 125 feet.

List 4742, No. 6. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Sixty-ninth street, west of Central Park, West.

List 4743, No. 7. Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, between First and Second Avenues.

List 4772, No. 8. Fencing the vacant lots on the northeast corner of Eighty-first street and Riverside Drive, extending 100 feet east and 100 feet north.

List 4773, No. 9. Fencing the vacant lots on the west side of Boulevard, from Ninety-first to Ninety-second street, and on south side of Ninety-second street, from Boulevard to West End Avenue.

List 4774, No. 10. Fencing the vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, First and Second Avenues.

List 4775, No. 11. Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Third street, between Second and Third Avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Willis to Brook Avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Washington Avenue to Railroad Avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenues.

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

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

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

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

No. 7. North side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between First and Second Avenues, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, between First and Second Avenues, on Block 222, Ward Nos. 5, 6, 11, 12, 41 and 42, also Block 223, Ward Nos. 15 to 18, inclusive.

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

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

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

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

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 13th day of January, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman,

PATRICK M. HAVERTY,

EDWARD CAHILL,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK, December 12, 1894.

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

List 3977, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and

flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Courtlandt to Morris Avenue, together with a list of awards for damages by reason of change of grade.

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

List 4410, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Vanderbilt Avenue, East, to Third Avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

List 4794, No. 17. Receiving basin and appurtenances on the southeast corner of Brook Avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Courtlandt to Morris Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

All persons whose interests are

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for public use as and for a public park and public parkway, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 36 of the Laws of 1894.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, appointed, by an order of the General Term of the Supreme Court, Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises laid out, appropriated or designated by chapter 36 of the Laws of 1894, for a public park or parkway, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and Edgecombe and Bradhurst avenues, or so much thereof as we shall deem advisable to be acquired for said purposes, will hold a public meeting in Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering and determining the question whether the whole, or, if less than the whole, how much of the lands and premises specified in said Act of the Legislature shall be acquired for said public purposes.

An opportunity will be afforded at such time and place to all persons who may so desire to be heard in regard to said questions.

Dated New York, December 11, 1894.

THOMAS P. WICKES,
PIERRE V. B. HOES,
CONRAD HARRES,
Commissioners.

GEORGE O'REILLY, 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 ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam Avenue and the Kingsbridge Road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a second-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1894, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, December 14, 1894.

EDWARD B. LA FETRA,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
HENRY W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

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

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

Dated New York, December 10, 1894.

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

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

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

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

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

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

3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 91° 12' 20" to the left for 60.0 feet;

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

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

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.

WILLIAM H. CLARK,
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No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to PLYMPTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Orchard Street and Boscobel Avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 5th day of November, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Plympton Avenue, as shown in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 23d day of June, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled Plan and Profiles showing the laying-out of Nelson Avenue, from Devoe Street to Kemp Place; also showing the location, width, course, windings, classification and grades of Nelson Avenue, from Devoe Street to Feathered Lane, and of Fisk Place, from Plympton Avenue to Nelson Avenue, prepared by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, under chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, in order to render more definite and certain a part of the map of the High Bridge District, filed by the Board of Parks, September 9, 1884, and another map made under authority of chapter 407 of the Laws of 1885 and filed by the Board of Parks, May 16, 1888, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 17th day of February, 1894, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of February, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 21st day of February, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (December 5, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of December, 1894, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 5, 1894.

C. W. WEST,
JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WALTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the south side of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh Street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Walton Avenue, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or plan showing revised system of avenues and streets lying between Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, Jerome Avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street, Mott Avenue, Juliet Street, and Walton Avenue, also showing River Avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street to the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York," and filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks on the 27th day of August, 1889, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of August, 1889, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 31st day of August, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the Act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at

our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (November 23, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of December, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, November 23, 1894.

JOHN H. ROGAN,
JOHN L. N. HUNT,
LOUIS E. BINSSE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883. Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Supreme Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 29th day of December, 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, who shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, namely, the City and County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in said chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

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

"We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section of said act, this 17th day of October, 1894." Signed: J. C. Duane, John J. Tucker, Francis M. Scott, H. W. Cannon, Aqueeduct Commissioners.

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

Beginning at the intersection formed by the westerly boundary of the Moshulu Parkway and the northwesterly boundary of Jerome Avenue; thence south 41 degrees 04 minutes 15 seconds west 1,024.73 feet along said boundary of Jerome Avenue; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue south 18 degrees 27 minutes 45 seconds west 1,346.91 feet; thence still on said boundary curving to the right with a radius of 266.176 feet and an angle of 72 degrees 03 minutes 15 seconds a distance of 307.26 feet on said curve; thence north 82 degrees 29 minutes west along said Avenue 110.84 feet; thence still along said Avenue on a curve to the left with a radius of 597.2 feet and an angle of 40 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds a distance of 355.642 feet on said curve; thence south 57 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds west along said boundary 735.7 feet; thence still along said boundary, curving to the left with a radius of 468.263 feet and an angle of 27 degrees 01 minute 45 seconds, a distance of 220.9026 feet on said curve; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue south 30 degrees 18 minutes 45 seconds west 1,007.95 feet to the northerly boundary line of the Kingsbridge Road; thence along said boundary south 81 degrees 40 minutes 45 seconds west 275.47 feet; thence north 81 degrees 04 minutes 45 seconds west 50 feet; thence north 70 degrees 34 minutes 15 seconds west 36 feet; thence north 55 degrees 12 minutes 15 seconds west 47 feet; thence north 46 degrees 07 minutes 45 seconds west 191 feet along said Kingsbridge Road; thence leaving said road and running along the northeasterly boundary of a lane leading into the George H. Warren property north 28 degrees 09 minutes 45 seconds west 84.5 feet; thence south 57 degrees 19 minutes 15 seconds west 73.4 feet; thence north 27 degrees 48 minutes 15 seconds west 65.78 feet; thence north 18 degrees 56 minutes 15 seconds west 55 feet; thence north 14 degrees 39 minutes 15 seconds west 34 feet; thence north 8 degrees 20 minutes 15 seconds west 34 feet; thence north 8 degrees 20 minutes 15 seconds east 29 feet; thence crossing said lane north 40 degrees 53 minutes 15 seconds west 40.21 feet to the northwesterly side of the aforesaid lane; thence along the northwesterly side of said lane north 35 degrees 49 minutes 10 seconds east 707.61 feet to the southerly corner of the land of George H. Warren; thence along the southeasterly front of said Warren's land north 32 degrees 13 minutes 25 seconds east 86.98 feet; thence north 15 degrees 10 minutes 45 seconds west, crossing said Warren's land and the land of H. B. Claffin, 1,083.31 feet; thence north 75 degrees 56 minutes west, still across said Claffin's land and along the northerly boundary of E. E. Eames' property, 684.59 feet to the easterly boundary line of Sedgwick Avenue; thence along the said boundary of said Avenue, north 14 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds east 39.915 feet to a point which is marked by a monument standing 10 feet in Sedgwick Avenue measured at right angles from said boundary of said Avenue at said point; thence still along said boundary of said Avenue on a curve to the right, with a radius of 1,120 feet and an angle of 27 degrees 21 minutes 20 seconds, a distance of 534.74 feet on said curve to a point which is marked by a monument standing as aforesaid; thence north 41 degrees 27 minutes 35 seconds east along said boundary 439.73 feet; thence curving to the left along said boundary with a radius of 1,280 feet and an angle of 20 degrees 22 minutes 41.8 seconds a distance of 455.256 feet on said curve; thence reversing and curving to the right along said boundary of Sedgwick Avenue, with a radius of 1,087.608 feet and an angle of 18 degrees 14 minutes 35.2 seconds a distance of 346.208 feet on said curve; thence still curving to the right with a radius of 300 feet and an angle of 53 degrees 19 minutes 06.6 seconds a distance of 279.175 feet to a point; thence crossing Lasher Street north 2 degrees 38 minutes 35 seconds east 79.90 feet; thence south 38 minutes 35 seconds east 44.733 feet and an angle of 116 degrees 50 minutes a distance of 91.216 feet on said curve; thence still along said Avenue north 29 degrees 28 minutes 35 seconds east 164.01 feet to a point which is fixed by a monument standing 10 feet at right angles from said point in said Avenue; thence curving to the left along said Avenue with a radius of 620 feet and an angle of 24 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds a distance of 262.14 feet; thence north 5 degrees 15 minutes 5.5 seconds east 414.66 feet to a point marked by a monument 10 feet into Sedgwick Avenue as aforesaid; thence curving to the right along said Avenue with a radius of 380 feet and an angle of 46 degrees 57 minutes 29.4 seconds a distance of 311.44 feet along said curve to a point fixed by a monument as aforesaid; thence leaving said Avenue at a right angle therefrom south 37 degrees 49 minutes 25.6 seconds east 44.47 feet; thence south 72 degrees 11 minutes 40 seconds east 67.56 feet; thence north 79 degrees 11 minutes 50 seconds east 788.92 feet to the westerly boundary of Van Cortlandt Avenue; thence north 16 degrees 52 minutes 15 seconds west along said boundary of said Avenue 44.18 feet to a point marked by a monument standing 4.97 feet at about right angles easterly from said boundary at said point;

thence south 72 degrees 49 minutes 45 seconds west 5.03 feet; thence north 17 degrees 10 minutes 15 seconds west into Sedgwick Avenue 94.60 feet; thence north 73 degrees 07 minutes 45 seconds east across aforesaid Van Cortlandt Avenue 71.32 feet to the easterly side thereof; thence south 59 degrees 46 minutes 55 seconds east 220.04 feet; thence north 79 degrees 11 minutes 50 seconds east 884.86 feet to a point in the westerly right-of-way line of the old Croton Aqueduct, which point is distant 33 feet measured westerly at right angles from a monument standing in the centre line of said Aqueduct; thence north 39 degrees 43 minutes 15 seconds east along said westerly right-of-way line of said Aqueduct 610.6 feet to the southerly boundary line of Van Cortlandt Park; thence south 76 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds east along said Park boundary and crossing said Aqueduct 174.18 feet to the westerly boundary of the aforesaid Moshulu Parkway; thence southerly on a curve to the left along said boundary of said Parkway with a radius of 1,382.9 feet and an angle of 37 degrees 39 minutes 24 seconds a distance of 908.889 feet; thence still along said boundary of said Parkway south 23 degrees 42 minutes 03 seconds east 993.4 feet to the place of beginning, containing 298.9775 acres.

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 16, 1894.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room 4), in said City, on the 18th day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers Street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1894, at the opening of court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 5, 1894.

EDWARD B. LA FEIRA, Chairman,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
H. W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

Beginning at a point in the western line of the Southern Boulevard distant 839.49 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Southern Boulevard with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.

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

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 127° 15' 50" to the left for 21.61 feet.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 7, 1894.

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