

THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

VOL. XXIII.

NEW YORK, MONDAY, MAY 20, 1895.

NUMBER 6,701.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

The Hons. William L. Strong, Mayor; Francis M. Scott, Counsel to the Corporation, and William Brookfield, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

The minutes of the meeting of March 29 were approved.

A communication was presented as follows, and on motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the request was granted:

NEW YORK STATE LIBRARY, ALBANY, NEW YORK, April 17, 1895. Mr. JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor, City Record, New York: DEAR SIR—We receive daily a copy of the CITY RECORD, which is correct, but as these are quite often lost in transmission, and as no index is sent to us, it has been customary to also send us the volumes as bound. The last bound volume we have received is part 3 of Vol. 21. Will you kindly send any bound volumes since these, that our set may be complete for consultation by the Senators and Assemblymen, and others who have occasion to so do.

Respectfully, yours,

H. G. GRISWOLD, Sub-Librarian.

The following communication was received, and on motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the request was granted:

THE CITY VIGILANCE LEAGUE, JOHN A. SLEICHER, Esq., Publisher, City Record, DEAR SIR—NEW YORK, April 4, 1895. The City Vigilance League has recently opened headquarters in the United Charities Building, which we propose to make a bureau of information on all subjects pertaining to the City and its welfare. We desire to keep on file all periodicals treating on subjects germane to our purpose, and as our work is entirely pro bono publico, we ask if you will kindly place us on your free list. Hoping for your favorable consideration, I remain, respectfully,

CHAS. COOK.

The Secretary presented a certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 16, 1895, as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars (\$850) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Board of City Record for 1895, entitled "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Board for 1895, entitled "City Record—Salaries and Contingencies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient. [A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 16, 1895. CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.]

The following communication was presented:

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS, April 19, 1895.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In response to your requisition of this date for a Deputy Supervisor and Expert in your office, I certify the names of the three persons standing highest on the eligible list.

Respectfully yours, LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

1. James Haligan, No. 428 West Fifty-first street, 91.50 per cent.

2. Frederick Alfred, No. 49 Park place, 91 per cent.

3. Henry McMillen, No. 622 Columbus avenue, 90.50 per cent.

The Supervisor reported that, after consultation with his Honor the Mayor, Henry McMillen had been selected to fill the office of Deputy Supervisor and Expert, and had been appointed and assumed the duties of his place this day, and that, in accordance with the resolution of the Board in reference to the matter, the services of John J. McGrath, the Examiner, had been dispensed with on Saturday, April 20, as the office of Examiner had ceased to exist. On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the Board unanimously concurred in the action of the Mayor and Supervisor of the City Record.

The following report was presented:

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, NEW YORK, April 22, 1895.

To the Board of City Record—I desire to lay before this Board some facts in reference to the Bookbinders employed by it for City work. At the date of my appointment there were seven of these, as follows:

Joseph Fehr and John McMahon, employed in Finance Department, Stewart Building, at an annual salary of \$1,200.

John F. Morris, employed in County Clerk's office, at a salary of \$1,200.

Henry J. Goggins, William H. Levett, Peter Leatham and Robert McManus, employed in Register's office, at a salary of \$3.50 per day each, excepting Goggins, who is paid \$1,200 per annum.

By the action of the Board, Robert McManus, one of the four Bookbinders in the Register's office, was dropped from the service recently, and no complaint has arisen that the number of Bookbinders is now insufficient for the requirements of the City's work. It will be seen that four of these Bookbinders receive \$1,200 per annum, and two \$3.50 per day, which latter is at the rate of \$1,100 per annum. The hours of labor are from nine in the morning until four in the afternoon, with the exception of Saturdays, when the men leave at twelve o'clock, and they are also unemployed on holidays; in other words they keep the same hours as the employees of the departments in which their offices are located. No supervision is exercised over them, or over their work, by anyone in this Department, because the workshops are scattered, one being in the Register's office, one in the County Clerk's office in the Court-house, and two in two different departments in the Stewart Building. In presenting their weekly or monthly accounts the Bookbinders also present certificates from the respective departments in which they are employed, stating that they have been employed during the term for which the bill has been made, but no report in the aggregate or in detail is made to this office of the work performed by the Bookbinders, and no record of the hours at which they report for duty, or of absences with or without leave is kept.

I recommend to the Board, for its consideration, the selection of a competent man to act as Foreman of the Bookbinders employed by the Board of City Record. He can take the place of one of the present force of Binders, and it might be made his duty to visit the various departments daily and ascertain what orders for binding they have to give, and to apportion the work to the best advantage among the force of Binders now in your employ. It might also be made his duty to make requisitions on this Department for the necessary supplies used by the Bookbinders; to keep a record of each man's work, and to attach his voucher, in addition to that of the department clerk, to the respective bills for services as they may be rendered.

It would be obviously conducive to economy, discipline and efficiency if all the Bookbinders could be located in one department. A room of some size can be found adjoining the office of the City Record, and this might be utilized for the use of the Bookbinders. The apportionment of the Binders among various departments, it is said, was made for convenience. Some of the books from the Register's office, while in the Bookbinder's hands, may be desired for public inspection, and it was therefore thought desirable to have Bookbinders directly connected with the Register's office. A similar statement is also made with reference to the assignment of the Bookbinders in the Finance Department and to the one in the County Clerk's office. But as all these officers are within a block of each other, it would seem as if little inconvenience would be occasioned by assembling the Bookbinders in a room in the City Hall, within a few rods of the other departments, and where, under proper surveillance, the books that were being bound or repaired could still be subject to public inspection in case of emergency.

The Bookbinders of this office have been placed on the Civil Service list and the places made competitive. It would, therefore, be necessary to create a vacancy and await the result of an examination before a Foreman could be named.

I have not referred to the fact that bookbinders' wages, for the best of journeymen, I am told, are \$3.50 per day of nine hours' service, and that the City is paying four of its binders \$1,200 per annum for a service of seven hours a day for five days in the week, and for but three hours on Saturdays. I am told that these wages have been fixed at this figure because of the special qualifications for general work that some of the Bookbinders possess. All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the Supervisor of the City Record was empowered to designate one of the present Bookbinders to perform the duties of Foreman, with the assistance of another of the present force of Bookbinders, both of these to continue to receive compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum. The Supervisor was also directed to fix the compensation of the remaining Bookbinders uniformly at \$3.50 per day each. The Supervisor of the City Record, with the concurrence of the Board, designated John F. Morris to supervise the work of the Bookbinders, with the assistance of Henry J. Goggins. The compensation of Joseph Fehr and John McMahon, Bookbinders in the Finance Department, was, by the action of the Board, reduced from \$1,200 per annum to \$3.50 per day each.

The following requisitions were unanimously approved:

DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
Apr. 13, 1895	By Commissioner of Street Improvements. 50 copies specifications and estimate blanks, sewer, Third ave., 171st st. to Wendover ave.	Allowed.

DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
Mar. 29, 1895	75 copies specifications and estimate blanks, regulating, grading, etc., Intervale ave., So. Boulevard to Wilkins pl.	Allowed.
" 30, "	75 copies specifications and estimate blanks, grading Cauldwell ave., Boston rd. to Westchester ave.; sewer, Brewer ave., Jerome ave. to summit north of 166th st.	"
Apr. 2, "	144 Foremen's report books.	"
"	1 apportionment book.	Not allowed.
"	1 stock book.	"
"	18 Engineers' field books, 4 1/2 x 7, 300 pages, bound strong.	Allowed.
"	500 notices, letter size, reports on complaints.	"
"	500 notices, letter size, foreman to examine complaints.	"
" 10, "	By Sheriff. 500 certificates for Bond Clerk.	"
" 18, "	1,500 print affidavit on back of keepers' bills herewith (1,500).	"
"	The printing in red ink at the foot of 28,000 Sheriff's jury notices, which are already printed, of the following additional words, viz.: "All excuses and statements of every kind, etc."	"
" 8, "	1 box Underwood's carbon paper.	"
" 1, "	2 copying letter books.	"
" 5, "	By Supreme Court. 2 boxes Little's cabinet carbon paper.	"
" 18, "	By Department of Street Cleaning. 2,000 attached printed form.	"
Apr. 1, "	10,000 report of stable foreman.	"
"	3 books of 1,000 each, order and receipt.	"
"	4 books for incumbrance yard receipts No. 1.	"
"	2 books for incumbrance yard receipts No. 2.	"
"	4 books for incumbrance yard receipts No. 3.	"
"	2 books for incumbrance yard receipts No. 4.	"
" 4, "	By Department of Buildings. 1,500 printed form No. 46.	"
" 15, "	3 blue copying typewriter ribbons.	"
" 3, "	4 self-inking rubber stamps.	"
" 4, "	By Department of Public Parks. 75 copies contract grading, Riverside Drive, from Claremont pl to 127th st.	"
" 18, "	By Comptroller. 300 slips proposals for gold bonds and stocks of the City of New York.	"
" 3, "	1,525 A warrants.	"
"	1,075 B warrants.	"
" 18, "	By Board of Aldermen. 1,000 4-page letter circulars.	"
" 5, "	By District Attorney. To change covers and addresses, printed matter, People vs. Wiman.	"
" 1, "	By Armory Board. 50 copies contract and specifications.	"
"	50 copies bid or estimate.	"
"	50 envelopes, completing Troop "A" Armory.	"
" 2, "	By Law Department. 1 register for proceedings of Commissioners in dock condemnations (4 quires, 9 x 14, half roan).	"
" 16, "	By Police Justices. 20,000 affidavits.	"
"	20,000 commitments.	"
" 8, "	By Health Department. 6,000 copies Par. 100 Sanitary Code.	"
" 17, "	30 copies contract and specifications.	"
"	30 copies proposals.	"
" 1, "	5 triplicate order books, 100 sets of three leaves to a book, for Anti-toxine sales.	"
" 9, "	By Mayor. 2 boxes double carbon paper.	"
" 11, "	By Department of Public Works. 30 copies contract and specifications.	"
"	30 estimates.	"
" 15, "	30 envelopes, for laying mains, Burnside ave.	"
"	Alterations on pages 8, 9, and 11, in following-named specifications: 77th st., from West End ave. to Hudson river wall.	"
"	90th st., from 1st ave. to East river.	"
"	112th st., from 7th to 8th ave.	"
" 16, "	115th st., from Morningside Park, East, to Manhattan ave., being about 104 copies.	"
"	50 copies contract and specifications.	"
"	50 estimates.	"
"	50 envelopes for double nozzle hydrants.	"
"	30 copies contract and specifications.	"
"	30 estimates, 30 envelopes.	"
"	Alteration to following specifications on pages 8, 9, 11: Convent ave., from 146th to 149th st.; 4th ave., east side, between 23d and 24th sts., being about 100 copies.	"
" 1, "	1 self-inking stamp.	"
"	1 self-inking ribbon dating stamp.	Not allowed.
" 3, "	Repairs to one small self-inking stamp.	Allowed.
"	50 specifications, 50 estimates, 50 envelopes, 50 posters, and posting same, paving 8th ave., from 13th to 34th st.; 8th ave., from s. s. 34th st. to Circle at 59th st.	"
" 2, "	Print two sets of sewer specifications, 50 copies, 50 bids and 50 envelopes in each set, together with 50 posters for each set, including posting same on line of work: 79th st., both sides, bet. Riverside and West End aves.; Cathedral Parkway, between Riverside ave. and Boulevard.	"
" 3, "	By Mayor's Marshal. 1,000 blanks for general reports.	"
" 19, "	By Civil Service Commission. 1,000 copies arithmetic.	"
" 6, "	2,500 copies blank applications.	"
" 17, "	2,500 copies regulations.	"
" 10, "	5,000 copies labor service regulations.	"
"	1 large book, ruled, with columns headed, as per sample.	"
"	500 copies of the certification sheet, printed on ordinary foolscap size paper.	"
"	10,000 copies of application sheets.	"
"	2,500 copies of requisition sheets.	"
"	15 books with 500 each of the stub and blank.	"

The following bills were approved: Francis & Loutrel Company (Voucher 458), \$50; Francis & Loutrel Company (Voucher 461), \$37.50; Ahrens Stationery and Printing Company (Voucher 459), \$80.85; M. F. Conway (Voucher 460), \$6; New York Law Publishing Company (Voucher 462), \$333.33; Jordan Stationery Company (Voucher 463), \$897.50; Commercial Advertiser (Voucher 464), \$38.40; The Sun (Voucher 465), \$32; American District Telegraph Company (Voucher 466), \$10.45; The National Press Intelligence Company (Voucher 467), \$13.95; M. B. Brown (Voucher 439), \$9,328.52; M. B. Brown (Voucher 468), \$6,063.63; M. B. Brown (Voucher 469), \$3,149.42.

The following pay-rolls were approved: Peter Leatham, Vouchers 473, 471, 472, 470, \$21 each; William H. Levett, Vouchers 473a, 471a, 472a, 470a, \$21 each; John F. Morris, Voucher 474, \$100; John J. McGrath, Voucher 475, \$81.56.

On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the following was unanimously adopted: Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure, by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the requisitions allowed, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the Board adjourned.

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the Week ending May 18, 1895.

Resolved, That the following-named person, recently appointed or superseded as Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read as follows: Andrew Nyden Vanden, to read Andrew Vanden Nyden.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 14, 1895.

Resolved, That whereas, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the City of New York, constituted pursuant to the provisions of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891 and the acts amendatory thereof, has duly determined that a rapid transit railway, in addition to those already existing, is necessary for the interests of the public and of the City of New York, and has determined and established the routes and the general plan of construction of a rapid transit railway, for the conveyance and transportation of persons and property to be established in said city in addition to the rapid transit railways already existing therein, and has thereupon transmitted to the Common Council of the City of New York a copy of such plans and conclusions as adopted, including the said routes and general plan of construction, which plans and conclusions thus adopted were received by the said Common Council on the 14th day of May, 1895, at 1.30 o'clock P. M. Now, therefore, pursuant to law, the said Common Council does hereby appoint the 21st day of May, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., being a day not less than one week and not more than ten days after the receipt of the said plans and conclusions, for the consideration thereof, and this Common Council shall on the said 21st day of May, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., proceed with the consideration thereof.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 14, 1895.

Whereas, The trade and commerce of the City of New York are subjected to burdens and obstacles by the existing insufficient modes of transit across the Hudson river, that impose hindrances to the full measure of prosperity to which this city is entitled by reason of its natural situation; and

Whereas, The continued growth and prosperity of this city require bridge facilities that will, directly and without interruption, connect the continent with the city and insure unbroken wheel traffic from every point of the country into and out of the city that will prevent a diversion of its trade to other rival commercial centres; and

Whereas, Fog and ice on the river interfere, not infrequently, with the freight and passenger traffic across the Hudson river, suspending at times and rendering dangerous communication with this city; and

Whereas, The interference with the enormous commerce of the port, the delay of the mails and the inconvenience and dangers to thousands seeking to reach their homes in this city, occasioned by the inclemencies of the seasons, is a matter of most serious consideration not measurable by money valuation;

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, appreciating the necessity for prompt and adequate relief from the delays, dangers and vexations of the present modes of transit across the Hudson river, hereby recommends and calls upon all public authorities, national, state and municipal, to aid and support and in every reasonable way facilitate and forward the erection of the New York and New Jersey Bridge across the Hudson river, at the City of New York, which will meet the requirements of trade and promote the comfort and convenience of the people.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That the public pounds now located respectively on the premises on the west side of Arthur street, Fordham, four hundred feet south of Pelham avenue; on Arthur avenue, between One Hundred and Eightieth street and Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; and on the east side of Arthur avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Jacob street, being and the same are severally abolished; and be it further

Resolved, That a public pound be and the same is hereby established on the east side of Taylor avenue, near the corner of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Whereas, The minor expenses of the Department of Public Works have materially increased with the growth of the city to an extent which make it necessary that the ordinances of this commonality adopted by the Common Council in 1881 be amended, in order that said Department may be enabled to meet necessary incidentals without embarrassment; therefore

Resolved, That section 13 of article 1, chapter 6, be amended by striking out the words "One hundred" and inserting in place thereof the words three hundred, so that the section as amended will read:

Sec. 13. For the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Public Works as cannot be conveniently accounted for on separate vouchers, the Commissioner of Public Works may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nicholas Althaus and John G. Geissler to lay three iron boxes and a six-inch iron pipe, for the purpose of conducting steam from No. 636 to No. 637 East Seventeenth street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the City as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Nicholas Althaus and John G. Geissler shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given, during the progress or subsequent to work of laying said boxes and pipes, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Josiah Macy's Sons to lay an iron pipe, six inches in diameter, for conducting steam from No. 311 Front street to No. 308 Front street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon the payment to the City as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Josiah Macy's Sons shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Estate of John Wolfe to lay two iron pipes, three and one-half inches and two inches in diameter respectively, inclosed in an eight-inch cast-iron pipe, for conducting steam heat and power from the "John Wolfe Building" on the east side of William street, from Liberty street to Maiden Lane, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the City as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Estate of John Wolfe shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of laying said pipes, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Clancy to place and keep two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of his premises, No. 618 Grand street, provided the lamps be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the posts shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Whereas, The Seal of the City of New York in such a damaged condition from excessive use that the Clerk found it advisable to have it either repaired or replaced and transmitted it to the Commissioner of Public Works for such purpose and obtained a receipt therefor bearing date May 3, 1895; therefore be it

Resolved, That all acts of the Clerk of the Common Council touching the matter of repairing or replacing the Seal of the City of New York be and they are hereby ratified and in all respects confirmed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Whereas, It has been the custom in the past for the Clerk of the Common Council to advance, from time to time, sums of money for incidental expenses; and

Whereas, It is unfair to require any official to advance sums of money; therefore be it

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses of the office of the Clerk of the Common Council, the said Clerk may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50), and may renew the draft as often as may be him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Clerk of the Common Council; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmission of a voucher or vouchers from the Clerk of the Common Council containing a statement of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to N. S. Brann to place and keep an ornamental clock and post on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 231½ Eighth avenue, providing the said clock shall not be used for advertising purposes and that the dimensions of said post shall not exceed those prescribed by law, namely, eighteen inches square at the base, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Arctic Freezing Company to lay a five-inch iron pipe for the purpose of conducting salt water across West street, from No. 120 West street to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, upon payment to the City as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be deemed an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, provided the said Arctic Freezing Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That General Order No. 191, providing for the laying of gas-mains in One Hundred and Second street, between Central Park, West, and Manhattan avenue, which was adopted April 23, 1895, and approved by the Mayor May 2, 1895, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Molloy to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 738 East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, southeast corner of Washington avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That, upon the annexed consent filed herewith, permission be and hereby is granted to P. V. Paine to erect, keep and maintain a stand for bootblack in front of the premises No. 201 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, in the City of New York, but within the stoop-line of said premises, and which shall not extend over four feet from the house-line, nor exceed six feet in length, the work to be done and material furnished at the cost and expense of said P. V. Paine, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby granted to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the directions contained in section 93, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (the New York City Consolidation Act), appoints, to date from January 1, 1895, Herman Hackerling, M. D., Physician to the Jail of the County, to hold office at the pleasure of the Board, at an annual salary of one thousand dollars, payable monthly, in place of Dr. John B. Cosby.

Resolved, That the bill of Dr. Herman Hackerling, for services rendered in the County Jail in the months of February, March and April, 1895, as physician, amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars, as certified to by the Sheriff, be and the same is hereby approved.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 7, 1895. Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of Ninety-sixth street, between Park and Madison avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That the amount specified in the accompanying statement of expense, incurred by the sub-committee of the Railroad Committee in visiting Baltimore, in accordance with instruction from this Board, be and is hereby appropriated, the same to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Statement of expense incurred by Aldermen Parker, Robinson and Goodman, and the Clerk of the Board, in visiting Baltimore, Md., April 5, 1895:

Railroad fares	\$79 10
Hotel and dining expenses	120 65

Total	\$199 75
-------------	----------

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Morris avenue to Railroad avenue, West, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Morris avenue to Railroad avenue, West, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with asphalt pavement, on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting street and avenue where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Powell place, between Riverview Terrace and New York and Putnam Railroad, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas and Columbus avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Jerome avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Sedgwick avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas and Columbus avenues, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Morris avenue to Railroad avenue, West, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-seventh street, between Central Park, West, and Columbus avenue, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Boulevard and Morningside avenue, West, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, between Central Park, West, and Manhattan avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That the width of the easterly sidewalk of Webster avenue, from the curb-line of Kingsbridge road to a point where an offset line ten feet from the easterly house-line of Webster avenue would intersect the regular curb-line north of Isaac street, be and is hereby established at ten feet.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Railroad avenue, West, from the southerly crosswalk of One Hundred and Sixty-second street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, be regulated and 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 Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from the Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, and that fences be built along the sides of the street where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

Resolved, That Howard J. Cole, residing at No. 427 St. Nicholas avenue, New York City, be and is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895.

NEW YORK, May 7, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The undersigned Committee on Legislation, to whom was recommitted the report presented April 23, relating to a public hearing on the matter of a memorial building (see minutes of April 30, Journal, page 191), beg leave to

REPORT :

That we have arranged for a public hearing as indicated, to take place in the Aldermanic Council Chamber, on Thursday, the 9th inst., at 2 o'clock P.M., and have issued invitations to veteran soldiers and sailors to attend on said date, with a view of giving expression to their preferences, which of the two proposed memorials—a building or an arch—they most desire.

We present our original resolution in the following amended form :

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby requested to furnish circulars for the purpose indicated, and that the Clerk of the Common Council be authorized to expend the sum necessary for postage out of his contingent fund.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895. Resolved, That Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen in the City Hall, in the City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company to the Common Council of the City of New York, for its consent and permission to the construction, maintenance and operation by the said petitioner of the street surface railroad extension or branch mentioned in the petition of said company for such consent and permission through, upon and along the surface of East Ninety-sixth street and other streets and avenues, as set forth in the said petition and therein designated, will be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law ; such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895, and the New York "Press" and the New York "Advertiser" designated.

Resolved, That Thursday, the 13th day of June, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Columbus and Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, to the Common Council of the City of New York, for its consent and permission to the construction of the street surface railroad extensions or branches mentioned in the petition of said company for such consent and permission, through, upon and along the surface of West Ninety-sixth street and West Ninety-seventh street, as set forth in the said petition and therein designated will be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law. Such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1895, and the New York "Daily Tribune" and the New York "Mail and Express" designated.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the resolutions in favor of granting permission to the various applicants for soda-water, fruit and newspaper stands contained in the annexed list, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the resolutions for all stands contained in said annexed list be adopted.

FREDERICK A. WARE, BENJAMIN E. HALL, JOHN T. OAKLEY, RUFUS R. RANDALL, Committee on Law Department.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 30, 1895.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to one of the provisions of section I. 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 the following two applications referred to me at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, March 25, 1895.

Soda-water Stands.

Abraham Lewin, 164 Delancey street. Max Seigal, 1345 First avenue.

And I also transmit all applications received by me for permits to sell the articles named as provided in said ordinance, during the month of April, 1895, which applications are as follows :

Soda-water Stands.

By the President—Jacob Berner, 427 East Houston street.
By Alderman Brown—Abraham Gurian, 206 Canal street. A. S. Libman, 465 Pearl street.
By Alderman Campbell—Bertha Koppel, 1306 First avenue.
By Alderman Clancy—A. J. Gloistien, 354 Grand street. Davis Fanarof, 72 Clinton street.
Anton Blazi, 131 Delancey street. Joe Mass, 203 Stanton street. Israel Meltner, 131 Rivington street. Max Rosen, 69 Clinton street. Max Wrubel, 135 Rivington street. Samuel Werner, 72 Ridge street. Abraham Fromkin, 119 Clinton street. Alias Hurwitz, 102 Ludlow street. Sigmund Koenig, 78 Essex street. Isidore Lorberbaum, 90 Suffolk street. Hyman Axelroad, 107 Essex street. Joseph Garfunkel, 131 Suffolk street. Isidor Goldstein, 93 Norfolk street. Charles C. Schaefer, 149 Stanton street. Jacob Goldberg, 97 Norfolk street. Rocco Rossi, fruit stand, 51 Essex street. Samuel Hefflich, 99 Norfolk street. Jacob Lehman, soda-water stand, 76 Essex street. Jacob Frahling, 159 Norfolk street. Abraham Kohl, 94 Suffolk street.
By Alderman Goetz—Fruit Stands—Rocco Scavone, 29 Bowers, Giovanni Manzi, 89 Orchard street. Pelletieri Antonio, 50 Delancey street. Antonio Chesto, 117 Orchard street. Guiseppe Ceriziano, 110 Hester street. Timothy Harrington, 86 Division street.

Soda-water Stands.

Harris Handman, 37½ Allen street. Charles Mendelson, 39 Allen street. Adolph Kasner, 89 Allen street. Max Goldstein, 92 Allen street. Jacob Feiler, 100 Allen street. Egidio Manzi, 145 Allen street. Harry Newman, 147 Allen street. Jacob Lippman, 176 Allen street. Samuel Goldberg, 93 Bowers. Nathan Janowitz, 18 Bayard street. David Levenson, 19 Bayard street. Salvatore Dito, 243 Broome street. Arthur Goldstein, 258 Broome street. A. Krakauer, 260 Broome street. Julius Rothman, 290 Broome street. William Wasserman, 360 Broome street. Morris Goldstein, 50 and 52 Canal street. Max Mikelson, 85 Canal street. Barney Harris, 120 Canal street. Louis Kindler, 71 Chrystie street. Isaac Canell, 78 Chrystie street. Nathan Sapiro, 88 Chrystie street. Hyman Richmond, 184 Chrystie street. Abram Mark, 48 Delancey street. Samuel Rothstein, 72 Delancey street. Samuel Solomon, 84 Delancey street. Harry Baron, 2 Division street. Sam. Yohalem, 100 Delancey street. Monckton Somers, 46 Division street. Loue Fellman, 68 Division street. Isaac R. Schuleman, 88 Division street. Abraham Zinn, 106 Division street. Harris Bergstein, 120 Division street. Hyman Levi, 144 Division street. Sam. Watzky, 1 Eldridge street. Charles Silversmith, 29 Eldridge street. Rafael Fogel, 39 Eldridge street. Morris Friedman, 60 and 62 Eldridge street. Samuel Zipris, 61 Eldridge street. Herman Ostfeld, 79 Eldridge street. Charles Rubinger, 149 Eldridge street. Harry Hilman, 190 Eldridge street. Fred. S. Korn, 1 Forsyth street. Louis Samson, 2 Forsyth street. Samuel Baruch, 32 Forsyth street. David Perlman, 61 Forsyth street. Louis Stark, 63 Forsyth street. Charles Meister, 94 Forsyth street. Simon Sagalowitz, 111 Forsyth street. Wolf Bheinker, 136 Forsyth street. Ike Boss, 322 Grand street. Morris Euster, 105 Hester street. Harris Hescuvitz, 107 Hester street. Moses L. Fleischer, 119 Hester street. Isaac B. Abrahams, 126 Hester street. Hyman Wolf, 135 Hester street. Israel Myers, 89 Ludlow street. Sam. Freedburg, 155 Ludlow street. Max Zimmer, 160 Ludlow street. Lazer Mendelson, 9 Orchard street. Barnat Zondelovitch, 13 Orchard street. Abraham Finklestein, 37 Orchard street. Joe Risch, 39 Orchard street. Julius Levy, 88 Orchard street. Benjamin Marcus, 115 Orchard street. Bernard Schaefer, 143 Orchard street. Wolf Lipman, 167 Orchard street. Bernhard Klein, 34 Rivington street. William Lipschitz, 35 Rivington street. Anelo De Renzo, 37 Rivington street. Charles Hacker, 57 Rivington street. Ignatz Margaretan, 82½ Rivington street. Paul Noe, 86 Rivington street. Simon Warshawick, 98 Rivington street. Leopold Horowitz, 115 Stanton street. Alois Bois, 90 Orchard street. David Lippman, 102 Orchard street. Benjamin Mausak, 154 Eldridge street. Elias P. Herschkovitz, 40 Allen street. Oscar Lustgarten, 81 Bowers. Louis Falk, 168 Forsyth street. Hyman Sheer, 244 Broome street. Moses B. Wolowitz, 28 Forsyth street. Michael Sullivan, 1 Forsyth street.

By Alderman Marshall—Max Leznik, 187 Ludlow street. Jacob Philipps, 1 Clinton street. Sigmund Schwartz, 31 Clinton street. Morris Cohn, 60 Stanton street. Aaron Stieber, 88 Stanton street. Philip Rosenthal, 136 Stanton street. Isidor Mendelson, 156 Essex street. Moses Klein, 267 East Houston street. Sam. Finkenstein, 172 Ludlow street. Sam. Pekelmer, 199 Orchard street. H. Weislovitz, 190 Norfolk street. Max Heimlich, 2 Avenue B. Rocco Rassi, 93 East Houston street. Samuel Kieger, 176 Suffolk street.

By Alderman Noonan—Gregory Levin, 64 Orchard street. Meyer Katz, 39 Canal street. Morris Monsky, 22 Essex street. George Webber, 57 Ludlow street. Hyman Rubenstein, 33 Ludlow street. Morris Ickovitz, 7 Ludlow street.

By Alderman O'Brien—Bernard Kohn, 400 East 75th street. Louis Levin, 300 East 79th street. Max Kau, 331 East 80th street. Peter Tisch, 1496 First avenue. Wolf Asch, 505 East 84th street. By Alderman Parker—Arnold Jacobsen, 1744 First avenue. Heinrich Nethe, 1830 Second avenue. Jacob Pergament, 1983 Second avenue. Jacob Perski, 1559 Third avenue. Meyer Scheidlover, 220 East 102d street. Donata Tuzzo, 214 East 102d street. John W. Van Der Wyk, 239 East 102d street.

By Alderman Schilling—Adolph Susskind, 1553 Avenue A. George Haber, 1614 First avenue. A. Ettinger, 305 East 86th street. Lazarus Goldman, 446 East 86th street. Sam. Lefkowitz, 1487 Third avenue. Charles Heitz, southeast corner 83d street and Third avenue. John Weisenseel, 1632 First avenue.

By Alderman Tait—Simon Schwartz, 71 Avenue C. Henry Noman, 401 East Houston street. Philip Pollack, 108 Lewis street. Isidor Engel, 198 Seventh street. Samuel Zarnousky, 109 Seventh street. David J. Weisberger, 133 Pitt street. Sam. Goldfinger, 639 Sixth street. Vincenzo Gamma, 50 Avenue C. Alexander Potruch, 403 East Houston street. Louis May, 356 East Houston street.

Whereas, It has been the custom in the past for the Clerk of the Common Council to advance, from time to time, sums of money for incidental expenses ; and

Whereas, It is unfair to require any official to advance sums of money ; therefore be it Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses of the office of the Clerk of the Common Council, the said Clerk may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50), and may renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Clerk of the Common Council ; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmission of a voucher or vouchers from the Clerk of the Common Council containing a statement of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 16, 1895.

Resolved, That the sidewalks of Washington avenue, from Third avenue at East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham avenue, be limited to fifteen feet in width, and that stoops, areas and other encroachments on the sidewalks shall be the same as if the street had a width of sixty feet, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 7, 1895. Approved by the Mayor, May 16, 1895.

WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk Common Council.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 18, 1895.—Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, May 17, 1895.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, May 11, 1895	63	\$1,662 00
Monday, " 13, "	137	3,375 00
Tuesday, " 14, "	118	1,363 25
Wednesday, " 15, "	91	390 00
Thursday, " 16, "	88	2,872 00
Friday, " 17, "	72	725 00
Totals.....	569	\$10,387 25

EDWARD H. HEALY, Mayor's Marshal.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Ferries and Franchises. Railroads. FERRIES AND FRANCHISES—The Committee on Ferries and Franchises will hold a public meeting on Monday, May 20, at 1 o'clock P.M., in Room 16, City Hall, to consider petition to establish a ferry from West 23d st., New York, to a point between Grand and Bay sts., Jersey City.

RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold a public meeting on Monday, May 20, at 2 o'clock P.M., in Room 16, City Hall, to consider complaints against the cable car system, because of the manner in which passengers are thrown forward and backward by inexperienced or careless gripmen, or by imperfect construction or working of the grip, and to receive suggestions tending to remedy this evil.

WM. H. TEN EYCK,
Clerk Common Council.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

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

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

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

Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

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

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

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9:30 A.M. to 4 P.M. General Term, Room No. 9, Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13. Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15.

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

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

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

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

Over and Terminer Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A.M.

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

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Third street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Fourth District—No. 31 First street. Court opens 9 A.M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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

NEW YORK, May 9, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE

following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 9:30 o'clock A.M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895 :

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE WALK SURROUNDING THE CONSERVATORY POND IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WESTERLY SIDEWALK OF RIVERSIDE AVENUE, FROM 72D TO 120TH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows :

No. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED, 19,700 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base.

7,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base, including rubble-stone foundation.

The time allowed for the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS, and the penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY. The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED, 30,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt with concrete base.

The time for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS, and the penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY. The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED
Spruce Timber will be received by the Board of
Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks

at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1895,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials to be furnished is as follows:

SPRUCE PLANK FOR REPAIRS.

Feet, B. M.
3-inch and 4-inch plank, as ordered, in pieces varying in length from 11 feet to 26 feet 9 inches wide and upward, about..... 250,000
The 3-inch and 4-inch plank called for shall be delivered in lots of not less than 500 feet, board measure, within six hours after receipt of an order that said delivery is to commence.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

The contractor shall be ready to commence the delivery of the materials called for under this contract within five days after the date of this contract, and the delivery shall be commenced and shall be continued in such manner and quantities and at such times and places as may, from time to time, be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of September, 1895, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 25, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 499.)
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE HARLEM RIVER will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1895,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour before named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates. The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

Mud dredging, not to exceed..... 15,000 cubic yards.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received: 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department. Dated NEW YORK, April 18, 1895.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 500.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING NORTH OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH RIVER will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1895,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates. The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars.

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

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

Mud dredging, not to exceed..... 100,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract. No estimate will be received or considered unless

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 18, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 501.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 600 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 600 TONS OF Anthracite Coal will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1895,

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars. The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 600 tons.

It is expected that about 500 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,240 pounds avoirdupois.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 200 tons, at such times and places and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 1st day of September, 1895; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per ton, for furnishing and delivering coal, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion,

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED, IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

Dated New York, April 18, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 8, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, May 23, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, from 190th street to the Harlem river.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 4TH AVENUE (East side), between 33d and 34th streets.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 67TH STREET, from West End avenue to the Hudson river wall.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 90TH STREET, from 1st avenue to the East river.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 112TH STREET, from 7th to 8th avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 115TH STREET, from Morningside Park, East, to Manhattan avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CONVENT AVENUE, from 146th to 149th street.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 65TH STREET, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 96TH STREET, from Park to 5th avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 103D STREET, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF COLUMBUS (or Convent) AVENUE, from 126th to 127th street.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 132D STREET, from 12th avenue to the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 136TH STREET, from 3th avenue to the Harlem river (so far as the same is and is not within the limits of grants of land under water).

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 138TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 142D STREET, from the Boulevard to New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 160TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 165TH STREET, from Amsterdam to Edgecombe avenue.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 166TH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF 170TH STREET, from Amsterdam to 11th avenue.

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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 No. 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ICE.

3,000 tons (more or less) prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered at Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and Hart's Island, in quantities as required, during the year 1895, and at Central Islip in car-loads of about 20 tons each. The weight to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name a uniform price per ton of 2,000 pounds for the entire quantity of Ice required, all of which shall be delivered at the different points named free of expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Also about 750 tons (more or less) of prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered as required at the several hospitals, prisons, etc., under charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, from Gouverneur Hospital, in Gouverneur Slip, to Fifth District Prison, East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. About one-half of the said 750 tons are to be delivered at Bellevue Hospital and the Morgue, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street. Bidders to name a uniform price per 100 pounds for the entire 750 tons (more or less) that may be required.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, May 23, 1895. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.

HENRY H. PORTER, President, JOHN P. FAURE, Commissioner, ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

NEW YORK, MAY 11, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR GENERAL REPAIRS TO STEAMER "THOMAS S. BRENNAN."

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 Thursday, May 23, 1895, 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 General Repairs to Steamer 'Thomas S. Brennan,'" 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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 form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office, No. 66 Third avenue; 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; JOHN P. FAURE and ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, May 14, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT four Horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction on Tuesday, May 28, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street. By order of the Board of Police.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

DAMAGE COM., 23D, 24TH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 567 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled 'An Act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise,'" notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said act, will be held at Room No. 33 Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, September 10, 1894.

DANIEL LORI, JAMES M. VARNUM, DANIEL P. HAYS, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, May 9, 1895.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS TO STEAMBOAT "FRANKLIN EDSON," OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS to Steamboat "Franklin Edson," of the Health Department, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of the 21st day of May, 1895, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for repairs to Steamboat 'Franklin Edson,' of the Health Department, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$6,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet and so on "until it be accepted and executed."

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

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

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

No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

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

CHARLES G. WILSON, CYRUS EDSON, M. D., ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE ROOSEVELT, Commissioners.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the steam launch "Isabel," belonging to the Department of Street Cleaning, and now lying at Woolf's Electrozone Works, Ravenswood, L. I., will be sold by Public Auction at that place on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M. The launch may be seen at any time by applying to the Superintendent of Final Disposition, at Stable "A," 17th street and Avenue C. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Terms of sale: The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of the sale, or the steam launch will be resold. Purchasers will be required to remove the launch from the Electrozone Works within five days after the sale.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL outstanding permits granted by this Department under chapter 697 of the Laws of 1894, for the occupancy of portions of the streets at night time and on Sundays and legal holidays, by unlicensed trucks, wagons or other vehicles will be revoked, said revocation to take effect on June 1, 1895.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to revoke any or all of said permits before June 1, 1895.

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

COLLEGE OF CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX, Chairman; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Eleventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M. on Friday, May 31, 1895, for supplying New School Furniture for Grammar School No. 22 and Primary School No. 31.

GEORGE MUNDORFF, Chairman, SAMUEL D. LEVY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 17, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 31, 1895, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 38.

C. F. SILING, Chairman, JOHN ALLAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, May 17, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, until

10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 29, 1895, for supplying New School Furniture for Primary School No. 11.

GEORGE FREYGANG, Chairman, WM. B. BRADY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

Dated New York, May 16, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, May 29, 1895, for supplying New School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 12 and 79.

HIRSH MERRITT, Chairman, HENRY H. HAIGHT, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 16, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 28, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 12 and 31 and Primary School No. 36.

JAMES B. MULRY, Chairman, BERNARD GORDON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 15, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 28, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 4, 34 and Primary Schools Nos. 10, 20 and 40.

JOHN E. MURPHY, Chairman, HENRY HASZ-NOHR, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 15, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 28, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 11 and 56.

W. J. STEWART, Chairman, HENRY FINCKEN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 15, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 28, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 27 and 82.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman, JOSEPH FET-RETCH, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 15, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 27, 1895, for Connecting Primary School No. 29 with the Fire-alarm System of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which cables of the Fire Department are now placed, etc.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman, WILLIAM HOFFMANN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 13, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 24, 1895, for Connecting Grammar School No. 16 with the Fire-alarm System of the City of New York, by means of cables and subways, from the nearest subway in which cables of the Fire Department are now placed, etc.

THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Chairman, ARTHUR H. KENNEDY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 24, 1895, for making Alterations in and Additions to the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 93.

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

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 24, 1895, for furnishing the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New School Building for Grammar School No. 66, at Kingsbridge.

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

Dated New York, May 11, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895, for supplying School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47; also for Repairs at Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47.

ARTHUR G. SEDGWICK, WALDO H. RICHARDSON, RICHARD VAN COTT, J. A. HARDENBERGH, Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, May 22, 1895, for supplying School Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47; also for Repairs at Grammar Schools Nos. 35 and 47.

LOUIS HAUPT, Chairman, PATRICK CARROLL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar School No. 26.

CHAS. F. BAUERDORF, Chairman, PATRICK COLLINS, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 14.

ROBERT STURGIS, Chairman, PAYSON MERRILL, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, May 8, 1895.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 20, 1895, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 8 and 38.

C. F. SILING, Chairman, JOHN ALLAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, May 6, 1895.

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

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

It is required as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of this Board, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal, when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the proper Board of Trustees, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF A FERRY TO DEMPSEY AVENUE, RIDGEFIELD TOWNSHIP, BERGEN COUNTY, N. J.

THE FRANCHISE OF A FERRY, FROM AND TO the foot of 13th street and Manhattan street, North river, in the City of New York, over and across the waters of the Hudson or North river to and from Dempsey avenue, Ridgefield Township, Bergen County, in the State of New Jersey, as established by a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted March 12, 1895, and approved by the Mayor, March 15, 1895, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room No. 14, Stewart Building, No. 285 Broadway, on Monday, May 27, 1895, at 12 M., for a term of ten years, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The terminal points as established by the aforesaid resolution of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor March 15, 1895, to be the same points or landing places between which said ferry is to be run.

The City shall not be liable to pay any damages on account of the extension of Manhattan street, but the lease shall be deemed to extend to and cover any new bulkhead and land under water which may be formed by the extension of Manhattan street or by any change of the present bulkhead-line.

The minimum yearly rental of the franchise is appraised and fixed at \$500 per annum, payable quarterly, up to April 1, 1897, and \$3,000 per annum thereafter. In addition to the yearly rental to be paid for the ferry franchise, the purchaser and lessee of the said franchise shall pay the sum of \$2,400 per annum, in quarterly payments, for the use of the slip, landing place, and structures thereon at or near the foot of 13th street and Manhattan street, now used for ferry purposes by the Riverside and Fort Lee Ferry Company up to May 1, 1896, and fifteen hundred dollars per annum thereafter up to April 1, 1897; after which last-mentioned date the payments made to the City, as herein provided, shall include the right to occupy and use all wharf and other property of the City now leased to the Riverside and Fort Lee Ferry Company for ferry purposes, including that leased by the Dock Department, as aforesaid.

The lease shall also contain a covenant providing for a lease for a term of eleven months from May 1, 1896, to April 1, 1897, at the rate of nine hundred dollars per annum, of the wharf property of the City, now used by the Riverside and Fort Lee Ferry Company for the purposes of the ferry to Fort Lee, Bergen County, New Jersey, and now leased by said Ferry Company from the Department of Docks for a term expiring May 1, 1896, such lease for eleven months as aforesaid to provide for the use of said property jointly by said purchaser and said Riverside and Fort Lee Ferry Company during the term thereof.

The lease shall also provide that from and after April 1, 1897, the purchaser of the franchise of the ferry to Fort Lee, as now established shall have the right to use said slip, landing place and structures upon payment to the lessee of the franchise of the ferry to Dempsey avenue of the sum of twenty-four hundred dollars per annum, during the term of the lease thereof.

The highest bidder for the ferry will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller at the time of sale a sum equal to twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid, which shall be credited on the rent of the first quarter or be forfeited to the City if the lease shall not be executed by the purchaser when notified and required by the Comptroller so to do.

The lessee of the ferry will be required to give a bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, with two sufficient sureties, approved by the Comptroller and conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the lease, which shall be such as are required by law, and the ordinances of the Common Council relating to ferries, and are usually contained in ferry leases, and which lease shall be approved by the Counsel to the Corporation.

The lease shall also contain a covenant providing for the purchase, at a fair appraisal valuation, of the boats, buildings and other property belonging to the lessee, used in and actually necessary for the operation of the ferry, upon the termination of the lease and the surrender and yielding up of the premises by the lessee, if the lessee shall not become the purchaser of the franchise for another term, which appraisal shall be made in the usual way before advertising a lease for a new term of the franchise, at least four months prior to the termination of the lease, provided that the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York shall not in any event be deemed to covenant to purchase said property.

The rates for ferriage shall not exceed those heretofore charged at the ferry to and from Fort Lee, New Jersey. The term of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller. The right to reject any bid is reserved, it being deemed by the Comptroller to be in the interest of the City. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 29, 1895.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.
City of New York—Finance Department, Comptroller's Office, May 16, 1895.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX, Chairman; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.

SUPREME COURT.

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

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 3d day of June, 1895, 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 County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 17, 1895.
EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO, ISAAC FROMME, THEODORE E. SMITH, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY- EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Franklin avenue to Boston road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, 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 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of April, 1895, 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, Room No. 1 (fourth floor), No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of June, 1895, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 18, 1895.
JULIUS M. MAYER, JOHN J. O'NEILL, WM. G. LYON, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, passed March 19, 1892, entitled "An act to provide for settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as Fort Washington Ridge road, in the City of New York, and in relation to the improvement thereof."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN "An Act to provide for settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as Fort Washington Ridge road, in the City of New York, and in relation to the improvement thereof," passed March 9, 1892, or the owner or owners and the occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected by the assessment hereinafter mentioned, that the undersigned, who were appointed Commissioners for the purposes named in said act by an order of the Supreme Court, filed in the office of the Clerk thereof on the 9th day of May, 1893, that

I.—On the 14th day of May, 1895, we completed and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain open to inspection by all parties and persons interested, the assessment list containing the several sums assessed by us against all such parties and persons, lands and tenements as we have deemed to be benefited on account of the expense heretofore duly certified and stated to us by the Commissioners appointed pursuant to section 2 of said act, to have been, prior to the said act, actually paid or incurred by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for and on account of the work of regulating and grading, or otherwise improving said road, and also incurred under and pursuant to the provisions of the said act prior to the date of our appointment, and the interest thereon calculated, as provided by said act, and also the sum estimated by the said Commissioners to be necessary to complete the work of regrading said road, as provided in the fifth section of said act.

II.—The said assessment list and our report in the premises will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chamber, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of June, 1895, for confirmation.

III.—The lands embraced by such assessment are described as follows: All those parcels of land, houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands situated on both sides of Fort Washington Ridge road, from 150th st. and the Boulevard to its terminus at or near the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Sherman ave.; also, all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area: on the south by the northerly side of 158th st., extending from the westerly side of the Boulevard to the easterly side of the Public Drive; on the north by the southerly side of the Public Drive to its intersection with Kingsbridge road and Dyckman st.; on the east by the westerly side of the Boulevard and Kingsbridge road, from 158th st. to Dyckman st.; on the west by the easterly side of the Public Drive (west of Fort Washington Ridge road) northerly from 158th st. to its terminus; also both sides of Elwood st., from Naegle ave. to Kingsbridge road; also both sides of Sherman ave., from Kingsbridge road to Dyckman st., and east side of Kingsbridge road, from Naegle ave. to Dyckman st.

IV.—All persons whose interests may be affected by the said assessment, and who may be opposed to the same, are hereby requested to present their objections, in writing, to the undersigned Commissioners within twenty days from the date of this notice. Any person or party whose rights may be affected by the said assessment, and who shall object to the same or any part

thereof, may, within the time specified, state his, her or their objections to the same, in writing, to the undersigned Commissioners, which statement shall not be received by us unless verified by his, her or their affidavits or the affidavits of other persons.

V.—On the 10th day of June, 1895, at 12.30 P.M., at our office, Room 76, No. 115 Broadway, in the City of New York, any person who may consider themselves aggrieved by such assessment, and who shall object thereto, as hereinbefore stated, will be heard by us in open court, to the same, and such hearing will be adjourned from time to time within the space of ten judicial days after the said date, until such person or persons shall be fully heard.

Dated New York, May 14, 1895.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN, WALTER STANTON, J. ROMAIN BROWN.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges, lands under water and uplands necessary to be taken for the improvement of that part of the water-front of the said city on the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 31st day of December, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and 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 lands and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, 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. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms Nos. 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice, and on or before the 1st day of June, 1895.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of June, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants 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, May 7, 1895.
G. E. MOTT, MOSES G. BYERS, SAMUEL W. MILBANK, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, 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 the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park south to Boston road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, 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 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of April, 1895; 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, Room No. 1, fourth floor, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of June, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants 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, May 9, 1895.
EUGENE A. PHILBIN, C. A. HELFER, JULIAN B. SHOPE, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

ested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 8th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 8th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 1895.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 6, 1895.
FREDERICK J. DIETER, Chairman, SAMUEL R. ELLIOTT, PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES, 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 NAEGLE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge road to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 7th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 7th day of June, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Kingsbridge road distant southerly about 775 feet from the intersection of the centre line of Naegle avenue with the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; running thence easterly and at right angles with Kingsbridge road 125 feet; thence running northerly and parallel with Kingsbridge road to a point distant about 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Hillside street; thence running southeasterly, and for a part of the way parallel with Hillside street, to the westerly side of 11th avenue; thence along the westerly side of 11th avenue to a point distant southerly about 240 feet from the southerly side of Naegle avenue; thence running northeasterly and parallel with Naegle avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the westerly side of Dyckman street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Dyckman street to the Harlem river; thence at right angles with Dyckman street to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Dyckman street; thence northwesterly and parallel with Dyckman street to a point distant about 240 feet southerly from the southerly side of Naegle avenue; thence northeasterly and parallel with Naegle avenue to a point 150 feet northeasterly from the easterly side of Academy street; thence southerly and at right angles to the line last mentioned to the intersection of the northerly side of 202d street and the easterly side of 10th avenue; thence along the northerly side of 202d street 100 feet; thence northerly and parallel with 10th avenue to the southerly side of 208th street; thence westerly along the southerly side of 208th street to the intersection of 28th street with the southerly side of Post avenue; thence along the southerly side of Post avenue to the westerly side of Dyckman street, distant northerly 310 feet from the intersection of the westerly side of Dyckman street with the northerly side of Naegle avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Dyckman street to a point in the middle of the block between Sherman and Naegle avenues; thence southwesterly and along the middle of said block to a point distant 150 feet easterly from the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly and parallel to Kingsbridge road to a point distant 262 1/2 feet northerly from the northerly side of Naegle avenue; thence westerly and at right angles to Kingsbridge road to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence across Kingsbridge road to the west side thereof, at a point distant along the side thereof about 680 feet from the intersection of the centre line of Naegle avenue produced with the westerly side of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly and at right angles to the Kingsbridge road 125 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the Kingsbridge road to the first-mentioned line produced; thence easterly and at right angles to the Kingsbridge road to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown upon the 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 20th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 6, 1895.
JAMES A. LAMB, Chairman, THEODORE E. SMITH, ERNEST A. NATHAN, 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 SHERMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said 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, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 7th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 7th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 10 o'clock A.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at its office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1, fourth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; on the east by the westerly side of Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and thence by the westerly side of Morris avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and distant 400 feet southerly from southerly side thereof, and westerly by the easterly side of Sherman avenue, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown on 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 20th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 3, 1895.
PETER B. OLNEY, Chairman, SAMUEL DINKEL-SPIEL, 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 117TH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside avenue, in the 12th 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 20th day of May, 1895, 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 County Clerk, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 7, 1895.
CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE, PETER MCINTYRE, APPLETON L. CLARK, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City and County of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line of the Boulevard, distant 2,098 feet 2 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly line of the Boulevard, measured along the easterly line of the Boulevard, to a point on the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 2,022 feet 10 1/4 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, measured along the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from the Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue; easterly by the westerly line of Kingsbridge road and the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and One Hundred and Eighty-second street, extending from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Fort Washington Depot road, extending from Kingsbridge road to the Boulevard, and westerly by the easterly line of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and

the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, April 8, 1895.
JOHN JEROMELOMAN, Chairman,
G. M. SPEIR,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) from Jerome avenue to the easterly line of Sheridan 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.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 11th day of June, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of June, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, there to remain until the 11th day of June, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by a line drawn parallel with East 165th street, and distant northerly about 405 feet from the northerly side thereof; easterly by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Sheridan avenue; southerly by the northerly line of East 163d street, and the prolongation easterly of said line from the westerly line of Mott avenue, to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Sheridan avenue, and westerly by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Jerome avenue, excepting from said area, all the streets, avenues, and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, May 11, 1895.
JAMES A. LAMB, Chairman, JOHN H. SPELLMAN, DANIEL SHERRY, 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 the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CROTONA PARK, SOUTH (although not yet named by proper authority), from Fulton avenue to Prospect avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, 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 23d day of March, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 30th day of April, 1895; 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, Room No. 1, fourth floor, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 3d day of June, 1895, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 9, 1895.
MONTAGUE LESSLER, CHARLES D. BURLIN, PHILIP E. REVILLE, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

THE CITY RECORD IS PUBLISHED DAILY, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, at No. 2 City Hall, New York City. Annual subscription, \$9.30.
JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.