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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, September 26, 1893, }
11 o'clock A. M. }

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

PRESENT :

Hon. George B. McClellan, President ;

ALDERMEN

Andrew A. Noonan, Vice-President,	Patrick H. Keahon, Francis J. Lantry,	Charles Parks, Frank G. Rinn,
William A. Baumert,	John Long,	Frank Rogers,
Nicholas T. Brown,	Robert Muh,	Patrick J. Ryder,
William E. Burke,	John T. Oakley,	Robert B. Saul,
Bartholomew Donovan,	John J. O'Brien,	William Tait,
Cornelius Flynn,	James Owens,	Jacob C. Wund.
Peter Gecks,		

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
September 25, 1893. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without approval, the resolution of your Honorable Body, adopted September 19, 1893, to permit water-mains to be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Eagle avenue to the east side of Cauldwell avenue, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works, that "the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct reports that this part of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street is not graded and has no sewer, and that rock projects above the legally established grade. It should, therefore, be graded and sewered before water-mains are laid."

THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Eagle avenue to the east side of Cauldwell avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 602.)

Reports of the majority and minority of the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department, as follows :

Your Committee, to whom was referred the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for permission to contract, without public letting, for all labor and material necessary for the equipment of the new wing of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and for alterations, repairs and decorations of the balance of the building, respectfully

REPORT :

That a public hearing was held on Thursday, September 21, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which appeared, in favor of the resolution, Commissioners of Park Department Dana and Tappen, Messrs. H. G. Marquand, John Bigelow, S. H. Wales and the architect in charge of the construction of the new building, Mr. Wolf, on the part of the Trustees of the Museum. No one appeared in opposition to the resolution.

In addition thereto, your Committee visited the Museum of Art and had the objects of the application explained to them, as well as the good results obtained through similar privileges extended by the Board of Aldermen in 1879 and in 1888.

After giving the matter due consideration, your Committee have arrived at the conclusion that the public interests will be best served by the granting of the request of the Park Commissioners, and submit for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Park Department be and they are hereby authorized to contract, without public letting, for all or any part of the materials and labor necessary for the equipment of the new wing of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and for all or any part of the materials and labor necessary for the alteration, repairing and decoration of the balance of the building, provided, however, that the same be done by New York City firms; the cost of same not to exceed the sum of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars, as provided for under chapter 276 of the Laws of 1893, which sum has been appropriated and is now available for that purpose.

BARTHOLOMEW DONOVAN, } Committee on Lands,
WILLIAM A. BAUMERT, } Places and
JOHN J. O'BRIEN, } Park Department.

A minority of your Committee, to whom was referred the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for permission to contract, without public letting, for all labor and material necessary for the equipment of the new wing of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and for alterations, repairs and decorations of the balance of the building, respectfully

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In addition thereto, your Committee visited the Museum of Art and had the objects of the application explained to them, as well as the good results obtained through similar privileges extended by the Board of Aldermen in 1879 and in 1888.

After giving the matter due consideration, your Committee have arrived at the conclusion that this Board should authorize the purchase of the cases, but that all other matters connected therewith should be contracted for by public letting.

They therefore submit for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Park Department be and they are hereby authorized to contract, without public letting, for so much of the work to be done on the Metropolitan Museum of Art as relates to show-cases, amounting to fifty-four thousand five hundred dollars, and that all the balance of the work to be done by contract, at public letting, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 276 of the Laws of 1893.

FRANK G. RINN, } Committee on Lands, Places and
FRANK ROGERS, } Park Department.

Which were severally laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration General Order 503, being a resolution now in his hands calling for the fencing of vacant lots on the north side of Eighty-seventh street and south side of Eighty-eighth street, between Madison avenue and Fifth avenue.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows :

(G. O. 603.)

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Eighty-seventh street and on the south side of Eighty-eighth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, be fenced in with a tight board fence, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Alderman Long moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Long moved that the resolution and ordinance be amended by striking out the words "the north side of Eighty-seventh street and on south side of Eighty-eighth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "including all the vacant lots bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Long, the resolution and ordinance, as amended, were again laid over.

(G. O. 604.)

By Alderman Burke—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Seventy-first street, from West End avenue to the line of the Hudson River Railroad tracks, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Keahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Glass to lay a switch to connect with the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad in Tenth avenue and to extend along said avenue in front of the premises occupied by said John Glass, Nos. 15 to 19 Tenth avenue, between Bloomfield street and Little West Twelfth street, as shown in the diagram hereto attached, and said John Glass shall at all times keep the tracks hereby authorized to be laid in good repair; also the pavement between said tracks and at least two feet outside thereof in good condition and repair; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Parks—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Crocker Chair Company to lay a switch to connect with the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad in West Thirtieth street and to extend across said street to their premises, Nos. 506, 508, 510, 512, 514 and 516 West Thirtieth street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at the expense of the said Crocker Chair Company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and said company shall at all times keep the tracks hereby authorized to be laid in good repair, also the pavement between said tracks and at least two feet outside thereof in good condition and repair, under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
September 23, 1893. }

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1893, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances :

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$412 50	\$1,087 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	200 00	100 29	99 71
Salaries—Common Council.....	86,300 00	57,417 98	28,882 02

Which was ordered on file.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, }
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, }
September 15, 1893. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 189 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to transmit herewith a duplicate of the Departmental Estimate of the amounts required to conduct the public business under the charge of the Department of Public Parks for the year 1894, as follows :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS—DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1894.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—

Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Secretary and Clerical Force in the office of the Commissioners; the General Inspector and Clerks in his office; the Superintendent of Parks and Clerks in his office; the Engineer of Construction; the Meteorologist; the Entomologist, and Director of Menagerie :

President..... \$5,000 00
Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer, Clerks, etc..... 34,755 00

\$39,755 00

Police :

Salaries of Captain, Surgeon, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Doormen, Special Keepers, and wages of all persons employed in the Police Stables..... \$345,000 00
For Supplies and Repairs..... 23,500 00

368,500 00

Labor, Maintenance, Supplies, Construction and Repairs—For General Maintenance, including care and maintenance of One Hundred and Tenth street, Fifth avenue and City Parks; and also including \$10,000 for Settees, \$5,000 for Repairs to Bridge, Central Park, \$50,000 for Asphalt Walks, and \$15,000 for Repairs to Rustic Work.....

430,000 00

Zoological Department—For the Increase and the Keeping, Preservation and Additions to, and Exhibition of the Collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including repairs to buildings used for that purpose..

40,000 00

Maintenance of Museums:

For the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the American Museum of Natural History, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....	\$65,000 00
For the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Museum to be kept open in pursuance of law.....	95,000 00
Riverside Park and Avenue, and Seventy-second and One Hundred and Twenty-second Streets, For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	40,000 00
Morningside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	20,000 00
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks North of Harlem River, including Surveying and Monumenting.....	197,380 00
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	27,500 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance—General Maintenance and Repairs.....	35,000 00
Telephonic Service—For Maintaining Telephonic Service for the Department.	5,200 00
Rents—Department of Public Parks.....	6,500 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans—For making Surveys and Maps for Laying-out Parks or Places, for use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.....	1,500 00
Cleaning Lakes in Central Park.....	20,000 00
Aquarium—For the Keeping, Preservation and Exhibition of the Collection in the Aquarium at Castle Garden.....	30,000 00
Total.....	\$1,421,335 00

Very respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Clerk of the Common Council:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1893.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions of section 1 of "An Ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water," approved October 3, 1888, I herewith transmit all the applications received in this office for permits to sell the articles named, as provided in said ordinance, during the month of September, 1893.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk, Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

(G. O. 605.)

By Alderman Prague—

Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninety-first street, from Columbus to Amsterdam 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.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 606.)

By Alderman Saul—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Twelfth avenue to Hudson river, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 607.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from the Boulevard to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad be paved with granite-block 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.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 608.)

By Alderman Schott—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Hampden street, from McComb's Dam road to Jerome avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Flynn—

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

George A. Beuzer, to read.....	George A. Banzer.
Charles H. Hammond, to read.....	Charles A. Hammond.
Fred J. Butensalon, ".....	Fred J. Butenshon.
William Schraeder, ".....	William Schrader.
David Friedman, ".....	David Friedmann.
Augustina F. Showman, ".....	Augustus F. Shorman.
George J. Karver, ".....	George J. Karrer.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That Stancliff B. Downes be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Baumert—

Resolved, That Charles L. Greenhall, No. 179 East Ninety-fifth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Donovan—

Resolved, That John H. Nagle, Mayor's Office, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Emil Peusel, No. 32 Nassau street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Charles R. Logan, No. 198 Greenwich street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Gecks—

Resolved, That Charles L. Ullman, No. 506 Willis avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lantry—

Resolved, That Bartley Kelly, No. 239 East Fifty-fifth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Fred J. Butenshon, No. 246 East Forty-ninth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That Emile A. Hassey, No. 11 Avenue A, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That David B. Simpson, No. 99 Nassau street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That Milton S. Guiterman, of No. 10 East Sixty-sixth street, be and he hereby is reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Owens—

Resolved, That Thomas F. Gilroy, Jr., No. 7 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, and Samuel Eckstein, No. 308 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman O'Brien—

Resolved, That Frank Herwig, No. 408 East Eighty-second street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Prague—

Resolved, That F. W. Cheesman, No. 97 Nassau street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Stephen M. Anderson, No. 215 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Ryder—

Resolved, That Thomas B. Sheridan, No. 2 West Fourteenth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Saul—

Resolved, That John J. Lenehan, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Tenth avenue, be and he is hereby reappointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Wund—

Resolved, That William J. Bergen, No. 1158 Broadway, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That James L. Gordon, No. 48 East Thirtieth street, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Schott—

Resolved, That James K. Van Brunt, No. 1777 Sedgwick avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Saul—

Resolved, That James E. Hctor, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, west of Boulevard, be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Long moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, October 3, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 22d day of September, 1893.

Present—Commissioners Martin, McClave, MacLean and Sheehan.

Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Velorous M. Kinsnan, Sixth Precinct, three and a half days, if pay is released.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.

Captain Berghold, Twenty-third Precinct—On complaint of Florence Foye of violation of Excise Law by James Foye.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Joseph Martin, Twenty-second Precinct.

Captain Stephenson, Seventh Precinct—That Patrolman Charles S. Schneider, left his copy of rules, fire-key and shield at desk, saying he resigned.

Mask Ball Permit Granted.

Charles C. Bickman, at Lyceum Opera House, October 7. Fee, \$25.

Application of Round-man Robert W. Clarke, Thirty-sixth Precinct, for Civil Service examination, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Application of Deborah M. Rodgers for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

CITY COURT.

The H. B. Claflin Company }
vs. } Action of replevin.
Solomon Rossman.

David P. Shuck }
vs. } Action of replevin.
Same and others.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT.

Richard M. Walters }
vs. } Action to recover chattel.
The Superintendent.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Communications Referred to Chief Clerk to Answer.

The Bradley & Currier Company—Inquiry relative to lost child.

Patrick Hughes—Inquiry as to Patrolman Jerome L. Renner.

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

Applications for Promotion Ordered on File.

Patrolman Matthew Horan, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

" Frederick P. Williams, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Transfers, Etc.

Roundsman Frederick Thuman, from Sixth Court to Thirty-fourth Precinct.

" Ernest Schroth, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Sixth Court.

Patrolman John Griffin, from Thirty-fifth Precinct to Twenty-first Precinct.

" Thomas O'Reilly, Eighteenth Precinct, detail at crossing Avenue A and Fourteenth street.

Roundsman James Hanley, Fifth Court, in charge, absence of Sergeant.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

William A. Johnson.	William H. Robinson.	Dana L. Wood.
John O'Sullivan.	Patrick A. Rafferty.	Finton Lalor.
William H. O'Neill.	William M. Duffy.	William H. Ackerman.
John Connolly.	James Hart.	

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Edmund W. Bierach, Twenty-eighth Precinct, September 16, 1893.

Employed as Probationary Patrolmen.

Patrick J. Lynch.	Dennis Cavanagh.	Patrick McGee.
Charles J. Pyle.	Edward Frey.	Joseph T. Talasco.
Bart J. O'Connor.	William A. Gray.	John Hefts.
Luke J. Cashman.	Phillip J. Carroll.	Henry J. Klein.
Charles J. Conroy.	John Fleming.	Maurice W. Corr.
William F. Calhoun.		

To Civil Service Board for Examination.

Roundsman James H. Reilly, Third Precinct.
 Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman John W. Carroll, Twenty-first Precinct, from September 1 to 18, 1893.
 Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Patrolman John J. Gillies, Twenty-fourth Precinct, the sum of two dollars and sixty-eight cents, balance of salary due him.
 On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was
 Resolved, That the Superintendent be authorized, under direction of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, to take such steps as he may deem necessary to hire, fit up and furnish such a steamer as will answer the requirements of this Department on the occasion of the International Yacht races; and that he select such medical attendance from the Surgeons of the Department as he shall deem proper.
 Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of two thousand eight hundred and seventy-two dollars and forty-five cents, to enable this Department to pay the following bills of Martin B. Brown for account of election expenses; and that the Treasurer be directed to pay the same on receipt of the money from the Comptroller:

Order No. 17, dated March 7, 1893.	\$51 45	Order No. 362, dated September 5, 1893.	\$37 50
" 83, " April 10, " "	29 50	Bill, dated September 14, 1893.	48 00
" 160, " May 11, " "	400 00		
" 262, " June 29, " "	806 00		
" 275, " July 6, " "	750 00		
" 303, " 21, " "	750 00		
			\$2,872 45

Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the following polling places be and are hereby changed:
 Thirty-fifth Election, Second Assembly District, from No. 178 Park Row to No. 182 Park Row.
 Fifth Election, Twenty-ninth Assembly District, from No. 792 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to No. 664 East One Hundred and Forty-third street.
 Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 5 TO 9, 1893.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending September 2, 1893: Males, 26; females, 0. On file.
 List of 35 prisoners to be discharged from September 10 to September 16, 1893. Transmitted to Prison Association.
 From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 19 patients admitted, 9 discharged and 2 that have died during week ending September 2, 1893. On file.
 From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending September 2, 1893. On file.
 From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 12 patients admitted, 50 transferred, 3 discharged and 2 that have died during week ending September 2, 1893. On file.
 From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending September 2, 1893, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
 From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to September 2, 1893. Referred to Bookkeeper.
 From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 2, 1893, \$29. On file.
 From Penitentiary—Report of prisoners confined in dark cells for violation of rules during August, 1893. On file.
 From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending September 2, 1893, \$203. On file.
 From Workhouse—Reporting boiler in need of repairs. Referred to the Supervising Engineer.
 From General Storekeeper—Rejecting prunes, soap, furnished for use of the Department, they being of inferior quality. Approved.
 From Bellevue Hospital—Reporting transfer of August Hohngrin, suffering from measles, to care of the Health Department. Approved.

Appointed.

From Sept. 1. Mary E. Buckley, Nurse, City Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
 " 1. Barbara Pfaffler, Kate Crowley, Hannah Sweeney, Ada M. Walsh, Mary Clark, Ellen Traynor, Annie Callahan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.
 " 1. Cornelius E. Hannifin, Richard Bowen, Thomas B. Regan, Jeremiah Sullivan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.
 " 2. Francis T. Doorley, John McEvily, James Judge, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.
 " 2. William Thompson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.
 " 2. Thomas Brown, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
 " 2. Bridget Kennedy, Mary McCarthy, Assistant Nurses, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum each.
 " 2. Mary J. Mullaney, Bridget Benson, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.
 " 2. Julia Brennan, Fannie Corr, Lizzie Clark, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.
 " 2. Margaret Madden, Cook, Fordham Hospital. Salary, \$240 per annum.
 " 4. Nellie Burke, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
 " 5. Ellen Leahy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.
 " 5. John J. McGahren, William T. Collins, Daniel Leddy, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.
 " 5. August H. Cronemeyer, Nurse, City Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.
 " 5. Annie Brennan, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.
 " 7. Annie Burns, Domestic, Harlem Hospital. Salary, \$96 per annum.

Reappointed.

Sept. 5. Michael Jennings, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary \$300 per annum.
 " 6. Minnie Eager, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

Resigned.

Sept. 1. Honora Gaines, Nurse, City Hospital.
 " 1. Kate Gibbons, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 1. Mary Kennedy, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
 " 1. Cornelius Mennis, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital.
 " 1. Charles Keller, Cook, Randall's Island Hospital.
 " 2. James F. Cassidy, Orderly, Almshouse.
 " 2. Kate Rooney, Agnes Powers, Mary A. Shiel, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 2. Louis Grobert, Cook, Fordham Hospital.
 " 4. Letitia L. Taylor, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 4. Catharine Kehoe, Maggie J. McKenna, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 6. Thomas Schundell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
 " 8. Minnie Edmunds, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

Dismissed.

Sept. 3. William C. Herboth, Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
 " 3. John J. Lehane, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
 " 3. Rosanna Brady, Laundress, Gouverneur Hospital.

Salary Increased.

Sept. 1. Patrick Cronin, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital. \$240 to \$300 per annum.
 " 1. Bridget Gerrity, Domestic, Randall's Island Hospital. \$60 to \$120 per annum.
 " 1. H. D. Hoffman, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. \$420 to \$480 per annum.

Sept. 1. Jeremiah Mulcahy, Robert Brown, John W. Elmes, P. F. McCann, William Thompson, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. \$360 to \$420 per annum.
 " 1. Thomas Dorney, E. P. Nolan, George Fitzsimmons, Richard Seltman, Michael O'Brien, Edward Daly, Henry Taylor, William Burrigge, Patrick Keating, Harry Richards, Richard Domigan, Edward Turner, William Mackin, Patrick Glennon, E. F. Bagshaw, Stephen J. Hayes, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. \$300 to \$360 per annum.
 " 1. Michael Ansbro, Joseph Dermody, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island. \$300 to \$360 per annum.
 " 1. Mary E. Townsend, Stenographer and Typewriter, Central Office, \$900 to \$1,000 per annum.
 Salary Reduced.
 Sept. 1. William Tubridy, Shoemaker, Randall's Island Hospital. \$360 to \$300 per annum.
 " 1. Margaret F. Kaine, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. \$300 to \$240 per annum.
 G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1893—ADJOURNED MEETING, 11 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Tappen (President), Dana, Clausen.

The President announced that the opening of bids would be postponed until twelve o'clock M., the representative of the Comptroller not being able to attend until that hour.
 Joseph W. Kay, chairman of the Grand Army of the Republic Committee on Legislation, appeared and asked for preference in the appointment of F. J. Holl and James Merritt, veterans of the late war, formerly employed as carpenters. He was informed that the matter would receive consideration when such appointments are made.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution authorizing this Department to contract without public letting for laying concrete around pipe-heads for foundation for the new McComb's Dam Bridge across the marsh from the railroad to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street. Filed.

From the Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting copies of resolutions of said Board.

1st. Providing funds to the amount of \$10,000 for services of engineers, inspectors, etc., employed on the work of constructing the new McComb's Dam Bridge over Harlem river. Filed.

2d. Approving plan for an entrance to Central Park at Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street and providing funds to the amount of \$6,000 for doing the work. Filed.

From the Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. Requesting a draft damage map for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment appointed under chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, an act to lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway along the Harlem river. Filed, the preparation of the map having been ordered.

2d. Advising the Department that the lands embraced within the lines of the proposed driveway had been acquired under the law, and that the Department may forthwith proceed to establish and regulate said driveway. Filed.

From the Advisory Art Committee, reporting favorably upon the statue of Columbus by Sunol, proposed to be erected in the Parks, and recommending its acceptance. Referred to the Landscape Architect for his recommendation of a site.

From the Second Avenue Railroad Company, applying for permission to run cars through Transverse Road No. 3 in Central Park.

Commissioner Tappen offered the following:

Resolved, That the form of agreement submitted by the Second Avenue Railroad Company be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his approval, and when so approved that the President be authorized to execute the same for and on behalf of the Department.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From Professor A. A. Julien, suggesting the restoration of the ancient gilding of the Obelisk. Referred to Commissioner Dana for report.

From John Bigelow, asking that the bust of William Cullen Bryant, accepted by the Department in 1873 and placed temporarily in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, be erected on a suitable site in Central Park. Referred to the Landscape Architect for report.

From C. K. Mills and others, asking that Morningside Park be lighted by electric light. Referred to the Superintendent of Parks for report.

From the Secretary of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, stating that the Trustees of the Museum had selected Joseph Wolf as Architect of the work to be done under chapter 276 of the Laws of 1893, and asking that the selection be confirmed and that Mr. Wolf be appointed at a compensation of five per cent of the cost.

On motion, the selection and appointment of Joseph Wolf, as Architect, was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

At the hour of twelve o'clock, Mr. E. G. Marsh, representing the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate-box and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which had been received in accordance with advertisements duly published in the CITY RECORD for the following-named works:

For Furnishing all the Labor, and Furnishing and Erecting all Materials Necessary to Erect and Complete, so far as herein specified, the New East Wing and Enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Manhattan Square, including all the Necessary Additional Blasting and Excavating, Blind and other Drains, Foundations, Concreting, Brick-work, Rubble Stone-work, Filling and Ramming of Trenches, Grading, Mason work, Granite and other Stone-work, Plastering and Stucco Work, Fire-proofing, Cast-iron, Wrought-iron, Steel and Galvanized-iron and Wire-work, Copper and other Metal Work, Skylights, Glazing, Roofing, Flashing, Snow-guards, Guttering, Leaders, Gas and other Pipes, Apparatus, Carpenter Work, Hardware, Door and Window Frames, Doors, Sashes, Glass, Shades, Electro-plating, Painting, and Polishing, Steps, Platforms, Cleaning and other Works.

Names of Bidders.	Amount.
George W. Rogers.....	\$330,000 00
Thomas Dwyer.....	309,000 00
James Baker Smith.....	257,000 00
Robinson & Wallace.....	325,847 00

For Furnishing and Erecting a Subsidiary Electric-lighting Plant to be installed in the New Engine-room of the North Wing of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in Central Park.

Names of Bidders.	Amount.
Randolph & Sullingen.....	\$9,890 00
New York Electric Equipment Company.....	9,265 00

For Paving with Rock Asphalt Certain Walks in the Extension of the East River Park in the City of New York.

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	PAVEMENT, 63,500 SQUARE FEET.	AMOUNT.
T. Hugh Boorman.....	\$0 17 3/4	\$11,271 25
The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	18	11,430 00

For the Erection of Granite Steps and Foundation Walls for Same in the Extension of the East River Park in the City of New York.

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	GRANITE STEPS, 1,660 LINEAL FEET.	RUBBLE STONE MASONRY, 300 CUBIC YARDS.	RUSTIC ROCK COPING, 500 LINEAL FEET.	AMOUNT.
John Donaldson.....	\$2 90	\$9 00	\$5 50	\$10,264 00
P. J. Moran.....	3 90	4 50	3 50	9,574 00
William Kidney.....	2 75	3 75	5 15	8,265 00
James N. Motley.....	4 25	4 50	95	8,880 00
A. McMillan.....	2 85	3 79	2 03	6,883 00
Joseph Moore.....	3 00	9 00	2 00	8,680 00

For Constructing Receiving-basins and laying Drain-pipe for Walk and Surface Drainage in the Extension of East River Park.

ITEMS.	ESTIMATED QUANTITIES.	1		2		3		4		5		6	
		P. J. MORAN.		CHRISTOPHER NALLY.		JOHN SLATTERY.		WILLIAM F. CUNNINGHAM.		JOSEPH MOORE.		JOHN COX.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
Walk-basins 2 feet 6 inches and cast-iron C. and cover.	47	\$44 00	\$2,068 00	\$35 00	\$1,645 00	\$37 00	\$1,739 00	\$35 00	\$1,645 00	\$45 00	\$2,115 00	\$34 42	\$1,617 74
Surface-basins, 24-inch grating.....	7	70 00	490 00	60 00	420 00	45 00	315 00	48 00	336 00	45 00	315 00	41 42	289 94
Surface-basins, 36-inch grating.....	1	75 00	75 00	90 00	90 00	50 00	50 00	57 00	57 00	69 00	69 00	58 42	58 42
6-inch salt-glazed pipe, furnished and laid.....	1,200 lineal feet.	55	660 00	75	900 00	75	900 00	1 00	1,200 00	75	900 00	53	636 00
8-inch salt-glazed pipe, furnished and laid.....	1,000 "	70	700 00	90	900 00	95	950 00	1 25	1,250 00	85	850 00	63	630 00
10-inch salt-glazed pipe, furnished and laid.....	600 "	90	540 00	1 50	900 00	1 15	690 00	1 50	900 00	95	570 00	75	450 00
12-inch salt-glazed pipe, furnished and laid.....	150 "	2 00	300 00	1 75	262 50	1 35	202 50	1 50	225 00	1 50	225 00	1 52	228 00
Rock excavation.....	90 cubic yards.	4 00	360 00	4 00	360 00	4 00	360 00	5	4 50	6 00	540 00	5 00	450 00
Total amount.....			\$5,193 00		\$5,477 50		\$5,206 50		\$5,617 50		\$5,584 00		\$4,360 10

For Constructing an Outlet Sewer and Appurtenances Connecting Existing Sewer near Ninety-ninth Street, in the Central Park, with Sewer in Fifth Avenue, at One Hundredth Street.

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	30-INCH PIPE SEWER, 560 LINEAL FEET.	ROCK TO BE EXCAVATED AND REMOVED, 200 CUBIC YARDS.	LUMBER, FEET B. M., 2,000 FEET.	AMOUNT.
P. J. Moran.....	\$6 90	\$4 00	\$30 00	\$4,724 00
Christopher Nally.....	7 75	4 00	.....	5,140 00
John Slattery.....	6 75	4 00	10 00	4,600 00
M. J. Kane.....	5 60	5 00	15 00	4,166 00
William F. Cunningham.....	8 00	5	10 00	4,510 00
John Cox.....	6 47	5 00	18 00	4,659 20
Joseph Moore.....	7 00	6 00	.....	5,120 00

For Plumbing, Carpenter Work, etc., for Toilet Rooms in the Annex of Castle Garden Building in Battery Park.

Names of Bidders.	Amount.
J. Andrew McCloskey.....	\$2,349 50
Donovan Bros.....	2,925 00
Thomas Dwyer.....	3,200 00
Joseph Moore.....	1,975 00

For Furnishing and Delivering Forage.

ITEMS.	QUANTITY.	1		2	
		THEO. P. HUFFMAN.		HORACE INGERSOLL.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
Hay.....	400,000 lbs.	\$0 85	\$3,400 00	\$0 85	\$3,400 00
Rye straw.....	55,000 "	75	412 50	65	357 50
White oats.....	3,600 bags.	1 05	3,780 00	1 05	3,780 00
Yellow corn.....	375 "	1 10	412 50	1 05	393 75
Bran.....	500 "	35	175 00	35	175 00
Amount.....			\$8,180 00		\$8,106 25

From A. Hayward, Jr., inviting the Commissioners to participate in an Independence Day celebration by the Washington Continental Guard on July 4. Accepted.

From the Empire City Subway Company, applying for permission to lay a subway on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets. Granted.

From W. W. Brower, respecting the location of a coal-yard at Seventy-ninth street and Riverside Drive. Filed, with directions to the Secretary to reply that the premises being on private property the Department has no jurisdiction.

From John D. Walsh, submitting an estimate for removing 270 lineal feet of the old dock at Castle Garden. Filed, the Department of Docks having agreed to remove the dock.

From A. P. Boller, Consulting Engineer, submitting plans and specifications for constructing the Sedgwick-Ogden avenue approach to the new McComb's Dam Bridge. Mr. Boller also appeared and was heard in relation to the proposed work.

Commissioner Dana offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for the Sedgwick avenue and Ogden avenue approach to the new McComb's Dam Bridge over Harlem river as this day submitted by A. P. Boller, Consulting Engineer, be and the same hereby are approved and ordered forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the approval of said Board as required by the provisions of chapter 319 of the Laws of 1893, with the request that the Comptroller be authorized to issue bonds to the amount of one hundred and five thousand one hundred and ninety-six dollars, as provided by the act cited for the purpose of constructing said approach.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From Egbert L. Vile and A. E. Cohen, commending Officer Patrick J. Boylan, for capturing a burglar on Riverside Drive on the 8th instant. Filed, with directions that the same be communicated to the force.

From Edward A. Smith, M. D., commending Officer John Murphy for stopping a run-away horse in Central Park on the 9th instant. Filed, with directions to communicate the same to the force.

From James McCauley, auctioneer, submitting a statement of an auction sale of grass on the New Parks on the 20th and 21st instant. Filed.

From the General Inspector, submitting a statement of auction sale of useless materials, etc., in the Central Park on 21st instant. Filed.

From the Captain and Surgeon of Police, reporting the death of Officers Patrick F. Rooney and Thomas Carroll. Filed.

From Robert H. Robertson, applying for permission to erect a projecting window on the house No. 816 Fifth avenue, the same being an alteration of an old front.

Commissioner Dana offered the following:

Resolved, That the consent of this Department be and hereby is given to the erection of a projecting window on the house of Benjamin Stern, known as No. 816 Fifth avenue, as shown on a plan filed in this office by R. H. Robertson, Architect. This consent to take effect upon payment to the Department of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From the Landscape Architect:

1st. Submitting plans showing proposed changes in the lines of the driveway laid out along the Harlem river, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to Dyckman street. Laid over.

2d. Reporting in relation to the design for the bust of Bryant, and also relative to a site therefor. Referred to the Secretary to reply.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Submitting specifications and form of contract for constructing enclosing walls, gateways,

walks, etc., for an entrance at "Pioneer's Gate," One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

Commissioner Tappen moved that the specifications as submitted by the Engineer be approved and ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Counsel to the Corporation, that the Secretary be directed to insert an advertisement in the CITY RECORD, inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

2d. Submitting a time statement on the contract for erecting iron railings and gateways around Rutgers Park. Approved.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. Recommending the acceptance of a quantity of mould offered by Tully & O'Connell, to be delivered free of charge on East River Park.

On motion, the Superintendent was authorized to accept the mould.

2d. Submitting plans and specifications for the construction of a crematory in the Central Park. Referred to the Engineer of Construction for an estimate of the cost.

3d. Reporting as to the condition of the Shepard drinking fountain located at the northeast corner of Union Square, and stating that he had closed the same to public use. Referred to Commissioner Clausen for report.

Commissioner Tappen offered the following:

Resolved, That the bills of William R. Ware, James Brown Lord, Charles W. Clinton and R. H. Robertson, amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars each for services rendered the Department as members of the Advisory Committee of Architects in the matter of plans for the enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History Building be and the same hereby are audited, approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, payable from the fund provided under chapter 448 of the Laws of 1893, for the enlargement of the Museum Building.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

The President reported the following action taken by him since the last meeting, with concurrence of Commissioners Dana and Clausen:

Authorizing sale at auction of surplus sheep, etc., on June 28.

Denying application of Roundsman Thomas McAviney for extension of leave of absence.

Referring to Counsel to Corporation for examination proposed agreement with Second Avenue Railroad Company for joint use of railroad in Eighty-fifth Street Transverse Road.

Approving time statement of Engineer of Construction on contract of Joseph Moore for improvement of Rutgers Park.

Approving plans for equipping north extension Museum of Art.

Authorizing acceptance of mould by Superintendent of Parks for Riverside.

Approving closing Museum of Natural History on evenings in July and August for repairs.

Approving design for shelter-house at lower lake for swan boats.

Fixing salary of Assistant Engineer Welch at \$1,800 per annum, 16th instant.

Applying to Board of Estimate and Apportionment for issue of \$25,000 bonds additional for work at Castle Garden.

Directing Engineer of Construction to prepare plans and specifications for work at One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue and Ninetieth street and Eighth avenue.

Approving statement of Engineer of Construction of walks in Central and City Parks to be repaired with asphalt.

Also, with concurrence of Commissioner Dana:

Designation of Joseph Cleary as Foreman, with pay at \$100 per month, from 16th instant.

Fixing pay of J. J. Moriarty, Assistant Foreman, at \$90 per month, from 16th instant.

Granting consent to erection of projections on three houses of Edward Kilpatrick, at Ninety-fourth street and Eighth avenue; fee, \$450.

Granting consent to erection of projections at Astor place and Fourth avenue, for Brokaw Brothers; fee, \$500.

Approving plans for cattle-sheds for Menagerie.

The President also reported that the bills named in the following reports of the Auditing Committee had been approved, signed by the Commissioners and forwarded to the Finance Department for payment:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Hitchcock, Hiram, Treasurer, sundry bills,	
April, Metropolitan Museum of Art....Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art.	\$483 80
Hitchcock, Hiram, Treasurer, sundry bills,	
March, Metropolitan Museum of Art....Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art.	453 19
Hitchcock, Hiram, Treasurer, salaries and wages, May, Metropolitan Museum of Art.	4,985 97
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer, sundry bills,	
American Museum of Natural History,	
May 23.....Maintenance Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	1,236 90
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer, coal, etc.,	
American Museum of Natural History...Maintenance Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	1,921 67
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer, sundry bills,	
May 31, Museum of Natural History...Maintenance Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	1,311 18
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer, salaries and wages, May, American Museum of History.....	4,154 09
	\$14,546 80

RECAPITULATION.

Maintenance Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	\$8,623 84
Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	5,922 96
	\$14,546 80

Amounting to the sum of fourteen thousand five hundred and forty-six dollars and eighty cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, June 9, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Abeel Brothers, iron, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$29 31
Barron, James S. & Co., watering pots, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$140 76
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	30 70
Brandis, F. E. Sons & Co., City transits.	Public Driveway, Construction of	171 46
Cooper, Hewitt & Co., galvanized wire	East River Park, Improvement of Extension	576 90
Dunham, T. C., paints, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	12 28
Emery & Forsyth, repairs, chimney	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of the Harlem River	74 88
Fiske, J. W., road rollers, etc.	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of the Harlem River	15 00
Haggerty, J. Henry, oil	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	264 00
Hewes, A. H. & Co., flower pots	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	51 00
Kirkpatrick, Thomas, badge	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	341 25
Keuffel & Esser Co., linen tape	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	30 00
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., The	Telephonic Service	3 56
Merrill & Wehrle Charcoal Company	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	433 33
McKesson & Robbins, sal soda, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	6 00
Perry, W. B. & Son, turnips	Zoological Department	95
Rehm & Co., bunting, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	50 00
Saddlery Hardware Manufacturing Company, The	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	46 50
Sloan, W. & J., linoleum, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs	45 94
Taft, Weller & Co., tick	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	69 50
Tully & O'Connell, broken stone	East River Park—Improvement of Extension	9 00
Thorn, T. & W. & Co., hay, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs	80 00
Whitman Saddle Company, curb chains, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs	40 95
Young, William, sod	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	179 50
Young, William, sod	East River Park, Improvement of Extension	200 00
	Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of	\$17 90
	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	78 94
		203 36
Yellow Pine Company, The, yellow pine	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	300 00
		14 64
		\$3,045 95

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$1,197 15
Public Driveway, Construction of	576 90
Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance, etc.	30 70
East River Park—Improvement of Extension	109 98
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.	279 00
Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds Adjoining, Improvement of	78 94
Telephonic Service	433 33
Zoological Department	50 00
Police—Supplies and Repairs	289 95
	\$3,045 95

Amounting to the sum of three thousand and forty-five dollars and ninety-five cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, June 9, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Abendroth & Root Mfg. Co., Estimate No. 1. Repairs, Boilers, etc., Castle Garden Building	\$4,588 65
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music	170 00
Consolidated Gas Company, gas	
	\$45 67
	99 60
	3 85
	13 75
	162 87
Moore, Joseph, payment on acceptance	Alterations, etc., to Castle Garden Building
	5,437 50
Moore, Joseph, payment on acceptance	Improvement Rutgers Slip Park
New York Mutual Gas-light Co., The, gas	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance
	50 75
Rogers, W. B., music	Music
Woodman, H. T., professional services	Repairs, etc., Building in Castle Garden
	263 43
Woodman, H. T., professional services	Repairs, Boilers, etc., Castle Garden Building
	114 72
	\$16,249 54

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$96 42
Police—Supplies and Repairs	99 60
Zoological Department	3 85
Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance, etc.	13 75
Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds Adjoining, Improvement of	10,404 30
Rutgers Slip Park, Improvement of	4,204 62
Music	1,427 00
	\$16,249 54

Amounting to the sum of sixteen thousand two hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifty-four cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, June 9, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Arnold, David P., beef	Zoological Department	\$256 50
Barter, R. G., fish	Zoological Department	12 40
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music	Music	170 00
Brandis, F. E. Sons & Co., levels, etc.	Public Driveway, Construction of	371 25
Chadborn & Coldwell Mfg. Co., repairs	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	191 33

Dunphy, Dr. R., professional services, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs	\$34 71
	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	32 40
		\$67 11
Doran, Charles L., sod	Riverside Park and Avenue—Improvement and Maintenance of	220 00
Ellis, C. C. & Son, bread	Zoological Department	74 40
Fayerweather & Ladew, belt lacing	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	5 65
Greeley, E. S. & Co., The, electric gong	Police—Supplies and Repairs	4 16
Harrison, M. & Son, cages, etc.	Zoological Department	200 00
Ingersoll, Horace, ground oats	Zoological Department	11 50
Lederhaus' Orchestra and Military Band	Music	145 00
McCloskey, Charles, repairs, police stables	Police—Supplies and Repairs	197 00
Manhattan Supply Co., The, road levellers	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River	155 26
Manhattan Supply Co., The, wire cutter, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$60 92
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	38 00
		98 92
Manhattan Supply Co., The, spades	East River Park, Improvement and Extension of	36 00
Peters & Calhoun Co., oil, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$8 00
	Police—Supplies and Repairs	4 40
		12 40
Robitzek, G. & Bros., coal	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	215 50
Rogers, W. B., music	Music	450 00
Sloane, W. & J., Wilton carpets, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	2 47
Sexton, William, repairs dove house	Zoological Department	795 00
Warwick Valley Milk Association & Co., milk	Zoological Department	15 84
Welsh, George S., petty cash	Maintenance and Construction New Parks north of Harlem River	39 13
Yellow Pine Company, The, pine	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	120 48
		\$3,867 30

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$415 60
Zoological Department	1,365 64
Music	765 00
Police—Supplies and Repairs	240 27
Riverside Park and Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of, etc.	220 00
Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance, etc.	259 15
Maintenance and Construction New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.	194 39
Public Driveway, Construction of	371 25
East River Park—Improvement of Extension	36 00
	\$3,867 30

Amounting to the sum of three thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven dollars and thirty cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Dwyer, Thomas, Estimate No. 1	Tanks, Pools, etc., for Aquarium, Castle Garden	\$4,630 50
Mason, F. H. D., petty cash	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$190 33
	Police—Supplies and Repairs	2 00
	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.	5 00
	Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of	7 16
	Zoological Department	4 15
		208 64
		\$4,839 14

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$190 33
Police—Supplies and Repairs	2 00
Maintenance and Construction New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.	5 00
Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of	4,637 66
Zoological Department	415 00
	\$4,839 14

Amounting to the sum of four thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fourteen cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, June 16, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Abeel Brothers, iron, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$67 81
Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music	Music	170 00
Brandis, F. E. Sons & Co., tapes, etc	Public Driveway, Construction of	7 35
Chadborn & Coldwell Manufacturing Company, castor clevis	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	23 09
Colwell Lead Company, galvanized iron, etc	Police—Supplies and Repairs	\$4 22
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	47 20
	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	2 50
		53 92
Coffin, Paul C., hammers, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	\$22 61
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	2 20
	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River	2 75
		27 56
Dickinson Bros. & King, cement, etc	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	52 00
Dunham, Thomas C., paints, etc	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River	21 55
Elizabeth Nursery Company, The, honey-suckles, etc	Fourth Avenue Public Parks—Laying-out, etc., between Fifty-sixth and Sixty-seventh Streets	130 00

Elizabeth Nursery Company, The, elms, etc.	Riverside Park and Avenue—Improvement and Maintenance of	\$54 40	
	Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of	23 00	
	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance	79 60	
Eben, Felix I., music	Music		\$157 00
Gates, Church E. & Co., spruce	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River		680 00
Hodgman Rubber Company, boots	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		77 40
Haggerty, J. Henry, oil	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		3 60
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance, etc.	\$5 20	
		15 35	
Leiboldt's Twelfth Regiment Band, music	Music		20 55
Lederhaus' Orchestra and Military Band, music	Music		120 00
Manhattan Supply Co., The, handles, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		145 00
Mapes Formula and Peruvian Guano Company, The, top-dressing	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		46 40
Mason, J. W., & Co., chairs	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		140 00
Moffat, David & Co., leather	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		4 75
McKesson & Robbins, muriatic acid, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		35 96
	Police—Supplies and Repairs	\$18 54	
		3 25	
Peters & Calhoun Company, harness	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		21 79
Perry, W. B. & Son, apples, etc.	Zoological Department		18 00
Rehm & Co., red flag	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		60 65
Slattery, John, excavating tree holes	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		5 00
Saddlery Hardware Manufacturing Company, The, snaps	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		980 00
Sellew, T. G., desk, etc.	Public Driveway, Construction of		5 50
Sloane, W. & J., linoleum, etc.	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		27 00
	Police—Supplies and Repairs	\$56 34	
		49 59	
Thorburn, James M. & Co., hemp seed	Zoological Department		105 93
Tagliabue, John, thermometer	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		1 50
Young, William, sod	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance		75
	Riverside Park and Avenue—Maintenance of	\$245 26	
		194 74	
Wood, Walter A., Mowing and Reaping Machine Company, mower, etc.	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River		440 00
Woodman, H. T., professional services	Castle Garden in Battery Park		65 00
Young, William & Brother, rings, poles, etc.	Police—Supplies and Repairs		115 76
		30 00	
			\$3,860 82

RECAPITULATION.			
Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance		\$1,812 91	
Music		1,115 00	
Public Driveway, Construction of		34 35	
Zoological Department		62 15	
Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds Adjoining, Improvement of		115 76	
Police—Supplies and Repairs		87 06	
Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance, etc.		64 75	
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River, etc.		166 70	
Fourth Avenue Public Parks, Laying-out, etc., between Fifty-sixth and Sixty-seventh Streets		130 00	
Riverside Park and Avenue—Improvement and Maintenance of, etc.		249 14	
Morningside Park—Improvement and Maintenance of		23 00	
			\$3,860 82

Amounting to the sum of three thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars and eighty-two cents.

A. B. TAPPEN,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, } Auditing Committee.

NEW YORK, June 21, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bill, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Breen, M., painting monkey-house, Zoological Department, \$288 00

RECAPITULATION.	
Zoological Department	\$288 00

Amounting to the sum of two hundred and eighty-eight dollars.

A. B. TAPPEN,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, } Auditing Committee.

NEW YORK, June 21, 1893.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, Music, \$170 00

Boller, Alfred P., professional services, Bridge, Harlem River, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, Construction of, 2,406 70

Breen M., painting iron work, etc., Zoological Department, 200 00

Drummond, M. J., Estimate No. 1, Iron Railing—Mount Morris Park, 2,572 50

Dwyer, Thomas, Estimate No. 4, Boiler-house, Engine-room, etc.—Metropolitan Museum of Art, 6,346 55

Lederhaus' Orchestra and Military Band, Music, 145 00

Passaic Rolling Mill Company, The, Estimate No. 9, Bridge over Harlem River, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, Construction of, 60,167 39

Peirce, John, Estimate No. 16, Completion North Extension, Metropolitan Museum of Art, 8,512 00

Wolf, Joseph, professional services, Boiler-house, Engine-room, etc.—Metropolitan Museum of Art, 158 66

Wolf, Joseph, professional services, Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion North Extension, 106 40

Marren's Jos. Sons, payment on acceptance Iron Railing—Rutgers Slip Park, 2,113 61

\$82,898 81

RECAPITULATION.	
Music	\$315 00
Bridge, Harlem River, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street, Construction of	62,574 09
Zoological Department	200 00
Mount Morris Park, Construction of—Coping and Railing	2,572 50
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Electric Plant and Boiler-house, North Extension, Laws 1892	6,505 21
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Completion North Extension, Laws 1889	8,618 40
Rutgers Slip Park, Improvement of	2,113 61
	\$82,898 81

Amounting to the sum of eighty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight dollars and eighty-one cents.

A. B. TAPPEN,
PAUL DANA, } Auditing Committee.

NEW YORK, June 28, 1893.

On motion, the action of the President was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Commissioner Tappen offered the following:

Whereas, It is provided by section 1, of chapter 31, of the Laws of 1893, entitled, "An Act to amend chapter two hundred and seventy of the Laws of eight hundred and ninety-two, entitled, 'An Act to authorize further appropriations for the maintenance of the American Museum of Natural History, in the City of New York,' as follows, to wit:

Section 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and seventy of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, entitled, "An Act to authorize further appropriations for the maintenance of the American Museum of Natural History in the City of New York," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, upon the requisition of the Department of Public Parks, is hereby authorized to include annually in its final estimate of the amounts required to pay the expense of conducting the public business of the City of New York, in addition to the sum or sums now provided by law for the maintenance of the American Museum of Natural History, a further sum, not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, upon the condition that the collections in the exhibition halls of said American Museum of Natural History shall be kept open and accessible to the public hereafter free of charge throughout the year for five days in each week, one of which shall be Sunday afternoon, and also two evenings of each week, subject to such rules and regulations as may be determined upon by the Trustees of said Museum; and in order to enable the Trustees of said Museum to open said building on Sunday afternoons and to close them on two days in each week to the general public, the said Department of Public Parks is hereby authorized, with the consent of such Trustees, to modify to that extent the contract now existing between said Department and the Trustees of said Museum; and,

Whereas, The Department of Public Parks desired with the consent of the Trustees of the American Museum of Natural History to modify the said contract in accordance with the terms of said act; therefore,

Resolved, That in order to enable the party of the second part to open said buildings to the public free of charge, for five days in each week, one of which shall be Sunday afternoon; and also two evenings of each week, and to close them on two days in each week to the general public, the fourth section of the contract made and concluded on the twenty-second day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, between the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, party of the first part, and the American Museum of Natural History, party of the second part, be with the consent of the party of the second part, modified to that extent, and the President is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and execute an agreement with the American Museum of Natural History, modifying the aforesaid contract in accordance with this resolution.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From E. S. Stokes, licensee of Claremont on Riverside Park, asking permission to erect a music-stand in the rear of the hotel. Referred to the Superintendent of Parks, with power.

The Board then proceeded to consider evidence taken in the trials of Park Policemen.

George Hampshire, charged with being absent without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

John J. O'Leary, charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

James Nash, charged with being absent without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Selah T. Terwilliger, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Francis Mahon, charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Albert W. McKean, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

James D. Cotter, charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, was found guilty as charged, fined five days' pay and ordered assigned to dismissed duty, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

James L. Havey, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

James Gorman, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Charles C. Bradley, charged with violation of rules, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

George Edwards, charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

George Edwards, charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

George Edwards, charged with neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Patrick Linehan, charged with not properly patrolling, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Patrick Linehan, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Edward P. Alcorn, Roundsman, charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Daniel F. Leary, charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Cornelius Mulvey, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was cautioned.

Charles Grimm, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined five days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

John L. Brill, charged with being off post, violation of rules and neglect of duty, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

William C. Zwiler, charged with being off post, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

John J. Dwyer, charged with violation of rules and neglect of duty, was cautioned.

William H. Schultz, charged with being late for roll call, was found guilty as charged and fined three days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

William J. Stephens, charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined two days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Michael Madden, charged with being late for roll-call, was found guilty as charged and fined one day's pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

Richard Fitzgerald, charged with being absent without leave, was found guilty as charged and fined ten days' pay by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Dwyer, Thomas, Estimate No. 2.....	Tanks, Pools, etc., for Aquarium, Castle Garden.....	\$6,791 40
Woodman, H. T., professional services....	Tanks, Pools, etc., for Aquarium, Castle Garden.....	169 78
Wolf, Joseph, professional services.....	Electric Plant for North Extension Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	231 62
		<u>\$7,192 80</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of...	\$6,961 18
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Electric Plant and Boiler-house, North Extension.....	231 62
	<u> </u>
	\$7,192 80

Amounting to the sum of seven thousand one hundred and ninety-two dollars and eighty cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, July 6, 1893.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

On motion, at 2.10 P. M., the Board went into executive session.

A communication was received from the Engineer of Construction reporting upon the design prepared by the Landscape Architect showing proposed changes in the lines of the driveway as laid out along the Harlem river and submitted a plan showing the changes desired in the westerly bulkhead-line of the river.

Commissioner Dana offered the following :

Resolved, That the drawing (No. 4) for the Harlem River Driveway, prepared by the Landscape Architect, and the plans submitted by the Engineer of Construction dated July 5, 1893, showing in detail the desired enlargement of the bulkhead-lines, be approved, and that Commissioners Dana and Clausen, being a committee upon the subject, be empowered to request the Secretary of War to grant the application of the Department for the additional land as shown upon said plans.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

On motion, at 2.45 P. M., the executive session arose and the Board adjourned to meet Tuesday 11th inst. at 1 P. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary

TUESDAY, JULY 11, 1893—ADJOURNED MEETING, 1 P. M.

Present—Commissioners Tappen (President), Dana and Clausen.

The following communications were received :

From the Advisory Art Committee, reporting favorably on the pedestal for the statue of Roscoe Conkling. Filed.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, it was ordered that in accordance with the recommendation of the Landscape Architect the pedestal shall not exceed nine feet square at the base, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From Robert Graham, general secretary of the Church Temperance Society, asking permission for their night lunch wagon to stand near the Washington statue in Union Square at night. Not granted.

From the Police Surgeon :

1st. Reporting the death, on the 5th inst., of Officer Manus Sheehy. Filed.

2d. Applying for the usual summer vacation of twenty days and asking authority to employ a substitute during his absence.

On motion, the application of the Police Surgeon was granted and the employment of a substitute was authorized, at an expense not to exceed \$50, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From Joseph Wolf, Architect, submitting specifications for two skylights and a wooden ceiling for the boiler-house, and enclosing an estimate for doing the work.

On motion, an order was authorized to be issued for doing the work at an expense not to exceed \$820, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, an advertisement inviting proposals for the work of improving the Parade Ground in Van Cortlandt Park was ordered inserted in the CITY RECORD by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

From the Landscape Architect, submitting a plan showing a proposed site at the south end of the Mall in Central Park, for the Columbus Statue.

On motion, the site indicated by the Landscape Architect was approved by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, the committee having the Columbus Statue in charge, was requested to submit a design for a pedestal for the statue.

Commissioner Dana reported verbally that he had obtained an estimate of the cost of gilding the Obelisk, as recommended by Professor Julien, viz., \$1,670, and recommended that no action be taken in the matter at the present time.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting as to the advisability of arranging a large combination of formal-flower beds at some point in the Central Park. Filed.

The President, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports :

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Mason, F. H. D., petty cash.....	Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance.....	\$163 76
	Police—Supplies and Repairs.....	42 80
	Police—Supplies and Repairs, 1892.....	2 50
	Zoological Department.....	19 10
	Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance.....	5 60
	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River.....	6 55
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension.....	3 50
	Castle Garden in Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of.....	6 20
		<u>\$250 01</u>
Welsh, George S., petty cash.....	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River.....	40 67
		<u>\$290 68</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, etc.—General Maintenance	\$163	76
Police—Supplies and Repairs	42	80
Police—Supplies and Repairs, 1892	2	50
Zoological Department	19	10
Harlem River Bridges—General Maintenance	5	60
Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River, etc..	47	22
East River Park—Improvement of Extension	3	50
Castle Garden, Battery Park and Grounds adjoining, Improvement of....	6	20

Amounting to the sum of two hundred and ninety dollars and sixty-eight cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, July 11, 1893.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bill, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Cady, J. C. & Co., professional services....	Erection East Wing—American Museum of Natural History, 1893.....	\$6,425 00
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RECAPITULATION.

American Museum of Natural History—Erection East Wing, Laws 1893.....	\$6,425 00
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Amounting to the sum of six thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, July 11, 1893.

The above-mentioned bill having been read and passed on, on motion, the same was approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval :

Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band.....	Music.....	\$170 00
Conterno, Louis, Fourteenth Regiment Band.....	Music.....	100 00
Hitchcock, Hiram, Treasurer, coal.....	Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art ..	1,604 80
Hitchcock, Hiram, Treasurer, bills, May ..	Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art ..	425 50
Lederhaus' Orchestra and Military Band ..	Music.....	145 00
Leiboldt's Twelfth Regiment Band.....	Music.....	120 00
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, The.....	Telephonic Service.....	433 33
		<u>\$3,002 63</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Music	\$535 00	
Maintenance Museums—Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	2,034 30	
Telephonic Service.....	433 33	
	<hr/>	\$3,002 63

Amounting to the sum of three thousand and two dollars and sixty-three cents.

A. B. TAPPEN, } Auditing Committee.
PAUL DANA, }

NEW YORK, July 11, 1893.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote :

Ayes—Commissioners Tappen, Dana, Clausen—3.

The President made the following report :

I wish to report to the Board that the consideration by the Board of Aldermen of our application for leave to spend the \$135,000 on the Museum of Art without the public letting required by the charter, was referred by the Board of Aldermen to the Standing Committee on Parks and Places, of which Alderman Donovan is Chairman. At the suggestion of the Trustees of the Museum and of the Committee of the Board of Aldermen I arranged a meeting at the Museum on the 10th day of July, in the morning, and we all met there and went over the premises and listened to the explanations and statements both of Mr. Marquand and Director di Cesnola. The Board of Aldermen having adjourned until the 22d day of August, we can make no further progress in the matter, but I think they are very favorably impressed with the propriety of the application.

On motion, at 1.55 P. M., the Board adjourned to meet Tuesday, July 25, at 11 A. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, September 5, 1893. }

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, Cyrus Edson, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port, 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 report from Willard Parker Hospital. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox). Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers). Ordered on file.
- 5th. Report 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.
Annie Fitzsimmons.....	Assistant Laundress.....	\$168 00	Resigned.....	Aug. 31, 1893
Kate Kelly.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00		" 31, "
Ann Cole.....	".....	168 00	Appointed, vice Mary Mulvey.....	Sept. 1, "
Kate Kelly.....	Assistant Laundress.....	168 00	" vice Annie Fitzsimmons.....	" 1, "
Mary Gannon.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	" vice Kate Kelly.....	" 1, "
Charles Krell.....	Deck Hand.....	360 00	Resigned.....	Aug. 31, "
William Wetteborn.....	".....	360 00	Appointed, vice Charles Krell.....	Sept. 1, "

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

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
Mathias Theriault.....	\$1,968 75	James McCauley.....	\$166 66
Thomas F. White.....	3,000 00		

Ayes—The President and Commissioners Edson, Jenkins and Martin.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports :

1st. Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected :

Orders received for prosecution.....	175
Attorney's notices issued.....	341
Nuisances abated before suit.....	307
Civil suits commenced for other causes.....	39
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit.....	26
Suits discontinued—By Board.....	38
Judgments opened by the Courts.....	1
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits.....	1
Civil suits now pending.....	114
Criminal suits now pending.....	374
Money collected and paid to Auditor—Civil suits.....	\$140 49

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.
Murray, Ann.....	1181	Freedman, Gus.....	1477
Mooney, Daniel.....	2093	Rothstein, Fa. nie.....	1484
Sullivan, Eliza.....	2552	McCormack, Charles J.....	1504
Sullivan, Eliza.....	154	Engel, Samuel.....	1524
Leavercraft, John E.....	742	Rosendorf, Morris.....	1557
Behlmer, John F.....	2673	Turely, Patrick J.....	1576
Scallon, Francis.....	3249	Ladd, William.....	1584
Hennessey, Daniel.....	3584	Solomon, Marx.....	1601
Orange, Elizabeth.....	440	Gossett, Harris.....	1631
Fell, Thomas J.....	598	Casey, William.....	1642
Janeway, Virginia.....	761	Sturges, Thomas.....	1643
Holmes, Elizabeth.....	1286	Flanagan, William C.....	1648
Cordon, Antonio.....	1398	Muhling, Thomas E.....	1657
Cassidy, Peter A.....	1466	Wolf, Elias.....	1681

3d. Report on applications to record the births of William Sullivan, born July 20, 1892, Mary Sullivan, born August 9, 1892, and Grace Evers, born July 25, 1892. The report was approved, and, on motion, the applications were denied.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent :

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

- 9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades. Ordered on file.
- 10th. Monthly report of Charitable Institutions.
- 11th. Monthly report on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage. Ordered on file.

12th. Report on the vacating of certain premises.
On motion, it was
Resolved, That upon the report and recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, the orders for the vacating of premises No. 18 Eighth street be and is hereby revoked.

13th. Report in respect to premises Nos. 308 and 310 West Sixty-eighth street.
On motion, it was
Resolved, That the order declaring premises Nos. 308 and 310 West Sixty-eighth street a public nuisance be and is hereby rescinded for the reason that said nuisance has been abated.

14th. Report on sanitary condition of premises Nos. 289 and 295 East Broadway.
The premises Nos. 289 and 295 East Broadway, 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.

15th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 291 East Broadway.
The premises No. 291 East Broadway 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.

16th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 293 East Broadway.
The premises No. 293 East Broadway 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.

17th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 59 Mangin street.
The premises No. 59 Mangin street 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.

18th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 50 East Thirteenth street.
The premises No. 50 East Thirteenth street 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.

19th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 153 and 155 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

The premises Nos. 153 and 155 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street 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.

20th. Report on sanitary condition of premises No. 68 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

The premises No. 68 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street 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.

21st. Report on sanitary condition of premises, southeast corner of West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Seventh avenue.

The premises, southeast corner of West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Seventh avenue, 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 the 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.

22d. Report on sanitary condition of premises Nos. 309 and 311 West One Hundred and Forty-first street.

The premises, Nos. 309 and 311 West One Hundred and Forty-first street, 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 the 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.

23d. Reports and certificates on the sanitary condition of the following premises.
On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted :

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 118 Delancey street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on Lot No. 118 Delancey street, be required to vacate said building on or before September 11, 1893, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and 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 Charles F. Roberts, M. D., the Sanitary Superintendent ; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 335 East Twenty-seventh street has become dangerous to life and unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 335 East Twenty-seventh street be required to vacate said building on or before September 11, 1893, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and 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 Charles F. Roberts, M. D., the Sanitary Superintendent ; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. north side West One Hundred and Ninth street, three hundred feet west of Amsterdam avenue and extending twenty-five feet west has become dangerous to life and unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. north side West One Hundred and Ninth street, three hundred feet west of Amsterdam avenue and extending twenty-five feet west be required to vacate said building on or before September 11, 1893, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and 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.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. west side of Madison avenue between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, has become dangerous to life and unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. west side of Madison avenue between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets be required to vacate said building on or before September 11, 1893, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and 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.

Reports and Certificates on Overcrowding in the following Tenement-houses :

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :
Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air-space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses,
It is ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows :

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES.	LOCATION OF ROOM.	OCCUPANT.	REDUCED TO	
				Adults.	Children.
520	No. 34 Eldridge street, rear.....	Fourth, s. s.....	Morris Elkins.....	3	3
521	No. 75 Eldridge street.....	Third, f.....	Michael Rothberg.....	7	..
522	No. 77 Eldridge street.....	Third, n. s. r.....	Morris Gettler.....	5	1
523	".....	Third, s. s. f.....	Isaac Goldstein.....	4	2
524	".....	Sixth, s. s. r.....	Mendel Lunn.....	5	..
525	No. 78 Eldridge street.....	Third, n. s. r.....	Barbara Barotky.....	2	2
526	No. 202 Elizabeth street.....	Third, f.....	John Rabello.....	5	1
527	No. 202 Elizabeth street, rear.....	Third, n.....	Jos. Lamcho.....	3	2
528	".....	Fourth, s.....	John Lebane.....	3	2
529	No. 237 Elizabeth street.....	Second, s. s. f.....	Mrs. Mary Major.....	3	5
530	No. 239 Elizabeth street, rear.....	Third, s.....	Joe Santa.....	2	2
531	No. 242 Elizabeth street.....	Third, f.....	Frank Vestia.....	4	1
532	No. 244 Elizabeth street.....	Third, n. s. r.....	Joseph Capitan.....	3	3
533	".....	Third, s. s. f.....	Joe Maris.....	4	1
534	".....	Fourth, n. s. r.....	Frank Barta.....	3	2
535	".....	Fourth, s. s. f.....	Angelo Capitana.....	3	3
536	".....	Top, s. s. r.....	Angelo Cadaron.....	2	4
537	".....	Top, s. s. f.....	Salvator Cadaron.....	3	3
538	No. 246 Elizabeth street.....	First, r.....	Benjamin Acosta.....	2	4

Reports on Applications for Permits.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows :

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
1362	To keep fifty-one lodgers.....	No. 22 Chatham square.
1363	To keep one hundred and seventeen lodgers.....	Nos. 108 and 108½ Bowery.
7558	To board and care for one child.....	No. 7 Cornelia street.
7559	".....	No. 612 East Twelfth street.
7560	".....	No. 324 East Twenty-second street.
7561	To keep thirty-four chickens.....	No. 567 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
7562	To drive one cow to pasture (proviso).....	From No. 560 Eagle avenue to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Southern Boulevard.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied as follows :

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
846	To board and care for one child.....	No. 327 East Seventy-second street.
847	To keep one cow.....	No. 560 Eagle avenue.
848	To keep eight chickens.....	No. 335 West End avenue.

Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows :

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
3629	No. 233 East One Hundred and Eighth street.....		Rescinded.
4757	No. 203 Grand street.....		Rescinded.
7445	No. 537 West One Hundred and Tenth street.....		Rescinded.
9728	No. 240 East One Hundred and Eighth street.....		Rescinded.
10673	No. 370 West Fifty-eighth street.....		Rescinded.
10832	No. 846 East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.....	Sept. 25, 1893	Provided the privy-vault be cleaned at once.
13229	No. 202 East One Hundred and Ninth street.....		Rescinded.
14670	No. 115 Lewis street.....	Nov. 1, 1893	
15037	No. 69 West Ninety-third street.....		Rescinded.
15732	Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street.....		Rescinded.
17029	No. 398 Front street.....		Rescinded.
18106	Nos. 19 and 21 Morris street.....	Sept. 15, 1893	
18853	No. 1605 Third avenue.....		Rescinded.
18937	Nos. 193 and 185 Seventh street.....	Oct. 15, 1893	
19258	No. 131 Liberty street.....		Rescinded.
19330	No. 259 West Thirty-first street.....	Sept. 20, 1893	
19359	No. 835 Second avenue.....	Oct. 1, 1893	
24865	No. 521 East Fifteenth street.....	May 1, 1894	

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

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT
15606	No. 846 Tinton avenue.	18490	No. 137 Ludlow street.
17048	No. 106 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.	18535	Nos. 341 and 343 East Seventy-first street.
17658	Nos. 239 and 241 West One Hundred and Forty-second street.	18536	
18390	No. 306 East One Hundred and Fifth street.	18709	Nos. 2342 and 2344 St. John's avenue.

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

- 1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases. Ordered on file.
2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian. 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 statement. Ordered on file.
7th. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks. Ordered on file.
8th. Reports on delayed birth certificates.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following delayed birth certificates :

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
1. Jaros Karel Ctibor	Born	Sept. 2, 1892
2. Adela Zotto	"	Feb. 21, 1893
3. Luisa Variale	"	Mar. 23, "
4. Francesco Pasquale Granato	"	" 25, "
5. Fredrick Falbinger	"	Apr. 18, "
6. Henry Horschheimer	"	" 19, "
7. Alsbila Mosiale	"	" 23, "
8. Vincenzo Rosso	"	" 25, "
9. Mary Appella	"	" 27, "
10. Mariantonia Ducci	"	May 7, "
11. Rosa Astariti	"	" 10, "
12. Bertha Glinsmann	"	" 13, "
13. Ada Vinton	"	" 14, "
14. Angela Savarese	"	" 15, "
15. Serafina Monte	"	" 25, "
16. Genoeffa Pellegrino	"	" 25, "
17. Carmine Consalvi	"	" 31, "
18. Egidio Pelletieri	"	June 2, "
19. Carmela Carusone	"	" 4, "
20. Edna Feldman	"	" 6, "
21. Frank H. Mohrbeck	"	" 10, "
22. Antonia Moserillo	"	" 13, "
23. Grace J. Golden	"	" 14, "
24. Sam. Brumer	"	" 14, "
25. Slema Rube	"	" 14, "
26. Sofia Lapedes	"	" 14, "
27. Gennaro Carmelo-Gagliardi	"	" 14, "
28. Louis Charles Muller	"	" 14, "
29. Jennie Enderman	"	" 15, "
30. Angela Maria Luisa Variale	"	" 22, "
31. Maggie Mulleney	"	" 22, "
32. Albert Behnke	"	" 23, "
33. Theodore Horschheimer	"	" 23, "
34. John Burk	"	" 28, "
35. Vito Allegretti	"	" 29, "
36. Maria Mucciardi	"	" 29, "
37. Agnesa Petrina Destefano	"	" 29, "
38. Josephine Marks	"	July 3, "

9th. Report on application to file supplemental papers.
On motion, it was
Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to

NAME.	RETURN.	DATE.
Frederica Miller Adam.....	Died.....	May 29, 1893

The following Communication was Received from the Chief Inspector of Bacteriology, Pathology and Disinfection.

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

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

A communication from the Department of Docks inclosing complaint from the Occident Dock Company, in regard to nuisance at Pier 60, North river, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

An application for appointment from Dr. L. K. Graves was received and ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Police be and is hereby respectfully requested to cause the Captains of Police to be notified that the annual appropriation for the Night Medical service for the year 1893 has been expended, and that there is no provision for the further payment of physicians for such services during the remainder of the present year (sections 297-302 New York Consolidation Act).

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the pay-roll of this Department for the "Summer Corps" for one month be and is hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign certificates and forward the same to the Comptroller.

Work Performed by the Sanitary Bureau for Week ending September 2, 1893.

There were 14,831 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 597 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 464 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, 50 permits.
There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk under bonds), 1 permit.
There were issued under the Sanitary Code, 4 miscellaneous permits.
There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy-sinks, 25 permits.

Work Performed by the Bureau of Records for Week ending September 2, 1893.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates received and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000, Population estimated at 1,902,727.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroners' Cases.	Searches Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Register.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	258	37	....	7.07	....	....	....	28	14	....	258
Births.....	1,082	....	2	29.69	....	....	....	19	10	....	914
Deaths.....	759	7	....	20.81	759	19	73	130	129	....	786
Still-births.....	81	24	....	2.22	81	....	9	....	....	....	....

The 759 deaths represent a death-rate of 20.81 against 20.64 for the previous week, and 20.38 for the corresponding week of 1892.

The number of deaths varied little from that of the previous week. There was an increase of 6 in the deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, of 9 from pneumonia, of 14 from Bright's disease, and of 9 from violence, with a decrease of 13 from diphtheria, of 9 from measles, of 5 from heart diseases, and of 7 from bronchitis.

The deaths from diphtheria were most numerous in the Tenth and Twelfth Wards, the two deaths from measles being in the Fourth and Nineteenth Wards, and the 3 from scarlet fever in the First, Twelfth and Thirteenth Wards.

Analysis of Croton Water for Friday, September 1, 1893. Sample taken from Hydrant at Bleeker, opposite Mulberry, Street.

	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.....	Light yellow brown.....	Light yellow brown.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.....	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.120.....	0.205.
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride..	0.197.....	0.338.
Phosphates.....	None.....	None.
Nitrites.....	"	"
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites.....	0.0118.....	0.0202.
Free Ammonia.....	0.0003.....	0.0005.
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0070.....	0.0120.
Hardness equivalent to { Before boiling.....	2.332.....	4.00.
Carbonate of Lime { After boiling.....	2.332.....	4.00.
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).....	0.875.....	1.50.
Mineral Matter (non-volatile)	3.324.....	5.70.
Total solids (by evaporation).....	4.199.....	7.20.

Remarks—Temperature at hydrant, 71° Fahr.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Tuesday, September 12, at 12 o'clock M.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL, UNDER CHAPTER 537, LAWS OF 1893, RELATIVE TO CHANGE OF GRADE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK CITY.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, No. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
TUESDAY, September 12, 1893, 2 o'clock P. M. }

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman).

Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel ; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., and Fred. J. Lancaster, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the last meeting was dispensed with.

By consent of counsel representing the City testimony was taken, subject to revision and correction, in the matter of the following claims : 42 (T. B. Clark), 43 (Mary Clear), 44 (Franz Kranz), 62 (Rose A. Everett), 40 (Mary J. Smith), 41 (Michael O'Neill) and 64 (John C. Harff).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, September 13, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, No. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
WEDNESDAY, September 13, 1893, 2 o'clock P. M. }

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman).

Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel ; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the last meeting was dispensed with.

By consent of counsel representing the City testimony was taken, subject to revision and correction, in the matter of the following claims : 54 to 59 (Ann Mullaney).

The Commission then adjourned to Friday, September 15, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, No. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
FRIDAY, September 15, 1893, 2 o'clock P. M. }

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman).

Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel ; Thomas S. Bass-

ford, Esq., and Fred. J. Lancaster, Esq., representing numerous claimants; and Hon. Granville P. Hawes, representing numerous claimants.

The minutes of the proceedings of the meetings of August 1, September 6, 8 and 11, were read and approved.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

Judge Hawes filed a number of petitions and notices of hearing, with proof of service upon the Corporation Counsel.

The Commission proceeded to take testimony in the matter of the following claims: 54 to 59 (Ann Mullaney), 63 (Enoch C. Bell).

On motion of Mr. Deering, the Commission then adjourned to Monday, September 18, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
MONDAY, September 18, 1893, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman).

Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., and Fred. J. Lancaster, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

By consent of counsel representing the City testimony was taken, subject to revision and correction, in the matter of the following claims: 54 to 59 (Ann Mullaney), 42 (Thomas B. Clark).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, September 20, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,
ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
WEDNESDAY, September 20, 1893, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James A. Deering, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., and Fred. J. Lancaster, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

The following proceedings took place in the matter of Claims 54 to 59 (Ann Mullaney). Mr. Bassford offered in evidence proof of title of Ann Mullaney, covering Ward Nos. 26, 28, 30, 31, 37 and 38, in Block No. 1251, covering the entire premises connected with which any claim is made for damages in these claims.

Walter E. Brown, a witness, heretofore examined in chief on behalf of the claimant, Ann Mullaney, appeared for cross-examination.

At the suggestion of Mr. Ward, and with the assent of Mr. Bassford, the cross-examination of this witness was postponed to the next meeting.

On motion of Commissioner Deering the Commission then adjourned to Friday, September 22, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

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:

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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; J. C. LULLEY, Secretary; A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer; E. A. WOLFF, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKEE, 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. McCRELLAN, 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. BIRDALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9);
JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4);
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improvements (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 11); STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent of Incumbances (Room 16); NICHOLAS R. O'CONNOR, Superintendent of Street Openings (Room 14).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

LOUIS F. HAPFEN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWBER SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, 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.
JOHN A. SULLIVAN, 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, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., and EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, President; ANTHONY EICKHOFF and HENRY WINTHROP GRAY, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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

Central Office open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott 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.
ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, President; PAUL DANA, NATHAN STRAUS and GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner; I. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1893, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 30 to November 1, 1893.

The interest due November 1, 1893, on the Coupon Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the State Trust Company, No. 36 Wall street.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Sept. 26, 1893.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL UNDER CHAPTER 537, LAWS OF 1893, RELATIVE TO CHANGE OF GRADE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK CITY.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF 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. 18 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 26, 1893.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
JAMES A. DEERING,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING AT the Mayor's office on Friday, September 29, 1893, at eleven o'clock A. M., by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in relation to the plans for proposed improvements of the water fronts, North and East rivers, and agreements for the purchase of water rights from private owners, as follows:

Sea-wall through Piers, old 26 and 27, and the intervening bulkheads on each side at the foot of Barclay street and Park place.

Sea-wall along the bulkhead-line through Piers, old Nos. 19 and 18, North river, at the expense of John H. Starin.

Water front of Harlem river, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Seventh avenue.

Water-front, and Exterior street, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-third street, and from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-fourth street, East river.

Water-front between Seventy-second and One Hundredth streets, North river, in front of Riverside Park.

Water-front between Charles and West Twenty-third streets, North river.

Purchase of water rights at Forty-third street, North river, from the Knickerbocker Ice Company.

Plans, etc., of the proposed improvements may be seen at the Comptroller's office and at the Mayor's office on the day of the hearing.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1893.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and work in the erection of an Armory Building on the easterly side of Madison avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, UNTIL 10.30 O'CLOCK A. M. OF THE 4TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Work in the erection of an Armory Building on the easterly side of Madison avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of FIFTY THOUSAND (\$50,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Board, who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the Architect, J. R. THOMAS, No. 160 BROADWAY, New York City.

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

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Architect, at his office, No. 160 BROADWAY, New York City.

THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor;
EDWARD P. BARKEE,
President Department Taxes and Assessments;
MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner Public Works;
BRIG-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
COL. JAMES CAVANAGH,
Armory Board Commissioners.

NEW YORK WATER SUPPLY.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons who own or have or who claim to own or have estates or interests in or liens upon any lands or real estate bordering on the Croton river in the Counties of Westchester, Putnam and Dutchess and any of the tributaries of such river, or bordering on or being adjacent to any reservoir, lake, pond or stream, the waters of which are owned, used or controlled by the City of New York for its water supply; and public notice is also given to any and all persons who own or have or who claim to own or have estates or interests in or liens upon any real estate bordering on the Bronx river or Byram river, Kensico Reservoir, Byram Pond or Rye Pond, Bear Gutter Creek or either of their tributaries, or bordering on the storage reservoir known as Williams Bridge Reservoir, in the City of New York; that the State Board of Health of the State of New York, for the purpose of protecting the water supply of the City of New York from contamination, and acting under and in pursuance to the authority conferred upon them by chapter 661 of the Laws of 1893, did hold a meeting at the City of New York on the 25th day of

August, 1893, at which meeting certain amendments to the rules and regulations for the sanitary protection of the Croton river and its tributaries were adopted; and public notice is further given that the following is a copy of the minutes of the meeting of the said State Board of Health held as aforesaid and a copy of the amendments to such rules and regulations:

AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE SANITARY PROTECTION OF THE CROTON RIVER AND ITS TRIBUTARIES IN THE COUNTIES OF WESTCHESTER, PUTNAM AND DUTCHESS, AND OF SO MUCH OF THE BRONX AND BYRAM RIVERS AND THEIR TRIBUTARIES AS ARE NOW USED FOR THE SUPPLY OF WATER FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The State Board of Health, at a meeting held in the City of New York on the 25th day of August, 1893, a quorum being present, did then and there, after having heard the report of a committee of the Board, duly appointed for the purpose of examination into the subject, which committee was appointed at a meeting of the Board, held in the City of Albany, the 27th day of July, 1893, at which meeting was made by it for the sanitary protection of the Croton river and its tributaries in the Counties of Westchester, Putnam and Dutchess, and of so much of the Bronx and Byram rivers and their tributaries as are now used for the supply of water for the City of New York, in accordance with and under the provisions of article V. of chapter 661 of the Laws of 1893, in the following particulars, to wit:

That, taking into consideration the character of the soil, and of the substrata of the soil and the angle of the slopes, the distances at which privy vaults, slaughter houses, hog pens, barn yards, or any and all places or things which tend to pollute and render impure and dangerous water taken from the several sources enumerated and set forth in said rules, may be maintained, is increased to three hundred feet, horizontal measurements, of the high-water mark in any lake, pond or reservoir in said water-shed, and to two hundred and fifty feet, horizontal measurement, of the high water mark or precipitous bank of any spring, stream or water-course tributary to said lakes, ponds or reservoirs.

FLORINCE O'DONOHUE, M. D., President.

LEWIS BALCH, M. D.,

[L. S.] Secretary and Executive Officer.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, September 23, 1893.

MICHAEL T. DALEY,

Commissioner of Public Work,

31 Chambers street, New York.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles:

296,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

50,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

2,800 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,800 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag. —will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, October 7, 1893, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates 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 above 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 three thousand and five hundred (3,500) 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 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 seventy-five (175) 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 suc-

cessful 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,

H. W. GRAY,

Commissioners.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing Five Hundred Tons of White Ash Coal for the Riverside Hospital at North Brother Island, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received: at the office of the Health Department, in the City of New York, until 1.30 o'clock P. M., of the 27th day of September, 1893. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Coal for Riverside Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its 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 Board and read.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, 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.

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

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about Five Hundred (500) Tons of White Ash Coal, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specification attached to and which forms a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, in such quantities and at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract, and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be required by the Department, no allowance will be made for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

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 FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) DOLLARS.

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 therein stated 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.

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in the City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) DOLLARS, and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract 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 shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of 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.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is 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 estimate, or if he or they accept, but do not execute, the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

No 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 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 cautioned to examine the form of contract and the specifications for particulars before mak-

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

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 301 Mott street.

CHARLES G. WILSON,

CYRUS EDSON, M. D.,

WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.,

JAMES J. MARTIN,

Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, September 14, 1893.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS, ETC., TO BRANCH ASYLUM, WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, 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 Tuesday October 10, 1893, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs, etc., to Branch Asylum, Ward's Island," 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.

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 FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be obtained at the office of the Architect, Leopold Eidlitz, No. 160 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AND COMPLETION OF STEAM PLANT AND CONDUITS AT CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, 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 Tuesday, October 10, 1893, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Plant and Conduits, Central Islip, Long Island," 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.

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 FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architect, Leopold Eidlitz, No. 160 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AND COMPLETION OF SYSTEM OF WATER SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE AT CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, 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 Tuesday, October 10, 1893, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for System of Water Supply and Drainage, Central Islip, Long Island," 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.

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 FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The forms of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Architect, Leopold Edlitz, No. 160 Fifth avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 14, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A STEAM LAUNCH.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, 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 Wednesday, September 27, 1893, until 10 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Launch," 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.

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 TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED (\$2,500) DOLLARS.

A bidder for a 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 a 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, or such specific sum as may be mentioned in the proposal.

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 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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 their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 4196, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from First to Third avenue.

List 4200, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

List 4201, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging the southeast corner of Eighty-fifth street and Columbus avenue, extending about 150 feet on Eighty-fifth street and about 100 feet on Columbus avenue.

List 4123, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Walnut avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, with branches in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Locust avenue and Southern Boulevard.

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 Sixth street, from First to Third avenue, on Block 227, Ward Nos. 30 to 39, inclusive, and 41 to 49½, inclusive; Block 222, Ward Nos. 35, 6, 8, 11, 12, 21 and 22; Block 309, Ward Nos. 33 and 35 to 44½, inclusive, and Block 310, Ward Nos. 12, 13, 10 to 20½, inclusive.

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

No. 3. South side of Eighty-fifth street, extending about 150 feet easterly from Columbus avenue, and east side of Columbus avenue, extending about 102 feet southerly from Eighty-fifth street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, from Locust avenue to Southern Boulevard; both sides of Walnut avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and both sides of Willow avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and west side of Locust avenue, extending one half the block north-

erly and southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 28th day of October, 1893.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1893.

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 4116, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Boulevard to Kingsbridge road.

List 4168, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 4171, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Ninetieth street, from Avenue A to East river.

List 4172, No. 4. Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Sixteenth street, at west side of Lenox avenue.

List 4185, No. 5. Laying crosswalks across Kingsbridge road, at the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

List 4186, No. 6. Laying crosswalks across Lenox avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

List 4187, No. 7. Laying crosswalks across One Hundred and Twenty-third street, westerly side of Seventh avenue.

List 4189, No. 8. Paving Twenty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 4190, No. 9. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 4199, No. 10. Flagging south side of Ninety-eighth street, from First to Second avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Kingsbridge road to Boulevard; on Farm No. 8A, Ward Nos. 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 44, 45, 47, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60 and 62, and Farm No. 9, Ward Nos. 109, 118½, 120½, 120½, 121, 122, 123, 107, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 60½, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 41, 42, 43, 44.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninetieth street, from Avenue A to East river.

No. 4. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and westerly side of Lenox avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Kingsbridge road, extending from the centre line of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street northerly about 942 feet on the east, and 1,438 feet on the west of said road.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block, from the northerly and southerly intersections of Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block from the westerly intersection of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

No. 8. Both sides of Twenty-eighth street, commencing about 230 feet west of Tenth avenue and extending to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on Block 841, Ward Nos. 36, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 44, 50 and 61, also Block 842, Ward Nos. 1 and 5 to 23, inclusive.

No. 10. South side of Ninety-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, on Block 213, Ward Nos. 35, 36, 37, 39, 40, 41, 47 and 48.

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 21st day of October, 1893.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 20, 1893.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1893,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF the City of New York, under the direction of John K. Vail, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, the following-described buildings, etc., now standing within the lines of property taken under chapter 189, Laws of 1893, in the Towns of New Castle and Bedford:

George McTavay.

Lot No. 1. Two-story frame store and apartment tin roof house, 22.7 x 44; two-story frame store and apartment house, tin roof, 21.3 x 13.3; second story extension, 9.3 x 27; store-house and stable, 12.4 x 29.9; shed, 12.4 x 53; horse stable, 12.3 x 16.2; all connected.

Lot No. 2. Two-story frame wheelwright-shop, 22.3 x 50.3; extension, 23.5 x 35.5; extension, 8.5 x 14.7; approach, 7 x 7; old barn, 10.2 x 24.6.

Mrs. T. E. Carpenter.

Lot No. 3. Two-story and attic frame house, 22 x 26.3 rear extension, 10.4 x 26.3; workshop, 20.2 x 16.2.

Lorenz Wolf.

Lot No. 4. One-story tin roof saloon building, 13.6 x 31.6; rear extension, one-story and basement, 23.2 x 23.4; one and one-half story frame house, 22.9 x 27.2; all connected.

Lot No. 5. Ice safe, 7.4 x 14; horse stable with loft, 20.5 x 20.3; shed extension, 18 x 30.2.

Lot No. 6. Two-story frame house, 14.3 x 18; north extension, 8.1 x 14.3; south extension, 8.1 x 14.3.

Lot No. 7. Ice-house, 18.3 x 24.3; stable with loft, 12.3 x 14.3; shed extension, 14.3 x 25.

Andrew Ferris.

Lot No. 8. Two-story and attic frame store and apartment house, 20.2 x 30.6; one and one-half story extension, 26.4 x 22.4; tin roof extension, 22.9 x 18.2.

Lot No. 9. Smoke-house, 5.2 x 5.2; horse stable with loft, 20.3 x 22.3.

Estate Zophar Carpenter.

Lot No. 10. Two-story frame tin roof house, 14.2 x 21; one-story mansard roof-house, 22.4 x 28.3; connected; coal-house, 6.2 x 16.2.

Lot No. 11. One and one-half story frame house, tin roof, 21.2 x 40 x 1; extension, 15 x 16.3; brick oven, 10 x 12.2.

J. S. Peersall.

Lot No. 12. Blacksmith shop, 20.2 x 26.8; two-story wheelwright shop connected, 20.2 x 35; approach, 6 x 24.

Carpenter and Pelton.

Lot No. 13. One and one-half story frame tenant house, 21.5 x 25.3; wood-house, 7 x 9.9.

Estate B. Travis.

Lot No. 14. One-story and attic frame house, 15.7 x 30.3; wood-house, 8.3 x 12.3.

W. Hatter.

Lot No. 15. Two-story and attic frame house, 20.3 x 22.3; stable, with loft, 13 x 16.1.

A. A. Saries.

Lot No. 16. Stable, with loft, 22.3 x 26.3; smoke-house, 4 x 4.

Lot No. 17. Wagon-house, 14.2 x 22.3; hen-house, 5.5 x 14; inclosure, 12.2 x 14.2; hen-house, 4.4 x 5.8; coal-shed, 12 x 14.2.

Lot No. 18. Three-story and attic frame house, 22.2 x 22.4; north extension, 10.3 x 19.3; south extension, 11.6 x 16.6; wash-house, 12.7 x 12.8.

Lot No. 19. Two-story frame, basement and attic house, 26.3 x 22; hen and coal-house, 9.5 x 10.4; extension, 4.2 x 13.

J. H. Hart.

Lot No. 20. Carpenter shop, 20.2 x 55.1.

A. A. Sutton.

Lot No. 21. One and one-half story and basement frame house, 15.7 x 22.1; extension, 8.3 x 34.

Lot No. 22. Wagon-house, with loft, 18 x 20.3; shed extension, 8.6 x 20.3; old stable, 14.2 x 24.9.

Lot No. 23. Two-story, basement and attic frame house, 20.3 x 22.2.

Lot No. 24. Two-story, basement and attic frame house, 18.4 x 22.2.

Theo. Myers.

Lot No. 25. One and one-half story frame house 13.2 x 20.2; east wing, 11.2 x 14; wood-shed, 6.2 x 8.1.

Union Free School.

Lot No. 26. Two-story, slate roof, frame school-house, 54 x 22; east wing, 19 x 30; west wing, 19 x 30; furnace-room extension, 9.2 x 21.2; coal-house, 10.2 x 16.3.

H. Slosson.

Lot No. 27. Two-story frame house, 20.4 x 27.3.

Jacob Brower.

Lot No. 28. Horse stable with loft, 28.3 x 40.4; one and one-half-story frame house, 12.3 x 16.1.

Charles Hallock.

Lot No. 29. Two-story carpenter shop and stable, 30.2 x 20.2; extension, 16 x 20.2; hen-house, 4.3 x 8.

Estate of D. Bennett.

Lot No. 30. Two-story and attic frame store and apartment-house, 28.3 x 20.1; two-story tin roof extension, 15.5 x 27.3; one-story extension, tin and shingle roof, 27 x 37; south wing, 6 x 13.8; hen-house with inclosure, 6 x 12.7.

Lot No. 31. Horse stable with loft, 12.2 x 18.2; wagon-house and blacksmith shop, 20.2 x 60.

Moger Estate.

Lot No. 32. Old carpenter shop, 12.2 x 15.1; extension, 14.7 x 19.3; two-story frame shop, 18.2 x 22.3.

Martin & Sutton.

Lot No. 33. Barn and stable, 26.2 x 36.6; extension, 13.6 x 26.3; wagon-shed connected, 20.2 x 20.2; granary, 12.3 x 21.4.

Lot No. 34. Ice-house, 17.3 x 22.2; shed, 14 x 25; slaughter-house, 14 x 22.4; hen-house, 7 x 18.7; inclosure, 14 x 59.4; all connected.

Lot No. 35. One-story store building, tin roof, 14.3 x 20.4; ice-box extension, 7.2 x 10.8.

Young & Halstead.

Lot No. 36. Two-story and attic frame house, 22.3 x 24.3; extension, 5.9 x 11.3; old two-story frame house, 13.5 x 15.9; extension, 5.6 x 13; coal shed, 27 x 39.

R. Bochner.

Lot No. 37. Two-story frame store and dwelling-house, 20.4 x 30.4; tin roof extension, 18.5 x 25.4; ice-box extension, 10 x 12.3.

Lot No. 38. Wagon-house, with loft, 20.1 x 20.3; cow stable extension, 9 x 20; horse stable, 20.7 x 38.4; all connected; hen-house, 10 x 14.

Jam's Pierce.

Lot No. 58. Two-story and basement frame store and dwelling, tin roof, 25 x 28.5; cupola room, 9 x 9; wing, 5 x 16.3.

B. E. Hazen.

Lot No. 59. Two-story frame, tin roof, store and dwelling, 18 x 31.2; engine-room extension, 6.3 x 31.2; one and one-half story gambrel roof store and dwelling, 24.2 x 49; one-story extension, tin roof, 24.2 x 32.7; two-story and attic frame store and dwelling, 31.5 x 50.4, all connected.

Lot No. 60. Stable with loft, 22.3 x 30.3; shed extension, 20.3 x 25.

Mrs. Samuel Knapp.

Lot No. 61. Two-story and attic frame house, 24.4 x 38.4; tin roof extension, 6.3 x 16.3; extension, 12.1 x 12.8; extension, 9.3 x 17.2.

Lot No. 62. Stable with loft, 20.4 x 30.3; hen-house, 4.4 x 7.

Dr. Slavson.

Lot No. 63. One and one-half story frame house, 30.4 x 40.6; extension, 8.2 x 40.6.

Lot No. 64. Coal and wood house, 13 x 28.3; stable with loft, 20.2 x 20.5.

Mrs. F. Platt.

Lot No. 65. Stable with loft, 14.4 x 20.3.

R. W. Leonard.

Lot No. 66. Frame grist mill, 30.7 x 40.4, with three run of stone; two turbine wheels, machinery and fixtures; west extension, 11.4 x 10.6; north extension, 11.8 x 17.6.

R. C. Archer.

Lot No. 67. Stable with loft, 18.2 x 22.4; shed extension, 12.7 x 16.2; shed extension, 15.1 x 17.4; hen-house connected, 8 x 14.4; hen-house, 4.3 x 6.2.

Lot No. 68. One-story mansard roof frame house, 26.5 x 22.3; east wing, 9.2 x 19.6; wash-house extension, 10.5 x 12.3.

Lot No. 69. One-story shop with loft, 16.3 x 20.3; shed extension, 16 x 20.2.

Mrs. L. Tripp.

Lot No. 70. Two-story store and dwelling, 22.3 x 22.3.

Mrs. H. Fallon.

Lot No. 71. Two-story and attic frame house, 23.5 x 30.2; tin roof extension, 10.1 x 5.1; rear extension, 6.8 x 8.2.

Gilbert Tompkins.

Lot No. 72. One and one-half story and attic frame house, 23.6 x 24.3; one and one-half story extension, 18 x 20.6; extension, 11.3 x 20.6; old workshop, 13.7 x 17.9.

Mrs. Osgood.

Lot No. 73. One-story frame house, 21.4 x 23.4.

Lot No. 74. Two-story and attic frame house, 22.2 x 25.3; extension, 20.3 x 20.5; barn, 18 x 22.5.

John Cox.

Lot No. 75. One and one-half story frame house, 16.2 x 21.3; wood house, 10.2 x 12.3.

TERMS OF SALE.

The consideration that the Department of Public Works shall receive for the foregoing buildings will be, First—The removal of every part of the buildings, excepting the stone foundation, on or before the 10th day of November, 1893, and Second—The sum paid in money on the day of sale. If any part of any building is left on the property on and after 11th of November, 1893, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the building, or part of building so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale; and the Department of Public Works may, at any time on or after the 11th day of November, 1893, cause said building, or part of building, to be removed and disposed of at the expense of the party to whom the above conditioned sale, as described, may be made. The total amount of the bid must be paid at the time of the sale.

MICHAEL T. DALY,

Commissioner of Public Works
of the City of New York.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 7, 1893.**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 on Monday, October 2, 1893, until 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REMOVAL OF OLD GATE-HOUSE AT TENTH AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW GATE-HOUSE AND CONNECTIONS.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN TWELFTH AND THIRTEENTH AVENUES, between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, AND IN TWENTY-SEVENTH, TWENTY-EIGHTH AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues, AND ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN THIRTIETH STREET, between Eleventh avenue and North river, connecting with sewer to be built by Department of Docks at Pier (new) No. 60.

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

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

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

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

returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers Street.

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 thereupon liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thereupon be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

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

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,

Commissioner of Public Works

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, September 15, 1893.**TO CONTRACTORS.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 262 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, October 3, 1893, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Elton Avenue to Morris Avenue.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LOWELL STREET, between Rider Avenue and Third Avenue, with branches in MORRIS AVENUE, north and south of Lowell Street; in COLLEGE AVENUE, north of Lowell Street, and in ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, between Morris Avenue and Third Avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRD AVENUE, from the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the north side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the

amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.**BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of chapter 223 of the Laws of 1893, propose to alter or change the grades of Forty-eighth street, Forty-ninth street and Fiftieth street, from the centre line of Eleventh Avenue westerly to the bulkhead-line at the North river, and to make a corresponding change in the grade of Twelfth Avenue, between Forty-seventh and Fifty-first streets, so as to adjust the grades of said several streets to the grade of the bulkhead at the North river.

Dated NEW YORK, September 18, 1893.

V. B. LIVINGSTON,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, August 8, 1893.

TO THE OWNERS OF LICENSED TRUCKS OR OTHER LICENSED VEHICLES RESIDING IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 269 of the Laws of 1892 (known as the Street Cleaning Law), the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will remove or cause to be removed all unharnessed trucks, carts, wagons and vehicles of any description found in any public street or place between the hours of seven o'clock in the morning and six o'clock in the evening on any day of the week except Sundays and legal holidays, and also all unharnessed trucks, carts, wagons and vehicles of any description found upon any public street or place between the hours of six o'clock in the evening and seven o'clock in the morning, or on Sundays and legal holidays, unless the owner of such truck, cart, wagon or other vehicle shall have obtained from the Mayor a permit for the occupancy of that portion of such street or place on which it shall be found, and shall have given notice of the issue of said permit to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

The necessary permits can be obtained, free of charge, by applying to the Mayor's Marshal at his office in the City Hall.

Dated NEW YORK, August 8, 1893.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning,
New York City.**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 Stewart Building.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to widening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, between Elton Avenue and Third Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of July, 1893, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 widening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, as shown and delineated on a map or plan made under authority of chapter 446 of the Laws of 1889, and adopted by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, by a resolution passed December 29, 1890, and as shown on three copies of said map or plan made by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, entitled "Map or plan showing the alterations of southern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Elton Avenue and Third Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, established under authority of chapter 446 of the Laws of 1889, and filed by said Commissioner under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, one in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, May 25, 1891, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, May 27, 1891, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, May 28, 1891, 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 re-

spective 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, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 26, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of October, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, September 26, 1893.

FRANCIS A. DUGRO,

NOEL GALE,

J. A. CARBERRY,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, between Eradhurst Avenue and McComb's Dam Road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of March, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, appointed under an act of the Legislature, passed April 3, 1891, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, on March 7, 1868, 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, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 25, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of October, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, September 25, 1893.

JACOB MARKS,

THOMAS C. T. CRAIN,

MATTHEW CHALMERS,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between the Boulevard and Riverside Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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 4th day of October, 1893, 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, September 20, 1893.

EDWARD T. WOOD,

HENRY G. CASSIDY,

PETER BOWE,

Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, 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 LOWELL STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third Avenue to Rider Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road 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 23d day of October, 1893, 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, September 18, 1893.
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
JACOB P. SOLOMON,
HENRY W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT—WEST-CHESTER COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York to acquire certain real estate in the Town of North Salem, Westchester County, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, for a storage reservoir, known as Reservoir "M," for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of said city.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the second separate report of James Thomson, John Perry and George Caulfield, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date January 18, 1890, which said report bears date July 28, 1893, and was filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office July 29, 1893, and that the parcels covered by said report are Parcels Nos. 3, 13, 14 and 16.

Notice is further given that an application will be made to confirm the said report at a Special Term of the Supreme Court to be held at the Court in the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County on the 28th day of October, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated September 12, 1893.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of July, 1893, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, and filed on or about the 21st day of April, 1893, one in the office of the Department of Public Works, one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue, so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying-out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 20, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, September 20, 1893.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, Chairman,
ISAAC FROMME,
THOMAS S. HUME,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET between Seventh avenue and the bulkhead-line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, fourth floor, in said city, on or before the 18th day of October, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of October, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been

deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 18th day of October, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to Exterior street; easterly by the westerly line of Exterior street; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-third street and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Exterior street to Seventh avenue, and westerly by the easterly line of Seventh avenue, as such area is shown upon our benefit map, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, September 5, 1893.
SAMUEL J. FOLEY, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. DOBBS,
EMANUEL M. FRIEND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

NEW CROTON DAM, CORNELL SITE.

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 Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 14th day of October, 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate herein-after described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected is situated in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York, and is laid out, indicated and shown on a certain map signed and certified as required by said act, entitled "Final Plan Sheet, Exhibit No. 7, of 1893, for the Acquisition in Fee of Additional Lands for the Construction of New Croton Dam (Cornell Site) in the Town of Cortlandt, Westchester County, New York," which said map was filed in Westchester County Register's Office, at White Plains, in said county, on the 24th day of August, 1893, as map numbered 1091.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the real estate to be taken, all of which is to be acquired in fee.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 6½.

Said to belong to the heirs of Pierre C. Van Wyck, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct, which point is the corner of Parcels Nos. 6 and 14; thence along Parcel No. 6 (1) north 31 degrees 52 minutes west 713.8 feet to a point in the centre of the Croton river, which point is the corner of Parcels Nos. 6 and 6½; thence (2) along said Parcel No. 6½ and in the centre of the said Croton river south 41 degrees 20 minutes west 1,150 feet to a point; thence leaving the centre of said river and Parcel No. 6½ (3) south 53 degrees 29 minutes 40 seconds east 674.42 feet to a point on the northerly side of Croton Aqueduct; thence along the said northerly side of said Aqueduct (4) north 41 degrees 57 minutes east 887.9 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 15.82 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 6¼.

Said to belong to the heirs of Pierre C. Van Wyck, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of the Croton Aqueduct, which point is the end of course (3) of Parcel No. 6¼; thence along the northerly side of said Aqueduct (1) south 41 degrees 57 minutes west 1,306.94 feet to a point; thence leaving the northerly side of said Aqueduct (2) north 51 degrees 17 minutes 20 seconds west 430 feet to the centre of the Croton river; thence along the centre of said river (3) north 20 degrees 11 minutes east 635.58 feet to a point; thence (4) north 41 degrees 20 minutes east 678 feet to a corner of Parcels Nos. 6¼ and 6½; thence leaving the centre of said Croton river and along Parcel No. 6¼ (5) south 53 degrees 29 minutes 40 seconds east 674.42 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 18.162 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 7.

Said to belong to the heirs of Pierre C. Van Wyck, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of the Croton Aqueduct at a corner of Parcel No. 13; thence along said Parcel No. 13 (1) south 1 degree 35 minutes west 102.5 feet to a corner; thence leaving said Parcel No. 13 (2) south 44 degrees 17 minutes west 154 feet to a corner; thence (3) south 47 degrees 59 minutes west 148 feet to a corner; thence (4) south 44 degrees 11 minutes west 218 feet to a corner; thence (5) south 41 degrees 6 minutes west 90.4 feet to a corner; thence (6) south 70 degrees 34 minutes west 78.3 feet to a point on the southerly side of the Croton Aqueduct; thence along the southerly side of the said Aqueduct (7) north 41 degrees 57 minutes east 756.11 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.768 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 6¾.

Said to belong to the heirs of Pierre C. Van Wyck, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at the said westerly point of Parcel No. 6, formerly owned by the said heirs of Pierre C. Van Wyck, and now owned by the City of New York, along said Parcel No. 6 (1) north 50 degrees 4 minutes east 258 feet to a corner; thence leaving said Parcel No. 6 (2) north 29 degrees 45 minutes 32 seconds east 35.68 feet to a corner; thence (3) north 9 degrees 57 minutes 38 seconds east 10.44 feet to a corner; thence (4) north 18 degrees 20 minutes 28 seconds west 8.48 feet to a corner; thence (5) north 46 degrees 24 minutes 48 seconds west 58.54 feet to a point; thence (6) south 26 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds west 93.31 feet to a point; thence (7) south 37 degrees 11 minutes 12 seconds west 215.70 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.246 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 8.

Said to belong to the estate of J. H. Purdy, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at the end of course (1) of Parcel No. 7, which point is a corner of Parcels Nos. 13 and 7; thence along said Parcel No. 13 (1) north 1 degree 35 minutes west 53.7 feet to a corner; thence leaving said Parcel No. 13 (2) south 2 degrees 26 minutes 40 seconds west 102.1 feet to a corner; thence (3) south 2 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds west 73.1 feet to a corner; thence (4) south 54 minutes 40 seconds west 50.6 feet to a corner; thence (5) south 70 degrees 34 minutes west 44.1 feet to a corner, which is the end of course (5) of Parcel No. 7; thence along said Parcel No. 7 (6) north 41 degrees 6 minutes east 90.4 feet to a corner; thence

(7) north 44 degrees 11 minutes east 218 feet to a corner; thence (8) north 47 degrees 59 minutes east 148 feet to a corner; thence (9) north 44 degrees 17 minutes east 154 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 1.405 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 12½.

Said to belong to William T. Purdy, situate, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester and State of New York.

Beginning at the end of course (5) of Parcel No. 13½; thence south 83 degrees 33 minutes 50 seconds east 966.7 feet to a corner of Parcel No. 12; thence along Parcel No. 12 (2) north 47 degrees 9 minutes west 550.3 feet to a corner of Parcels Nos. 12, 13 and 13½; thence along Parcel No. 13½ (3) south 52 degrees 27 minutes 40 seconds west 61.8 feet to a corner; thence (4) north 47 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds west 267.7 feet to a corner; thence (5) south 35 degrees 44 minutes 20 seconds west 142 feet to a corner; thence (6) south 37 degrees 42 minutes west 178.5 feet to a corner; thence (7) south 37 degrees 8 minutes 30 seconds west 192.9 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 5.120 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 9¾.

Said to belong to Daniel Webber, situated, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester, and State of New York.

Beginning at the end of course (1) of Parcel 6¾, which point is the corner of Parcels Nos. 6 and 9, along said Parcel No. 9 (1) south 63 degrees 41 minutes east 2.93 feet to a point; thence leaving said Parcel No. 9 (2) north 26 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds east 79.93 feet to a point; thence (3) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 120.55 feet 79.55 feet to a point; thence (4) north 11 degrees 9 minutes 48 seconds west 96.6 feet to a point; thence (5) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 80.14 feet 41.41 feet to a point; thence (6) north 18 degrees 32 minutes 12 seconds east 47.2 feet to a point; thence (7) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 359.49 feet 65.68 feet to a point; thence (8) north 8 degrees 2 minutes 12 seconds east 129.7 feet to a point; thence (9) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 277.32 feet 67.56 feet to a point; thence (10) north 5 degrees 57 minutes 48 seconds west 537.3 feet to a point; thence (11) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 384.25 feet 91.37 feet to a point; thence (12) north 7 degrees 42 minutes 12 seconds east 403.1 feet to a point; thence (13) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 646.52 feet 94.68 feet to a point; thence (14) north 16 degrees 7 minutes 12 seconds east 742.7 feet to a point; thence (15) on a curve to the right of a radius of 249.36 feet 87.14 feet to a point; thence (16) north 36 degrees 12 minutes 12 seconds east 158 feet to a point on the westerly side of a road leading to New Croton Dam; thence along said westerly side of said road (17) north 33 degrees 49 minutes 48 seconds west 35.11 feet to a point; thence still along said westerly side of said road (18) north 24 degrees 7 minutes 38 seconds west 37.98 feet to a corner; thence leaving the said road (19) south 37 degrees 37 minutes 24 seconds west 121.04 feet to a corner; thence (20) south 33 degrees 38 minutes 42 seconds west 131.42 feet to a corner; thence (21) south 73 degrees 52 minutes 48 seconds east 15 feet to a point; thence (22) south 16 degrees 7 minutes 12 seconds west 742.7 feet to a point; thence (23) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 679.52 feet 104.35 feet to a point; thence (24) south 7 degrees 42 minutes 12 seconds west 405.1 feet to a point; thence (25) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 450.25 feet 107.07 feet to a point; thence (26) south 5 degrees 57 minutes 48 seconds east 537.3 feet to a point; thence (27) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 211.32 feet 51.47 feet to a point; thence (28) south 8 degrees 2 minutes 12 seconds west 129.7 feet to a point; thence (29) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 203.49 feet 53.62 feet to a point; thence (30) south 18 degrees 32 minutes 12 seconds west 47.2 feet to a point; thence (31) on a curve to the left tangent to the last course of a radius of 146.14 feet 75.52 feet to a point; thence (32) south 11 degrees 9 minutes 48 seconds east 96.6 feet to a point; thence (33) on a curve to the right tangent to the last course of a radius of 54.56 feet 56.01 feet to a point; thence (34) south 26 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds west 11.26 feet to a corner, which is the northerly end of course (5) of Parcel No. 6¾; thence along the Parcel No. 6¾ (35) south 46 degrees 24 minutes 48 seconds east 56.54 feet to a corner; thence (36) south 18 degrees 20 minutes 28 seconds east 8.48 feet to a corner; thence (37) south 9 degrees 57 minutes 38 seconds west 10.44 feet to a corner; thence (38) south 29 degrees 45 minutes 32 seconds west 35.68 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 4.089 acres, more or less.

DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL NO. 13½.

Said to belong to Francis Larkin, situate, lying and being in the Town of Cortlandt, County of Westchester, and State of New York.

Beginning at the end of course (1) of Parcel No. 8, which point is a corner of Parcels Nos. 13 and 8; thence along said Parcel No. 8 (1) south 2 degrees 26 minutes 40 seconds west 109.1 feet to a corner; thence (2) south 2 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds west 73.1 feet to a corner; thence (3) south 0 degrees 54 minutes 40 seconds west 50.6 feet to a corner; thence leaving said Parcel No. 8 (4) north 70 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds east 899.3 feet to a point; thence (5) south 83 degrees 33 minutes east 948.6 feet to a corner; thence (6) north 37 degrees 8 minutes 30 seconds east 192.9 feet to a corner; thence (7) north 37 degrees 42 minutes east 178.5 feet to a corner; thence (8) north 36 degrees 44 minutes 20 seconds east 142 feet to a corner; thence (9) south 47 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 267.7 feet to a corner; thence (10) north 52 degrees 27 minutes 40 seconds east 61.8 feet to a corner of Parcels Nos. 12 and 13; thence along Parcel No. 13 (11) north 47 degrees 9 minutes west 549.7 feet to a corner; thence (12) south 69 degrees 58 minutes west 406.5 feet to a corner; thence (13) north 65 degrees 2 minutes west 407 feet to a corner; thence (14) south 75 degrees 49 minutes west 667 feet to a corner; thence (15) south 45 degrees 23 minutes west 499 feet to a corner; thence (16) south 64 degrees 0 minutes west 113 feet to a corner; thence (17) south 46 degrees 52 minutes west 76 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 21.920 acres, more or less.

Reference is made to said map, filed as aforesaid, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be acquired.

Dated, NEW YORK, August 28, 1893.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
New York.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, fourth floor, in said city, on or before the 12th day of October, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 12th day of October, 1893,

and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 11th day of October, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from King-bridge road to Tenth avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to Kings-bridge road, and westerly by the easterly line of Kings-bridge road, as such area is shown upon our benefit map, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of October, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, August 30, 1893.
JAMES J. NEALIS, Chairman,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a new street to be known as CLAREMONT PLACE, between Claremont avenue and Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (fourth floor) in said city, on or before the 11th day of October, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 11th day of October, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of October, 1893.

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

Northerly by the prolongation westerly from the easterly line of Riverside avenue, for a distance of 214 feet, of the centre line of the block between Claremont place and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, the centre line of the block between Claremont place and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and the prolongation easterly from the westerly line of Claremont avenue, for a distance of 180 feet, of said centre line of the block between Claremont place and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; easterly by a line drawn parallel with, and distant 100 feet easterly from, the easterly line of Claremont avenue; southerly by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and the prolongation of said northerly line westerly from the easterly side of Riverside avenue for a distance of 200 feet, and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from, the westerly line of Riverside avenue, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of October, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, August 29, 1893.
SIDNEY HARRIS, Chairman,
EZEKIEL R. THOMPSON, Jr.,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, for the use of the public, to lands required for the widening of RIVERSIDE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Claremont place, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, pursuant to chapter 548 of the Laws of 1892.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of July, 1893, Commissioners of Appraisal 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 unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose, by and in consequence of the widening of a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Claremont place, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map showing property to be taken for the widening of Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York," and made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York and filed by said Board in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on or about the 28th day of March, 1892, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and in the said order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1892, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of widening 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 Appraisal, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (fourth floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (August 30, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Monday, the 2d day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, August 30, 1893.

CHAS. GOELLER, Chairman,
THOS. J. MILLER,
W. J. LARDNER,
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 ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Bradhurst avenue and the bulkhead-line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of March, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 One Hundred and Fifty-second street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, April 1, 1891; and as shown and delineated on a certain map, made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and in the said order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file 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, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 8, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of October, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 8, 1893.

JOHN H. JUDGE,
LEO C. DESSAR,
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
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 ACADEMY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Seaman avenue and the United States Channel Line, Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of July, 1893, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 Academy street, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "map or plan of streets, roads and avenues within that part of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York lying north of the northerly line of Dyckman street, formerly known as Dyckman street and Inwood street, under authority of chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885," made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, and filed by said Board in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on or about the 28th day of January, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement and in the said order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file 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 re-

quired to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (fourth floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (August 29, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Monday the 2d day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, August 29, 1893.

MILLARD R. JONES, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. DOBBS,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of Public Parks of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to the gore of land north of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, between the Seventh avenue and MacComb's Dam road, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, for the purpose of the construction of a bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and arches, across the Harlem river in said city, to replace the present Central or MacComb's Dam Bridge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance in our office, Room No. 113, No. 280 Broadway, in said city, on Monday, October 2, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 280 Broadway; 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 street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1893, 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, September 19, 1893.

GILBERT M. SPEIR, Jr., Chairman,
EUGENE VAN SCHAIK,
CORNELIUS C. CUYLAR,
Commissioners.

MICHAEL T. SHARKEY, 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 for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Bristow street, in the Twenty-third 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 (fourth floor), in said city, on October 2, 1893, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row (fourth floor); 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 street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of October, 1893, 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, September 19, 1893.

JOHN E. WARD, Chairman,
JACOB P. SOLOMON,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

C. V. GABRIEL, 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 ROEBINS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Kelly street to St. Mary's Park, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, fourth floor, in said city, on or before the 16th day of October, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 16th day of October, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 16th day of October, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly lines of Westchester avenue and Kelly street; easterly by the centre lines of the blocks between Robbins avenue and Concord avenue, from Kelly street to St. Mary's Park; southerly by the southerly line of property of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad; westerly by a line parallel with, and distant 100 feet westerly from, the westerly line of Robbins avenue, and extending from St. Mary's Park to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and the centre lines of the blocks between Robbins avenue and Trinity avenue; from East

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Westchester avenue, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 2, 1893.

MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Chairman,
CHARLES D. BURRILL,
THOMAS 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 TWO HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Academy street and the United States Channel Line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1893, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, 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 Two Hundred and First street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885, and filed on or about the 28th day of January, 1889, in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks, 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, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 12, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of October, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 12, 1893.

N. J. O'CONNELL,
MITCHELL LEVY,
E. M. FRIEND,
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 EMERSON STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Seaman avenue and Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 3d day of July, 1893, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 Emerson street, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or plan of streets, roads and avenues within that part of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York lying north of the northerly line of Dyckman street, formerly known as Dyckman street and Inwood street, under authority of chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885," made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, and filed by said Board in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 28th day of January, 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, fourth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other

proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (September 6, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of October, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 6, 1893.

JAMES H. SOUTHWORTH,
LOUIS DAVIDSON,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of Public Parks of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to the gore of land north of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, between the Seventh avenue and MacComb's Dam road, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, for the purpose of the construction of a bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and arches, across the Harlem river in said city, to replace the present Central or MacComb's Dam Bridge.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 280 Broadway (Room 113), in said city, on or before the 10th day of September, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 10th day of September, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in said city, there to remain until the 18th day of September, 1893.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of October, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 7, 1893.

GILBERT M. SPEIR, Jr., Chairman,
EUGENE VAN SCHAIK,
CORNELIUS C. CUYLAR,
Commissioners.

MICHAEL T. SHARKEY, 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 THIRTY-NINTH STREET, between Eighth avenue and the bulkhead-line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of March, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, 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 One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, April 1, 1891; and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and in the said order appointing us Commissioners, which said petition and order are now on file 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 (fourth floor) in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (August 28, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of September, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, August 28, 1893.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
WILLIAM H. KLINKER,
JOHN H. COSTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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