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### TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERVISORY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE NEW YORK MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR—The Supervisory Board of the Municipal Civil Service has the honor to report the business of the year 1893, as follows:

One hundred and seventy-two examinations have been held during the year, at which 1,923 persons were examined.

Under the statutes giving preference to honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the late war, seventeen veterans were appointed, and in all cases preferences have been given to such veterans where the fact of their war service has been proven.

#### NON-COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS.

In order to carry out and enforce the spirit as well as the letter of the Civil Service Laws, it has been the endeavor of the Board to limit non-competitive examinations to those cases only in which "competition may not be found practicable."

The Civil Service system is based upon merit, which should alone be the test of the applicant's fitness for the position sought, and by opening the field to all who seek appointment, and testing their merit by a fair competitive examination, the public service will receive the best results. Out of three applications for non-competitive examinations we have therefore granted only one. The case in which this non-competitive examination was granted was that of a confidential messenger to be employed by the Mayor "to transmit important messages, both oral and written, to the various city officials, and to carry important papers from the Mayor's house to his office."

It was therefore eminently proper that the Mayor should have a person for the performance of these duties who was known to him personally and in whose integrity and trustworthiness he had absolute confidence. For these reasons we granted the request for a non-competitive examination.

We declined however to allow non-competitive examinations for the position of Disinfecter in the Board of Health and for Inspector and Bacteriological Diagnostician of Diphtheria in the same Department.

Two hundred and eighty-one attendants upon the insane received non-competitive examinations, pursuant to Regulation 33.

Eight Assistant Physicians employed in the Department of Charities and Correction also received non-competitive examination, pursuant to the provisions contained in the same regulation. A competitive examination was not practicable in these cases, owing to the small number of applicants.

For regular promotion from one grade to another, 38 persons were examined.

In granting requests for non-competitive examinations for promotion, the Board has endeavored to maintain and carry out the principles established by the Board as constituted in 1892 and fully set forth in its report for that year.

So important are these principles as affecting promotions that a reiteration of them will not be out of place. Promotions under the Civil Service Rules should only be made from one grade to another, where the duties called for in the higher grade are of the same general character as in the one from which the applicant seeks promotion. Heads of Departments and appointing officers should bear in mind that a mere advance in salary is not a test of the applicant's right to a non-competitive examination for promotion.

With reference to promotions it is a serious question whether, under the fair meaning and intent of the Civil Service Statutes, all persons in the lower grade should not be equally entitled to compete for the vacant place in the next superior grade. The practice which has been adopted since the organization of the Municipal Civil Service Boards seems to have been, however, to allow the appointing power to select such men as it may desire from the lower grade, and recommend them to the Board for examination for promotion.

It is urged in behalf of this practice that there should be some discretion allowed to the appointing power as to the fitness of the person to be promoted, but on the other hand it can be as strongly argued that the spirit and intent of the civil service system was to give to all the employees in any City Department the right to advance to higher grades by a test of merit and efficiency, to be judged by the result of their examination and their record in the Department.

The Board having lost its esteemed and experienced Chairman by death, the remaining members, who were only appointed during the year, did not feel that they were justified in advising any change in the practice above referred to until they had acquired further knowledge and insight into the practical workings of the system; but they have, nevertheless, given the matter serious consideration, and will be prepared to make some suggestions thereon in their report for the year 1894.

Upon the written request of the Tax Commissioners a change was made in the classification of positions in that Department so as to exempt Deputy Tax Commissioners from examination. This was done in pursuance of the following letter:

"JUNE 27, 1893.

"GENTLEMEN—Inasmuch as the Department of Taxes and Assessments is in want of the services of additional Deputy Tax Commissioners, we beg to call your attention to the Civil Service Regulations, whereby the Deputy Tax Commissioners receiving a salary of \$3,000 or more are exempt from examination, and those receiving less than the amount named are subject to examination.

"The discrimination seems to be unreasonable, and we respectfully request that you will give this matter your consideration with the view that the classification may be amended so that all the Deputy Commissioners should be classified within Schedule A and exempt from examination.

"We beg to remind you that, by ordinance of the Common Council of December 31, 1891, all Deputy Commissioners appointed after that date are called upon to furnish to the City a bond of \$10,000 each for the faithful discharge of their duty.

"Very respectfully,

"(Signed) E. P. BARKER, President."

There seemed to be no just or adequate reason why a discrimination should be made solely upon the basis of the salary received by the Deputy Tax Commissioners, and for that reason this Board deemed it proper to grant the request contained in the above letter.

In October, 1893, the attention of the Board was called to the action taken by the State Civil Service Commission with reference to its jurisdiction over positions in the Board of Electrical Control, and to the fact that said Board claimed exemption from the State examination on the ground that an opinion from the Counsel to the Corporation placed such Board under the jurisdiction of the Municipal Civil Service.

The positions in the Board of Electrical Control never having been classified under Civil Service Rules, the Secretary of this Board was directed to procure a copy of such opinion and to communicate with the State Civil Service Commission with a view of ascertaining what action had been taken by it in order that the positions in the Board of Electrical Control might be classified under the Municipal Civil Service if they were subject to its jurisdiction. It was ascertained as a result of such inquiry that the Attorney-General of the State had written an opinion, in which he held that the positions in question were subject to the jurisdiction of the State Civil Service, and that the Corporation Counsel of this City had also written an opinion holding an opposite view.

It was therefore determined by this Board that, in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the Board of Electrical Control should furnish a list of the positions under its control, with a view to the appropriate classification of the same under the Municipal Civil Service Rules.

Pursuant to such request a list of such positions was furnished to this Board, and a classification thereof was then made, and is embraced in the appendix submitted as a part of this report.

Mr. James Thomson, the Chairman of the Board, and one of its members for nearly five years, having died in September, the following resolution was adopted at a special meeting held on September 15:

"Resolved, That we hear with deep regret of the death of Mr. James Thomson, the Chairman of our Board, who has served upon this Commission for nearly five years, a much longer period than any of the present members. We entertain a deep sense of the loss our Board has sustained and realize how valuable his advice and experience have been to his associates."

Mr. Daniel P. Hays was thereafter elected Chairman in Mr. Thomson's place.

The Board commends and approves the recommendation contained in former Reports, with reference to the registration of laborers, and again calls attention to its successful operation in Massachusetts. Legislation on this subject should be enacted, and provision made for inquiring into the physical fitness of applicants and their habits as to industry and sobriety. Similar provisions applied to the employment of laborers in Boston, have had the effect of making the labor service more permanent, and the temptation to make constant changes, in order to reward political or personal friends, has been removed.

Attached hereto and forming a part of this report are the following appendices:

Appendix I.—Statistics for the year 1893.

Appendix II.—Financial statement, 1893.

Appendix III.—Regulations and classification.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL P. HAYS,  
LEMUEL SKIDMORE.

#### APPENDIX I.

1. Whole number of persons in the classified service of the City.....	7,527
2. Number of examinations held during the year.....	172
(a) Competitive.....	110
(b) Non-competitive.....	62
3. Number of persons examined during the year.....	1,923
(a) By competitive examination.....	1,595
(b) By non-competitive examination.....	328
Viz.: Attendants on Insane.....	281
Assistant Physicians, etc.....	8
Special cases.....	1
For promotion.....	38
4. Number of persons who have passed competitive examinations and have been entered upon eligible lists.....	1,383
5. Number of persons who have passed in non-competitive examinations.....	315
6. Number of appointments.....	730
(a) As result of competitive examination.....	436
(b) As result of non-competitive examination.....	294
7. Number of removals.....	163
8. Number of promotions.....	83
9. Number of resignations, viz.:.....	
In Executive Department.....	1
Law Department.....	1
Finance Department.....	2
Fire Department.....	15
Park Department.....	6
Police Department.....	18
Street Improvements.....	3
Health Department.....	16
Dock Department.....	3
Public Works Department.....	7
Charities and Correction Department (chiefly of temporary appointees).....	490
10. Veterans of the late war appointed, viz.:.....	
In Schedule C.....	5
In Schedule D.....	8
In Schedule F.....	4
11. The average age of persons examined, 33 years.....	
12. Their education—how obtained:.....	
1. Common School.....	860
2. Private.....	93
3. Academic.....	71
4. Collegiate.....	128
13. Number of laborers in the service of the City not classified under Civil Service Rules.....	4,997

#### APPENDIX II.

Financial Statement of the New York City Civil Service Boards for the Year 1893.

Receipts—	
Amount appropriated for the year 1893.....	\$25,000 00
Expenditures—	
Salaries, employees.....	\$17,338 86
Experts at examinations.....	700 00
Petty expenses.....	1,082 20
Messenger service.....	182 95
Telephone service.....	142 99
	19,447 00
Unexpended balance.....	\$5,553 00

#### Organization of the Municipal Civil Service Boards of New York City.

##### SUPERVISORY BOARD.

Daniel P. Hays, Chairman; Lemuel Skidmore, Lee Phillips, Secretary and Executive Officer.

##### EXAMINING BOARD.

William W. McLaughlin, Inspector of Police; Hugh Bonner, Chief, Fire Department; Horace Loomis, Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Department of Public Works; Benjamin F. Vosburgh, M.D., George N. Williams, John Foord, A. H. Brown, M.D., Lee Phillips, Chief Examiner.

##### SPECIAL EXAMINING BOARD, AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Alfonse Fteley, Chief Engineer, Aqueduct Commission; , Assistant Engineer, Aqueduct Commission; Horace Loomis, Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Department of Public Works; Lee Phillips, Chief Examiner.

Michael F. Fitzpatrick, Chief Clerk.

#### APPENDIX III.

##### New York City Civil Service Regulations.

##### REGULATION 1.

These regulations shall apply to all positions in the service of the City of New York, with the following exceptions, namely: "Officers elected by the people, and the subordinates of any such officer, for whose errors or violation of duty such officer is financially responsible, and the head or heads of any department of the city government, and persons employed in or who seek to enter the public service under the authority of the Board of Education, and any subordinate officer who, by virtue of his office, has personal custody of public moneys or public securities, for the safe keeping of which the head of an office is under official bonds."

##### REGULATION 2.

Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position. Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except typewriters and stenographers. Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department and Doormen in the Police Department. Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E. Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department. Schedule F shall include stenographers, typewriters and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules, except laborers or day workmen. Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen. Each schedule shall also include the persons specified under that head in the classification hereto annexed, marked Appendix A.

##### REGULATION 3.

For the purpose of ascertaining the qualifications of persons seeking or named for positions in the departments and offices of the municipal government, there shall be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedules B, C, D, E and F. This Board shall be composed of not less than six citizens, designated by the Mayor, and of the Secretary of the boards. The Secretary shall be Chairman and Chief Examiner. The Mayor may, at any time, substitute another citizen in the place of any one so designated, and the members of such board shall receive compensation only for the time when actually occupied in the performance of their



duties as examiners, as shown by the minutes of such Board. The Mayor will employ a suitable person who shall act as the Secretary and Executive Officer of the Examining Board and of the Supervisory Board. The rate of compensation of the members of such Board, and of the Secretary, shall be fixed by the Mayor, who will employ assistance, procure suitable offices, and incur such other expenses as may be required for the efficient performance of the duties imposed upon him by the eighth section of chapter 354 of the Laws of the State of New York for the year 1883, as amended by chapter 410 of the Laws of the said State for the year 1884.

It shall be the duty of such Board of Examiners, by such of its members as the Secretary shall designate, to conduct all examinations called for under these regulations, except as herein otherwise provided, and to ascertain the fitness of candidates for the service of the city, with regard to character, knowledge and ability for the branch of the service into which they seek to enter, and to determine the relative excellence or standing of the persons examined, and to certify the same as herein prescribed.

The Secretary of the boards shall keep minutes of all their proceedings, and all necessary records of the examination, standing and certification of applicants, and a complete record of all persons employed in the several departments to which these regulations apply, and of all appointments, promotions, dismissals, resignations and other changes of any kind therein. When not in attendance upon the boards the Secretary shall act under the direction of the Mayor.

In addition to the Board of Examiners, hereinbefore prescribed, there shall be a Supervisory Board of Commissioners to be composed of not less than two citizens designated by the Mayor, and the Secretary, who shall be a member of said Board, ex officio, and the duty of such Board shall be:

First—To aid the Mayor, at his request, in preparing suitable regulations for the carrying into effect the provisions of said act.

Second—To conduct such inquiries as it may deem expedient respecting the examinations in these regulations provided for; to control such examinations and the general administration of the system created by these regulations, and to decide, from time to time, subject to revision by the Mayor, all questions arising under these regulations or the construction thereof, and to make an annual report to the Mayor, showing its own action, the regulations and the exceptions thereto in force, the administration thereof, with such suggestions as it may deem necessary for the more effectual accomplishment of the purposes of the said section and of said regulations.

The vouchers for the pay-rolls, and all other expenses incurred in carrying these regulations into effect, shall be certified to the Mayor by the Secretary and Executive Officer of the Supervisory Board and of the Examining Board, or in the absence or disability or resignation of the said Secretary shall be certified to the Mayor by the Mayor's Secretary.

#### REGULATION 4.

Appointments to positions in Schedule A may be made without examination; but the appointing officer shall file with the Secretary, within five days after making any such appointment, a formal notification thereof, setting forth the full name of the appointee, the date and place of his birth, length of his residence in the City of New York, nature of previous employment, whether he has ever been in official service before, and if so, when and where; the date of beginning of such service and term for which appointed, salary, name of person in whose place appointed, and such other statistical information as the Supervisory Board may deem proper for registration.

#### REGULATION 5.

Vacancies in Schedules B, C, D, E and F, not filled by promotion, shall be filled by selection from those who have passed highest in open competitive examinations, subject to the conditions herein expressed, except as hereinafter provided.

#### REGULATION 6.

Applications of competitors for positions included in Schedules B, D, E and F, and Doorman in Schedule C, must be addressed to the "Secretary of the Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards, New York City," and must be accompanied with the following papers:

First—The affidavit of the applicant, showing that he is not less than eighteen years of age and a citizen of the United States, giving his place of residence, with the street and number thereof, if any; the place, nature and extent of his education, and of his business training and experience, and stating whether he has ever been in the civil service of the City of New York, or in the military or naval service of the United States, and if so, when and where.

Second—A statement whether such application is limited to any particular office or offices in the service; and in the case of persons applying for positions under Schedule B, a list of the optional subjects upon which he desires to be examined, if any.

Third—The certificate of four reputable persons of the City of New York, that they have been personally acquainted with the applicant for at least one year, and believe him to be of good moral character, of temperate and industrious habits, and in all respects fit for the service he wishes to enter, and that each of them is willing that such certificate should be published for public information, and will upon request give such further information concerning the applicant as he may possess.

In case the applicant resides out of New York City, two of the citizens making such certificate may be residents of the same place.

The requirements as to citizenship and certificates of character, in case of persons applying for positions under Schedules E and F, and the requirements as to citizenship in case of persons applying for positions under Schedule D, may be modified or dispensed with in the discretion of the Supervisory Board.

Registers of all applicants shall be kept by the Secretary of the boards. When the applicants on a register are in excess of such number as can be conveniently examined on the same day, the applicants shall be notified to appear in their order on the register. Whenever the demands of the service may require, the Secretary shall notify the applicants of record, or such number thereof as can conveniently be examined, to appear for examination, giving place, date and hour for such examination.

#### REGULATION 7.

Applicants for the following positions must, before being admitted to examination, present satisfactory evidence as to the following facts:

First—If the position to be filled be that of Physician, Surgeon, Medical Officer, Inspector of Vaccination, or Sanitary Inspector, that the applicant is duly authorized by the Laws of the State of New York to practice medicine and surgery.

Second—If the position to be filled be that of Chemist, or analyzer, that the applicant has received the degree of Bachelor of Sciences, or its equivalent, from some institution duly authorized by law to confer such degree.

#### REGULATION 8.

In positions where the duties are professional, technical or expert, the candidates will be required to show what preliminary training or technical education they have undergone to qualify them for such situations before they can be admitted to examination.

In all examinations for professional positions, or positions requiring technical knowledge, no person shall be placed on the eligible list who obtains a rating in technical knowledge of less than 60.

#### REGULATION 9.

##### SCHEDULE B.

The general examination for admission to positions in Schedule B shall be in writing and on the following subjects:

Obligatory:

1. Handwriting (as shown in next subject).
2. Writing from dictation.
3. English spelling (as shown in previous subjects).
4. Arithmetic, viz.: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division—as applied to whole numbers and fractions.
5. Making a condensed summary of a document.
6. Information relating to the City of New York and its government.

Optional:

7. Copying from manuscript and indexing.
8. Arithmetic applied, viz.: Practical problems in proportion, percentage, interest, discount and average.
9. Letter-writing on subjects connected with New York City affairs; grammatical correctness, clearness and brevity of expressions will be considered.
10. Bookkeeping.
11. Expert penmanship.
12. Typewriting.
13. Stenography.

Every applicant must be examined in the six obligatory subjects, and may be examined further in such of the optional subjects as he may select.

#### REGULATION 10.

The relative weight given to the several obligatory subjects in making up the average standings in Schedule B shall be as follows:

1. Handwriting	30
2. Writing from dictation	15
3. English spelling	10
4. Arithmetic	20
5. Making a summary	15
6. New York City information	10

Total of weights..... 100

#### REGULATION 11.

In all examinations each subject shall be marked upon a scale of 100, which number represents the maximum possible attainment.

#### REGULATION 12.

The process of ascertaining the absolute standing of each competitor shall be as follows:

##### SCHEDULE B.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE  
SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS,  
June 30, 1886.

Result of Examination of Adam Roberts.

SUBJECTS.	STANDING ON SUBJECT.	WEIGHT GIVEN TO SUBJECT.	PRODUCT OF STANDING AND WEIGHT.
1. Handwriting	83	30	2,490
2. Writing from Dictation	90	15	1,350
3. English Spelling	68	10	680
4. Arithmetic	72	20	1,440
5. Making a Summary	70	15	1,050
6. New York City Information	59	10	590
Total Product	..	..	7,600
Divide product by sum of Weights	..	100	..
General average standing	..	..	76
8. Letter-writing	..	..	85

The standing on each of the optional subjects in which any competitor is examined shall be marked on a scale of 100, and shall be recorded in the preceding form as there shown. A similar form shall be used in stating the result of examination for appointment to positions under Schedules C, D, E and F.

#### REGULATION 13.

##### ELIGIBLE LIST.

An eligible list shall be prepared by the Secretary, from time to time, as the needs of the service require, for each of the different grades of every class in Schedules B, C, D, E and F. Upon each eligible list shall be placed only such persons as have been found by the Examining Board to be duly qualified for the positions for which such eligible list is prepared. The candidates shall be placed upon the eligible list, stating the order of merit, as shown by the respective percentages of their aggregate markings upon their examinations, excepting that where the candidate has been honorably discharged from the military or naval service of the United States in the late war, \* he shall be preferred over all other candidates though graded lower. Where an examination for any grade takes place before the eligible list for that grade is exhausted, a new eligible list shall be prepared after such examination, to take the place of the former eligible list. The persons upon the former eligible list who have not been examined for the new eligible list shall, unless a period of one year from the date of their original examination has elapsed, be placed respectively upon the new eligible list in the position to which the percentages of their aggregate markings upon their former examinations would entitle them if such markings had, instead, been given them upon the new examinations.

#### REGULATION 14.

The actual conduct of every examination shall be under the responsible direction of the Board of Examiners, or of its designated members, free from the interference or participation or influence of the appointing officer, or of any person other than the Supervisory Board, the Secretary, Chief Clerk, Assistant Examiners or experts directly employed by the Board of Examiners or by the Supervisory Board.

The Supervisory Board shall have power to authorize or to order the employment of an expert to assist any Board of Examiners, whether in a special case or in connection with the examinations for any special grade, position or office. The selection of such expert shall be made by the Board of Examiners, with the consent and approval of the Supervisory Board.

All examinations shall relate to such matters as will fairly test the relative capacity and fitness of the persons examined to discharge the duties of that service to which they seek to be appointed. Excepting as these regulations otherwise provide, the Board of Examiners may, in the examinations, give such relative importance to the different subjects or matters of examination as to them may seem fit. Any applicant receiving less than a minimum general rating of 70 per cent. shall not be placed upon the eligible list.

In all examinations for appointment or for promotion to positions for which there is no eligible list, if there be not more than three competitors, no person shall be eligible for appointment or promotion who shall not have received, as the result of such examination, an average rating of 85 per cent., and in the case of examinations for promotions in the uniformed force of the Fire and Park Departments and in the Police Force, 90 per cent.

At or before the commencement of every examination, the weight to be given to every subject included in the examination and the minimum, if any, allowable upon each subject, shall be announced to the applicants. The appointing officer shall state to the Supervisory Board, upon its request, the general qualifications or attainments, physical or mental, or both, and the experience he deems necessary or proper in the position for which an eligible list is to be formed, and also within what limits of age the persons on such list should be.

#### REGULATION 15.

The aggregate results of each examination shall be entered in form, as follows, upon a

Register of Eligible Candidates.

RELATIVE GENERAL STANDING.	NAMES OF COMPETITORS.	GENERAL, OR ON OBLIGATORY SUBJECTS.	ABSOLUTE STANDINGS ON OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.			
1.....	Charles O'Malley	89	80	70	..	79
2.....	Peter Davis	87	..	84	78	..
3.....	Carl Schmidt	86	..	..	..	87
4.....	David Thomson	83	87	88	71	76
5.....	James Brown	83	89	..	..	85
6.....	Terence Murphy	82	82	90	87	74
7.....	Edward Green	81	94	..	85	81
8.....	Richard Roe	80	..	..	..	..
9.....	Max Adler	80	78	..	..	88
10.....	Adam Roberts	70	..	85	..	..

#### REGULATION 16.

##### APPOINTMENTS.

Whenever a vacancy shall occur within any grade of any class in Schedules B, C, D, E and F, which in the opinion of the appointing officer the business of the City requires to be filled, and which, under these regulations, the appointing officer cannot himself fill by promotion, he shall notify the Secretary of the vacancy.

The appointing power shall state, if the position to be filled is a clerkship, whether it is a minor clerkship or whether any of the special qualifications denoted by the optional subjects are essential, and if so, which. The Secretary thereupon shall, as soon as practicable, certify to the appointing officer for appointment, from the eligible list appropriate to such position as it may then exist, the three persons having the highest standing on such eligible list, indicating such of them, if any, as have been honorably discharged from the military or naval service of the United States in the late war. If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy

\* Chapter 29 of the Laws of 1886.



and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first. The appointing power shall thereupon appoint to the vacant position as many of the persons so certified as there are vacancies to be filled. If the appointing officer shall signify that attainment in one or more of the optional subjects is essential, the Secretary shall return the names of the three persons whose standing on the denoted optional subjects are the highest (not being below the minimum of seventy). The Examining Board may at any time hold a competitive examination to fill a vacancy of this kind, if in their judgment the eligible list does not contain three persons well qualified to fill the vacant position. The certificate of the Secretary shall state the percentage of the maximum obtained by each of the three persons on his examination, and the names and addresses of the persons certifying to his character and habits, except in cases where such names and addresses are in the possession of the appointing power. The appointing officer shall thereupon appoint to the vacant position one of the three persons so certified to him by the Secretary, and shall, within five days thereafter notify the Secretary of the appointment. Where eligible lists are applicable to more than one Department and names have been certified therefrom in compliance with a requisition from the appointing power, the Secretary shall, in case no appointment therefrom is notified within one week from the time such names have been supplied, certify the same names to any other Department, making requisition to fill vacancies in the same position.

Whenever the appointing officer who shall have made a requisition to fill a certain number of vacancies shall appoint to office a number smaller than that of the vacancies named by him, he shall not make the selection therefrom from the whole number certified to him, but only from that number of names standing highest upon the list that would have been certified to him had the requisition stated the number of vacancies which he actually filled.

No appointment from a certified list shall be made later than one month from the date of its receipt by the appointing officer, and all names of persons not appointed at the expiration of this time, shall be returned to the Secretary for reinstatement in their proper order on the eligible lists.

All positions filled by selections based on optional or special subjects shall be specially noticed in the published list of appointments and in the official registry of qualifications and schemes for examinations as being special positions in respect of such qualifications.

This regulation shall not apply to any of the positions for which provision is otherwise made in Regulation 31, or may hereafter be made pursuant to Regulation 32.

#### REGULATION 17.

A circular letter, in the following form, shall be sent by the Secretary to persons who have given recommendations for those whose applications are on file in the office of the Secretary of the Civil Supervisory and Examining Boards:

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE  
SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS,  
NEW YORK, 189 .

To .....  
SIR—Appended to the application of ..... for a position in the Municipal Service as a ..... is your general certificate of h... good character and habits.

In addition to this it is necessary, before he can be appointed, that satisfactory information regarding h... character, habits and associates, be received directly from h... certifiers. I therefore respectfully request you to answer the following questions, in writing, after each, to sign your name, give your occupation and address at the foot, and return the paper to me at your earliest convenience.  
Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

#### CERTIFIER'S STATEMENT.

How long have you known .....?  
How long has he resided in .....?  
What is h... character in regard to sobriety and trustworthiness?.....

Other things being satisfactory, would you, with your knowledge of h... capacity, condition of health, character, associates and habits, employ h... in your own private business had you occasion for such services as he desires to render the City?.....

Are you willing to allow your answers to these questions to be published?.....

Name.....  
Occupation.....  
Address.....

No person from whom recommendations are required shall be appointed to any position for which an examination is necessary unless satisfactory answers are returned to these questions by the persons who have given such recommendations.

#### SCHEDULE C.

##### REGULATION 18.

All applications for appointment to any position in Schedule C, except Doorman in the Police Department, shall be made upon blanks furnished by the respective departments included in that Schedule and by the Secretary of the Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards. The first of these, to be presented by the applicant in person, shall be substantially as follows:

CITY OF NEW YORK, 189 .

To the Commissioners of Police (or of the Fire Department, or of the Department of Parks):

The undersigned states that he is... years of age, respectfully asks an appointment as ..... in the ..... Department, City of ..... and refers you to the following testimonials.

Signed,.....

Each of the undersigned respectfully represents to the Commissioners of ..... City of New York, that he can and does hereby testify that he knows the above applicant personally, and that he is a man of good moral character, of sober and industrious habits, that he has never known him to be guilty or convicted of any criminal act or disorderly conduct, and each of the undersigned further says that he consents that this certificate may be made public and is willing to furnish any other information respecting the applicant which he may possess.

Name..... Residence.....

The second, which must be filled out and signed in the presence of an officer of the department from which the appointment is sought, who shall also sign as witness, shall be as follows:

(N. B.—This statement of applicant must be filled out and signed in the presence of an officer of the department, who shall also sign as witness.)

CITY OF ..... 189 .

Statement of .....  
Where were you born? .....  
In what year? ..... Month? ..... Day? .....  
Where do you live? (street and number) .....  
How long have you lived in New York City? .....  
If not born in the United States, have you been naturalized? ..... When? .....

Where? .....  
Are you married, or single, or widower? .....  
What family have you? .....  
Have you ever been complained of, indicted for or convicted of any criminal offense? .....  
And if so, when and where? .....

What is your regular occupation? .....  
What was your last occupation? .....  
Have you ever been a Policeman (or Fireman, as the case may be)? .....  
If so, where? ..... And when? .....

Have you paid, or promised to pay, or given any money or other consideration, to any person, directly or indirectly, for any aid or influence towards procuring your appointment? .....  
(a) Have you ever been in the army or navy of the United States? .....  
If so, when? ..... In what capacity? .....

Witness.....  
Signature of Applicant.....

..... Department of the City of New York, ss.:  
..... being duly sworn, doth depose and say: I signed the above statement, and the same is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to before me this... day of ..... 189 .  
Signature of officer administering oath.....

(a) If the applicant has been in the military or naval service of the United States, he should furnish the name and address of one or more of his surviving officers if practicable. In any case he shall give satisfactory evidence of honorable discharge.

#### REGULATION 19.

The general character of the applicant, including habits and reputations, is to be ascertained in such manner as the Examining Board may determine; but in all cases the Captain of the Precinct in which the applicant resides, if he be an applicant for a position as a Policeman in the Police Department, or in the Department of Parks, or the Chief of Battalion most convenient to his residence, if he be an applicant for a position in the Fire Department, shall make diligent inquiry concerning him, and especially make direct and explicit inquiry of the signers of the applicant's testimonials, and shall report the result of such inquiry to the Examining Board.

#### REGULATION 20.

Every applicant for position in Schedule C, except Doorman in the Police Department, shall present to the Examining Board a statement in reference to his physical qualifications, in which he shall answer in writing the following questions:

##### APPLICANT'S STATEMENT.

Name.....  
Date of birth.....  
Occupation.....  
Have you any disease now?.....  
What diseases have you had during the last seven years?.....  
Do you know of any hereditary disease in your family?.....  
If your parents, brothers or sisters, or any of them are dead, of what disease did they die?.....  
Have you ever had fits?.....  
Have you ever had any fracture or dislocation?.....  
Have you ever received any injury to the head or spine?.....  
Are you subject to piles?.....  
Have you been vaccinated?.....  
Have you ever had rheumatism?.....

Applicant.

The Board shall transmit such statement to the Examining Surgeon in the appropriate department, who shall be designated by it for that purpose, and he shall examine the applicant in reference to the matters designated in the following schedule, fill up the same in accordance with the result of such examination, and return the application and schedule to the Examining Board.

##### SCHEDULE.

Name..... Age..... Residence.....

HAS THE APPLICANT ever been examined by the Medical Officer of the Department, and if so, state the result?.....

\*STATE THE EXACT Weight, A; Height, B; Circumference of Chest, C.

WEIGHT.	HEIGHT.		Ct At forced expiration. inches On full inspiration....
	A.	B. Feet. Inches.	
A. IS THE RESPIRING MURMUR clear and distinct over both lungs?	A.		
B. Is the character of the Respiration Full, Easy and Regular?	B.		
C. Are there any indications of Disease of the Organs, of Respiration or their Appendages?	C.		
A. IS THE CHARACTER of the Heart's Action Uniform, Free and S.e.d.y?	A.		
B. Are its Sounds and Rhythm Regular and Normal?	B.		
C. Are there any indications of Disease of this Organ or of the Blood Vessels?	C.		
A. IS THE SIGHT good?	A.		
B. Is the Hearing good?	B.		
IS THE APPLICANT SUBJECT TO COUGH, Expectoration, Difficulty of Breathing, or Palpitation?			
A. ARE THE FUNCTIONS of the Brain and Nervous System in a healthy state?	A.		
B. Has the Brain or Spinal Cord ever been Diseased?	B.		
IF THE APPLICANT has had any nervous illness or injury, state expressly what effect, if any, is perceptible in the heart, lungs, kidneys, or abdominal organ, or the skin, eyes, ears, limbs, etc.			
HAS THE APPLICANT any predisposition, either hereditary or acquired, to any constitutional disease as phthisis, scrofula, rheumatism?			
DOES THE APPLICANT display any evidence of having or having had syphilis?			
HABITS, use of stimulants and tobacco.			

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C. Are there any indications of Disease of this Organ or of the Blood Vessels?.....

A. IS THE SIGHT good?.....  
B. Is the Hearing good?.....

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DOES THE APPLICANT display any evidence of having or having had syphilis?

HABITS, use of stimulants and tobacco.

* The Examiners are called upon to pay especial attention to the annexed schedule in determining the fitness of the applicant.	† Minimum circumference of the Chest tolerable in applicant.	STATURE AND WEIGHT.—The stature shall not be below 5 feet 7½ in., nor the weight below that marked as its minimum accompaniment in the subjoined table: **
	Height. Feet. Inches. Circumference of Chest. Inches.	Feet. Inches. Min. Weight. Pounds.
† There should be a difference, at least, of two inches at forced expiration and on full inspiration.	5 7½ 33½ 5 8 34 5 9 34½ 5 10 35 5 11 35½ 6 .. 36 6 1 36½ 6 2 37 6 3 37½ 6 4 38	5 7½ 143 5 8 135 5 9 140 5 10 145 5 11 150 6 .. 155 6 1 160 6 2 165 6 3 170 6 4 175
‡ Syphilitic taint in the applicant must always be regarded as good cause for rejection.		
** Obesity must be regarded as a good cause for rejection.		

(a) In examining the sense of sight, not only shall the general condition of the organs be ascertained, but weight shall be given to quickness and accuracy in discriminating colors and distances. The hearing shall be tested also as to keenness and correctness in distinguishing degrees and kinds of sounds and the direction from which they come.

(b) In the Fire and Park Departments the minimum height required is 5 ft. 7 in., and the weight 132 pounds.

Affidavit to be signed and sworn to by applicant.

City and County of New York, ss.:

I, ..... being duly sworn, depose and say, that I have returned true answers to the inquiries of ..... touching my personal and family health, history, habits and antecedents; and that I am the person described in the above record of examination.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this }  
..... day of ..... 189 . }

Notary Public (or Commissioner of Deeds).

##### CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINING SURGEON.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully and thoroughly examined, in accordance with the above instructions, ..... and find that he is ..... sound in limb and body, is ..... able-bodied, ..... of a robust constitution, has ..... good eye-sight and ..... good hearing, and in my opinion is ..... physically qualified to sustain the labors and exposures, and perform the duties of a ..... and that the above is a truthful record of the examination.

Signed.....

New York..... 189 .

#### REGULATION 21.

The Examining Board shall designate some suitable person who shall also test the strength, activity and physical capacity of the applicant by suitable examination into the strength of his lungs and the strength of his back, chest, legs and arms. These tests shall be submitted to and approved by the Supervisory Board, and shall include the applicant's swiftness and endurance in running. Such examiner shall report in writing to the Board of Examiners the result of such examination.

#### REGULATION 22.

No applicant shall be admitted to examination who is not physically sound or whose character shall not be entirely satisfactory to the Examining Board.

#### REGULATION 23.

Applicants for positions shall then be submitted for further examinations as to general qualifications.

##### GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS.

1. General character: To include habits and reputation, and to be ascertained in such manner as the Examining Board may determine with the aid directed by Regulation 18.  
2. Experience: Obtained either in actual service as a police officer (or fireman, as the case may be), or in other occupation tending to qualify for such service.



3. Obligatory subjects:
- Reading from print and manuscript.
  - Handwriting, as shown by copying from manuscript.
  - Writing down from memory the substance of matter orally communicated.
  - Arithmetic: Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, applied to whole numbers.
  - Rules and Regulations relating to the duties of the position applied for.
  - In the case of applicants for positions as policemen, questions relating to city government, location of streets, public buildings, railroad depots and other subjects respecting which strangers in the city naturally inquire. In the case of applicants for positions as firemen, these questions should be directed to the location of streets, and the location and construction of buildings, with especial reference to precautions against fire.

The relative weight given to the several obligatory subjects in making up the average standings, will be as follows:

a. Reading	1
b. Handwriting	1
c. Writing from memory	1
d. Arithmetic	1
e. Rules and Regulations relating to duties of position	4
f. City information (or knowledge of buildings)	2

Total of weights ..... 10

## REGULATION 24.

In making up the general average of the standing of applicants for positions in Schedule C, except Doormen in the Police Department, the relative value of each qualification and subject shall be as follows:

Physical qualifications	2
Experience	2
Obligatory subjects	6

Total of values ..... 10

The general average shall be ascertained by multiplying the ascertained average standing of the applicant in each qualification by the value attached thereto, and dividing the united products by 10.

No person whose standing on any of the qualifications or obligatory subjects enumerated above (except experience) is less than 60, or whose ascertained average on all is below 70, shall be entered on the eligible list.

The subjects of examination and the weight to be attached to such subjects in the case of Doormen in the Police Department shall be discretionary with the Examining Board.

## REGULATION 25.

Under the head of "Rules and Regulations," the examiners shall endeavor to test the natural or acquired fitness of the applicants for their work. They shall be given a reasonable time before the examination, a copy of selected rules and regulations covering the more important branches of their future duty. Cases shall be described to them—preferably actual cases taken from correct reports—and they shall be required to state their views of what the rules would require of them in such cases. This inquiry shall include a report, such as a policeman or fireman would be obliged to make, of such an occurrence.

## REGULATION 26.

Promotions to all positions included in Schedule C shall be made from the next lower grade by competitive examination. The subject of such examination shall be as follows:

	MARKS.
1. Writing from dictation	1
2. Handwriting	1
3. Knowledge of the "Rules and Regulations"	1
4. Fines and penalties last 3 years	1
5. Arrests for last 12 months	1
6. Veracity	1
7. Habits as to use of liquor	1
8. Ability and energy	1
9. Coolness and judgment in emergencies	1
10. Deportment toward citizens	1
11. Character for maintaining discipline among, and getting good work from, subordinates	1
12. Physical condition, including activity and endurance	1
13. Knowledge of laws and ordinances relating to his duties	1
14. Memory for persons, places and dates, and general knowledge of localities	1
15. United States Infantry tactics, and Manual of the use of the club, as authorized by the Department	1
16. Fidelity and promptitude in the performance of duty	1

Average ..... 10

In examining parkkeepers, roundsmen and all persons employed in the Fire Department for promotion, Nos. 5, 10, 14 and 15 shall be omitted, and on examining parkkeepers and patrolmen for promotion No. 11 shall be omitted.

The standing of applicants for promotion in reference to subjects 1, 2, 3, 12, 13, 14 and 15 shall be determined by examination. Their standing in reference to subjects 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 16 shall be determined by the records of the Department, in which each man's conduct and actions shall be entered, and by such additional satisfactory information as the Supervisory Board or Examining Board may deem necessary and pertinent.

## REGULATION 27.

During the period of probation provided for by these rules, all persons admitted on such probation to positions in Schedule C shall pass such portion of their time as the Department shall require in the School of Instruction, and no person shall receive an appointment to a position in either Department, unless at the end of the period of probation the instructor of the School of Instruction shall report to the Commissioners that such applicant is competent to become a member of the force. In the case of persons applying to become members of the Life Saving Corps of the Fire Department, no person shall receive such appointment unless at the expiration of such period of probation the instructor shall report to the Commissioners of the Fire Department that such applicant is competent to become a member of the Life Saving Corps.

## REGULATION 28.

The capacity, mental, physical and educational, of every member of the uniformed force of the Police and Fire Departments and the Department of Public Parks shall be inquired into once every three years during his term of service, and his fitness to continue in the service be determined thereby.

## SCHEDULE D.

## REGULATION 29.

The Board of Examiners shall examine every applicant eligible under these rules for a position in Schedule D, and shall give a certificate of qualification to such persons only when satisfied—

First—That he (or she) is within the limits of age prescribed for the situation named.

Second—That he (or she) is free from any physical defect or disease likely to interfere with the proper discharge of his (or her) duties.

Third—That his (or her) character is such as to qualify him (or her) for such employment; and

Fourth—That he (or she) possesses the requisite knowledge and ability to enter upon the discharge of the duties of such situation or employment.

The fourth article of the certificate shall be determined by the Examining Board from the results of the competitive examination of the different persons applying for the position to which the appointment is to be made. This examination shall have reference to the special qualifications, expert or otherwise, required for that particular position and shall be practical in its character.

## REGULATION 30.

The general examination for admission to the subordinate places in Schedule D (being Part 2 of the classification hereto annexed) shall be in writing, and on the following subjects:

- Handwriting (as shown in examination papers).
- Arithmetic, viz.: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
- Questions relating to the City of New York.
- Questions relating to the technical knowledge required for the position sought by the applicant.
- Experience tending to qualify him for that position.

In addition to this the health and physical vigor of the applicant shall be tested, as hereinafter required.

The relative weight to be given to these several subjects in making up the average standing shall be as follows:

1. Handwriting	1
2. Arithmetic	1
3. New York City information	1
4. Technical knowledge	5
5. Experience	2

Total of weights ..... 10

No person shall be admitted as a competitor for appointment to any of the superior positions in Schedule D (being Part 1 of the classification hereto annexed) who shall not produce to and leave for a reasonable time with the Examining Board a diploma or certificate from some reputable institution showing that he has pursued in such institution, with credit, for two years, a course of study adapted to qualify him for the position which he seeks, or for which his appointment is desired.

He may, however, produce in lieu of such diploma or certificate, certificates from one or more professional men in good standing to the effect that he has pursued with them or under their direction, and with credit to himself, a course of study similar to that before mentioned, for at least three years.

Those admitted to competition for the superior positions in Schedule D shall be examined in writing on the following subjects:

- The technical knowledge required for the position to be filled, and respecting which the examination is held.
- Experience tending to qualify the applicant for that position.

As part of the examination as to experience the Examining Board shall make inquiries in writing of the persons with whom the applicant has studied, or by whom he has been employed, on the following subjects:

- Efficiency and accuracy in his own work.
- Character for maintaining discipline among and getting good work from his subordinates, and when appropriate, anything else in his character or antecedents tending to show his fitness for the position which he seeks.

The relative weight to be given to these several subjects shall be as follows:

1. Technical knowledge	50
2. Experience	50
	100

## SCHEDULE E.

## REGULATION 31.

The names of applicants for positions as Nurses, Attendants and Orderlies for the city hospitals and asylums, shall be registered, and when a sufficient number have applied, they shall be summoned for examination. The examiners shall make inquiry regarding the age, condition of health, moral character, sobriety, personal habits, temper and temperament, of each applicant. The educational test shall be to read, write legibly and work simple problems in addition and subtraction. When required the examination shall include such other subjects as will tend more effectually to ascertain the fitness of candidates.

The Secretary shall place upon a register the names of the applicants passed by the Examining Board as eligible, such names being placed in the order of excellence of the applicants—there being distinct registers for each class of position.

Whenever there are vacancies in the positions mentioned in this regulation that cannot be filled by promotion, the appointed officers shall notify the Secretary of the Examining Board, giving the names and number of the positions to be filled, and the institution or institutions in which the vacancies exist. The Secretary shall then summon the five applicants whose names stand highest on the proper register to appear at such place, day and hour, as the Commissioners may have directed. The head of the institution in which the vacancy exists shall then and there select from the applicants so summoned and present, a person for employment for the vacant position. If there be more than one vacancy in any class, there shall be summoned by the Secretary, in addition to the five as above, five persons for every such additional vacancy, and the selections shall be made in the order of time in which the vacancies occurred.

Whenever the Secretary sends out such notices to appear, he shall send a check list of the same to the Commissioners, giving names of applicants summoned, their grading upon their examination and class of position for which eligible.

Graduates from the Training School of the New York Hospital, the Training School of Bellevue Hospital and the Training School of the Charity Hospital, who have received diplomas from these institutions may, upon their own application, be placed upon the eligible list for Nurses with a grading of 100 without further examination, unless required by the Supervisory Board. Whenever the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary that he desires for the person to be appointed the experience and training required in the Training School, the names of such graduates shall be sent to him in preference to those of others upon such eligible list.

## REGULATION 32.

It shall be in the power of the Supervisory Board to institute non-competitive examinations for the following positions: Physician, Surgeon, Medical Officer, Stewards of Hospitals, Asylums and Almshouses, Assistant Medical Superintendent in the Asylum for the Insane, Principal Matrons, Heads of Training Schools, Morgue Superintendent.

## REGULATION 33.

In any case where vacancies shall occur in the Department of Charities and Correction, and there shall not be a sufficient number of applicants for the positions so becoming vacant to enable the Examining Board to hold a competitive examination, a non-competitive examination may be had of such applicants as may present themselves; but no appointment to fill such vacancies shall be made of any person not certified by the Examining Board to be, in their judgment, competent to fill the same.

Or as a substitute for such examination by the Examining Board an examination by the Medical Superintendent of the institution in which the vacancy exists shall in such case be sufficient, provided the applicant shall be certified by such Superintendent to be competent to fill the vacancy; but the said substituted examination shall not be held until the Secretary of the Civil Service Boards shall have notified the appointing power that there is at the time no eligible list appropriate to fill such vacancy. All vacancies among the Attendants in any insane asylum shall be filled by the General Superintendent and the Medical Superintendent of the institution in which such vacancies shall occur in such manner as they shall deem best, and the names of all persons so appointed shall be sent forthwith to the Secretary of the Examining Board, and they shall, if not previously dismissed, at the end of a period not exceeding four months, pass a non-competitive examination, in default of which the appointment shall cease.

## SCHEDULE F.

## REGULATION 34.

The positions coming under Schedule F being of a miscellaneous character, and the qualifications for examination being necessarily varied, the subjects of examination shall be selected by the Examining Board, but shall only be such as will fairly test the fitness of the applicants for the positions desired.

## REGULATION 35.

## PRISON GUARDS.

Applicants for the positions of Guards, Watchmen or Keepers in prisons and workhouses, shall not receive an appointment until they have successfully passed a physical examination by a prison physician.

The Physician making such examination shall answer the following questions in writing, and sign his name and address to them:

- Has the applicant any organic disease of the following organs, and, if so, state what it is?
  - Lungs.
  - Heart.
  - Kidneys.
- Is he free from hernia?
- Is he free from varicose veins?
- Is his sight good?
- Is his hearing good?
- Does he suffer from any nervous disease, as epilepsy or paralysis?
- Are there any circumstances connected with the applicant's health or strength, besides what are stated above, that can, in your opinion, tend to render the applicant unfit for prison service as a Guard, Keeper, or Watchman?
- If so, state them.

## CERTIFICATE.

The following certificate must be given in such cases by the Examining Physician to all applicants approved by him:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby certify that I have examined the above applicant, and having in view all and several the answers to the above questions, I do further certify that I find him physically fit for the prison service of the State of New York.

(Signature.)

Dated at this day of 189 .

## REGULATION 36.

## PROBATION.

All employment in positions under any of the schedules, except Schedule G, shall be provisional, and such provisional service shall continue six months, except in Schedule C, when it shall be for one month, during which period the person so employed may at any time be peremptorily discharged from service. In the case of Doormen, in Schedule C, the provisional service shall be for six months. If during that period (subject as to Policemen and Firemen to Regulation 27) the conduct and character of the appointee are found satisfactory to the appointing officer, he shall, at the close thereof, receive an appointment, but otherwise his employment shall cease. Any one failing to receive appointment at the end of six months, except in the case of an appointment to a position the duties of which are completed before the end of the six months herein mentioned, shall be ineligible for one year for appointment in the municipal service in any department.



## REGULATION 37.

Every officer under whom any person shall serve during any part of the probation provided for by these Regulations, shall carefully observe the quality and value of the service rendered by such person, and shall report to the proper appointing officer, in writing, the facts observed by him, showing the character and qualifications of such person, and of the service performed by him, and such reports shall be preserved on file.

## REGULATION 38.

Whenever the special qualifications required for a position are such that, in the opinion of the Examining Board, advice and assistance from experts are required, the Supervisory Board may designate, from among the persons in the employ of the department to which the applicant seeks admission, some suitable person to aid the Examining Board in determining such qualifications.

## REGULATION 39.

Every false statement knowingly made by any person in his application for examination, and every connivance by him at any false statement made in any certificate which may accompany his application, shall be regarded as good cause for the removal or discharge of such person.

## REGULATION 40.

No one dismissed from the service for misconduct shall be eligible to appointment in any capacity in any department of the municipal service within three years.

Any person appointed to, or employed in any position, after due certification for the same under these rules, who shall be certified to the Secretary by the proper authorities to have been dismissed or separated therefrom without fault or delinquency on his part, may be reappointed or re-employed without further examination in the same position within one year next following such dismissal or separation.

## REGULATION 41.

All appointments made under these regulations, except under Schedule G, shall be published in the CITY RECORD within five days, giving in each instance the names of the citizens who have certified the character of the person appointed.

## REGULATION 42.

No person in the public service is under any obligation to contribute to any political fund, or to render any political service, and no person shall be removed or otherwise prejudiced for refusing to do so.

## REGULATION 43.

No person in said service shall use his official authority or influence to coerce the political action of any person or body.

## REGULATION 44.

Notice shall, within five days from the date of appointment, be given in writing by the appointing power, to the Secretary, of the person or persons selected for employment or appointment from among those who have been examined, of the place of residence of such persons, of the rejection of any such persons after probation, of transfers, resignations and removals, and of the date thereof, and a record of the same shall be kept by said Secretary. In all cases where the positions are graded according to the compensation received, and such grading determines the character of an examination, the appointing power shall, in addition to the foregoing, notify the Secretary of the rate of compensation to be paid to the person appointed.

## REGULATION 45.

Temporary appointments may be made from persons not on the eligible list, but only as follows: In the prisons, reformatories, hospitals and asylums, temporary substitutes may be appointed without examination for not exceeding thirty days, but such temporary appointment can be made only once. In the Department of Street Cleaning temporary appointments of captains and pilots may be made without examination for a period not exceeding thirty days. In the office of the Receiver of Taxes temporary appointments may be made without examination as they have been heretofore commonly made during the busy season for the collection of taxes. Every temporary appointment under this regulation must be reported to the Secretary within five days with the reason for the same.

## REGULATION 46.

The name of no person shall remain on the eligible list for appointment or promotion more than one year from the date of examination. No person while remaining eligible on any list shall be admitted to a new examination for a position in the same schedule.

The name of any person may be stricken from the eligible list for cause satisfactory to the Supervisory Board, to be specified in the minutes of the Board and subject to revision by the Mayor. No person while on the eligible list for any position shall be allowed to take his or her name off the said list for the purpose of entering another examination to increase his or her rating, except at the end of one year from the day of examination.

## REGULATION 47.

All officials connected with any office in, or for which any examination is to take place, shall give the Supervisory Board and the Board of Examiners such information as may be reasonably required to enable them to select competent and trustworthy examiners; and the examination by such examiners, and the work incident thereto, shall be regarded as a part of the public business to be performed at such office.

## REGULATION 48.

\* Persons who have been honorably discharged from service in the army or navy of the United States, in the late war, shall be preferred for appointments to positions in the civil service over all other persons though graded lower as ascertained under these regulations, and the person thus preferred shall not be disqualified from holding any position in the civil service on account of his age nor by reason of any physical disqualification, provided such disability does not render him incompetent to perform the duties of the position applied for.

## REGULATION 49.

No question in any examination or proceeding by or under these regulations shall call for the expression or disclosure of any political or religious opinion or affiliation, and if such opinion or affiliation be known no discrimination shall be made by reason thereof by the examiners or the appointing power. The examiners shall discountenance all disclosure of such opinion by or concerning any applicant for examination, or by or concerning any one whose name is on any eligible list awaiting appointment.

## REGULATION 50.

The Secretary may give a certificate to any person examined, except under Schedule G, stating the grade which such person attained and the proficiency in the several subjects, shown by the markings.

## REGULATION 51.

Defective applications shall be suspended and applicants notified to amend the same, but no such notice shall be given, or opportunity granted, a second time. Whenever it appears by the application or other satisfactory evidence that the applicant is not within the prescribed limits of age or otherwise not qualified under the regulations, or is manifestly unfit for the service, the application shall be rejected.

## PROMOTION.

## REGULATION 52.

Promotions from the lower grades to the higher shall be on the basis of merit and competition.

## REGULATION 53.

Except as herein otherwise provided the positions in the various schedules shall be filled, when vacant, by the promotion of those in the service in lower grades in the department, office or institution in which the vacancy or vacancies may occur. Promotions shall be made, subject to the provisions of these regulations, by the officer or officers having the power of appointment. If, in the judgment of such officer or officers, there be none found in the lower grades fit to perform the duties in such vacant positions, in that case, and in no other, the positions may be filled in the manner prescribed by these regulations for filling the positions in the lowest grade of the same subdivision and class.

## REGULATION 54.

Promotion shall, in all cases, be based upon the positive merit of the person promoted, and upon his superior qualification as shown by his previous service.

No person in the service who has not passed an examination under these regulations or under those heretofore prescribed, shall be promoted or transferred to any position for which examination is required without passing an examination under the regulations, of the same character as would an applicant for appointment to that position in the service.

No person shall be examined for promotion or transfer from any position in Schedule G. Fitness for promotion shall be determined by the actual work of the persons named therefor, by the certificates and records hereinafter mentioned and such other information as may be required by, or furnished to, the examining body and by examination.

The appointing power, or where that power consists of more than one person, any one of such persons may direct any subordinate officer belonging to the class from which promotion may be made to be examined for promotion, and it shall thereupon be the duty of such subordinate to make application therefor, and to be so examined, unless sufficient cause to the contrary shall be shown by him to the Supervisory Board.

In all cases of persons applying for promotion, or ordered to be examined therefor, it shall be the duty of the officer or officers constituting the appointing power to make and forward to the examining body their joint or several certificates as to the efficiency, character and conduct of the person to be examined during the period of his service in the grade from which his promotion would

be made, with such other statements bearing upon the fitness of such person for promotion as the officer so certifying shall deem proper.

Such certificate shall be accompanied by a like certificate of the immediate official superior of the person to be examined, and a copy of the record of said person in the department to which he belongs. The examining body shall have the right to call upon the appointing power for further information upon any of the matters before them, and shall duly consider all communications that may be received by them in relation to the fitness of any candidate.

The Mayor, in any case in which he shall consider it proper so to do, may direct any examination for promotion to be held by the Supervisory Board, instead of by the Examining Board. In such cases the Supervisory Board shall have power to employ experts and special examiners to aid them in conducting such examinations.

The appointing power shall determine, by general regulation, who are the immediate official superiors of the officers in each grade in the department.

## REGULATION 55.

No recommendation of any person for promotion shall be entertained except in pursuance of the foregoing regulation, and the presentation of any recommendation other than those hereinbefore provided for will be considered an unwarrantable interference with the public service, and the person so recommended may be required to show, before being certified for promotion, that such recommendation was not made by his request or with his connivance.

## REGULATION 56.

Examiners of persons named for promotion shall personally question them concerning their office-work and its purposes, in order to ascertain if they have a general and intelligent knowledge of the business in the department in which they are employed, and may require the persons examined to give a written description of the work done by them and its relation to the duties of others.

## REGULATION 57.

Subject only to the qualifications required to be ascertained in accordance with these regulations, the power of appointment and the responsibility of selection are in all cases in the appointing officer. The power of any officer to remove is not impaired by anything contained in these regulations.

## REGULATION 58.

Complaints of injustice or unfairness on the part of any Examiner or Examining Board, or of any one acting under the Supervisory Board, shall be considered by such Board, which shall have the right to revise the marking and grading on the papers, or order a new examination, or otherwise act as substantial justice in the premises may require.

## CONDUCT OF EXAMINATIONS.

## REGULATION 59.

Applicants shall be admitted to examination upon the production of the official notification to appear for that purpose. Each applicant shall receive a number, which shall be indorsed upon his notification when produced, and the notifications so indorsed shall be sealed in an envelope. Each applicant shall sign his examination papers with his number, omitting his name, and the envelope shall not be opened until all the examination papers have been received and the markings and gradings made.

## REGULATION 60.

All examinations shall be in writing, except such as refer to physical qualities or expertness, and except as herein otherwise provided.

## REGULATION 61.

The sheets of questions shall be numbered and shall be given out in the order of their numbers, each, after the first, being given only when the competitor has returned to the examiners the last sheet given to him. In general, no examination shall extend beyond five hours without intermission; and no questions given out at any session, to any candidate, shall be allowed to be answered at another session. Each applicant must complete his examination on the obligatory subjects before taking up any of the optional subjects.

## REGULATION 62.

Each examiner shall exercise all due diligence to secure fairness and prevent all collusion and fraud in the examinations.

## REGULATION 63.

The time allowed for completing the examination shall be announced before the first paper is given out. For the obligatory subjects the examination shall be confined to a single day.

## MARKING.

## REGULATION 64.

The examination papers shall be reviewed by each examiner separately, except where otherwise directed by the Supervisory Board, and, in any case of disagreement, the average of the markings made on any question or paper by all shall be the final marking on such question or paper, subject to the regulation as to revision.

## REGULATION 65.

Handwriting shall be judged by its legibility, uniform and correct formation of letters, and ease of execution. Upon a comparison of the handwriting of all the competitors the best and worst shall be first agreed upon, and the two extremes of the scale thus fixed; the others shall be marked relatively to such extremes. In writing from dictation or copying from manuscript, the omission, repetition or substitution of words, the erasures, blots and other evidences of carelessness, shall proportionately to their numbers reduce the marking below 100. Spelling shall be marked with reference to the ratio the misspelled words bear to the whole number of words dictated. Making abstracts or summaries of documents and letter-writing shall be marked as in handwriting by agreeing upon the best and worst examples, and, having marked them, then proportionately marking the others.

## REGULATION 66.

Every paper in any examination not formally certified by the examiners shall be signed with his initials in ink by each examiner who has reviewed and marked it.

## REGULATION 67.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

A special Board of Examiners shall be organized for the examination of applicants for employment by the Aqueduct Commission in Class 2, Subdivisions I., II., III., IV., V., and VI., in the classification appended to the preceding Regulations. The said Board shall consist of two Civil Engineers, to be designated by the Aqueduct Commissioners and approved by the Mayor, the Civil Engineer of the Examining Board and Secretary of the Boards. The Secretary shall be Chairman and Chief Examiner.

A quorum for the conducting of any examination shall be two, of whom in all cases one shall be an engineer in the employ of the Aqueduct Commission and one a member of the regular Civil Service Examining Board, and the powers of this Board shall be the same as those given to the regular Examining Board by these Regulations.

It shall be the duty of such special Board of Examiners to conduct all examinations called for under this Regulation, except as herein otherwise provided, and to ascertain the fitness of candidates for the service of the Aqueduct Commission with regard to character, knowledge and ability for the branch of such service into which they seek to enter, and to determine the relative excellence or standing of the persons examined, and to certify the same as prescribed by these Regulations.

Application of competitors for positions in the Aqueduct Commission shall be made in the form to be prescribed by the Supervisory Board.

The general examinations for admission to the places in Schedule D (being Part II. of the classification appended to the preceding Regulations) shall be in writing, and on the following subjects:

1. Handwriting (as shown in examination papers).
2. Arithmetic, viz.: Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
3. Questions relating to the technical knowledge required for the position sought by the applicant.
4. Experience tending to qualify him for that position. In addition to this the health and physical vigor of the applicant shall be tested as hereinafter required.

The relative weight to be given to these several subjects in making up the average standing shall be as follows:

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|------------------------------|---|
| 1. Handwriting .....         | 1 |
| 2. Arithmetic .....          | 1 |
| 3. Technical knowledge ..... | 4 |
| 4. Experience .....          | 4 |

Total of weights .....

Those admitted to competition for the superior positions in Schedule D, Part I., shall be examined in writing on the following subjects:

1. The technical knowledge required for the position to be filled, and respecting which the examination is held.
2. Experience tending to qualify the applicant for that position.

As part of the examination as to experience the special Examining Board shall make inquiries in writing of the persons with whom the applicant has studied, or by whom he has been employed, on the following subjects:



Efficiency and accuracy in his own work.

Character for maintaining discipline among, and getting good work from, his subordinates, and when appropriate anything else in his character or antecedents tending to show his fitness for the position which he seeks.

The relative weight to be given to these subjects shall be as follows:

1. Technical knowledge..... 50
2. Experience..... 50
- 100

When competition may not be found practicable to meet an exigency for special work in the positions of Assistant Engineers, Instrumentmen, Draughtsmen, Superintendents and Inspectors, and the fact of the exigency shall be made to appear by the certificate of the Aqueduct Commission, it will be in the power of the Supervisory Board to institute non-competitive examinations to temporarily fill such positions. But no appointment so made shall hold longer than for a period of three months.

Upon the presentation to the Secretary of the following certificate by the President and Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commission, and upon the going into effect of this Regulation, all persons employed by the said Commission prior to the 7th day of September, 1886, and who shall be named in such certificate shall be considered as regularly in the employ of the said Commission, but the said Commission may, in its discretion, require any of said persons to pass an open competitive examination in order to be continued in the service.

#### CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, President and Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commissioners, do certify that the persons whose names are given in the annexed list were employed by said Commissioners after a careful examination into their qualifications for the positions respectively held by them; that we are satisfied, after the experience actually had of their character and conduct, that they are severally qualified for the positions specified in the said list and that in our judgment any further examination as to their qualifications is unnecessary.

Except as in this Regulation otherwise provided the preceding Regulations shall regulate and apply to all appointments made by or under the authority of the Aqueduct Commission.

#### APPENDIX A.

Schedule A shall comprise Subdivision II., Class 1 of each Department, Commission, bureau or office in the appended classification, Chaplains, Clerks of the Common Council, Deputy Collector of the City Revenue in the Finance Department; Subdivision I. of Class 2 of the Law Department, Dock Masters and Assistant Dock Masters in the Dock Department, Assessors in the Tax Department, Assistant Attorneys in the Fire Department, Property Clerk in the Police Department, General Inspector in the Parks Department, Private Secretary of the Commissioner in the Department of Street Cleaning; Subdivision I. of Class 2 of the Department of Charities and Correction, and Clerks in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts.

The Inspectors of Election and Poll Clerks are exempt from examination, as required by chapter 357 of the Laws of 1884. Special Patrolmen, appointed pursuant to section 269 of the New York City Consolidation Act, are also exempt from examination.

Schedule B shall comprise Subdivision I. of Class 1 of each Department, Commission, bureau or office in the appended classification, and Process Clerk and Register Clerk in the Law Department.

Schedule C shall comprise Class 3 of the Police Department (except Surgeons), of the Fire Department, and of the Department of Public Parks (except Surgeons) in the appended classification.

Schedule D, Part I., shall comprise:

- In Finance Department (Class 2) Subdivision I.
- In Department of Taxes and Assessments (Class 2) Subdivision II., first and second grades.
- In Law Department (Class 2) Subdivision II.
- In Department of Public Works (Class 2) Subdivision II., fifth, sixth and seventh grades.
- In Department of Docks (Class 2) Subdivision II., fourth and fifth grades.
- In Health Department (Class 2) Subdivision I., and persons in Subdivision II. who do not come within Schedule E, but must yet hold diplomas as physicians.
- In Department of Public Parks (Class 2) Subdivisions I., except first, second and third grades, and IV.
- In the Aqueduct Commission (Class 2) Subdivision I., fourth grade.
- In Commission of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (Class 2) Subdivision I., fifth grade.
- Schedule D, Part II., shall comprise:
- In Finance Department (Class 2) Subdivision II. and IV.
- In Law Department, Examiners.
- In Department of Public Works (Class 2) first four grades of Subdivision II., Subdivisions III., IV. and VI.
- In Department of Docks (Class 2) Subdivision II., grades one, two (except Sounders), and three, Subdivisions III. and VIII., and Inspectors in Subdivision VI., excepting Inspectors of Stone Filling.
- In Department of Charities and Correction (Class 2) Subdivision XI., and the Photographer of the Unknown Dead.
- In Department of Street Cleaning (Class 2) Subdivision II.
- In the Health Department (Class 2) Subdivision VI., and persons in Subdivisions II. and III., who do not come in Schedule E or Part I. of this schedule.
- In Fire Department (Class 2) Subdivisions II., III. and V.
- In Police Department (Class 2) Subdivisions I. and III.
- In Department of Public Parks (Class 2) first, second and third grades of Subdivision I., Subdivisions II., III. and IV.
- In Aqueduct Commission (Class 2) first, second and third grades of Subdivisions I., II., III. and VI.
- In the Armory Board (Class 2) Subdivision I.
- In Commission of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (Class 2) first, second, third and fourth grades of Subdivision I., Subdivisions II., III. and V.
- In the Board of Electrical Control (Class 2) Subdivision I.

Schedule E shall include:

- In the Department of Charities and Correction (Class 2) Subdivision III., except Chaplain; Subdivision IV. and Assistant Matrons, Apothecaries and Druggists, and Assistant Medical Superintendent of Asylum for the Insane.
- In Health Department (Class 2) Subdivision IV., second grade, and Physicians, Chemists and Analyzers.
- In Fire Department (Class 2) Subdivisions I., except Assistant Attorneys and Assistant Fire Marshal.
- In Police Department (Class 3) Subdivision III.
- In Department of Public Parks (Class 3) Subdivision II.
- In Department of Street Cleaning (Class 2) Subdivision III.

Schedule F shall comprise:

- In the Mayor's Office (Class 2) Subdivisions I. and III.
- In Finance Department (Class 2) Subdivisions III. and V.
- In Department of Taxes and Assessments (Class 2) Subdivisions I., IV. and V.
- In Law Department (Class 2) Subdivisions III. (excepting Register Clerk and Examiners), IV. and V.
- In Department of Public Works (Class 2) Subdivisions I., V. (except Janitors, Elevator Attendants and Attendants on Public Baths) and VII.
- In Department of Docks (Class 2) Subdivisions I., V., VI. (except Inspectors), VII. and IX.
- In the Department of Charities and Correction (Class 2) Subdivisions II. (except Assistant Medical Superintendent, Asylum for the Insane), V., VI., VIII., X. and XII., and Teachers.
- In Department of Street Cleaning (Class 2) Subdivisions I. and IV.
- In Health Department (Class 2) Subdivisions V. and VII.
- In Fire Department (Class 2) Subdivisions I. (excepting Medical Officers and Assistant Attorneys) IV. and VI.
- In Police Department (Class 1) Subdivision III., (Class 2) Subdivisions II. (except Janitor) and IV.
- In Department of Public Parks (Class 2) Subdivisions V. and VII.
- In office of the Supervisor of the City Record (Class 2) Subdivisions I. and II.
- In the office of the Commissioners of Accounts (Class 2) Subdivisions I. and II.
- In the Aqueduct Commission (Class 2) Subdivision V.
- In the Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards (Class 2) Subdivision I.
- In the Armory Board (Class 2) Subdivisions II. and III.
- In Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (Class 2) Subdivisions IV. and VI.
- In the Board of Electrical Control (Class 2) Subdivisions II., III. and IV.

Schedule G shall comprise that Subdivision of Class 2 of each Department in the appended classification containing Laborers and the following:

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| All persons in the Department of Charities and Correction receiving \$150 per annum or less, | Domestic,   | Morgue Keeper,  |
| Attendants in the Department of Public Works and Parks, Axeman, Barber,                      | Driver,   | Office Boy,   |
|  | Elevator Attendant, or Boy,   | Orderlies, Contagious Diseases Hospital, Health Department, |
|  | Fireman,  | Oil Collector,  |
|  | Foreman of Laborers in all Departments except Street Cleaning Department, | Painter,  |
|  |   | Paver,  |
|  |   | Plasterer,  |

Baker,  
Battery Boy,  
Blacksmith,  
Blacksmith's Helper,  
Blaster,  
Boardman,  
Boatman,  
Boiler-maker,  
Bookbinder,  
Bricklayer,  
Bridge Tender,  
Calk,  
Carpenter,  
Cartman with Cart,  
Cellarman,  
Chambermaid,  
Cleaner,  
Climber,  
Cook,  
Coxswain,  
Cutter,  
Deckhand,  
Digger,  
Diver,  
Diver's Tender,  
Dock Builders,

Flagman,  
Gardener,  
Gas-maker,  
Gas-maker's Assistant,  
Gatekeeper, Department of Charities and Correction,  
Groundman,  
Harness-maker,  
Helpers,  
Horseshoer,  
Hose Repairer,  
Hostler,  
Inspector of Stone Filling,  
Dock Department,  
Keeper and Assistant Keeper,  
Dog Pound,  
Janitor,  
Laundress,  
Lineman,  
Lighter of Markets,  
Machinist,  
Mason,  
Mate,  
Mechanical Engineers, Contagious Diseases Hospital,  
Health Department,

Plumber,  
Police Tailor,  
Pupils in Training Schools for Nurses,  
Rigger,  
Rockman,  
Saw Filer,  
Scowman,  
Shoemaker,  
Sunder,  
Stableman,  
Steam-fitter,  
Steward on Tug-boat,  
Stoker,  
Stone-cutter,  
Sweeper,  
Tailor,  
Tapper,  
Tinsmith,  
Toolman,  
Truckman,  
Waitress,  
Watchman (temporary), receiving \$1.75, or less, per day,  
Weighmaster,  
Wheelwright.

*Classification of the Civil Service of the City of New York—August 1, 1887.*

#### MAYOR'S OFFICE.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.
- Subdivision II.—Secretary, Chief Clerk, Marshal, Confidential Clerk, Warrant and Bond Clerk.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—Messengers and persons of like employment.
- Subdivision II.—Keeper in Dog Pound, Assistant Keeper in Dog Pound.
- Subdivision III.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision IV.—Laborers.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—First Grade—Clerks, and like employees, receiving an annual compensation of \$1,000 or less. Second Grade—Clerks, and like employees, receiving an annual compensation of more than \$1,000, but not more than \$1,500. Third Grade—Clerks, and like employees, receiving an annual compensation of more than \$1,500, but not more than \$2,000. Fourth Grade—Clerks, and like employees, receiving an annual compensation of more than \$2,000, but not more than \$2,500. Fifth Grade—Clerks, and like employees, receiving an annual compensation of more than \$2,500.
- Subdivision II.—Deputy Comptroller and Assistant, Head of Bureaus, General Bookkeeper, City Paymaster.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—Law Clerk, Engineer and Real Estate Clerk, Assistant Engineer.
- Subdivision II.—Inspectors and Examiners of Repairs.
- Subdivision III.—Messengers, Doorkeepers, Watchmen.
- Subdivision IV.—Skilled Mechanics and Tradesmen.
- Subdivision V.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision VI.—Laborers.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.
- Subdivision II.—Secretary, Deputy Commissioners.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—First Grade—Deputy Surveyor. Second Grade—Surveyor.
- Subdivision II.—Assessors.
- Subdivision III.—Messengers and persons of like employment.
- Subdivision IV.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision V.—Laborers.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.
- Subdivision II.—Assistants to the Corporation Counsel receiving an annual compensation of \$4,000 or more, Public Administrator, Corporation Attorney, Attorney to the Department of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Chief Clerk to the Corporation Counsel and to the Public Administrator.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—Assistants and Junior Assistant to the Corporation Counsel and to the Public Administrator receiving an annual compensation of less than \$4,000.
- Subdivision II.—First Grade—Junior Law Clerks. Second Grade—Senior Law Clerks. Clerk to the Attorney to the Department of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
- Subdivision III.—Process Clerk, Register Clerk, Stenographers and Typewriters, Examiners, Librarian.
- Subdivision IV.—Messengers.
- Subdivision V.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision VI.—Laborers.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.
- Subdivision II.—Deputy Commissioner, Chief Clerk, Chief Engineer, Consulting Engineer, Water Register, Water Purveyor, Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Superintendent of Street Improvement, Superintendent of Streets, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, Superintendent of Incumbrances.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—Superintendent of Water Supply, Superintendent of Pipe Yard, Superintendent of Baths, Assistant Superintendent of Baths.
- Subdivision II.—First Grade—Chainman. Second Grade—Rodman. Third Grade—Leveler. Fourth Grade—Transitmen. Fifth Grade—Assistant Engineers. Sixth Grade—First Assistant Engineer. Seventh Grade—Resident Engineer, Topographical Engineer.
- Subdivision III.—Draughtsmen, Map Clerks.
- Subdivision IV.—First Grade—Inspectors. Second Grade—Assistant General Inspectors. Third Grade—General Inspectors.
- Subdivision V.—Messengers, Keepers, Watchmen, Janitors, Elevator Attendants, Attendants on Public Baths.
- Subdivision VI.—Mechanical Engineers, Enginemen.
- Subdivision VII.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision VIII.—Laborers.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

##### CLASS 1.

- Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department; Assistant Secretary.
- Subdivision II.—Secretary, Engineer-in-Chief, Clerk to Treasurer, Superintendent of Repairs, Superintendent of Docks, Collector.

##### CLASS 2.

- Subdivision I.—Superintendent of Section, Superintendent of Machinery, Master Mason, Master Dock Builder, Foreman of Piling and Wood-work.
- Subdivision II.—First Grade—Chainman. Second Grade—Rodmen. Third Grade—Levelers, Hydrographers. Fourth Grade—Assistant to Engineer-in-Chief, Surveyor, Assistant Surveyor. Fifth Grade—First Assistant Engineer.
- Subdivision III.—Draughtsmen.
- Subdivision IV.—Dock Masters, Assistant Dock Masters.
- Subdivision V.—Captains of Floating Property.
- Subdivision VI.—Foremen, Inspectors, Roundsmen, Time-keepers.
- Subdivision VII.—Messengers, Doormen, Watchmen, Office-keeper.
- Subdivision VIII.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen (including those capable of running Derrick and Pile-Driving Engines).
- Subdivision IX.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.
- Subdivision X.—Laborers.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, General Bookkeeper and Auditor, Purchasing Agent, General Storekeeper.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Wardens of Prisons, Asylums, Almshouses and Workhouses; Medical Superintendents of Asylums and Hospitals, Chiefs of Staff of Hospitals, Superintendents of Workhouses, Superintendent of Out-door Poor Department, Deputy Superintendent of Out-door Poor Department.  
Subdivision II.—Deputy Wardens of Prisons, Stewards of Hospitals, Asylums and Almshouses, Assistant Medical Superintendent of Asylum for the Insane.  
Subdivision III.—Physicians, Assistant Physicians, Chaplains, Principal Matrons, Heads of Training Schools.  
Subdivision IV.—Nurses, Orderlies and Attendants in Hospitals and Asylums.  
Subdivision V.—Guards, Deputy Keepers and Keepers in Prisons and Workhouses.  
Subdivision VI.—Watchmen.  
Subdivision VII.—Teachers and Assistant Matrons.  
Subdivision VIII.—Morgue Superintendent, Superintendent of Drug Department, Superintendent of Stables.  
Subdivision IX.—Chemist, Photographer of the Unknown Dead.  
Subdivision X.—Messengers, and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision XI.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen.  
Subdivision XII.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision XIII.—Laborers.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Deputy Commissioner, Chief Clerk.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Captains of Tugs, Pilots, Messengers and Persons of like employment, Stock and Plant Clerk, Stenographer and Typewriter.  
Subdivision II.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen, Map Clerk and Draughtsman.  
Subdivision III.—Medical Examiner, Veterinary Surgeon.  
Subdivision IV.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision V.—Laborers.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, Sanitary Superintendent, Attorney and Counsel, Register of Records.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Deputy Register of Records.  
Subdivision II.—Chief Inspectors, Sanitary Inspectors, Hospital Physicians, Inspectors of Vaccination and Contagious Diseases, Inspectors of Plumbing and Ventilation.  
Subdivision III.—Chemists and Analyzers, Inspectors of Milk, Inspectors of Meat, Inspectors of Fruit, other Special Inspectors.  
Subdivision IV.—First Grade—Orderlies, Waitresses and Helpers in Hospitals. Second Grade—Matrons and Nurses.  
Subdivision V.—Messengers and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision VI.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen.  
Subdivision VII.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision VIII.—Laborers.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department, Fire Record Clerk, Clerk and Stenographer.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Inspector of Combustibles, Fire Marshal, Attorney, Bookkeeper.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Medical Officers, Assistant Attorneys, Assistant Fire Marshal.  
Subdivision II.—Inspector of Electrical Appliances, Draughtsman.  
Subdivision III.—First Grade—Operators. Second Grade—Chief Operator. Third Grade—Superintendent of Telegraph.  
Subdivision IV.—Messengers, and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision V.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen.  
Subdivision VI.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision VII.—Laborers.

CLASS 3—UNIFORMED FORCE.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Firemen. Second Grade—Assistant Foremen and Foremen.  
Third Grade—Chiefs of Battalion. Fourth Grade—Assistant Chiefs of Department. Fifth Grade—Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Chief Clerk, Property Clerk, Clerk to Commissioner, Treasurer's Bookkeeper.  
Subdivision III.—Chief of Elections.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Operators. Second Grade—Superintendent of Telegraph.  
Subdivision II.—Messengers, Janitor.  
Subdivision III.—Mechanical Engineers, Marine Engineers, Enginemen, Clothing and Equipment Clerk.  
Subdivision IV.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision V.—Laborers.

CLASS 3.—THE POLICE FORCE.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Patrolmen. Second Grade—Sergeants. Third Grade—Captains.  
Fourth Grade—Inspectors. Fifth Grade—Superintendent.  
Subdivision II.—Doormen.  
Subdivision III.—Surgeons.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department, Assistant Secretary.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, Superintendent, Engineer of Construction, Topographical Engineer, General Inspector, Landscape Architect.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Chainman. Second Grade—Rodmen. Third Grade—Assistants.  
Fourth Grade—Assistant Engineers, Assistant Engineer and Draughtsman.  
Subdivision II.—Inspectors.  
Subdivision III.—Draughtsmen, Computers.  
Subdivision IV.—Meteorologist, Architect, Entomologist.  
Subdivision V.—Messengers and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision VI.—Mechanical Engineers, Enginemen.  
Subdivision VII.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision VIII.—Laborers.

CLASS 3.—PARK POLICE.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Parkkeepers. Second Grade—Roundsmen. Third Grade—Sergeants. Fourth Grade—Captain.  
Subdivision II.—Surgeon.

SUPERVISOR OF THE CITY RECORD.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Supervisor of the City Record.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Messengers, and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision II.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision III.—Laborers.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

CLASS 1.

Clerks, as in Finance Department.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Messengers, and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision II.—All persons in this Bureau not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision III.—Laborers.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, Auditor, Chief Engineer, Consulting Engineer, Deputy Chief Engineer, Principal Assistant Engineer, Division Engineers who are promoted from the grade of Assistant Engineer, Special Assistant Engineers, Special Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Private Secretary and Confidential Clerk to the Chief Engineer.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Chainmen and Rodmen. Second Grade—Levelers. Third Grade—Transitmen. Fourth Grade—Assistant Engineers.  
Subdivision II.—Inspectors and Superintendents.  
Subdivision III.—Draughtsmen.  
Subdivision IV.—Enginemen and Skilled Laborers.  
Subdivision V.—All persons in this Commission not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision VI.—Laborers.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary and Chief Examiner, Examiners, Chief Clerk.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—All persons in this Bureau not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision II.—Laborers.

ARMORY BOARD.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—Clerk of the Work (Inspector).  
Subdivision II.—Messengers and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision III.—All persons in the employ of this Board not classified elsewhere.

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

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Deputy Commissioner, Secretary, [Chief Engineer, Superintendent of Maintenance, General Inspector and Foreman.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Chainmen. Second Grade—Rodmen. Third Grade—Levelers. Fourth Grade—Transitmen, Assistants. Fifth Grade—Assistant Engineers.  
Subdivision II.—Draftsmen, Computers.  
Subdivision III.—Inspectors.  
Subdivision IV.—Stenographers and Typewriters, Messengers, Watchmen.  
Subdivision V.—Mechanical Engineers, Enginemen.  
Subdivision VI.—All persons in this Department not classified elsewhere.  
Subdivision VIII.—Laborers.

THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

CLASS 1.

Subdivision I.—Clerks, as in Finance Department.  
Subdivision II.—Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Engineer, Electrical Expert.

CLASS 2.

Subdivision I.—First Grade—Inspectors. Second Grade—Chief Inspector.  
Subdivision II.—Stenographers and Typewriters.  
Subdivision III.—Messengers and persons of like employment.  
Subdivision IV.—All persons in the employ of this Board not classified elsewhere.  
[In the foregoing classification each Department is classified by itself. Class 1 in each department includes assistants and deputies of executive and administrative officers and all clerks and other persons, of whatever designation, rendering services similar to those of clerks. The remaining persons in each department are embraced in Class 2. In the departments having a uniformed force, however, the Police Department, the Fire Department and the Department of Public Parks, Class 3 is added to comprise this body.]

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, FEBRUARY 25 TO MARCH 2, 1895.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending March 23, 1895: Males, 35; females, 2. On file.  
List of 35 prisoners to be discharged from March 3 to 9, 1895. Transmitted to Prison Association.  
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Male Department—History of 26 patients admitted, 1 discharged, and 5 that have died during week ending February 23, 1895. On file.  
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Female Department—History of 17 patients admitted, 6 discharged, 2 transferred, and 5 that have died during week ending February 23, 1895. On file.  
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending February 23, 1895, \$215. On file.  
From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending February 23, 1895, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.  
From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending February 23, 1895. On file.  
From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to February 23, 1895. Referred to Bookkeeper.  
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Female Department—Reporting of Kate Metzgow, a non-resident, and Lena Verolock, supposed to have means. Referred to Superintendent of Out-door Poor.  
From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending February 23, 1895, \$229. On file.  
From General Storekeeper—Rejecting thermometers, hardware, curled hair, furnished for use of the Department, they being of inferior quality. Approved.  
From Randall's Island Hospital—Superintendent calling attention to unsafe condition of north hospital. Referred to architects.

Resolutions, etc.

Resolved, That the compensation for preparing specifications, superintending and laying out plans and rewireing the main insane and branch insane asylums on Ward's Island, to be paid to J. E. Denton, be \$790. Copy to be transmitted with vouchers to Finance Department, and original filed with General Bookkeeper. Adopted.  
Resolved, That an extension of time on contract of J. P. Hall, for electric-light plant at the City Farm, Central Islip, Long Island, be granted, and that the penalty for fixed damages be remitted, as there was no actual delay, as recommended by architect, and that a copy of the architect's recommendation and of this resolution be transmitted to the Finance Department. Adopted.  
Resolved, That the proposal of C. M. Childs & Co., for 62,500 pounds white lead, at \$0.0485 per pound, be accepted, the same being the lowest bid, and the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Adopted.

Appointed.

From Feb. 11. Kate Blessing, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$168 per annum.  
" 19. Barney Molloy, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$360 per annum.  
" 23. Michael J. Burns, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.  
" 23. Mary F. Coakley, Angela Zatterwall, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum, each.  
" 23. Alfred Nunan, Messenger, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$60 per annum.  
" 25. John H. Fagan, Patrick Kiernan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum, each.  
" 27. Michael P. Dunford, James J. Lynch, Cornelius Maher, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum, each.  
From Mar. 1. Annie Gormly, Mary Foley, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum, each.  
" 1. Lillie Clinton, Domestic, City Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.  
" 2. John Ayers, Foreman, Workhouse. Salary, \$600 per annum.  
" 2. J. W. Burkhardt, Laborer, Central Office. Salary, \$450 per annum.

Reappointed.

Feb. 26. Michael O'Shaughnessey, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.  
Mar. 1. Margaret Day, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.



## Resigned.

- Feb. 26. Lizzie Kyle, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
" 28. Michael J. Callaghan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
" 28. Kate Blessing, Domestic, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
" 28. Thomas J. McGreal, Apothecary, Randall's Island Hospital.  
Mar. 1. Wilfred G. Searle, Orderly, Metropolitan Hospital.  
" 1. Edward Magee, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
" 1. Mary O'Brien, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.  
" 1. Florence Callan, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.  
" 1. B. E. Kell, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.  
" 1. Susan Copeland, Nurse, City Hospital.  
" 1. Mary McGee, Matron, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.  
" 1. Frank R. Nichols, Michael Ansbros, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.  
" Mary G. Ames, Edna Sewry, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

## Dismissed.

- Feb. 20. Mary McCarthy, Helper, Randall's Island Hospital.  
" 20. Fanny Woods, Helper, Randall's Island.  
" 21. Bessie Healy, Helper, Randall's Island Hospital.  
Mar. 2. William O'Brien, Keeper, District Prisons.

## Salary Increased.

- Mar. 1. W. A. Macy, Medical Superintendent, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Male Department, \$2,500 to \$2,750, per annum.  
" 1. E. C. Dent, Medical Superintendent, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Female Department, \$2,500 to \$2,750 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

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

The minutes of the meeting of March 4 were read and approved.

Requisitions were laid before the Board, and were acted on as follows:

No.	DATE.	APPLIED FOR.	ACTION OF BOARD.
<i>By Mayor's Marshal.</i>			
Mar. 5, 1895		8 books for Inspectors (backs).....	Allowed.
		8 books for Inspectors (public carts).....	"
		2 books for Inspectors (dirt carts).....	"
		4 books for Inspectors (merchandise vendors).....	"
		4 books for Inspectors (express).....	"
		2 books for Inspectors (junk and second-hand).....	"
		1 book for Inspectors (pawnbrokers).....	"
		1 book for Inspectors (runners).....	"
		2 books for Inspectors (intelligence offices).....	"
<i>By Department of Public Works.</i>			
" 4, "		50 copies contract for paving One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.....	"
		50 copies contract for paving Ninety-sixth street.....	"
		50 copies contract for paving Columbus (or Convent) avenue.....	"
		50 copies contract for paving Convent avenue.....	"
		50 copies contract for paving Fourth avenue.....	"
		50 copies estimate for each of five lots.....	"
		50 envelopes for each of five lots.....	"
" 4, "		250 copies rules and regulations respecting opening and refilling trenches.....	"
<i>By Finance Department.</i>			
" 6, "		Engraving and printing 3,014 three per cent. gold coupon bonds, \$1,000 each.....	"
		1,700 certificates, three per cent. gold consolidated stock, bound in book form.....	"
" 6, "		25 accounts current.....	"
<i>By Department of Public Parks.</i>			
" 6, "		250 copies annual meteorological reports.....	"
		250 muslin covers for same.....	"
		250 copies monthly meteorological report.....	"
		250 gummed sheets, perforated, with printed addresses.....	"
<i>By Mayor.</i>			
" 5, "		1,400 census books (maps and boundaries of election districts pasted in books).....	"
<i>By Fire Department.</i>			
Feb. 12, "		25,000 copies notices to owner or occupant of premises (Form 17).....	"
		25,000 copies of report to Superintendent of Fire-alarm Telegraph, etc.....	"
		15,000 copies rules and regulations (pamphlet form).....	"
<i>By Department of Street Cleaning.</i>			
Mar. 4, "		5,000 notices of violation of law respecting exposure of ashes garbage, etc. (printed on postal cards).....	"
<i>By Sheriff.</i>			
" 7, "		12 black record ribbons.....	6 allowed.
		12 indelible copying ribbons.....	6 "
Feb. 11, "		250 executions against the person for each District Court, (2,750 in all).....	Allowed.

The Supervisor of the City Record stated that the books for the Mayor's Marshal were made necessary by the reorganization of the ordinance police squad; and that the Comptroller had already given the work of engraving the plates for the gold coupon bonds to the International Bank Note Company.

President Wilson, of the Health Department, appeared before the Board, and made a request that 1,400 books be made for the purpose of taking the census of the city, instead of 1,300, as originally determined upon, and that maps and descriptions of election districts be pasted in them.

The following resolution was adopted by a concurrent vote of the three officers:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the requisitions allowed, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

The Supervisor of the City Record said that as he was about to leave office, he wished the Board to understand the circumstances under which he had assumed and held it. He was appointed in September, 1889. At the opening of that year there were arrears to the amount of about \$75,000, extending over the years 1886, 1887 and 1888. The average appropriation for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books," in 1886-7-8-9, was \$172,785. In the years 1890-1-2 and 3, it was \$172,700. Yet, in the latter period, new departments and bureaus had to be supplied with materials, costing on an average nearly \$30,000 a year.

As soon as he assumed office, he was compelled to make an estimate for 1890, without having the means to ascertain what it should be. He was thus put at an extraordinary disadvantage. The only large bills now outstanding were for printing and binding the minutes, etc., of the Board of Aldermen, and the money to pay these was included in the current appropriation.

On motion of the Mayor, Mr. John A. Schleicher was appointed Supervisor of the City Record to succeed Mr. William J. K. Kenny, by a concurrent vote of the three officers.

Bills were approved as follows: Martin B. Brown, \$16,704.79 (Voucher 429); New York Law Journal Publishing Company, \$333.33 (Voucher 426), and W. H. Hettler, \$5 (Voucher 427).

Adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of March, 1895.  
Present—Commissioners Martin, Murray, Kerwin and Andrews.

## Leave of Absence Granted.

Captain W. C. F. Berghold, Sixth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

## Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154. Inspector McLoughlin and Captain Price, Eighth Precinct—On communication from Jacob Klein, relative to loss of clothing. Inspector McAvoy—On communication from "Reformer," relative to pool-room in Fenton Hotel, Washington and Cortlandt streets. Inspector Williams—On communication from Patrolman Thomas O'Neill, Twelfth Precinct, relative to his action at a fire, No. 25 Pitt street. Captain Schultz, Twelfth Precinct—On communication from Rev. John T. Wilds, complaining of annoyance, etc., by men and boys. Captain Ryan, Thirty-first Precinct, relative to collision of horse ridden by Patrolman Frank M. Hodges with landau owned by J. S. Armstrong, No. 51 East Tenth street. Sergeant Harley, Central Office—On inquiry of Mary Simon as to John Murray, her father; on inquiry of C. H. Richards as to Mrs. Frank McLelland; on inquiry of Sarah A. Manning as to her son; copies to Mayor. Sergeant Weigand, Fourteenth Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Wagner, No. 112 East Fourteenth street; copy to Mayor. Sergeant Westervelt, Fifth Precinct—On complaint of C. A. Luecke (from Commissioner of Street Cleaning), of nuisance near Nos. 70 and 72 Franklin street. Chief Bureau of Elections—Relative to pay of Frank S. Ryer, Inspector of Election; copy to Mr. Hedges, Mayor's Secretary. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman William Shevlin, Thirty-seventh Precinct. Death of Patrolman Frank Weiser, Thirty-fifth Precinct, on 8th instant.

## Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Herman Sussman, at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 12. Theodore Krause, at New York Turn Hall, March 16. Jacob Levy, at New Irving Hall, March 15.

Application of Mary Rabbett, widow of Christopher Rabbett, late Patrolman, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

## Communications Referred to the Treasurer.

Comptroller—Weekly financial statement. Board of Apportionment—Copy of resolution transferring \$166.66 to account of purchase of site for Eighth Precinct Station-house for 1891. Board of Apportionment—Copy of resolution transferring \$2,689.26 to account of supplies for 1894. Superintendent—Inclosing \$495 mask ball-fees to pay into Pension Fund. Application of Captain Price, Eighth Precinct, for an eight-inch pumping engine, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies for report.

## Communications Ordered on File.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Acknowledging receipt of reports. Secretary Civil Service Board—Notice of adoption of amended Civil Service regulations; copy to each Commissioner. Stephen Cook, Fordham—Asking additional police protection.

## Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.

Counsel to Corporation—Relative to returns in cases of Albert A. Jordan and George Lang. A. E. Pressinger—Asking copy of rules and regulations.

## Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Inclosing complaint of Messrs. Tanco & Co. against the Salvation Army located in Ninety-second street, between Lexington and Park avenues. E. J. Breen—Complaint that stores in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, are open in violation of the Sunday law. Horace D. Sherrill—Complaint of street and sidewalk obstructions southeast corner of Madison avenue and Eighty-ninth street. Mrs. Alma Jobst, Saxony—Inquiry as to her husband. New York Produce Exchange Safe Deposit and Storage Company—Asking appointment of John Oakley as Special Patrolman. Captain Thompson, Thirtieth Precinct—Inclosing communication from H. A. Colt, No. 210 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, commending Patrolman Henry Weingardner for action at a fire.

Resolved, That the Committee on Repairs and Supplies be and are hereby authorized to arrange with Peters & Hems, contractors, for supplying the Police Department with twelve patrol wagons, for a modification of the specifications relating to seats, so that "inside seats and backs, also driver's seat and back," shall be of hard wood, properly finished as may be directed, instead of "cushioned in buscuit pattern, leather covered;" such modification, however, must not increase the amount agreed upon for the execution of such contract.

## Transfers.

Sergeant Daniel C. Moynihan, from Fourteenth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct; Patrolman James Cowen, from Eleventh Precinct to Third Court; Patrolman Jacob Breumer, from Thirtieth Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Details by the Superintendent under Rule 32. Filed.

Resolved, That the Civil Service Supervisory Board be respectfully requested to inform the Board of Police of the result of any examinations made by them of papers issued by the preceding Civil Service Board, to candidates whose names are now upon the eligible list for appointment as patrolmen, and that the Civil Service Board be further respectfully requested to certify to the Board of Police as to the correctness of such papers, and whether, in their opinion, they are free from all suspicion of fraud.

Resolved, First—That hereafter, whenever an officer or employee of this Department shall make a requisition for supplies or repairs, he shall submit with such requisition, over his official signature, a statement addressed to the Chairman of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, containing the following information: 1st. The number of articles of the kind called for in the requisition, then on hand. 2d. The condition of all such articles. 3d. The date of the last receipt, in that precinct or office, of articles of the same kind or nature called for in the requisition, and the number then received. 4th. A detailed statement showing the special circumstances under which additional supplies or repairs are made necessary at that time.

Second—The Chief Clerk is directed to prepare and distribute suitable blanks for this purpose.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of one hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents, said amount having been transferred from account entitled "Police Fund, Salaries of Clerical Force, etc.," for 1894, to account entitled "For purchase of a Site for a Station-house for the Eighth Precinct," for the year 1891—all aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money for the month of February, 1895—all aye: For fines imposed, \$1,898.81; absence without pay, \$738.79; sick time deducted, \$8,943.07; two per cent. deducted, \$7,917.75; total, \$19,498.42.

The following bills were referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies: Julia E. Tillman, meals, \$593.75; George J. Steir, repairing wagons, \$23; Frederick Pearce, telegraph supplies, \$118.12; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$127.75; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$221.62; Consolidated Gas Company, gas, \$997.25; Central Gas Company, gas, \$73.89; Equitable Gas Company, gas, \$533.88; total, \$2,689.26. Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 16, 1895.

## To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the week ending March 16, 1895:

## Applicants for Examination.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
Isaac H. Acken.....	1166 Vanderbilt avenue.....	Bricklayer.....	Passed.
Frank D. Dodson.....	417 Third avenue.....	Brassworker.....	"
John P. Foley.....	27 Jones street.....	Longshoreman.....	"
Arthur E. Hunt.....	315 East Forty-third street.....	Foreman.....	"
Hugh C. Kerr.....	412 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.....	Machinist.....	"
George D. Reimers.....	206 East Eighty-fourth street.....	Driver.....	"
Harry Bernstein.....	85 Bayard street.....	Gripman.....	"
Nelson H. Tallman.....	52 Perry street.....	Engineer.....	"
Benjamin F. Ashley.....	332 East Seventy-sixth street.....	Roofers.....	"
John W. Guyre.....	353 West Forty-first street.....	Clerk.....	"
William C. Wellingshoff.....	357 Washington street.....	Driver.....	"
Thomas Kearney.....	357 West Thirty-seventh street.....	".....	"
William Newberry.....	1028 Avenue A.....	Painter.....	"
Gottlieb Schwarz.....	320 East Seventy-first street.....	Conductor.....	"
Samuel Gerstner.....	80 Avenue C.....	Butcher.....	"
William Krummenauer.....	310 East Sixth street.....	Driver.....	"
Morris Florsheim.....	107 East One Hundred and Fourth street.....	Salesman.....	"
Henry V. Mahland.....	816 Sixth avenue.....	Conductor.....	"
Frederick W. Blohm.....	304 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.....	Clerk.....	"
Michael Reardon.....	420 Canal street.....	Tinsmith.....	"
Patrick Molloy.....	340 East Thirty-sixth street.....	Barkeeper.....	"
George L. Bock.....	314 West Fortieth street.....	Lumber Inspector.....	"
Henry Wachsmuth.....	532 East Eighty-third street.....	Wood Polisher.....	"
William Heinrich.....	1481 Park avenue.....	Gripman.....	"
William Cashan.....	327 Eighth avenue.....	Sailor.....	Rejected.
Michael Walsh.....	2396 Third avenue.....	Conductor.....	"
Henry S. Prescott.....	167 Eighth avenue.....	Clerk.....	"
Harry Danziger.....	314 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	Salesman.....	"

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.



**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending February 9, 1895.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN, NEW YORK, February 9, 1895.

*Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mover :*

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to February 9, 1895, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since January 31, 1895, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on February 9, 1895. Very respectfully, JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, *Chamberlain, during the week ending February 9, 1895.* CR.

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1895.	Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	\$48 00	1895.				
	Supplies for Police.....	7,500 00					
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	7,537 06					
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,849 87					
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	62 56					
	Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....	1,374 65					
		\$1,284,334 58					
	Balance .....	\$1,787,405 59					
		1,075,218 75					
		\$2,862,624 34					\$2,862,624 34

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February 9, 1895. By Balance.....

JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

\$1,075,218 75

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending February 9, 1895.

1895. Jan. 31 Feb. 9					SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
					DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	By Balance, as per last account current.....					\$177,399 31		\$502,056 88
	Street Improvement Fund.....			Gilson.....	\$1,205 20			
	Assessment Fund.....			".....	207 80			
	Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund.....			Healy.....	400 59			
	Sundry Licenses.....			O'Brien.....	2,546 00			
	Market Rents and Fees.....			".....	11,137 54			
	Market Cellar Rents.....			Phelan.....	749 58			
	Dock and Slip Rents.....			Gallatin National Bank.....	96,089 58			
	Interest on Deposits.....			National Bank of America.....	8 49			
	".....			Real Estate Trust Company.....	10 14			
	".....			Chase National Bank.....	16 60			
	".....			Chatham National Bank.....	43 84			
	".....			Corn Exchange Bank.....	10 96			
	".....			East River National Bank.....	11 78			
	".....			First National Bank.....	1 10			
	".....			Fourth National Bank.....	169 86			
	".....			Germania Bank.....	297 26			
	".....			Irving National Bank.....	284 16			
	".....			Mechanics' National Bank.....	9 59			
	".....			Merchants' Exchange National Bank.....	10 96			
	".....			National City Bank.....	126 01			
	".....			Park National Bank.....	18 77			
	".....			Shoe and Leather National Bank.....	127 40			
	".....			National Union Bank.....	1 10			
	".....			New York National Exchange Bank.....	168 49			
	".....			Seaboard National Bank.....	1 37			
	".....			Seventh National Bank.....	3 29			
	".....			Southern National Bank.....	86 11			
	".....			Western National Bank.....	13 42			
	".....			Continental Trust Company.....	127 39			
	".....			Knickerbocker Trust Company.....	26 57			
	".....			Manhattan Trust Company.....	175 53			
	".....			New York Surety and Trust Company.....	372 03			
	".....			Metropolitan Trust Company.....	378 09			
	".....			Hanover National Bank.....	9 59			
	".....			Mechanics and Traders' National Bank.....	10 14			
	".....			Washington Trust Company.....	42 46			
	".....			Bank of New York.....	42 47			
	".....			Bowery Bank.....	11 23			
	".....			Central National Bank.....	127 39			
	".....			Continental National Bank.....	8 49			
	".....			Garfield National Bank.....	127 40			
	".....			Broadway National Bank.....	198 74			
	".....			National Bank of the Republic.....	1 91			
	".....			Central Trust Company.....	82			
	".....			Citizens' National Bank.....	16 98			
	".....			New York Guarantee and Indemnity Company.....	1 09			
	Sinking Fund Redemption—Revenue from Investment.....				8 49			
					20,067 00			
	Amounts forward.....					\$135,371 29		
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents.....			Austen.....		\$312,770 60		\$502,056 88
	".....			Gilson.....	\$1,480 62			
	Interest on Croton Water Rents.....			".....	2,418 34			
	Croton Water Rents and Penalties.....			Riley.....	384 41			
	House Rent.....			O'Brien.....	46,156 78			
	Ground Rent.....			".....	2,712 14			
	Ferry Rent.....			".....	1,825 00			
	Court Fees and Fines.....			Perley.....	17,729 50			
	".....			Bernard.....	589 00			
	".....			Carroll.....	193 00			
	".....			Harburger.....	205 00			
	".....			Galligan.....	344 50			
	".....			Wagstaff.....	284 00			
	".....			Germaine.....	479 67			
	".....			Bruns.....	115 06			
	".....			Mangin.....	255 50			
	".....			McGoldrick.....	250 50			
	".....			Boese.....	2,406 03			
	".....			Cregier.....	278 07			
	".....			Donnelly.....	12 00			
	".....			Duane.....	353 50			
	".....			Keating.....	497 45			
	".....			Hayes.....	4,541 00			
	".....			Costigan.....	332 50			
	".....			McCabe.....	100 00			
	".....			Williams.....	136 50			
	".....			Nolan.....	173 75			
	".....			Farley.....	412 00			
	".....			Kennedy.....	1,031 00			
	".....			Britton.....	301 50			
	".....			Fallon.....	28 00			
	".....			Hannemann.....	242 00			
	".....			Ledwith.....	479 87			
	".....			Wagstaff.....	1,374 00			
	".....			Boese.....	345 00			
	".....			Purroy.....	210 00			
	".....				636 00			
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption.....					\$190,533 62		89,403 19
	To Sinking Fund—Interest.....						\$20,392 00	
	To Balances.....					122,236 98	571,068 07	
						\$312,770 60	\$591,460 07	\$591,460 07

February 9, 1895. By Balances.....

\$122,236 98

\$571,068 07

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JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending February 9, 1895. CR.

1895. Feb. 9	To Jury Fees.....	\$2,060 00	1895. Jan. 31	By Balance.....		\$23,129 00
	Balance .....	21,069 00				
		\$23,129 00				\$23,129 00

February 9, 1895. By Balance.....

JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

\$21,069 00

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending February 9, 1895. CR.

1895. Feb. 9	To Interest Registered.....	\$77,634 00	1895. Jan. 31	By Balance.....		\$48,650 35
	Balance .....	30,955 35		Interest Registered.....		59,939 00
		\$108,589 35				\$108,589 35

February 9, 1895. By Balance.....

JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE Chamberlain.

\$30,955 35

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain, during the week ending February 9, 1895. CR.

1895. Feb. 9	To Witness Fees.....	\$12 50	1895. Jan. 31	By Balance.....		\$230 85
	Balance .....	218 35				
		\$230 85				\$230 85

February 9, 1895. By Balance.....

JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

\$218 35



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, February 16, 1895.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending February 9, 1895:

## Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$32,362 06
For penalties, water rents.....	125 25
For tapping Croton pipes.....	66 00
For sewer permits.....	362 80
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	429 00

Total.....\$33,345 11

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the Week ending February 9, 1895, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, Gals. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	Observed.	Corrected.
Feb. 4	4:30 P.M.	60.	29.81	{ Consolidated, Branch 1.. }	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.63	5.00	114.9	27.12	25.98	
" 5	1:30 P.M.	60.	30.06	"	"	.62	5.00	115.4	24.00	23.08	
" 6	1:30 P.M.	51.	30.06	"	"	.62	5.00	120.0	21.60	21.60	
" 7	1:00 P.M.	52.	29.80	"	"	.39	5.00	121.5	20.20	20.44	
									Average.	22.77	
Feb. 4	5 P.M.	60.	29.81	{ Consolidated, Branch 2.. }	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.56	5.00	123.0	22.54	22.54	
" 5	1 P.M.	60.	30.06	"	"	.58	5.00	114.1	23.40	22.21	
" 6	1 P.M.	51.	30.06	"	"	.58	5.00	124.5	18.90	19.60	
" 7	12:30 P.M.	52.	29.80	"	"	.55	5.00	124.0	17.80	18.38	
									Average.	20.69	
Feb. 4	4 P.M.	60.	29.81	{ Consolidated, Branch 3.. }	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.66	5.00	116.7	29.66	28.86	
" 5	2 P.M.	60.	30.06	"	"	.66	5.00	115.8	28.44	27.44	
" 6	12:30 P.M.	51.	30.06	"	"	.66	5.00	122.0	25.80	25.22	
" 7	12 M.	52.	29.80	"	"	.64	5.00	121.0	24.00	24.20	
									Average.	26.68	
Feb. 4	5:30 P.M.	66.	29.94	{ Consolidated, Branch 4.. }	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.65	5.00	125.0	20.88	21.74	
" 5	10:30 A.M.	56.	30.13	"	"	.69	5.00	122.0	22.36	22.72	
" 6	2 P.M.	52.	30.01	"	"	.69	5.00	122.0	19.80	20.12	
" 7	2:30 P.M.	54.	29.71	"	"	.67	5.00	115.4	21.80	20.96	
									Average.	21.38	
Feb. 4	6 P.M.	66.	29.94	{ Consolidated, Branch 6.. }	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.71	5.00	122.4	25.28	25.80	
" 5	10 A.M.	56.	30.13	"	"	.71	5.00	122.4	24.00	24.49	
" 6	2:30 P.M.	52.	30.01	"	"	.72	5.00	123.0	21.70	22.24	
" 7	2 P.M.	54.	29.71	"	"	.73	5.00	117.6	23.40	22.94	
									Average.	23.87	
Feb. 4	3:30 P.M.	60.	29.81	N. Y. Mutual	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.67	5.00	120.0	30.02	30.02	
" 5	2:30 P.M.	60.	30.06	"	"	.68	5.00	121.5	28.80	29.14	
" 6	12 M.	51.	30.06	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	25.20	25.20	
" 7	11:30 A.M.	52.	29.80	"	"	.68	5.00	120.0	25.00	25.00	
									Average.	27.31	
Feb. 4	3 P.M.	60.	20.81	Equitable	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.67	5.00	117.6	29.86	29.28	
" 5	3 P.M.	60.	30.06	"	"	.68	5.00	114.9	29.20	27.98	
" 6	11:30 A.M.	51.	30.06	"	"	.68	5.00	122.4	25.40	25.92	
" 7	11 A.M.	52.	29.80	"	"	.67	5.00	122.0	25.60	26.12	
									Average.	27.32	
Feb. 4	6:30 P.M.	66.	29.94	Standard	Bray's Silt Union, 7	.74	5.00	123.5	27.48	28.26	
" 5	9:30 A.M.	56.	30.13	"	"	.74	5.00	118.1	28.04	27.60	
" 6	3 P.M.	52.	30.01	"	"	.75	5.00	121.0	25.00	25.20	
" 7	1:30 P.M.	54.	29.71	"	"	.76	5.00	120.0	25.40	25.40	
									Average.	26.61	

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D., Gas Examiner.

## Public Lamps.

8 new lamp-posts erected, 1 old lamp relighted, 3 old lamps discontinued, 6 lamp-posts removed, 3 lamp-posts reset, 1 lamp-post straightened, 3 columns relined, 1 column refitted, 12 service pipes refitted, 13 stand pipes refitted.

## Permits Issued.

14 permits to tap Croton pipes, 17 permits to open streets, 11 permits to make sewer connections, 7 permits to repair sewer connections, 60 permits to place building material on streets, 10 permits, special.

## Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

6 receiving-basins relieved, 107 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 1,375 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 18 lineal feet new pipe sewer laid, 5,900 lineal feet of sewer examined, 1 manhole head reset, 1 receiving-basin repaired, 1 new manhole head and cover put on, 1 new manhole cover put on, 23 cubic feet of brickwork built, 3 square yards of pavement relaid, 82 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 245 cart loads of dirt removed.

## Obstructions Removed.

18 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending February 9, 1895.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	29	89	5	11
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2	15	3	..
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	76	130	1	21
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	1	19	3	1
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	22	48	..	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements.....	73	67	2	16
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	23	65	5	8
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	7	1	..
Total.....	234	440	20	84
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	1	4	..	..

## Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Regulating and grading Two Hundred and Third street, from Amsterdam avenue to United States channel line, Harlem river..	William F. Cunningham.....	\$7,820 40

## Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$17,029.45.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

## ALDERMANIC COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

Legislation. Salaries and Offices.  
Law.  
LEGISLATION—The Committee on Legislation will hold a meeting Tuesday, March 19, at 12 M.

LAW—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Tuesday, March 19, at 12 o'clock M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall.

LAW—The Committee on Law Department will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 20, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider petition of storekeepers to remove hack stand in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Eighth avenue.

SALARIES AND OFFICES—The Committee on Salaries and Offices will hold a meeting on Tuesday, March 19, at 12 o'clock M., in Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall.

WM. H. TEN EYCK,

Clerk Common Council.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Public Works—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

Council to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Public Administrator—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney—No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Public Parks—Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

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

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

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

Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Supreme Court—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13. Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15.

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

Court of Common Pleas—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10:30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I, Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.  
City Court—City Hall, General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Oyer and Terminer Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Police Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb's, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third

District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, March 19, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.  
Dated New York, March 12, 1895.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,  
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, February 27, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held at this office at 10 o'clock A. M. on the dates specified:  
March 20. INSPECTOR in Mayor's Marshal's Office.  
March 20. LAW CLERK, Health Department.  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, March 19, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

CHARLES H. KNOX,

Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.  
Dated New York, March 12, 1895.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1895, are open and will remain open for examination and correction until the thirtieth day of April, 1895.

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

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

EDWARD P. BARKER,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,  
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, March 13, 1895.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following articles:

915,393 pounds, more or less, Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay.  
219,992 pounds, more or less, good clean long Rye Straw.

1,450,659 pounds, more or less, clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

2,000 pounds, more or less, Oil Meal.  
1,000 pounds, more or less, Rock Salt.  
66,150 pounds, more or less, of Bran.  
6,000 pounds, more or less, Coarse Salt.

—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Friday, March 23, 1895, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the Department Stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C; No. 614 West Fifty-second street; Nos. 625, 627 and 629 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street; East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, near Pleasant avenue; No. 387 West Twelfth street; East Eighth street, between Avenues A and B; Nos. 424 and 426 East Forty-eighth street; No. 44 Hamilton street, and One Hundred and Fifty-second street, near Courtlandt avenue, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications,



person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,  
NEW YORK, March 19, 1895.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following: One Delahanty Self-propelling Automatic Dumper, capable of containing 600 cubic yards of street sweepings, ashes, garbage and refuse, and to be in all respects seaworthy.

—will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the office of said Department, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, in the City of New York, until 3 o'clock P. M., March 29, 1895, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

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

Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the above shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Commissioner of Street Cleaning 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 Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of seventeen thousand (\$17,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of eight hundred and fifty (\$850) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is

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

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

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

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, March 13, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at Public Auction, at Stable "A" of said Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, on Tuesday, the 26th day of March, 1895, at 1 o'clock P. M.:

60,000 pounds more or less of malleable and cast scrap iron, 6,000 pounds (more or less) of old rope, 1 truck body, 1 cart body, 1 leather-covered lounge, 65 horses, 3 mules.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to withdraw from the sale any horses or mules he may desire.

TERMS OF SALE.—The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold. Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the stable within twenty-four hours after the sale. Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Property Clerk, at Stable "A," corner of Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

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

#### NOTICE.

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

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$2,744,923.02 GOLD BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION. EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO INVEST IN THESE BONDS.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following coupon or registered bonds and stocks of the City of New York, to wit:

\$132,447.50 "CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1914, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 and chapter 368 of the Laws of 1894, for the acquisition of Street Cleaning Plant, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 6, 1894. This stock is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 13, 1895.

\$108,015 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "FIRE DEPARTMENT BONDS."

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1914, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, for the purchase of sites for Fire Department buildings, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 9, 1894, July 31, 1894, and October 3, 1894. This stock is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 13, 1895.

\$1,584,371 "CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1924, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and has been authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted March 12, 1895, for the purpose of paying the awards, costs, charges and expenses, etc., of acquiring Mulberry Bend Park, pursuant to chapter 300 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895, and is

#### EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 13, 1895.

\$220,902.42 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "SCHOOL HOUSE BONDS."

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1914, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

These bonds are issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 459 of the Laws of 1894, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and for other school purposes, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education, and are

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 13, 1895.

\$250,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "ADDITIONAL CROTON-WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

—authorized by sections 132, 134 and 141 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 5, 1894, and March 12, 1895.

The principal shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1914, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year, and the said stock is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted February 11, 1895, and March 13, 1895.

\$450,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK," FOR THE SANITARY PROTECTION OF THE WATER SUPPLY.

—authorized by sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted March 12, 1895.

The principal shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1914, with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year, and the said stock is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 13, 1895.

AUTHORITY FOR TRUST INVESTMENTS. Attention is called to the provisions of an act passed by the Legislature March 14, 1889, authorizing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees, and others holding trust funds to invest such funds in the stocks or bonds of the City of New York.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided also, "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 18, 1895.

#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

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

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 25 to May 1, 1895.

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

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

PETER F. MEYER, Auctioneer.  
SALE OF THE FERRIES FROM BARCLAY, CHRISTOPHER AND FOURTEENTH STREETS, NORTH RIVER, TO HOBOKEN, N. J.

THE FRANCHISES OF THE FERRIES FROM Barclay, Christopher and Fourteenth streets, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction, to the highest bidders, at his office, room No. 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on Friday, the 23d day of March, 1895, at twelve o'clock M., together with the wharf property belonging to the Corporation of the said city (including land under water), now used and required for said ferry purposes, for a term of ten years, from March 1, 1895, and upon the following terms and conditions of sale, and upon the following appraisement of the minimum or upset price and value of said franchises and wharf property, namely:

The ferry from Fourteenth street, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey: annual rental of franchise and of wharf property, \$8,584.

The ferry from Barclay street, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey: annual rental of franchise and of wharf property, \$20,102.25.

The ferry from Christopher street, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey: annual rental of franchise and of wharf property, \$22,500.

No bids will be received which shall be less than the respective values as above described. The highest

bidders will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and to deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of sale, twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the annual rental, to be credited on the first quarter's rent or to be forfeited to the City if the leases are not executed by the purchasers when notified that they are ready for execution.

The lessees will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rent, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the leases and the payment of the rent quarterly in advance.

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Common Council relative to ferries, that the lessees will maintain and operate the ferries during the whole term, and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and frequency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Mayor and Comptroller shall be final; also conditions that the lessees of the ferries will dredge the ferry slips, as required by the Department of Docks, and that during the term of the leases they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order all and singular the boats, racks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures at the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkhead, or piers from collision by their ferries or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition, free of cost and expense to the City of New York; and, also, that if at any time during the term of the leases, the Department of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes, in order to proceed with the water-front improvement in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees, three months in advance, of the intention of the said Department; and also that the rates of ferrage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged. Sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Comptroller, when required by him, and the books of account of the ferries shall be subject to his inspection.

The leases shall also contain a covenant, providing for the purchase, at a fair valuation, of the boats, buildings and other property of the lessees used in and actually necessary for the operation of the said ferries, upon the termination of the leases and the surrender and yielding up of the premises by the lessees if the lessees shall not become the purchasers for another term; but the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York shall not be deemed thereby to covenant to purchase said property in any event.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if it is deemed for the interest of the City.

The form of lease which the purchasers will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller, and is made part of these terms of sale.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted February 28, 1895.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 9, 1895.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, March 20, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN REPAIRING AND BUILDING PONTOONS FOR THE FREE FLOATING BATHS, REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE ROOFS, AND PAINTING FIFTEEN FREE FLOATING BATHS, AND REPAIRING AND FURNISHING SIGNAL LAMPS, AND REPAIRING PUMPS AND HOPPERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 14, No. 31 Chambers street.

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



## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 481, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Melrose avenue, between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets; and in Courtlandt avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets; and in Railroad avenue, East, east side, between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets; and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Courtlandt avenue and summit west of Courtlandt avenue; and in One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, between Courtlandt avenue and Railroad avenue, East; and in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Courtlandt avenue and Railroad avenue, East; and in One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Elton avenue and Railroad avenue, East; and in One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Elton avenue and Railroad avenue, East.

List 480, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Hancock place to Amsterdam avenue, with asphalt pavement.

List 481, No. 3. Paving Seventy-first street, from West End avenue to Hudson river wall, with asphalt pavement.

List 482, No. 4. Alterations and improvement to receiving-basins on the northeast and northwest corners of Gouverneur and Water streets.

List 484, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from the existing sewer at the west house-line of Union avenue to Prospect avenue, and in Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to summit south.

List 485, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Third to Elton avenue, with trap blocks.

List 486, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from the existing sewer 55 feet west of Anthony avenue to Morris avenue.

List 487, No. 8. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from existing sewer in Railroad avenue, West, to Morris avenue.

List 487, No. 9. Sewers in Convent avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, and between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets.

List 488, No. 10. Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Central Park, West, and Manhattan avenue.

List 489, No. 11. Sewer in Ninety-third street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 490, No. 12. Sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between Riverside and West End avenues.

List 491, No. 13. Sewer in Fifth avenue, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

List 492, No. 14. Sewers and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from existing sewer in Webster avenue to Third avenue, with branches in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets.

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

No. 1. East side of Railroad avenue, East, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street; both sides of Courtlandt avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fourth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street; both sides of Melrose avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-second street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets, extending about 445 feet westerly from Courtlandt avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth, One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, from Elton avenue to Railroad avenue, East.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Hancock place to Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-first street, from West End avenue to the Hudson River Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of West End avenue.

No. 4. Block bounded by Scammel and Montgomery streets, Water and Cherry streets.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Prospect avenue to Union avenue, and both sides of Prospect avenue, extending about 425 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Third to Elton avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Anthony avenue to Monroe place; both sides of Topping street, from Walnut street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; both sides of Monroe place, from Walnut street to One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and both sides of Walnut street, from Monroe place to Topping street.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Railroad avenue, West, to Morris avenue, and both sides of Teller avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

No. 9. Both sides of Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Central Park, West, to Manhattan avenue, west side of Central Park, West, extending about 101 feet north and south of One Hundred and Second street, and east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Second to One Hundred and Third street.

No. 11. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 12. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 13. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street.

No. 14. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Fulton avenue to Webster avenue; both sides of Washington and Third avenues, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and both sides of Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to 265 feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 18th day of April, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 18, 1895.

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

List 489, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with asphalt.

List 491, No. 2. Flagging and reflagging west side of Lenox avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-first

and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets, and between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets.

List 486, No. 3. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Harlem river and Fifth avenue.

List 487, No. 4. Sewer in Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. West side of Lenox avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.

No. 4. Both sides of Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 12th day of April, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 12, 1895.

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

List 3799, No. 1. Regulating and grading Brook avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point 487 feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-second street, together with the approaches thereto.

List 4790, No. 2. Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, Vanderbilt avenue, East, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the Twenty-third Ward line; setting curbstones on the westerly side of the avenue and laying crosswalks.

List 4791, No. 3. Regulating and paving, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks in Railroad avenue, East, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

List 4792, No. 4. Paving Seventy-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Brook avenue, from a point distant about 487 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues, including both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to half the distance to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, north, to the Twenty-third Ward line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Railroad avenue, East, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 8th day of April, 1895.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1895.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**  
PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** Dry Goods, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, March 27, 1895.

**DRY GOODS.**  
90,000 yards Bleached Muslin, 36", "Dwight Anchor."  
60,000 yards Bleached Muslin, 54", "Dwight Anchor."

10,000 yards "Ticking," "Cordis Mill A. C. E." or "Pearl River."  
12,000 yards Blue Denim, Amoskeag "Silver Fox."  
34,000 yards Huckabuck Toweling.

24,000 yards Flannel, 27", "Farmer's."  
42,000 yards Sacking, 50", "Huguenot."  
6,000 yards Crash Dish Toweling, "Stevens' All Linen."

10,000 yards Seersucker, "Bates Mill."  
45,000 yards Gingham, "Johnson Manufacturing Company Bookfold."

4,500 yards Damask for Table Cloths.  
3,000 yards Bleached Cottons, "Pioneer" or "Dauntless."

5,000 yards Diaper Toweling.  
2,200 White Toilet Quilts, "Bates."  
2,500 Women's Hoods, full sizes and assorted colors, as required.

2,000 Women's Woolen Shawls, "Arctic."  
1,500 Women's Woolen Jackets.  
2,500 pairs Women's Woolen Mitts.  
3,700 pairs Woolen Blankets, "Kerseys," to average 7 pounds each and measure 84" by 60".

500 pairs Men's Leather Boots, Nos. 7 to 10.  
600 pairs Men's Rubber Boots, Nos. 7 to 10, "Candee."

420 dozen Men's Knit Shirts, sizes as follows:  
50 30", 60 32", 40 34", 50 36", 75 38", 85 40", 60 42".

420 dozen Men's Knit Drawers, sizes as follows:  
50 28", 60 30", 40 32", 50 34", 75 36", 85 38", 60 40".

460 dozen Women's Knit Undervests, sizes as per specifications.  
460 dozen Women's Knit Drawers, sizes as per specifications.  
2,500 Rubber Sheets, 16 grommets each.

300 Men's Rubber Coats, 42" and 44", half each.  
700 Summer Helmets, with Department devices,  
119 6 1/2", 228 6 1/2", 275 7", 63 7 1/4", 15 7 3/8".

2,400 Men's Malaga Hats, assorted sizes, as follows:  
550 6 1/2", 600 6 1/2", 750 7", 500 7 1/4".

3,000 Men's Canvas Hats, assorted sizes, as follows:  
725 6 1/2", 940 7", 765 7 1/4", 520 7 1/2", 50 7 3/4".

3,700 Women's Straw Hats, assorted sizes, as follows:  
1,850 6 1/2", 1,850 7".

250 pieces "Valenciennes" Lace for Attendants' caps.  
150 Oil-skin Suits, with "Sou-Westers," "Tower's" best quality.

1,800 pounds "Stewart's" Barbour's, or Knox's first quality W. B. & D. B. Linen Machine Thread, on 2 ounce spools, 16 ounces to the pound, viz.: 400 pounds W. Brown, No. 30; 400 pounds W. Brown, No. 50; 400 pounds W. Brown, No. 60; 200 pounds D. Blue, No. 30; 200 pounds D. Blue, No. 50; 200 pounds D. Blue, No. 60.

600 pounds first quality W. B. & D. B. Linen Thread (in skeins), 16 ounces to the pound, "Stewart's" Barbour's or Knox's as follows: 400 pounds W. Brown, No. 30; 200 pounds D. Blue, No. 30.

All thread to accord strictly with the numbers marked on same.  
3,000 Summer Suits for men, to be made strictly in accordance with specifications to be furnished.

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

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1895.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**  
PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** Groceries, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, March 27, 1895.

**GROCERIES.**  
24,000 pounds Oolong Tea "Formosa," in half chests, free from all admixture and in original packages as imported.

68,750 pounds Rio Coffee (roasted).  
30,000 pounds Cheese, State Factory, full cream, fine, and bearing the State brand stenciled on each box.

37,000 pounds Dried Apples "evaporated."  
19,200 pounds California Prunes (50 or 70 per pound).  
20,250 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
220,000 pounds Granulated Sugar (Standard).  
178 barrels N. O. Molasses.

5,250 barrels White Potatoes, to be good, sound, and of fair size, to weigh 172 pounds net to the barrel; sample barrels in advance of each delivery to be furnished if required.

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

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The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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



## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

## NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
NEW YORK, March 7, 1895.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS,  
will sell at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery  
place, in the City of New York, on

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1895,

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

## ON THE NORTH RIVER.

For a term of ten years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 1. Northerly half of Pier, old 12, Pier, old 13,  
southerly half of Pier, old 14, and bulkhead between  
said piers, together with the sheds thereon.  
Lot 2. Pier at foot of Gansevoort street, together  
with shed thereon, with privilege of repairing or  
renewing same if necessary.

For a term of five years from May 1, 1897:  
Lot 3. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-  
ninth street, together with the extension to be built  
thereto, with reservation for dump of Department of  
Street Cleaning on southerly side of said pier.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 4. Pier, old 40.  
Lot 5. Pier at foot of Bethune street.

Lot 6. Easterly 120 feet of bulkhead along southerly  
side of West Eleventh street (extended).

Lot 7. Northerly side and outer end of Pier at the foot  
of West Twelfth street, with privilege of maintaining  
a dump thereon.

Lot 8. Pier at foot of West Sixteenth street.  
Lot 9. Bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55.

Lot 10. Pier at foot of West Forty-sixth street, with  
privilege of maintaining a dumping-board at inner end  
of pier.

Lot 11. Northerly 83 feet of bulkhead between West  
Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.

Lot 12. Southerly 30 feet of bulkhead at the foot of  
West Sixtieth street.

Lot 13. Pier at foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-  
fourth street, with reservation for berth for public bath.

## ON THE EAST RIVER.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 14. Wharf structures at inner westerly end of  
surface of Pier, old 35.

Lot 15. Undivided ninth part of Pier, old 42.  
Lot 16. Northerly half of Pier, old 58, and bulkhead  
between Piers, old 58 and 59, as Pier, old 59, formerly  
existed.

Lot 17. Pier at foot of East Fifth street.  
Lot 18. Bulkhead at foot of East Twentieth street.

Lot 19. Pier at foot of East Twenty-ninth street.  
Lot 20. Bulkhead at foot of East Thirty-sixth street.

Lot 21. Bulkhead at foot of East Fortieth street.  
Lot 22. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-first street.

Lot 23. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-third street.  
Lot 24. Bulkhead at foot of East Forty-fourth street.

Lot 25. Filled-in land easterly of original high-water  
mark in front of southerly half of block between East  
Sixty-second and East Sixty-third streets, together with  
platform in front of same.

Lot 26. Filled-in land easterly of original high-water  
mark in front of the northerly half of the block be-  
tween East Sixty-second and East Sixty-third streets,  
together with platform in front of same.

Lot 27. Bulkhead at foot of East Sixty-third street.  
Lot 28. Pier at foot of East Ninety-sixth street.

## ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

For a term of three years from May 1, 1895:  
Lot 29. Bulkhead at foot of East One Hundred and  
Fourth street.

Lot 30. Pier at foot of East One Hundred and Seven-  
teenth street.

Lot 31. Bulkhead at foot of East One Hundred and  
Thirty-seventh street.

Lot 32. Bulkhead foot One Hundred and Fifty-sixth  
street.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which  
they may be at the commencement of the term of the  
lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or  
property are not in suitable and tenable condition at  
the commencement of the term will be allowed by this  
Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertise-  
ment of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the  
privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulk-  
head at the commencement of the term or that may  
hereafter be permitted or licensed by the De-  
partment, and to the rights attached to such per-  
mission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof,  
such purchaser being engaged in the business of  
steam transportation, and using and employing the  
same for the purpose of regularly receiving and dis-  
charging cargo thereat.

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

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

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

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in  
arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon  
debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or other-

wise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the  
Corporation of the City of New York.

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

Dated New York, March 7, 1895.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
ANDREW J. WHITE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS  
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1895.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1895, AT 10  
o'clock A. M., the following-described Horses, now  
being used by this Department, will be sold at Public  
Auction, at the Department Yard, College avenue, be-  
tween One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred  
and Forty-fourth streets:

1 bay Mare, 15 hands high; 1 dark brown Mare, 15½  
hands high; 1 bay Horse, 16 hands high; 1 sorrel  
Horse, 14½ hands high.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash payments in bankable funds  
at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal  
of the horses, otherwise purchaser will forfeit the same,  
together with all moneys paid therefor, and the Depart-  
ment will proceed to resell.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

Commissioner of Street Improvements of the  
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS  
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, March 12, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF  
the following-mentioned works, with the title of  
the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon,  
also the number of the work, as in the advertisement,  
will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improve-  
ments of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards,  
at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hun-  
dred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on  
Thursday, March 28, 1895, at which place and hour  
they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING,  
WHERE REQUIRED, BROKEN TRAP-  
ROCK STONE, ALONG CERTAIN  
ROADS, AVENUES AND STREETS IN  
THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-  
FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF  
NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING  
WHERE REQUIRED, BROKEN TOM-  
KINS COVE, OR OTHER BLUE STONE  
EQUALLY AS GOOD, ALONG CERTAIN  
ROADS, AVENUES AND STREETS IN  
THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-  
FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF  
NEW YORK.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH  
GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE  
ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND  
FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Mott  
avenue to Rider avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH  
GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE  
CARRIAGEWAY OF AND LAYING  
CROSSWALKS IN ELION AVENUE,  
from the northerly crosswalk of One Hun-  
dred and Fifty-third street to the south-  
westerly crosswalk of Brook avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING  
CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDE-  
WALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS  
IN BRIGGS AVENUE, from the Southern  
Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING  
CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDE-  
WALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS  
IN BAINBRIDGE AVENUE, from South-  
ern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND AP-  
PURTENANCES IN DENMAN PLACE,  
from Forest avenue to Union avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

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

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS  
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,  
NEW YORK, March 7, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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the following-mentioned works, with the title of  
the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon,  
also the number of the work, as in the advertisement,  
will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improve-  
ments of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth  
Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of  
One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M.,  
on Wednesday, March 20, 1895, at which place and  
hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SET-  
TING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING  
THE SIDEWALKS IN TRINITY AVENUE,  
from One Hundred and Sixty-third street to  
One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND AP-  
PURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED  
AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from the  
existing sewer at the west house-line of  
Franklin avenue to the summit east, with  
branch in Franklin avenue, from One Hun-  
dred and Sixty-ninth street to the summit  
north.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND AP-  
PURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED  
AND FORTIETH AND ONE HUNDRED  
AND FORTY-FIRST STREETS, between  
the existing sewer in Walnut avenue and  
Locust avenue.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND  
APPURTENANCES IN ST. JOSEPH'S  
STREET, between Bungay street and  
Timpson place.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 15, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE  
following-mentioned work, with the title of  
the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon,  
will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its  
offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until 2 o'clock  
P. M., on Wednesday, March 27, 1895:  
FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CORLEARS  
HOOK PARK, BOUNDED BY CHERRY,  
CORLEARS, SOUTH AND JACKSON  
STREETS, IN THE SEVENTH WARD OF  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

- 8,500 cubic yards excavation of earth, paving and  
other stones, masonry and all other solid  
material.
- 500 cubic yards filling to be furnished, in place.
- 13,750 cubic yards garden mould to be furnished, in  
place.
- 2,425 linear feet six-inch blue-stone curb, straight  
on face, including circular corners, to fur-  
nish and set.
- 2,200 linear feet fourteen-inch blue-stone edging,  
two and one-half inches thick, straight on  
face.
- 4,900 linear feet fourteen-inch blue-stone edging,  
two and one-half inches thick, curved on  
face.
- 31 walk-basins, two feet six inches interior diam-  
eter, with cast-iron curb and grating.
- 10 surface basins, three feet interior diameter,  
with twenty-four-inch circular cast-iron  
curb and grating.
- 3 receiving-basins to be built complete.
- 1 receiving-basin to be built, except cap and  
gutter stones and iron covers and guards.
- 50 linear feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware pipe  
in culverts, to furnish and lay.
- 800 linear feet eight-inch vitrified stoneware pipe,  
to furnish and lay.
- 1,200 linear feet six-inch vitrified stoneware pipe,  
to furnish and lay.
- 119,000 square feet pavement of concrete and mortar  
of Portland cement for walks, including  
rubble-stone foundation.
- 130,000 square feet sod to furnish and lay.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after  
the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed

on or before the FIRST day of OCTOBER, 1895. The  
damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that  
the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled  
after the time fixed for the completion thereof has ex-  
pired, will be fixed at TWENTY DOLLARS per day.  
The amount of security required is FORTY THOU-  
SAND DOLLARS.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in  
the City of New York, with their respective places of  
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract  
be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will,  
on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for  
its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or re-  
fuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Cor-  
poration any difference between the sum to which he would  
be entitled on its completion, and that which the Cor-  
poration may be obliged to pay to the person or  
persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any  
subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be cal-  
culated upon the estimated amount of the work  
by which the bids are tested. The consent  
above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or  
affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the  
same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City  
of New York, and is worth the amount of the security  
required for the completion of this contract, over and  
above all his debts of every nature, and over and above  
his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he  
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with  
the intention to execute the bond required by section  
27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City  
of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the  
person or persons for whom he consents to become  
surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security  
offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City  
of New York.

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

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

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

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

DAVID H. KING, JR.,

GEO. G. HAVEN,

JAMES A. ROOSEVELT,

A. D. JULLIARD,

Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET, March 14, 1895.

## FILLING.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC PARKS  
will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street,  
until 2 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, March 20, 1895, receive  
proposals for the privilege of dumping clean earth filling,  
subject to inspection, where required on Morningside  
Park, north of One Hundred and Twentieth street,  
the same to be delivered in such quantities as may be  
from time to time required, to the extent of 4,000 cubic  
yards, such quantity to be increased or decreased by an  
amount not exceeding twenty-five per cent., as the needs  
may determine. Proposals must state the sum in gross  
offered for the privilege of furnishing the quantity  
named, or any portion thereof, which sum will be  
required to be paid by the highest bidder upon receiving  
the privilege. By order of the Commissioners of Public  
Parks. CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 8, 1895.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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following-mentioned work, with the title of  
the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon,  
will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its  
offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until 2 o'clock  
P. M., on Wednesday, March 20, 1895:  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 10,000  
CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENED GRAVEL OF  
THE QUALITY KNOWN AS ROA HOOK  
GRAVEL, WHERE REQUIRED ON THE  
CENTRAL PARK AND RIVERSIDE PARK  
AND AVENUE.

The amount of security required will be TEN THOU-  
SAND DOLLARS.

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



lates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

DAVID H. KING, JR.,  
GEO. G. HAVEN,  
JAMES A. ROOSEVELT,  
A. D. JULLIARD,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, April 1, 1895, for supplying the Furniture required for the New School Buildings on southwest corner St. Nicholas avenue and West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and east side of Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

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

Dated New York, March 18, 1895.  
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, March 27, 1895, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Primary School Building No. 28, at Nos. 178 and 181 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

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

Dated New York, March 14, 1895.  
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, March 25, 1895, for supplying Three New Pianos for Grammar School No. 96, corner Eighty-first street and Avenue A.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,  
JOSEPH FETTER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, March 11, 1895.  
No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, to acquire title to and possession of the lands, lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the lands and lands under water not now owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, necessary to be acquired or extinguished for the exterior or marginal street, wharf or place between Forty-ninth and Fifty-third streets, East river, authorized by chapter 286 of the Laws of 1881, pursuant to a plan determined upon and adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 286 OF THE LAWS** of 1881, and all the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held at Chambers street, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for an exterior or marginal street, wharf or place determined upon, pursuant to chapter 286 of the Laws of 1881, by the Board of Docks on the 8th day of August, 1880, adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 6th day of February, 1894, and thereafter filed in the office of the Department of Docks, a copy of which said plan, duly certified, is filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and in the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, of all the lands, lands under water, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, privileges and emoluments appurtenant thereto, not now owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, lying within the interior and exterior lines of the exterior or marginal street, wharf or place between Forty-ninth and Fifty-third streets, East river, authorized by chapter 286 of the Laws of 1881, which said exterior street, wharf or place is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Forty-ninth street, produced, distant 608 feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, said point being the intersection of the northerly line of Forty-ninth street, produced, by the bulkhead and pierhead line established February 6, 1894; thence running northerly along said bulkhead and pierhead line established February 6, 1894, a distance of 402.28 feet to the southerly line of Fifty-first street, produced, at a point distant 632 feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; thence continuing along said bulkhead and pierhead line and running still northerly at an angle of 175 degrees 0 minutes 35 seconds with last described line, a distance of 526.74 feet to the southerly line of Fifty-third street, at a point distant 705 feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; thence running westerly along the southerly line of Fifty-third street 60.38 feet; thence southerly and parallel with the bulkhead and pierhead line established February 6, 1894, above mentioned, and at a distance of 10 feet therefrom a distance of 520.96 feet; thence continuing southerly and still parallel with the said bulkhead and pierhead line established February 6, 1894, and at a distance of 60 feet therefrom 468.01 feet to the northerly line of Forty-ninth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street 60.08 to the point or place of beginning.

And also all the lands under water, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant thereto, not now owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York and which are not subject to extinguishment or termination by public authorities and which are necessary to be acquired or extinguished, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Fifty-third street, produced, where the same is intersected by a line parallel to Avenue A, and distant 20 feet easterly therefrom, as shown on a map accompanying a certain water grant made by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to John M. Dodd and others, dated July 3, 1853, and recorded in Comptroller's office, Book I. of City Grants, page 187, running thence southerly along said line parallel with Avenue A and 20 feet easterly therefrom 183 feet 3 inches; thence running westerly along a line parallel to Fifty-second street and distant 17 feet 7 inches northerly therefrom 33.64 feet to the bulkhead and pierhead line established February 6, 1894, above mentioned; thence northerly along said last mentioned line 185.03 feet to the southerly line of Fifty-third street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifty-third street, produced, 8 feet to the point or place of beginning, being a portion of the grant to John M. Dodd and others above mentioned and recorded in Comptroller's office in Book I. of City Grants, page 187.

Saving and reserving from and out of the last-described premises so much thereof as by the map attached to said grant forms portions of Avenue A and Fifty-third street for the uses of public streets, avenues and highways.

The grades of the whole of said exterior street, wharf or place, as fixed by the Board of Docks, are shown on maps or profiles duly certified by said Board of Docks and filed in the office of said Board and in the offices of the Register of the City and County of New York, the Commissioner of Public Works of said City and the Secretary of State.

Dated New York, March 18, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Travers street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated October 4, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map, entitled, "Map or Plan, showing change of street system in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York bounded on the north by the Southern Boulevard, on the east by Webster avenue, on the south by Travers street, and on the west by Jerome avenue," dated June 1, 1882, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks on or about the 24th day

of June, 1889; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 26th day of June, 1889, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 27th day of June, 1889, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 18, 1895).

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

Dated New York, March 18, 1895.  
JOHN T. FARLEY,  
GEO. CHAPPELL,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to COURTLANDT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), at its junction with Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Courtlandt avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated New York, September 7, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan, showing the widening of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Third avenue, the public place bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad avenue, East, and the widening of Courtlandt avenue, at its junction with Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as established by the Commissioners of Street Improvement of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under authority of chapter 543 of the Laws of 1892," which said map was filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on the 26th day of August, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of August, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 4th day of September, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 18, 1895).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of April, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 16, 1895.  
APPLETON S. CLARK,  
J. E. DOHERTY,  
JOHN T. FARLEY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable

estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated the 20th day of November, 1894, and signed L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greiffenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on or about the 13th day of June, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 13th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on or about the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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 said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 15, 1895).

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

Dated New York, March 15, 1895.  
GEO. E. MOTT,  
JULIUS WEIL,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 16th day of February, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated November 20, 1894, and signed L. A. Risse, Chief Engineer, per Frederick Greiffenberg, Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map known as Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, which said map was filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of June, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 15th day of June, 1894, and more particularly set forth in the said petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act, entitled, "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York (Room No. 1), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice (March 15, 1895).

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

Dated New York, March 15, 1895.  
JAMES R. TORRANCE,  
T. J. CARLETON, JR.,  
THEODORE WESTON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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



**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (room 1), in said city, on the 26th day of March, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of April, 1895, at the opening of court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.**

Dated New York, March 14, 1895.  
CLIFFORD W. HARRIDGE, Chairman,  
APPLETON S. CLARK,  
PETER MCINTYRE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to three hundred and three feet ten inches of bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier 39, East river, not now owned by the City of New York, 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.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 715, CHAPTER 410** of the Laws of 1882, and all the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided and determined upon by the Department of Docks, on the 13th day of April, 1871, adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and filed in the office of the Department of Docks on the 27th day of April, 1871, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead and pier hereinafter described not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, namely:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of South street, twenty-six feet easterly of the easterly side of Market Slip and extending along the southerly side of South street three hundred and three feet ten inches, more or less, together with all the right, title and interest, not now owned by the City of New York, in and to all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier 39, East river.

Together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements, privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises not now owned by the City of New York.

Dated New York, March 11, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on West street, beginning at the southerly line of Perry street and extending southerly one hundred feet, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 715, CHAPTER 410** of the Laws of 1882, and all the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided and determined upon by the Department of Docks, on the 8th day of March, 1894, adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, on the 30th day of March, 1894, and thereafter filed in the office of the Department of Docks, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, appurtenant to the bulkhead described as follows, namely:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Perry street, extended, with the westerly side of West street; running thence southerly along the westerly side of West street one hundred feet.

Together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements, privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises.

Dated, New York, March 11, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, 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 Bethune street and the centre line of the block between Bethune and Bank streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 715, CHAPTER 410** of the Laws of 1882, and all the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the

State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, and determined upon by the Department of Docks on the 8th day of March, 1894, adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 30th day of March, 1894, and thereafter filed in the office of the Department of Docks, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant thereto, not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, namely:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Bethune street with the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Bethune street to the westerly side of West street; running thence southerly along said westerly side of West street to the centre line of the block between Bethune and Bank streets; running thence westerly along the said centre line to the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue to the southerly side of Bethune street, the point or place of beginning.

Together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements, privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises and appurtenant to the bulkhead along the westerly side of Thirteenth avenue, in front of the above-described premises.

Dated New York, March 11, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 25th day of March, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 25th day of March, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, at No. 2 Tryon Row in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1895.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 5, 1895.  
JAMES H. SOUTHWORTH, Chairman,  
THEODORE E. MITH,  
THOMAS C. DUNHAM,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** it is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 13th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, or in an adjoining county, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners of and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

The real estate sought to be acquired or affected by these proceedings is situate in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, Westchester County, New York, and is laid out and indicated on a certain map, dated December 18, 1894, signed and certified by Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works, and George W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, entitled "Department of Public Works, City of New York; map of lands in the towns of Somers and Yorktown, County of Westchester and State of New York, the use or condition of which does or may injuriously affect the sources of the water supply of New York City proposed to be taken or affected by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of New York City in providing for the sanitary protection of the water supply of said city under the provisions of chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which map was filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 21st day of February, 1895, and a copy or duplicate thereof is now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at No. 31 Chambers street in said city.

The following is a description of the real estate sought to be taken or in which an interest is sought to be acquired: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of real estate in said towns which taken together consti-

tute two tracts, of which the following are the external boundary lines:

All those several and various lots, pieces and parcels of land and real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, situate in the towns aforesaid, and which taken together form two tracts included within the following external boundary lines:

**FIRST PIECE.**  
Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., at the northwesterly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 51 degrees 45 minutes west 760.00 feet; thence (2) north 89 degrees 23 minutes west, crossing Tomahawk street, 1,450.00 feet; thence (3) north 8 degrees 25 minutes west 339.80 feet; thence (4) north 71 degrees 00 minutes east 228.00 feet; thence (5) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 1,009.90 feet; thence (6) north 43 degrees 31 minutes west 471.95 feet; thence (7) north 54 degrees 06 minutes west 624.90 feet; thence (8) north 76 degrees 36 minutes west 599.20 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (9) north 57 degrees 12 minutes west crossing said right of way 126.13 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (10) still north 57 degrees 12 minutes west 211.21 feet; thence (11) north 5 degrees 57 minutes west 675.00 feet; thence (12) north 3 degrees 28 minutes east 1,180.00 feet; thence (13) north 29 degrees 22 minutes south 960.00 feet; thence (14) north 39 degrees 32 minutes south 590.00 feet; thence (15) north 58 degrees 42 minutes south 476.70 feet to the easterly line of Mahopac avenue; thence (16) north 9 degrees 36 minutes west crossing said avenue 188.25 feet to the westerly line of said avenue; thence (17) north 00 degrees 19 minutes east along the westerly line of said avenue 447.50 feet; thence (18) south 83 degrees 23 minutes west 77.82 feet; thence (19) north 13 degrees 03 minutes west 1,006.60 feet; thence (20) north 41 degrees 30 minutes west crossing the road leading to Peekskill 950.23 feet; thence (21) north 6 degrees 33 minutes east 1,474.37 feet to the county line between Westchester and Putnam; thence along said county line 22 north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 311.95 feet to a point in the centre of the Muscoot river on said county line; thence still along said county line (23) north 89 degrees 37 minutes west 338.25 feet; thence (24) south 9 degrees 22 minutes west 971.65 feet; thence (25) south 4 degrees 53 minutes east, crossing the road leading to Peekskill, 809.16 feet; thence (26) south 36 degrees 17 minutes east 675.60 feet; thence (27) south 21 degrees 48 minutes east 934.26 feet; thence (28) south 7 degrees 18 minutes east 825.00 feet; thence (29) south 34 degrees 12 minutes east 981.78 feet; thence (30) south 87 degrees 21 minutes east, crossing Mahopac avenue, 337.38 feet; thence (31) south 31 degrees 32 minutes south 30 seconds east 748.40 feet; thence (32) south 6 degrees 10 minutes west 925.00 feet; thence (33) south 4 degrees 41 minutes east 1,200.00 feet; thence (34) south 59 degrees 26 minutes east 750.00 feet; thence (35) south 77 degrees 11 minutes south 30 seconds east 152.57 feet to the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (36) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes south 30 seconds east 1,009.94 feet to the easterly line of said right of way; thence (37) still south 77 degrees 11 minutes south 30 seconds east 310.12 feet; thence (38) south 49 degrees 36 minutes south 30 seconds east 312.65 feet; thence (39) south 25 degrees 08 minutes south 30 seconds east 750.00 feet; thence (40) south 00 degrees 23 minutes south 30 seconds east 590.00 feet; thence (41) south 34 degrees 43 minutes south 30 seconds east 523.00 feet; thence (42) south 68 degrees 44 minutes south 30 seconds east 647.63 feet to the westerly line of the land taken for Reservoir "A"; thence along the land taken for Reservoir "A" the twelve following courses: (43) north 4 degrees 28 minutes east 151.15 feet; thence (44) north 66 degrees 34 minutes west 476.20 feet; thence (45) north 34 degrees 48 minutes west 407.72 feet; thence (46) north 12 degrees 39 minutes east 184.40 feet; thence (47) south 86 degrees 40 minutes east 49.80 feet to the centre of the Muscoot river; thence (48) still south 86 degrees 49 minutes east 30.23 feet; thence (49) south 14 degrees 25 minutes east 160.30 feet; thence (50) south 84 degrees 00 minutes east 089.52 feet; thence (51) north 78 degrees 13 minutes east, crossing Tomahawk street, 354.70 feet; thence (52) south 76 degrees 01 minute east 424.65 feet; thence (53) north 52 degrees 30 minutes east 668.00 feet; thence (54) north 6 degrees 54 minutes east 249.60 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing one hundred and ninety-three and four hundred and ten one-thousandths (193.410) acres.

#### SECOND PIECE.

Beginning at a monument set in the ground marked D. P. W., on the southerly side of the property taken for Reservoir "A"; thence (1) south 1 degree 46 minutes east 444.64 feet; thence (2) south 75 degrees 01 minute south 30 seconds west 1,039.60 feet; thence (3) north 84 degrees 35 minutes south 30 seconds west 466.08 feet; thence (4) north 2 degrees 03 minutes south 30 seconds west 581.25 feet; thence (5) north 77 degrees 44 minutes south 30 seconds west 548.40 feet; thence (6) north 25 degrees 37 minutes south 30 seconds east 154.43 feet to the southerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (7) still north 25 degrees 37 minutes south 30 seconds east, crossing said road, 187.67 feet; thence (8) north 60 degrees 34 minutes west 490.52 feet; thence (9) south 52 degrees 22 minutes west 85.38 feet to the centre line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence (10) south 00 degrees 46 minutes west 30.50 feet to the southerly line of said road; thence (11) south 53 degrees 44 minutes west along the southerly line of said road 228.32 feet; thence (12) south 88 degrees 59 minutes west 499.47 feet; thence (13) north 79 degrees 31 minutes west 369.24 feet; thence (14) north 83 degrees 48 minutes west 369.24 feet; thence (15) north 7 degrees 35 minutes east 1,111.70 feet; thence (16) south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 255.60 feet to the easterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (17) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 101.07 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; thence (18) still south 86 degrees 47 minutes west 330.84 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to West Somers; (the town line between Somers and Yorktown); thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (19) south 00 degrees 37 minutes west 237.12 feet; thence (20) south 5 degrees 14 minutes east 129.45 feet; thence (21) south 2 degrees 36 minutes west 535.50 feet; thence (22) south 1 degree 06 minutes west 124.02 feet; thence (23) north 5 degrees 10 minutes east 100.72 feet to the northwesterly line of the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence (24) south 40 degrees 12 minutes west along the northwesterly line of said right of way 1,051.52 feet; thence (25) south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 123.77 feet to the southeasterly line of said right of way; thence (26) still south 86 degrees 02 minutes east 585.23 feet to the town-line between Somers and Yorktown; thence (27) north 55 degrees 59 minutes east 667.44 feet; thence (28) south 71 degrees 11 minutes east 691.78 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (29) south 73 degrees 01 minute east 1,046.32 feet; thence (30) south 25 degrees 29 minutes west 431.10 feet; thence (31) north 82 degrees 16 minutes west 489.24 feet; thence (32) south 5 degrees 54 minutes west 230.05 feet; thence (33) north 89 degrees 32 minutes west 344.45 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (34) south 1 degree 27 minutes south 30 seconds west along the easterly line of said road 496.00 feet; thence (35) north 81 degrees 20 minutes east 1,031.52 feet; thence (36) north 56 degrees 30 minutes east 608.35 feet; thence (37) south 89 degrees 32 minutes east 507.66 feet; thence (38) south 87 degrees 59 minutes east 556.38 feet; thence (39) south 62 degrees 42 minutes east 552.60 feet; thence (40) south 10 degrees 47 minutes east 546.67 feet; thence (41) south 74 degrees 28 minutes west 455.60 feet; thence (42) south 12 degrees 14 minutes east 1,875.05 feet; thence (43) south 48 degrees 01 minute east 712.60 feet; thence (44) south 37 degrees 24 minutes east 627.07 feet; thence (45) south 1 degree 41 minutes east 593.88 feet; thence (46) south 69 degrees 45 minutes east 291.44 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (47) still south 69 degrees 45 minutes east, crossing said road, 558.16 feet; thence (48) north 26 degrees 27 minutes east 280.00 feet; thence (49) south 57 degrees 14 minutes east 787.00 feet; thence (50) south 59 degrees 13 minutes east 509.15 feet; thence (51) north 82 degrees 21 minutes east 707.85 feet; thence (52) north 3 degrees 09 minutes west 222.79 feet; thence (53) south 87 degrees 28 minutes south 30 seconds west 94.54 feet; thence (54) south 77 degrees 25 minutes

30 seconds west 207.58 feet; thence (55) north 25 degrees 25 minutes west, crossing the Muscoot river, 130.90 feet; thence (56) north 69 degrees 15 minutes east 43.87 feet; thence (57) north 8 degrees 28 minutes east 268.20 feet; thence (58) north 82 degrees 24 minutes west 547.54 feet; thence (59) north 56 degrees 01 minute west 1,628.26 feet; thence (60) north 00 degrees 16 minutes west 771.04 feet; thence (61) north 28 degrees 01 minute west 237.41 feet to the easterly line of the road leading to Croton Lake; thence (62) still north 28 degrees 01 minute west, crossing said road, 143.80 feet; thence (63) north 61 degrees 31 minutes west 943.17 feet; thence (64) north 14 degrees 47 minutes west 509.00 feet; thence (65) north 35 degrees 28 minutes east 413.20 feet; thence (66) north 9 degrees 50 minutes west 1,469.60 feet; thence (67) north 61 degrees 54 minutes east 145.53 feet to the westerly line of the road leading to Peekskill; thence along the westerly line of said road the five following courses: (68) north 12 degrees 31 minutes west 98.00 feet; thence (69) north 28 degrees 31 minutes west 266.60 feet; thence (70) north 20 degrees 43 minutes west 298.55 feet; thence (71) north 29 degrees 40 minutes south 30 seconds west 40.31 feet; thence (72) north 18 degrees 57 minutes west 79.62 feet; thence (73) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 314.80 feet; thence (74) north 1 degree 46 minutes west 240.12 feet; thence (75) south 88 degrees 14 minutes west 315.00 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing two hundred and seventy-six and five hundred and fifty-two one-thousandths (276.552) acres.

Intending to include all the real estate shown on said map, all of which is to be acquired in fee except those parcels designated as Nos. 7, 17, 37, included within the green lines on said map, in which the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired.

The following interest or estate will be acquired in the parcels shown on the map included within the green lines, viz.:

Each and all of said parcels shall be subjected to and made to comply with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health of the State of New York, as adopted March 15, 1889, and amended August 25, 1893, a copy of which said rules and regulations is attached to said map.

The compliance with such rules and regulations will be made a condition running with the title to the said property, and such rules and regulations shall be carried out and maintained under the direction, inspection and supervision, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

In all cases where streets or highways are acquired they will be left open for public travel forever, and no change be made in length, width or grade of same. Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the Register of said County, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken or affected.

Dated February 26, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Office and P. O. Address  
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the westerly side of West street, between Watts street and Canal (formerly Hoboken) street, running one hundred and twenty-five feet northerly from the northerly line of Watts street, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Watts street and Canal, formerly Hoboken street, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 715, CHAPTER 410** of the Laws of 1882, and all the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of March, 1895, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided and determined upon by the Department of Docks, on the 13th day of April, 1871, adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and filed in the office of the Department of Docks on the 27th day of April, 1871, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, appurtenant to the bulkhead described as follows, namely:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Watts street with the westerly side of West street; running thence northerly along the westerly side of West street one hundred and twenty-five feet.

Together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements, privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises.

Dated New York, March 11, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room 1), in said city, on the 21st day of March, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days, in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 2 Tryon Row; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of March, 1895, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.**

Dated New York, March 9, 1895.  
ROLLIN M. MORGAN, Chairman,  
JOHN H. ROGAN,  
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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