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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending December 11, 1897.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN. NEW YORK, December 21, 1897.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG. Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to December 11, 1897, of all moneys received by Hon. ANSON G. McCOOK, Chamberlain, and the amount of warrants paid by him since December 4, 1897, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on December 11, 1897.

Very respectfully,

JNO. H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with Anson G. McCook, Chamberlain, during the week ending December 11, 1897. Cr.

To Additional Water Fund	\$2,927 64	Dec. 4	By Balance			\$8,590,14
Additional Water Fund, City of New York	1,846 52	" 11	laxes	Austen		
Additional Public Parks Fund	12,550 00 40,518 79		Interest on Taxes			
Addition to Public Building—Crotona Park	306 90		Arrears of Taxes	Gilon		
Addition to Public Building—Crotona Park	1,384 90		Interest on Taxes		16,651 61	
Bronx and Pelham Parkway	11,740 85		Fund for Street and Park Openings			
Croton Water Fund	8,798 21		Street Improvement Fund-June 15, 188	6. " · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Change of Grade, etc., 22d and 24th Wards	354 20 105 18		Interest on Assessments	"		
Castle Garden, etc., Improvement of. Construction of New Bridge—Pelham Bay Park, etc. Department of Public Charities—Building Pund.	349 00		Interest—Towns of Westchester Charges—Towns of Westchester	. "		
Construction of New Bridge-Pelham Bay Park, etc	80	1	Charges-Towns of Westchester	. "	25	
Department of Public Charities—Building Fund	9,659 85		Water-meter Fund, No. 2			1
Dock Fund	910,645 58 37.785 16	- 11	Interest on Setting Meter			A
Eleventh Ward Park Fund	6,000 00		Charges on Arrears of Taxes			
East River Park-Improvement of Extension	117 96		Harlem River Improvement Fund	,	84 62	
Fire Department Fund-For Sites, etc	627 60		Sundry Licenses	Healy	1,369 75	
Fire Hydrant Fund	324 50		Restoring and Repaying-23d and 241	b		
Fund for Street and Park Openings. Furnishing and Equiping Public Buildings—Crotona Park Gouverneur Slip Hospital Building Fund	167,537 89		Wards	. Haffen	129 00	
Governeur Slip Hospital Building Fund	10,847 00		Public Works.	Collis	1,725 75	
Hester St. Park Fund	4,000 00	4	Tapping Pipes	. Johnson	241 00	
High School Fund	508 33		Aqueduct-Repairs, Maintenance an	d		
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 194, Laws of 1896	306 72		Tapping Pipes	. Timmermann	6 00	
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 11, Laws of 1894.	24 98		County Clerk's rees	- Purroy		
Jerome Avenue Paving	298 50		Excise Taxes		5,343 84	
Mosholu Parkway, etc	4,244 08 60 64		Department of Public Charities—Salarie		7.04	
Morangside Park—Construction of	3 85	11	Public Instruction—Salaries	"		
Morningside Park—Construction of	467 13		Unclaimed Salaries and Wages	. "	328 29	
Park Avenue Improvement	12,500 00		Unclaimed Salaries and Wages Street Incumbrance Fund, 1897 Department of Buildings—Special Fund.	. Waring	51 '0	
Pelham Bay Park.	85 77		Department of Buildings-Special Fund.	. Constable	367 63	
Public Driveway, Construction of	1,391 12		Fund for Street and Park Openings	. Comptroller	601 95	
Public School Library Fund	431 74		Dock Fund			
Panel Transit Fund No. 2	6,576 91		Sheriff's Fees		9,897 20	
Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2. Relunding Taxes Paid in Error	5,268 33		Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, Town	. Mayor	400 00	
Repaying Roads, Streets and Avenues-22d and 24th Wards	593 60 52,885 89		of East Chester and Pelham	Comptroller	214 71	
Repaying 3d Ave	221 29		General Fund	. Comptroller \$274 16	200	
Repaying	12,334 13	1	"	. Scott 101 00		
Repaving Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works. Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—23d and 24th Wards Revenue Bond Fund—Alteration of City Hall, etc. Revenue Bond Fund—Burnside Ave. Archway. Revenue Bond Fund—Construction, etc., New Parks, 192d St. Revenue Bond Fund—Expert Accounts, etc. Revenue Bond Fund—Health Department. Revenue Bond Fund—Extension Bridge, Harlem Railroad, etc. Revenue Bond Fund—Indements Revenue Bond Fund—Indements Revenue Bond Fund—Readjustment of Water-pipes, 42d St. Reservoir.	1,854 00					1
Restoring and Repaying - Special Fund-23d and 24th Wards	138 89		"			
Revenue Bond Fund Burneide Are Archwart	3,255 00	- 1	"	O'Brien 21,738 71 Haffen 232 00	23,996 56	
Revenue Bond Fund—Construction, etc., New Parks, 102d St	75 00	1	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Publi		231990 30	
Revenue Bond Fund-Expert Accounts, etc	900 00	- 11	Driveway		350,000 00	
Revenue Bond Fund-Health Department	970 00	1	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Depart			
Revenue Bond Fund-Extension Bridge, Harlem Railroad, etc	1,814 75		ment of Public Charities, Buildin	g		
Revenue Bond Fund-Judgments	20,299 55	- 11	Fund	. "	268,175 00	
Revenue Bond Fund - Readjustment of Water-pipes, 42d St. Reservoir.	321 93		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Im			
Revenue Bonds, 1897. Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction Sanitary Improvement School-house Fund	800,000 00 569 22	II.	provement of Parks, Parkways and	1 44	76,500 00	
Sanitary Improvement School-house Fund	2,000 00	- 1	Drives, chapter 643, Laws of 1897 3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Viaduo		70,500 00	
School-house Fund	111,445 78	11	Riverside Ave., 96th St		60,000 00	
Countan Duveil Parleway	136 25		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Spuyte	n		
St. John's Park—Construction and Improvement	228 10		Duyvil Parkway	. "	50,000 00	
Steel Beam Structure, Port Morris Branch, etc	1,837 00	- 1	3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Improve	•		
Temporary Bridge etc. Propy Piver pear Westchester eve	17 50		ment and Construction Riversid		50,000 00	
St. John's Park—Construction and Improvement. Steel Beam Structure, Port Morris Branch, etc Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886. Temporary Bridge, etc., Bronx River, near Westchester ave Unclaimed Salaries and Wages. Water-main Fund, No. 2. Williamsheider Sauger Fund	43 64		Park		30,000 00	
Water-main Fund. No. 2	4,039 49	11	Park, 27th and 28th Sts., 9th and 10th			
Williamsbridge Sewer Fund	219 25 268 65		Aves		12,550 00	
Antitoxine Fund	268 65		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Board of	f	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	
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Advertising	\$562 40		ings		3,836 00	
Allowance to Catholic Free Library	291 66		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Publi		0 0-	
Armories—Repairs	1,484 79		Park, 11th Ward	. "	8,225 80	
Agneduct Renairs Maintenance and Strengthening	2,317 57		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Nev Hall of Records		100 00	
Bacteriological Laboratory	5,194 76		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Construc		200 00	
Roring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts	297 65	- 1	tion Bridge Harlem River at 1st Ave		150,000 00	- 11
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs. Bridge over Harlem River Ship Canal—Maintenance. Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines	72 75		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock-Bridg			111
Bridge over Harlem River Ship Canal-Maintenance	394 00 84 00				96,000 00	
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Bureau of Licenses	35 00 247 70 37,507 60		a per cent Consolidated Stock Consolidated		34,000 00	(
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Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning	700 59		a per cent Consolidated Stock—Public		30,000 00	
Cleaning Markets			Park, Hester st., etc.,		6,339 72	1
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REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, DECEMBER 20 TO 24, 1897.

Communications. Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending December 18, 1897: Males, 29; females, 1; on file. List of 29 prisoners to be discharged from December 26, 1897, to January 1, 1898, transmitted to Prison Association.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending December 18, 1897, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

Reports of census, labor, punishments, etc., for week ending December 18, 1897. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 18, 1897, \$52.

From District Prisons-Amount of fines received during week ending December 18, 1897,

\$434. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to December 18, 1897. Referred

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to December 10, 109, to Bookkeeper.

From Workhouse—Warden recommends that immediate action be taken in relation to placing iron gratings along the tiers in Workhouse Hall; also that a prisoner, Lorenzo Dippalo, attempted to throw himself over the railing of tier on the 22d instant, but was prevented from so doing by a Keeper. On file.

Reporting the escape of Maggie Mooney, prisoner, from Harlem Hospial. On file.

Reporting the death of Ellen Hayes, a prisoner, on December 20, 1897. On file.

Transferred.

December 20—Michael J. Featon, Keeper, Penitentiary to District Prisons; salary increased from \$800 to \$900 per annum. Robert McDonald, Keeper, District Prisons to Penitentiary; salary reduced from \$900 to \$800 per annum.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S STATEMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by WILLIAM M. Hoes, Public Administrator, in the City of New York, for the month of December, 1897, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Sections 56 and 216 of New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

DATE OF FINAL DECREE,	ESTATE OF-	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMIS- SIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
	(Closed pursuant to chapter 573 of the Laws of 1887.)			
Dec. 6, 1897	Ann Kelly	\$26 57	\$3 36	\$29 93
***************************************	Anton M. Merk	12 50	5 59 8 70	18 09
*************		62 70	8 70	71 40
***********	Mary Cox	92 89	5 32	98 21
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************		8 63	72	9 35
***********		149 98	8 35	158 33
*************		91 15	13 55	104 70
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***********		22 49	4 14	26 63
***********	William Jones	80 59	9 89	90 48
************		2 17	12	2 29
***********	Julia Cullen	2 12	2 93	5 05
************	Annie Feltman	5 12	32	5 44
***********	Wi liam Sullivan	2 70	33	3 03
************	Emily Webner	6r	04	65
***********	Unknown man	2 95	16	3 11
************	Elmer Sears	1 12	30	1 20
*************	Unknown man	9 55	85	10 40
************	Benjamin J. Decker		35	35
***** *******	Owen Clark	9 53	******	9 53
	Kate M. Higgins	*******	4 51	
***********	Kate O. Leary		6 92	6 q2
Nov. 6, 1897	Henrietta Baumann		14 17	14 17
Dec. 8, "	Al-x Hume		36 65	30 65
************	John Gannon		IO	10
Dec. 15, 1897	Philomene Guilbert		201 16	201 16
***********	Johanna Barteld		4 00	4 00
***********	Joseph Le Chair		12 18	12 18
************	Alice McKenna		4 24	4 24
	Gaspar Karm		4 14	4 14
************	Maria Hochtella		1 90	1 90
	Charles W.Bradley	*******	3 47	3 47
Dec. 24, 1897	Albertine M. Muller		126 63	126 63
	Emil Lecour	4 41		4 41
	George W. Rachel	4 96		4 96
	P. E. Lutinger	77		77
Dec. 28, 1897	Bertha Salm		38 32	38 32
	Cash received from Department of Public Charities: Estate		3-3-	3- 3-
	of Anna Haggerty	4 75	25	5 00
**********	Charities: Johanna Kapland and others, as per list	The Park Street	40000	
TIME!	attached	355 60	18 72	374 32
- 144		\$980 37	\$543 93	\$1,524 30

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Joha	nna Kapland	\$2 03	Susa Voelonei	
Barb	ara Meyer	1 35	Claron Louden	\$0 5. 80
Marg	garet Walsh	40	Catherine Stephens	2 2
Angi	nas Decodagost Hes-ler	I 12 54	Ellen Vandewater	14 8
Jacol	Kraus		Henrietta Berg	23
Mich	ael Callahan	72 1 80	Jane Doe	I 44
Thor	nas E. Doyles Fay	1 13	Jane Kruit	
Hans	Christensen	1 12 2 48	Margaret Coon	r 6
Erne	st Jacoby	90	Mary Grat: Mora Paives	4:
Emm	a King	27	Mora Paives	1 58
Mary	erine Rock	99 1 35	Ellen Barton	23
Mary	Hauser	2 25	Dora Hoffman	22
Emm	a Allen	I 44	Bridget Wallace	7 7
Kate	Spiro	1 08	Catherine Betts	99
Mary	ara Abel	54 1 96	Helen Newberger	2 2
Julia	Berndt	90	Annie Leider	72 81
Emm	a A. Neuman	90	Annie Leider	22
Lotti	e Davy	2 37	Mary Cuillinin	54
Anon	e Stokesst Haase	8 10	Josephine Forbacke	7:
Emm	a Allen	1 35	Annie Finneburg	45
Philo	mena Rambeau	45	Bridget Eagan	2 70
ulius	Willis	90	Annie Troy	54
Augu	st Orthege Busenge	1 13	Kate Schultz	4 50
A I I was	d Huber	45	Johannah Buckley Mary Hean-y	45
Care	Spiro	30 60	Emma Stadler	27
eter	Spiro J. Johnson and Parker	90	Josephine Shegel	I 44
Lene	y L. Johnson	90	Mary Mackey	90
Rose	Conklin	1 89	Mary Mackay	r 99
rede	rick Fisher	45	Clara Friedman	1 44
acob	Chamberger	54	Louisa Jerner	1 80
da B	a Keppler	2 60	Ellen Carroll.	1 08
Mary	loseph	3 15	Margaret Hannigan	84 1 08
Annie	Joseph	54	Catherine Boyle	67
eon	tine Underhill	1 98	Phoebe Payne	45
	el Sullivan	63	Mary Walsh	99
	a Foderse	1 98 1 98	Rebecca Purdy	99 1 58
lizal	eth Hayes	45	Christian Seiler	54 I 17
rede	ericka Meyers	99	Louisa Contiss	
Mary	Sanders	1 13	Delia McLoughlin.	1 8c
Aorr	is L. Tauber	4 95	Bridget Carroll	45
rede	rica Belling	2 03	Fredericka Zehe	45
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	de Groot	I 57	Victoria Haron.	90
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	Eichler	1 08	Levy Abt	2 34 99
Cose	Leonard	1 62	Levy Abt. Mary O,Neil- Louise Cortiss.	99
Tows	ard S. Ingersoll	63		I 53
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usan	Wehrl	90	Adam Springfield	54
ohn	Veet	90	Mary Robinson. Nathaniel F. Yates.	54
Indr	ew Stosick	1 12	Thomas McC irthy	2 03 5 84 63
fath.	Ida Smith	1 80	Charles Lacella	5 64
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David	Doyle	1 58 63	Minnie Feantschuet	1 57
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gnata	Duerr	54	Charles Detzel. James Beoney	I 35
lam	StarkeyEhrentried	1 62	August Callach	54 27 90 2 34 63 1 44 90 1 71
anni	e Morance	54	August Gulloch	90
mma	Eaton		Herman Gunther	2 34
nn I	Jannissan	1 08	John Stroble. Lawrence Porter	7 43
larg	aret Hughes Miller Weinberg	90	Lawrence Porter	90
ar	Weinberg	2 14 1 35	A. Bossert Hugh McGrath	1 71
ate	Hunter.	I 52	Edminie Wellis William Cheever	54 1 17
lary	Quirk	1 52 1 80	William Cheever	1 17
laria	Doetz	99		27
large	eth Smith	1 26	Edward Ryan Lawrence Phili ps	90 27 1 35
Villia	m Ems Bombarch	1 20	Joseph Manning	45
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ouis	McGowan	1 89	John Scheaty	2 48
nile.	Rolan	70 1	Maria Schamberg	67
athe	Rolan.	2 25	Robert P. Bowen	45
lary	Kenyon	2 03	Otto Kunst	23
nn J	. Hayes	1 53	Jacob Harbold	45
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NAME,	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
James F. Hardy	go 13	Christopher Vanderheider	\$2 14
Joseph Bocklader	45	Thebold Zimmerman	00
John Dismond	90	Catherine Lee	2 70
Charles S. Bartello	00	Jane Phenix	2 25
Thomas O'Neil	54	Fannie Vanston	36
Elizabeth Boyd	9 00	Nathan W. Leach	45
Lawrence Matthews	99	George Flynn	13
Victor Patterson	go	Mary Ann Griffin	23
William Paterson	45	John Whelan	og
John Becker	45	Henry Dielfer	1 62
Andrew McMillan	72	Mary Mansfield	72
Mary Bolz	99	Thomas Rockert	1 26
Emma Maranesse	90	Abraham Paul	45
Fanny Bun	23	Gustav Fair	72
Hi da Friss	81	Horatio Ogden	2 03
Alice McLean	45	Margaret Tuscher	58
Kate McAuliffe	2 43	Augusta Barbara	99
Josephine Meyers	I 62	Fredericka Jackons	09
Moses Lichterman	1 08	Elias Tuck	40
Eduard Scott	63	Kate Linden	36
Kate Farley	00	Jacob Sona	1 70
Margaret O'Hare	2 43	Adolph Roth	63
Celice Bressen	32	James E. Grahan	22
Louisa Barrett	27	Pierce O'Donnell	3 83
Mary Tumbal	45	Maud Rollinson	15 30
Mary McEvoy	09	Henry Gattings	54
Mary Ann Nolan	13	George Harian	63
Emma Roesler	1 71	Henry Fisher	22
William C. Bowen	09	Rachel Frieback	99
Maria Bescher	7 65	John Daly	5 85
Wilhelmina Remsen	90	Morris Pendergast	45
Flora Archer	09		
Elizabeth Danger	1 17	Total	\$374 32
John Breitbolz	1 08	The second secon	20000000

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

REMOVAL.

CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

I, Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor of the City of New York, under and by virtue of the power confe red upon me by statute, and it being my judgment that the public interests so require, do hereby remove William H. Quinn from the office of Assessor of the former City of Brooklyn, said removal to take effect immediately:

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 6th day

of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

EAL.] (Signed) ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE MAYOR.

JANUARY 4, 1898.
Richard S. Farley, Chief Clerk in the office of the Mayor, designated to sign warrants drawn on the City Treasury in place of the Mayor.

JANUARY 5, 1898.

Thomas C. Kadien, Justice of the Municipal Court, First District of the Borough of Queens, for a term ending December 31, 1899.

James F. McLoughlin, Justice of the Municipal Court, Third District of the Borough of Queens, for a term ending December 31, 1899.

Thomas McCormack, Marshal of the City of New York, Borough of Richmond, for a term of circums.

six years.

John Rooney, Marshal of the City of New York, Borough of Richmond, for a term of six years.

Felix Hall, Marshal of the City of New York, Borough of Richmond, for a term of six years.

John Fleming, Justice of the Court of Special Sessions of the Second Division of the City of New York, for a term ending December 31, 1905.

William T. Monteverde, Justice of the Municipal Court, Second District, Borough of Queens, for a term ending December 31, 1899.

John M. Delmour, Marshal of the City of New York, to succeed Henry Metzler, Marshal, resigned, for the unexpired term of said Metzler.

JANUARY 6, 1898.

James Thompson, Marshal of the City of New York, Borough of Richmond, for a term of six years.

CITY OF NEW YORK-OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,

The forogoing order of removal from office and list of appointments made by the Mayor is transmitted, by his direction, to the CITY RECORD for publication therein.

A. M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Ninetieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December

Resolved, That Twelfth avenue, from the northerly side of Forty-seventh street to the southerly side of Fifty-second street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Be it Ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened, That Twelfth avenue, from the northerly side of Forty-seventh street to the southerly side of Fifty second street, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under such directions as shall be given by the Commissioner of Public Works, who may appoint an Inspector thereon, and one of the City Surveyors.

And Whereas, The said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty deem it necessary, for the more speedy execution of the said ordinance, to cause the work necessary for the purpose above specified to be executed and done at their own expense, on account of the persons respectively upon whom the same might be assessed;

Therefore be it further Ordained, That the Board of Assessors be and they are hereby directed to make a just and equitable assessment of the expense of conforming to the provisions of this ordinance among the owners or occupants of all the houses and lots intended to be benefited thereby, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantages which each may be deemed to acquire.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1807. Approved by the Mayor, December

acquire Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be fitted up and lamps lighted in front of the building of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, on Madison avenue, northwest corner of Twenty-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such persecution to continue and during the placeure of the Commissioner of Public Works; such persecution to continue and during the placeure of the Commissioner of Public Works;

mission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the 400 Club to parade with a drum and fife corp and truck through the following streets and avenues: Twenty-eighth street, Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street, to Ninth avenue, to Fifty-ninth street, to Tenth avenue, to Forty-second street, to Eleventh avenue, to Fifty-ninth street, to Eighth avenue, to Fourteenth street, to Seventh avenue, to Fifty-ninth street, to Sixth avenue, to Fourteenth street, to Tenth avenue, to Twenty-eighth street and dismiss, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for December 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31, 1897, and January 1, 1898.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December 27, 1807.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December 27, 1897. Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be and they are hereby authorized to expend the sum of one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fitty-six cents (\$187.56) in payment of the following bills:

De Grauw, Aymar & Co., for flags and decorations for the parks in April, 1897, the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars and six cents (\$125.06.)

J. W. Mason & Co., for use of chairs at the opening of Mulberry Bend Park, June 15, 1897, the sum of sixty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$62.50.)

And the Comptroller is hereby authorized to draw the several warrants therefor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 21, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, December 27, 1897.

APPOINTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,

THIRD AVENUE AND 177TH STREET, January 6, 1898. HENRY McMILLEN, Supervisor, City Record:

SIR-I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that I have appointed Joseph P. Hennessy as my Secretary.

Respectfully, LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 1528 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), privides that "there shall be published in the City Record, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any depirtment (except laborers, with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so jublished within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publica ion of the City Record everything required to be inserted therein." to be inserted therein."

HENRY MCMILLEN, Supervisor City Record.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 F. M.; Saturdays, 9

NO. 6 City Haily A. M. Wyck, Mayor,
A. M. to 12 M.
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor,
Alfred M. Downes, Private Secretary,
Bureau of Licenses.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD H. HEALY, Marshal.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.
Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 a.m. to 4 p. m.
Peter J. Dooling, Marice J. Powers, William H.,
Ten Eyck, Charles H. Mueray, and The Mayor,
Comptroller and President of Board of Public
Improvements, ex. officio. Commissioners; Edward
L. Allen, Secretary, A. Fteley, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS, THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAKES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary. Address Thomas L. Feitner, Stewart Building, Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS, Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.
THE COUNCIL.
RANDOLPH GUGGINHEIMER, President of the Council
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.
BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
THOMAS F. WOOD, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, Borough of Manhattan.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Borough of the Brock.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Borough of Brooklyn.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, Borough of Queens.

Berough of Richmond.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.

No. 150 Nassau street, O.A. M. 10 4 P. M.

JAMES R. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy Commissioner.

Department of Sewers.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

James Kane, Commissioner of Sewers.

Matthew F. Dononue, Deputy for Manhattan.

Thomas J. Byrnes, Deputy for Bronx.

WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.

Department of Bridges.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A M. 10 4 P. M.
JOHN L. Shea, Commissioner.
THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy for Manhattan,
MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx,
HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

Department of Water Supply.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

John J. Mulligan, Deputy Commissioner for the

Bronx.

James Moffett, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

Department of Street Cleaning. Leonard street, corner Broadway, 9 A. M. 10 4 P. M. JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. PATRICK H. QUIAN, Deputy Commissioner for Brook-

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies,
No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. 10 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brook-

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. Comptroller's Office. Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 M, to 4 P, M.
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller,
MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller,
EDGAR I. LPAYRY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller,
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes,
John T. McDonough, Dep ty Receiver of Taxes,
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
WILLIAM J. LYON and ROBERT H. WEEMS, Expert

WILLIAM MCKINNEY, First Auditor of Accounts in

rooklyn.

JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

MICHAEL O'KEEFFE, Deputy Collector of Assessents and Arrears.
WALTER H. HOLT, First Auditor of Accounts in

Richm nd.

JOHN J. FETHERSTONE, Deputy Receiver of Toxes,
GEORGE BRANDT, Deputy Collector of Assessment
and Arrears.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR. No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.: Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel THEODORE CONNOLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.

ALMET F. JENKS, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brocklyn.

Brocklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street,
2 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN and HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN,
Assistants to the Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M

Bernard J. York, President of the Board; Thomas

L. Hamilton, Secretary; John B. Sexton, William

H. Phillips, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M.

4 P. M.
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commis-oner for Manhattan and Bronx.
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and

Queens.

JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.

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

Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8,30 A.M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 a. m. to 4 P. m.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.

CHARLES BULKLEY HUBBELL, President: ARTHUR
McMullin, Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Nos. 157 and 150 East Sixty-seventh street.

JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department, Geo. E. MUR
RAY, Inspector of Combustibles; JAMES MITCHEL,

Fire Maishal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm

Telegraph.

Central Office open at all he

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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

NATHAN STRAUSS, President, and WILLIAM T.

JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSLEY, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, exofficio, and the HEALTH
OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex officio, Commissioners;
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond. GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Oueens.

Queens.
AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of the Bronx. DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Battery, Pier A, North river.
J. Sergeant Cram, President: Peter F. Meyer
and Charles F. Murrhy, Commissioners.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS. Fourth avenue corner Eighteenth street, 9 A. M. to

4 P. M. THOMAS J. BRADY, Commissioner in Manhattan and DANIEL RYAN, Commissioner in Brooklyn.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner in Queens and Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Stewart Building, Q.A.M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. THOMAS L. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWAPD C. SHEBHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office. No. 320 Broadway, 9 a.m. to 4 P m.

EDWARD CAHLL, THOMAS A. WILSON, JOHN DELMAR,
EDWARD McCue and Patrick M. Haverty, Board of
Assessors.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between
Franklin and White streets, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ROBERT E. DEVO and
WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, Commissioners.
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary. BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

FREDERICK A. GRUBE, RICHARD T. WILSON, Jr., HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY, THORNTON M. MOTLEY, JULES G. KUGELMAN, Commi soners of Statistics, JOHN T. NAGLE, Chief of Bureau.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
The Mayor, Chairman; Thomas L. Fettner (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the Comptroller, President of the Council, and the Counsel to the Corporation, Members; Charles V. Adee, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 3s Chambers
street, o.a.m. to 4 P.M
THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff; H. P. MULVANEY,
Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLARM,
leputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and roadway, 9 A. M. 10 4 P. M.

JOHN PORCELL, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, No. 111 Fifth avenue. H. W. Gray, Commissioner.

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Part III.
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ecial Term Chambers will be held to A. M. to 4

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WM. F. MOORE, Justice. Daniel Williams, Clerk. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue, Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Vards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street. HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, lerk.

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Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that
portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the
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street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth
street, on the east by the Centre line of Sixth avenue,
and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No.
318 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN,
Clerk

Clerk
Eleventh District—Northern part of Twelith Ward.
Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth
street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. 10 4 F. M.
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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 614.)
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING AND EXTENDING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REpairing and extending the Pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1898,

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 turnish 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 Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

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

Class I.—EXTENDING AND REPAIRING PIER.

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(a) EXTENDING PIER.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

r. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14", about 21, 122 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 100,608 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about \$8,20 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about \$8,20 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 10", about 1,167 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 15", about 1,190 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 15", about 1,190 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,006 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,006 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,006 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 10", about 2,023 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, about 2,024 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, about 2,024 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, about 2,024 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, about 2,024 feet, B. M., measured in the w

6"x 8", about 380 feet B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 14", about 350 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 7" x 12", about 3,764 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 10", about 4,134 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 10", about 20,710 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 30,771 feet, B. M., measured in the work. B. M., measured in the work. Potal, about 29,7637 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—It is the intention of the Department of Docks and Ferries to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions, with the exceptions noted in Items No. 2 and No. 5, required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified. And the contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

To be Furnished by the Contractor.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 10" x 12", about 3,664 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 10", about 2,064 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 282 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 282 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 41,300 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 5", ab

Ork. The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those pecified in Item 1 required to do the work under this

the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item r required to do the work under this contract.

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 2,240 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Note—The above quantities of timber in Items 1, 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles for extension, foundations and sewer, 474.

It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 75 feet to about 105 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving. Where the length exceeds 85 feet the piles may be spliced, in which case the lower or small end may be of spruce.

5. Square built yellow pine columns, exceeding 85 feet in length, 60.

Note—The Department of Docks and Ferries will furnish 50,000 teet B. M. of 8" x 8" yellow pine timber for these columns, which amount is included in item No. 1.

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about to feet in length, 30.

7. 2-inch White Oak Dowels for all Spliced Piles, 12" long, 248.

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6. White Oak Fender Piles, about to feet in length, 30.

7. 2-inch White Oak Dowels for all Spliced Piles, 12" long, 248.

8. 1½" Tapered Locust Treenails, 16" long, 4,500.

9. ½" x 26", ½" x 24", ½" x 22", ½" x 20", ½" x 10", ½" x 16", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 22", ½" x 20", ½" x 20", ½" x 15", ½" x 12", ½" x 20", ½" x 12", ½" x 20", ½" x 14", ½" x 16", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 12", ½" x 12", ½" x 12", ½" x 16", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 12", ½" x 10", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 10", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 10", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 10", ½" x 14", ½" x 12", ½" x 10", 20", x 12", ½" x 12", x 12"

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70 be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.
22. Yellow Pine Timber, 12"x 14", about 1,260 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 12"x 12", about 7,068 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 10"x 12", about 740 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x 10", about 7,725 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x 10", about 240 feet, B. M., measured in the work—Total, about 17,033 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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To Be Furnished by the Contractor.

23. Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x16", about 13,160 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x14", about 1,313 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5x12, about 2,250 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5"x5", about 18,723 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

24. Spruce or Yellow Pine Timber, creosoted 4"x4", about 50,947 feet, B. M.; Spruce or Yellow Pine Timber, creosoted, "x4", about 51,021.

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NOTE—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 22, required to do the work under this contract.

25. %"x26", %"x22", %"x12," 76" x 8" and %"x9" quare Wrought-iron spike pointed Dock-spikes, about

square Wrought-iron spike positions, and position screw-bolts and Nuts, about 2,279 pounds.

27. 14", 1/2" and 3/" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about 2,279 pounds.

27. Galvanized Wrought-iron Bands, Bolts, Mouthpieces, Manhole-irames and Doors, etc., about 18,478 pounds. 28. Cast-iron Washers for 11/4" and 11/8" Screw-bolts, about 1,382 pounds.

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pounds.
30. Labor and Material for Temporary Centres for Sewer-hoxes.
31. Labor of every description for 682 linear feet of Oval Sewer. (c) REPAIRING PIRE

32. Removing about 12,060 square feet of Deck and Sheathing, together with the Dumping Board and Ramp, Backing-logs, any Decayed or Broken Fenders, Chocks, Rangers, Side-caps, Cross-caps, all the Oak Fenders, all the Fender-piles, etc., and the Mooring-posts and Corner Plates, etc.

Corner Plates, etc.

To be Furnished by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

33. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", about 33,384 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 8", about 2,656 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12", about 720 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 5" x 10", about 1,975 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 4,054 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 4" x 10", about 4,054 feet, B. M., measured in the work—total about 115,004 feet, B. M., measured in the work—total about 115,004 feet, B. M., measured in the work—

to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions required to do the work under these specifications, and it will be furnished by the Department of Docks to the Contractor, free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at one or more points on the North river water-front, south of West Seventy-fifth street, as hereinafter specified, and the Contractor is to raft it, care for it and transport it to the site of the work at his own expense and risk.

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To be Furnished by the Contractor.

34. Yellow Pine Timber, 3"x12", about 3,330 feet, B. M., measured in the work; Yellow Pine Timber, 2"x4", about 1,907 feet, B. M., measured in the work—total, about 5,237 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Note—The Contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine of any dimension other than those specified in Item 27 required to do the work under this contract.

contract.
35. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", about 3,920 feet B.
M., measured in the work.
36. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress

Piles, 24.

Note—The above quantities of timber in items 33, 34, and 35 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

37, ½1' x 26'', ½1'' x 22'', ¾4'' x 10'', ¾4'' x 12'', ¼1'' x 10'', 78'' x 7'' and 78'' x 6'' Square, Wrought-iron, Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d. Nails, about 7,207 pounds.

38. 1½', 1½'' and 1'' Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, and Lag-screws, about 3,459 pounds.

39. Wrought-iron Washers for 1½'' and 1'' Screw-bolts and Lag-screws, about 205 pounds.

40. Cast-iron Washers for 1½'' and 1'' Screw bolts, about 952 pounds each, 6.

42. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planking, Bolting, Spiking, Painting, Oil.ng or Tarring and labor of every description.

CLASS II.-RIP-RAP.

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43. Rip-rap stone furnished and put in place over the whole area of the extension, about 36,000 cubic yards.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans herein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for each class of 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.

The work to be done under the contract is to be com-

by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of 150 days after the date of service of said notification; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

ment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in Class I., and a price per cubic yard for Class II., in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are 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. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in both of the classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the

class of 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.

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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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to, any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combunation or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the Profits thereof, and

employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, 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.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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 he 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 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 writ-

ng, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or irecholder 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 in the specifications will be allowed unless under the service.

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

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.

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTI-MATES 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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New YORK, January 6, 1898.

DAMAGE COMM.-23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act
"providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of
"damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of
"changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant
"to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing tor the
"depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and
"Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or
"otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and
supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that
public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New
York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each
week, at 3 o'clock P.M., until further notice
Dated New York, October 30, 1897.

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE 7. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
January 6, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-tourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 18, 1898, for the following-named works:

Tuesday, January 18, 1898, for the following-named works:

No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE HUNDRED TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL.

No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, CORN AND BRAN.

The works must be bid for separately.

No. 1—ABOVE MENTIONED.

425 tons of Furnace or Broken Coal.

475 tons of Pea Coal.

To be delivered at such times, in such quantities and at such places in the parks of the Borough of Manhattan as may be required.

Bidders must state the kind of coal they propose to furnish.

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 2-ABOVE MENTIONED.

180,000 pounds of Hay of the quality known as prime sweet Timothy.

120,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.
3,000 pounds of clean Rye Straw.
7,500 bushels ot clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats.
7,5 bags of first quality ground Oats to weigh not less han 65 pounds to the bag.
4,000 pounds of clean, sound No. 2 Yellow Corn.

12,000 pounds of first quality Bran, to be delivered in ch quantities and at such times as way be required at e points on the Central Park designated in the consuch quantities and at such times as may be required at the points on the Central Park designated in the con-tract.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examina-tion of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of the work, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstand-ing in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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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 traud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, 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.

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N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as intormal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are hor herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation.

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as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received, but the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidders.

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,

AUGUST MOEBUS,

GEORGE V. BROWER,

Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of aaid Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, January 17, 1898, tor Supplying Gymnastic Apparatus for Public School 96. Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the suc-cessful bidder will be held strictly to completion within

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The Committee 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.

The contractor shall provide bonds of suretyship of one of the several surety companies doing business in this city, when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars (8,2000).

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

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 the Board of Education, 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 of 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 Committee, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposits made, to the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall retuse 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 to deposit made by him or them shall be foreited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated 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.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. McSWEENY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT. JACOB W. MACK, CHARLES C. BURLINGHAM, Committee on Buildings.

ings. Dated New York, January 6, 1898.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 383 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3.30 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, January 11, 1898, for Erecting a New School Building for Public School 168, One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, between First and Second avenues; also, for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant for Public School 42, Hester, Ludlow and Orchard streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

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RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. McSWEENY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, CHAS. C. BURLINGHAM, Committee on Buildings. Dated New York, December 3c, 1897.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 346 BROADWAY.

PUBLIC SALE OF CERTAIN PERSONAL PROP-ERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following personal property of the Department of Street Cleaning will be sold at public auction in the yard of said Department, on the south side of West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Monday the 17th day of January, 1898, at ten o'clock A. M., viz.:

About four (4) loads of brick of various sorts.

JAMES McCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning. JANUARY 4, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, COARSE SALT, ROCK SALT, OILMEAL, AND PINE-NEEDLE BED-

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELopes and indorsed with the name and address of
the person or persons making the same, and the date of
presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to
which they relate, will be received at the office of the
Department of Street Cleaning, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, until
12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, the nineteenth day of January, 1898, at which time and place the estimates will
be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and
delivery of:
905,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard

be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of:
905,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Prime Hay.
235,000 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.
1,055,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other gram, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.
80,000 pounds first quality Bram.
3,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.
8,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.
8,000 pounds first quality Oil Meal.
The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five days from the date of the receipt of notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will readvertise and relet the work, and so on till the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, the names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the reau, 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. 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 also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or treeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or a guarantee or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (52,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentoned 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 Mit liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Clean-

ing to reject all the bids, if, in his judgment, it be deemed best for the ingerest of the City. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, payable to the order of the Compartoller of said city, for Five Hundred Dollars (§500), or money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid, the checks or money of the unaccepted hidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected.

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

JAMES MCCARTNEY,

JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning. Dated New York, January 7, 1898.

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

JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Clean

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

NEW YORK, December 29, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the biader indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at the Mayor's office at the City Hall until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, January 12, 1838. The bids will be publicly opened by the President of the Board of Public Improvements at the Mayor's office, City Hall at the hour above mentioned.

No. I. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive.

No. 2: FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION. THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Park to Third

avenue.
No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue, AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from West End avenue to Boulevard.

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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 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 lair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, 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 in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing,

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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.

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letting, the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bilds are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the cersons 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, surrety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WILL RESERVE THE RIGHT.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WILL RESERVE 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 in the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Public Works No. 150 Nassau street, Room 1708.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NO. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,
January 5, 1898.

January 5, 1898. J

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED
by section 892 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the first day of May, 18,8.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or

corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected; in the Eorough of Manhattan at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and in the Borough of the Bronx, at the Municipal Building. One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third

renue.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of erronal estate must be made by the person assessed etween the hours of to A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Satdadays, when all applications must be made between 10 urdays, when all

THOMAS L. FEITNER,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,
THOMAS J. PAITERSON,
WILLIAM F. GRELL,
ARTHUR C. SALMON,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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WNERS 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 claim
ants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing
boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods
fiquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from
prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department

IOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands in the bock bounded by MOTI, BAYARD, MULBERRY AND CANAL STREETS, in the Sixth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 7, 1808, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office. Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 20th day of January, 1808, at 2 o'clock in the atternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1808, 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, January 6, 1808.

JAMES R. TORRANCE, JOHN LARCIN, PHILIP F. OLWELL

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands at the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECOND STREET AND WHITE PLAINS AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896.

Laws of 1896.

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon therealter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonaty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto be longing, at the southwest corner of Second street and White Plains avenue, in the Twenty fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 194 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, being and chapters for the City.

of 1806, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a 10 int in the southerly line of Second street distant 100 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Park avenue with the southerly line of Second street, which point is also the intersection of the easterly line of the present site of Public School 18 as now inclosed; running thence southerly rarallel with Park avenue and along the said easterly line of the present site of Public School 18 as now inclosed; running thence southerly rarallel with Park avenue and along the said easterly line of the present site of Public School 98 as now inclosed 200 feet; thence easterly parallel with Second street 72 feet more or less to the westerly line of White Plains avenue as now opened and used; thence northerly along said we-terly line of White Plains avenue as now opened and used; thence northerly along said we-terly line of White Plains avenue of less to the southerly line of Second street; thence wesserly along said southerly line of Second street; thence wesserly along said southerly line of Second street; thence wesserly along said southerly line of Second street; thence wesserly along said southerly line of Second street; become or less to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. St. OlT., Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands in the block bounded by FIFTY-SEVENTH AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NINTH AND TENTH AVENUES, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, nouce is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be he'd in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, in the block bounded by Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, Chapter 35 of the Laws if 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws if 1806, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, piece or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fitty-eighth street distant 200 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Fitty-eighth street; running thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue with the southerly line of Fitty-eighth street; running thence sesterly line of the present site of Public School 141, 85 feet; thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue and along the easterly line of the present site of Public School 141, 85 feet; thence contertly parallel with Tenth avenue as feet; thence mortherly rarallel with Tenth avenue and partly the ough a party wall 125 feet 5 inches to the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly long the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly long the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly long the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly long the southerly line of Fifty-eighth street; thence easterly long the southerly lin

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF KING SIREET, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of King street, between Varick and Congress streets, in the Eighth Ward of said city, in tee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, being and being in the Eighth Ward of the City of New

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Beginning at a point in the northerly line of King street distant 150 feet 2 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of King street and the westerly line of Congress street; running thence northerly parallel with Congress street; running thence northerly parallel with King street 25 feet to the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8; thence southerly parallel with Congress street and along the easterly line of the present site of Public School 8, 100 feet to the northerly line of King street; thence easterly along the northerly line of King street; 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certarn lands at the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET AND PROSPECT AVENUE, in the Twenty-Jourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a size for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896.

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DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an appl cation will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be field in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances there o belonging, at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, in tee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly sele ted and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and the Laws of 1898, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty fourthWard of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the cerner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street as now pioposed) with the westerly line of Prospect avenue; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Prospect avenue; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Prospect avenue; running thence southerly line of Prospect avenue; running thence northerly parallel with One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (as now proposed); thence easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (as now proposed); thence easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Seventy sixth street, 150 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREETS AND COLLEGE AVE. NUE, in the Twenty-third Ward of said City, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888. chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held at Part III, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

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The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto telonging, on One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-firth streets and College avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate.

following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distant 150 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of College avenue with the southerly Ine of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; running thence southerly parallel with College avenue 200 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street 150 feet to the southerly line of College avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of College avenue; 5 feet to the southerly line of property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes; thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and along said southerly line of the property now being acquired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with College avenue and along the westerly line of the property now being a quired by condemnation proceedings as a site for school purposes 125 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence we telly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence we telly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence

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Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
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In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF EIGHTY SIXTH STREET, between Park and Madison avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the University of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appartenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Eighty-sixth street, between Park and Madison avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appro-riated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1889, and chapters 387 and 800 of the Laws of 1890, being the foliowing-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lets, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being un the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

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In the matter of the application of the Board of Educa-tion, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Albermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, between First and Second avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amenuatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Eighty-second street, between First and Second avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, said property having been fully selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Eighty-second street distant roo feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Eighty-second street and the easterly line of Second avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly line of Eighty-second street 150 feet; thence of the block; thence westerly parallel with Second avenue 150 feet; thence southerly parallel with Second avenue 150 feet; thence 150 feet

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the EASTERLY SIDE OF JAMES STREET, between Oak and Cherry streets, in the Fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890.

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PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the C ty of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the easterly side of James sirect, between Oak and Cherry streets, in the Fourth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the I aws of 1896, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fourth Ward of the City of New

piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fourth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of James street distant 178 feet and 6 inches southerly from the corner for med by the intersection of the southerly line of Oak street with the easterly line of James street; running thence easterly at right angles or nearly so with James street 24 feet 17½ inches; thence westerly 98 feet 10½ inches to the easterly line of James street; thence northerly along said easterly line of James street 25 feet 2½ inches to the point or place of beginning.

DATED NEW YORK, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application 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 HUNDRFD AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Third avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 12th day of November, 1897, 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 2d day of December, 1897, 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 10, title 5, of the actentitled "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

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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 14th day of January, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof 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.

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JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Alderners.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been beretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Marion avenue, as the same has been heretofore lad out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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 1sth day of November, 1807, 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 abovementioned 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 2d day of December, 1897; 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 8th day of January, 1898, at to

days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1898, at re o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such tune and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 14, 1897.
JOHN H. ROGAN, FRANCIS HIGGINS, CHAS
HILTON BROWN, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring tide by the Mayor. Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain land on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF FORTY-NINTH STREET, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 892 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1808, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Forty-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of cuapter 191 of the Laws of 1898, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate,

pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Forty-ninth street distant 300 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Tenth avenue with the northerly line of Forty-ninth street; running thence northerly parallel with T-nth avenue and part of the way through a party wall 100 feet and 5 inches to the centre line of the block; thence easterly parallel with Forty-ninth street and a ong said centre line of the block 50 feet; thence southerly parallel with Tenth avenue and part of the way through a party wall 100 feet and 5 inches to the northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street; of feet to the point or place of beginning.

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Dated New York, December 29, 1897, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation No 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the Lity of
New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor
Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York,
to certain lands in the block bounded by FIGHTEENTH AND NINTHEENTH STREETS,
EIGHI'H AND NINTH AVENUES, in the
Sixteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and
approved by said Board as a site for school purposes,
under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter
191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Lws
of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

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an application will be made to a Special Term of the
Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the
First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof,
at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on
the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the
Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as of the heard thereon, for the appointment of Co of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, in the block bounded by Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Sixteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1895, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 830 of the Laws of 1895, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a pount in the interior of the block between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, kighth and Ninh avenues, which point is distant 47 feet 3½ inches northerly from the northerly line of Kinth avenue 4 feet 8½ inches to the point or place of beginning.

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In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring tide by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTY-FIFTH SIREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

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the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby

on that day, or as soon thereater as counsel can be heard there on, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to c rtain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Fity-fith street, between Sixih and Seventh avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, in tee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1898, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the I wenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street distant 350 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Sixth avenue with the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street; running thence southerly parallel with Sixth avenue and along said westerly line of Annex to Public School 69, to feet and 5 inches to the centre line of the block between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth street and along said centre line of the block and the northerly line of the present site of Public School 69; thence westerly parallel with Fifty-fifth street and along said centre line of the block and the northerly ine of the present site of Public School 69; thence westerly parallel with Fifty-fifth street is one of the block between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth street and slong said centre line of the block and the northerly line of the present site of Fifty-fifth street is thence easterly along said southerly line

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOIT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application 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 hereditiments required for the purpose of opening PLIMPTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, as the same has been heretofore land out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-lourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the

out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 11th day of November, 1897, 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, it 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 2d day of December 1897, 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 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 parties of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and or 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

H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonatty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, herediaments and premises in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, West Fifty-second, West Fifty-third and West Fifty-fourth streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 320 of the Laws of 1887, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court house, in the City of New York, on Friday the 21st day of January, 1892, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the acove-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aluermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, herediaments and premises in the Twenty-second ward of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, herediaments and premises in the Twenty-second ward of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, herediaments and premises in the Twenty-second ward of the De appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, said property having

been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-third street, and thence [1] running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty third street for a cistance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue (2) running southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue for a distance of 200 feet and to inches to the northerly line of West Fifty-second street; thence (3) running easterly along said northerly line of West Fifty-second street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of 200 feet ro inches to the place or point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning.

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Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue with the southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street, and thence (1) running westerly along said southerly line of West Fifty-fourth street for a distance of 800 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence (2) running southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the northerly line of West Fifty-third street; thence (3) running easterly along said northerly line of West Fifty-third street for a distance of 800 feet to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence (4) running northerly along said westerly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of 200 feet and 10 inches to the place or point of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described

for a distance of soo feet and to inches to the place or point of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Parks, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park west of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York," one of which said maps is filed in the office of the Register of the City and Country of New York, and the other of which is filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks in said city.

The said Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, has determined that the proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park to be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park shall be twenty-five per cent, or one-quarter of such expense; and said Board has also determined that the area within which such excense shall be so assessed shall be as follows: On the north by Fifty-sixth street; on the south by Forty-eighth street; on the east by Ninth avenue, and on the west by Tweifth avenue.

Dated New York, December 24, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT,

Counsel to the corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, r lative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier No. 35, East river, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and all right, tile and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, at or near Catharine Slip, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

TE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS

plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

We for 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 or wharf prooerty, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of january, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Secon 1—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Opening in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III., thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of 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, an

In the matter of the application of Charles H. T. Collis, n the matter of the application of Charles H. T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, tor and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, in the Twelth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest apprach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twentry third Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twentry third Ward of said city, pursuant to the provisions of enapter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue, in said city," and the various statutes amendanory thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided.

made and provided.

DURSUANI TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 413 of the Laws of 1892, entitled, "An Act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue in said City," and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and all other statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III. there if, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the add and y of January, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of

the City of New York, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situate, lying and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of widening the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892 and the various statutes amendatory thereof and all other statutes in such case made and provided, the consent and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York to such acquisition having been first had and obtained, and the Commissioner of Public Works deeming it necessary that the same should be acquired for the aforesaid purpose, being the fellowing lots, pieces or parcels of land, and bounded and described as follows:

of land, and bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Lexington avenue distant 44 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street with the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and running thence easterly parallel to said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street 360 feet; thence northerly parallel with the westerly side of Third avenue 38 feet; thence southwesterly \$4.63 feet; thence westerly parallel to the first-m-ritioned course and distant therefrom 16 feet 310 feet to the easterly line of Lexington avenue, and thence southerly along the said easterly line of Lexington avenue 16 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "A."

to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Lexington avenue with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Lexington avenue 60 feet; thence westerly parallel with said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and distant therefrom 60 feet 405 feet to the easterly line of Park avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Park avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and thence easterly along said northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and Hundred and Thirtieth street 405 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are

place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on a certain map entitled "Map of lands required for the widening of the East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and southwest approach to the bridge over Harlem river, chapter 413, Laws of 1892; chapter 716, Laws of 1896; chapter 660, Laws of 1997," which said map was duly approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York by resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of October, 1897, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, December 22, 1827.

Dated New York, December 22, 1837.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT. Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretolore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH SIREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the Concourse, 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.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS

designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 22d day of January, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 22d day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clook 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 decouments 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

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 a line drawn parallel to Marcy place and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to perome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof also by a line drawn parallel to perome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof of law parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly from Hundred and Sixty-eighth stre.t and distant 100 leet southerly from the southerly side thereof, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and dist.nt 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-nuth street and distant 100 feet easterly from the southerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the westerly side of Clay avenue; on the east by a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the muddle line of the blocks between Clarke place and Marcy place and said middle line produced to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty nin.h street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; also by the westerly side of Clay avenue from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; also by a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the middle l.ne of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and distant roo feet southerly side thereof to the middle l.ne of the bloc neet westerly from the westerly side thereof from a ne drawn parallel to Marcy place and said line roduced and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the prolongation westerly of the hiddle line of the blocks between Enst One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and sixty-eighth street, as such streets are shown upon the final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-lourth ands of the City and County of New York, excepting rom said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions hereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown pon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a

upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1898, 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, December 8, 1897.

WILBER MCBRIDE, Chairman; HAROLD M SMITH, SAM'L A. FIRETAG, Commissioners.

HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twenty-first Ward of said City, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1886, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1896 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

the Laws of 1896 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, to be held m Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Thirty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twenty-first Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate,

and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-first Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirty-third street distant 135 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Thirty-third street; running thence easterly along the southerly line of Thirty-third street; running thence easterly along the southerly parallel with Third avenue, 98 feet and 9 inches to the centre line of the block between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets and to the northerly line of the present site of Public School 116; thence westerly parallel with Thirty-third street along said centre line of the block and the northerly line of the present site of Public School 116; too feet; thence northerly parallel with Thirty avenue 98 feet and 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tyron Row, New York City.

Dated New York, December 29, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tyron Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands in the block bounded by FORTY-FIRST AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS, SECOND AND THIRD AVENUES, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 33 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 1870 and 1890 and

No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretolore-acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (Andrews avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Croton Aqueduct to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 November, 1807, 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 henefit 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 10th day of December, 1897, 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 actentitled "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, tous, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 02 West Broadway, 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 15th

of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of January, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

New York.
Dated New York, December 21, 1897.
CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE, HERMAN ALSBERG, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
H. De F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park or playground, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1897, and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897.

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DURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPter 320 of the Laws of 1897, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 20th day of January, 1898, at the opening of the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 20th day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 576 of the Laws of 1897, said property having been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public pak or playground, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897, chapter 293 of the Laws of 1893 and chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897, peing the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and

of 1897, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Stanton and Essex streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Essex streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Essex streets; thence northerly and nearly parallel to Norfolk street, distance 236 feet 3½ inches; thence easterly and parallel with Houston street, distance 175 feet 6½ inches; thence cortherly and nearly parallel to Norfolk street; distance 186 feet 2½ inches, to the southerly line of Houston street; thence easterly along said line, distance 25 feet 2½ inches, to the southwesterly corner of Houston and Norfolk streets; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Norfolk street, distance 338 feet 2½ inches, to the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along said line, distance 47 feet 6 inches; thence northerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches; thence northerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 98 feet 2 inches; thence westerly along stance 80 feet and ½ inch; thence southerly and parallel to Norfolk street, distance 93 feet 2 inches, to the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Stanton street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Stanton street; distance 73 feet and ½ inch, to the point or place of beginning.

The lots, pieces or parcels of land above described are shown on two similar maps, plans and profiles thereof, accompanied with explanatory remarks, made by the Department of Public Works, each of which is entitled "Map showing a public park or playground bounded by Houston, Norfolk, Stanton and Essex streets, in the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement," one of which is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and the ot

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, beginning at a point on said bulkhead seventy-two and thirty-eight hundredths (72.38) feet easterly from the easterly side of Catharine Slip, extended; thence running easterly along said southerly side of South street one hundred and nine and sixty-nine hundredths (20,69) feet, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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First. 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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have con-pleted our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or up any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified,

to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No.253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of january, 1808; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, 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 map 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 the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to

remain until the 24th day of January, 1838.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III., thereof, to be held in the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of 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, and for such other and further reliet as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.

WILBUR LARREMORE, Chairman; WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, WM. J. ELLIS, Commissioners.

John A. Henneberry, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonatty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, sasements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the North river, between West Eleventh and Bank streets and between West street and Trirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

by the said Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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 or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 24th day of January, 1898; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 24th day of January, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at a O'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map 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 the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special

to remain until the 24th day of January, 1898.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III., thereof, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1898, at the opening of 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, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 17, 1897.

LAWRENCE GODKIN, Chairman; WILLIAM B. ELLISON, WILBUR LARREMORE, Commissioners.

EMIL F. MAURER, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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 and premises required for the purpose of opening BURNSIDE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-tourth 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 1th day of November, 1897, 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 ad day of December, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be pened 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 duttes 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 act or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 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 8th day of January, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Pork, Dated New York, December 14, 1897.
GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN, JAS. B. BRADY, WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Commissioners.
John P. Dunn, Clerk.

In the matter of the application 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 RYER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 11th day of November, 1897, 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 herem in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 2 day of December, 1897, 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 ol 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, 1832, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereot.

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

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 15th day of October, 1897, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 4th day of November, 1897, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 4th day of November, 1897, commissioners of Appraisal for the purpose of ascertaming and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, as and for a public park in the Twenty third ward of the City of New York, and proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not now owned or the title to which is not vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated for said public park by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1897, namely: On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of that point by the northwesterly line of Cromwell's avenue as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of the channel of Cromwell's creek; and the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the lands now or formerly belonging to the West Side and Yorkers Railroad or Railway Company; thence running southwesterly line of One

ninth floor, in the City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1808, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

And at such time and place, or at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear the proofs and allegations of any owner, lessee or other person in any way entitled to or interested in such real estate, or any part or parcel thereof, and also such proofs and allegations as may be then offered on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, November 8, 1897.

CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, HENRY H PORTER, Commissioners.

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