

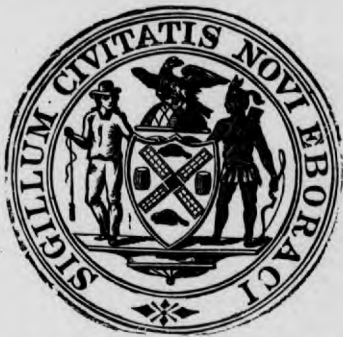
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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending July 7, 1894.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,  
New York, July 11, 1894.

Hon. THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to July 7, 1894, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since June 30, 1894, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on July 7, 1894.

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 July 7, 1894. CR.

1894. July 7				1894. June 30 July 7					
	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$16,246 16		By Balance.....					\$940,928 62
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	7,938 61		Arrears of Taxes.....	Gilon.....	\$59,825 40			
	Armory Fund.....	283 66		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	6,318 28			
	Block Tax and Assessment Map Fund.....	974 98		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	".....	3,173 52			
	Bridge over Harlem River—Third Avenue.....	495 66		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	".....	55,100 60			
	Bridge over Harlem River—One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.....	57 14		Interest on Assessments.....	".....	2,175 62			
	Bridge over Harlem River Ship Canal.....	8,392 66		Additional Public Parks Fund.....	".....	297 67			
	Castle Garden, etc., Improvement of.....	400 05		Harlem River Improvement Fund.....	".....	822 44			
	Change of Grade, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	853 17		Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	".....	115 97			
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	11,533 37		Interest on Setting Meter.....	".....	8 23			
	Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	1,141 00		Sundry Licenses.....	Engelhard.....	462 25			
	Criminal Court-house Fund.....	81 00		Restoring and Repaving—Department of	Burns.....	22 00			
	Croton Water Fund.....	6,027 04		Public Parks.....	Haffen.....	70 00			
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	24 00		Restoring and Repaving—Twenty-third	Daly.....	1,717 50			
	Dock Fund.....	47,579 81		and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	Riley.....	142 39			
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension.....	381 50		Restoring and Repaving—Department of	".....	372 00			
	Excise Licenses.....	3,597 15		Public Works.....	Comptroller.....	7 00			
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	400 00		Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	Hoes.....	510 10			
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	38,899 04		Tapping Pipes.....	".....	387 14			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Bronx Park Im-			Intestate Estates.....	Timmerman.....	56 00			
	provement.....	79 00		Commissions of Public Administrator.....	Society for the Prevention	937 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Cathedral Parkway	910 65		and Janitors, Primary Schools, 1894.....	of Cruelty to Children.....	102 25			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Central Park Im-			Reimbursement—Account of Committed	Fitzpatrick.....	340 00			
	provement.....	2,893 38		Children.....	Clark.....	527 59			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Central Park and			Coroners' Fees.....	Board of Excise.....	180,040 00			
	the City Parks.....	1,437 68		Hospital Fund.....	Andrews.....	11 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Crotona, etc.....	326 88		Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	Levy.....	8,876 44			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Macomb's Road.....	1,369 74		Excise Licenses.....	Mayor.....	150 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Morningside Park..	684 90		Street Incumbrance Fund.....	Purroy.....	4,066 15			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Moshulu Parkway..	346 31		Register's Fees.....	Brady.....	256 42			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Pelham Avenue....	382 74		Theatre and Concert Licenses.....	Phe an.....	250 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Pelham Park.....	294 69		County Clerk's Fees.....	Exam'ing Board of Plumbers	80 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Riverside Park.....	3,934 71		Department of Buildings—Special Fund..	Haffen.....	370 00			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, etc.—Van Cortlandt Park,			Dock Fund.....	Hayes.....	241 15			
	etc.....	2,570 39		General Fund.....	Britton.....	82 70			
	Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	1,443 66		".....	Clark.....	144 00			
	Public Driveway, Construction of.....	1,299 93		".....	Surrogates.....	526 00			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	395 12		".....	Andrews.....	1,675 20			
	Repaving.....	5,295 08		".....	Burns.....	1,455 20			
	Repaving Third Avenue.....	515 64		".....	O'Brien.....	1 00			
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works..	150 00		".....	Daly.....	387 52			
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Twenty-third and Twenty-			3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Construc-	Com'rs Sinking Fund.....	2,500 00			
	fourth Wards.....	124 37		tion of Bridge over Harlem River....	".....	40,000 00			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments	1,308 26		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Improve-	".....	20,000 00			
	Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Office.....	112 00		ment of Parks, Parkways and Drives,	".....	5,000 00			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	750 00		etc.....					
	Revenue Bond Fund—Health Department.....	3,150 00		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Repaving					
	Revenue Bond Fund—For Judgments.....	7,909 24		Third Avenue.....					
	Riverside Park—Construction.....	4,024 24		3 per cent. Additional Croton Water Stock					
	School-house Fund.....	44,528 13							
	To Amount forward.....	\$227,564 75		By Amounts forward.....		\$399,603 82			\$940,928 62
	Sedgwick Avenue, etc.—Bridge Construction.....	93 14		3 per cent. Additional Water Stock.....	Com'rs Sinking Fund.....	5,000 00			
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	34,391 12		3 per cent. Assessment Bonds—Expenses	".....	825 45			
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	84 00		of Commissioners, Fort Washington	".....	3,150 00			
	Van Cortlandt Park—Improvement.....	222 97		Ridge Road.....	".....	10,000 00			
	Water-main Fund.....	547 37		3 per cent. Revenue Bonds—Special—	McGregor.....	500 00			
	Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	76 00		Board of Health.....	Importers and Traders' Nat.	500,000 00			
			\$263,663 31	3 per cent. Revenue Bonds—Special—	Bank.....	500,000 00			
	Aquarium.....	\$550 53		Judgments.....	Knickerbocker Trust Co....				1,419,079 27
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	7,369 69		1 1/2 per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1894.....					
	Armories and Drill-rooms—Wages.....	4,192 00		2 " " " ".....					
	Board of Street Opening and Improvement.....	150 00							
	Bridges crossing Railroad—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	156 25							
	Bronx River Bridges—Maintenance and Repairs.....	128 52							
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.....	342 50							
	Cleaning Lakes in Central Park.....	105 00							
	Cleaning Markets.....	96 63							
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	764 74							
	College of the City of New York.....	50,623 04							
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	283 44							
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	75 00							
	Contingent Expenses—Central Department, etc.....	643 41							
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	916 66							
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	1,508 39							
	Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	3,349 90							
	Election Expenses.....	14 00							
	Fire Department Fund.....	500 00							
	Free Floating Baths.....	140,445 47							
	Furniture, Keep of Horses, Vans, etc.....	384 00							
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	1,161 85							
	Health Fund.....	7,723 90							
	Hospital Fund.....	5,099 33							
	Improvement and Maintenance of Parks in Twenty-third and Twenty-								
	fourth Wards.....	425 28							
	Incidental Expenses of Sheriff's Office.....	4 50							
	Interest on the City Debt.....	405,175 00							
	Judgments.....	818 45							
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	1,724 50							
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	15,938 79							
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	5,646 60							
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	37,205 28							
	Maps and Profiles—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	987 54							
	Morningside Park and Avenue—Improvement and Maintenance.....	215 00							
	Normal College.....	72 00							
	Parks outside of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Improvement								
	and Maintenance.....	62 86							
	Police Fund.....	414,459 80							
				Amount forward.....					\$2,360,007 89



1894.	To Amounts forward.....	\$1,109,317 84	\$263,663 34	1894.	By Amount forward .....		\$2,360,007 89
	Police Station-houses—Alterations, etc.....	2,777 77					
	Preservation of Public Records.....	1,525 00					
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	4,275 01					
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs .....	499 57					
	Public Charities and Correction.....	47,849 07					
	Public Instruction.....	28,213 10					
	Removal of Old Gate-house, etc.....	8,343 00					
	Rents .....	166 66					
	Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	630 00					
	Riverside Park and Avenue, Seventy-second Street and One Hundred and Twenty-second Street, etc.....	706 88					
	Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	83 33					
	Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	2,083 33					
	Salaries—City Courts.....	16,516 52					
	Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	83 33					
	Salaries—Common Council.....	1,941 64					
	Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	19,748 72					
	Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	9,304 12					
	Salaries—Finance Department.....	947 33					
	Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	325 00					
	Salaries—Judiciary .....	20,787 97					
	Salaries—Law Department.....	1,000 00					
	Salaries—Register's Office.....	1,841 80					
	Salaries—Sheriff's Office .....	1,056 20					
	Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	834 74					
	Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	588 66					
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning .....	2,296 78					
	Supplies for Police.....	8,076 40					
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices .....	4,114 68					
	Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail.....	60 69					
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,840 34					
	Syracuse State Institution.....	1,500 00					
	Telephonic Services, Rents and Contingencies.....	100 00					
		\$1,302,435 48					
	To Balance .....	\$1,566,098 79					
		793,909 10					
		\$2,360,007 89					\$2,360,007 89

July 7, 1894. By Balance..... \$793,909 10

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JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

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 July 7, 1894.

1894. June 30 July 7				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.....		Gilon.....	\$20 19			\$1,021,918 89
	Assessment Fund.....		Engelhard.....	42 50			
	Street Improvement Fund.....		O'Brien.....	1,403 50			
	Sundry Licenses .....		Phelan.....	3,161 25			
	Market Rents and Fees .....		Daly.....	56,582 93			
	Dock and Slip Rents.....		Bank of New York.....	5,001 06			
	Street Vaults.....		Chatham National Bank.....	792 89			
	Interest on Deposits.....		Fourth National Bank.....	41 10			
	".....		Germania Bank.....	326 52			
	".....		Mechanics' National Bank.....	286 01			
	".....		National City Bank.....	41 10			
	".....		Seventh National Bank.....	246 59			
	".....		Manhattan Trust Company.....	91 67			
	".....		Continental National Bank.....	465 70			
	".....		Washington Trust Company.....	123 33			
	".....		Garfield National Bank.....	41 10			
	".....		Hanover National Bank.....	386 02			
	".....		Bowery Bank.....	82 19			
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents.....		Gilon.....	82 19			
	Interest on Croton Water Rents.....		".....	\$1,837 76		69,220 84	
	Croton Water Rents and Penalties .....		Riley.....	234 29			
	House Rent.....		O'Brien.....	80,726 48			
	Ground Rent.....		".....	310 17			
	Ferry Rent.....		".....	7,775 00			
	Court Fees and Fines .....		Bernard.....	375 00			
	".....		Wagstaff.....	219 50			
	".....		Perley.....	512 11			
	".....		Harburger.....	578 00			
	".....		Galligan.....	329 00			
	".....		Donnelly.....	285 50			
	".....		Cregier.....	889 00			
	".....		Germaine.....	53 00			
	".....		Brums.....	135 00			
	".....		Boese.....	300 00			
	".....		Keating.....	416 37			
	".....		McGoldrick.....	4,014 00			
	".....		McCabe.....	1,900 56			
	".....		Costigan.....	375 00			
	".....		Mangan.....	225 50			
	".....		Williams.....	251 50			
	".....		Kennedy.....	179 75			
	Amounts forward .....		".....	316 00			
	Court Fees and Fines.....		Hayes.....	\$102,238 49		\$226,334 60	\$1,021,918 89
	".....		Farley.....	566 50			
	".....		Nolan.....	616 00			
	".....		Duane.....	428 00			
	Fines and Penalties.....		Fallon.....	410 02			
	".....		Hanneman.....	226 00			
	".....		Ledwith.....	480 72			
	Stenographer's Fees.....		Wagstaff.....	1,579 00			
	".....		Boese.....	78 00			
	".....		Purroy.....	165 00			
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption .....		".....	129 00			106,946 73
	To Sinking Fund—Interest.....			\$86,475 45		\$839 00	
	To Balances.....			139,859 15		1,128,026 62	
				\$226,334 60	\$226,334 60	\$1,128,865 62	\$1,128,865 62

July 7, 1894. By Balances..... \$139,859 15 ..... \$1,128,026 62

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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 July 7, 1894. CR.

1894. July 7	To Jury Fees.....		1894. June 30	By Balance.....		\$21,499 00
	Balance .....	\$1,432 00				
		20,067 00				\$21,499 00
		\$21,499 00				

July 7, 1894. By Balance..... \$20,067 00

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 July 7, 1894. CR.

1894. July 7	To Interest Registered.....		1894. June 30	By Balance.....		\$60,882 12
	Balance .....	\$27,268 75		Interest Registered.....		330,105 00
		118,288 37				
		\$390,987 12				\$390,987 12

July 7, 1894. By Balance..... \$118,288 37

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 July 7, 1894. CR.

1894. July 7	To Witness Fees.....	\$15 00	1894. June 30	By Balance.....	\$332 15
	Balance .....	317 15			
		\$332 15			\$332 15
July 7, 1894. By Balance .....					\$317 15

JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE, Chamberlain.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 11th day of July, 1894.  
Present—Commissioners Martin, Sheehan and Murray.

## Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain William Strauss, Twenty-fifth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
Surgeon Charles Phelps, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
Surgeon M. A. McGovern, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

## Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.  
Superintendent—As to whereabouts of Sophia Goodrich. Copy to Mayor.  
Superintendent—On character, etc., of William L. Hagedorn, 284 Eighth avenue. Copy to Mayor.  
Superintendent of Telegraph—As to establishment of a signal-box at Oak Point, to connect with Thirty-third Precinct Station-house.  
Property Clerk—Of twenty-seventh auction sale on June 27, proceeds, \$493.07.  
Board of Surgeons—Disabilities for June, 1894.  
Contagious diseases in family of Patrolman Harry C. Richardson, Ninth Precinct.  
Death of Roundsman Alexander Graham, Thirty-seventh Precinct—found drowned, 9 A. M., 4th instant.  
Death of Patrolman George Warner, Eleventh Precinct, at 12 M., 5th instant.  
Death of Patrolman Matthew Slatery, Twenty-eighth Precinct, at 3.45 P. M., 8th instant.

## FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Harry Abraham }  
against } Summons and complaint.  
Property Clerk. }

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.  
Application of Sergeant Charles H. Pless, Second Precinct, for retirement, was laid over.

## Applications Denied.

Patrolman Conrad J. Nicholas, Thirty-first Precinct, for advance to First Grade.  
" Edward V. Luman, Twenty-fifth Precinct, for advance to Second Grade.  
" Nicholas J. Tenner, Fourteenth Precinct, for transfer.  
" Jeremiah Noonan, Eighteenth Precinct, for transfer.  
" James Nealis, Fourteenth Precinct, for two months' leave of absence.  
" Hugh McIvor, Thirty-first Precinct, for full pay while sick.

## Applications for Pension Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Rosanna Whalen, widow of Patrick Whalen, late pensioner.  
Mary Dixon, widow of William Dixon, late pensioner.

## Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Patrolman John Slowey, Twenty-second Precinct.  
" John J. Boyle, Thirtieth Precinct.  
" Patrick Beckingham, Thirtieth Precinct.

## Applications and Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.

Counsel to Corporation—Opinion relative to saloons having blinds up. To communicate with Nathan Lewis.  
Joseph T. Brown, Knickerbocker Trust Company—Asking copy of record of ex-Patrolman Jerome T. Grant.  
Health Department—Resolution asking monthly arrests (reports) for violation of Sanitary Code or health laws.  
G. L. Reed, Southridge, Mass.—Asking whether examination for position of Marine Engineer must be personal.  
John G. Lynch—Asking blank application for appointment as Patrolman.  
William J. Barry—Asking appointment as Doorman.  
Weekly financial statement of the Comptroller was referred to the Treasurer.

## Applications and Communications Ordered on File.

Department of Docks—Inclosing list of names and addresses of companies and individuals doing business of the piers along the river-front; also report of Chief Clerk that copy of resolution of 6th instant has been sent to such companies, etc.  
Counsel to Corporation—Notice of approval of form of contract, etc., for alterations in Pier A; bids to be opened July 25, at 1 P. M.  
Secretary of the Civil Service Board—Relative to examination of William Murphy, for position of Marine Engineer.  
M. E. Staples, General Agent, N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R.—Relative to services of officers on piers.  
Patrolman Michael Brady, Twenty-eighth Precinct—Application for retirement.  
Communication from Lyman Rhoades, Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, asking permission to connect by subway with Second Precinct Station-house, overhead wires having been removed, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power.

## Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

From the Mayor—Asking report on resolution of Board of Aldermen relative to use of firearms on premises of George C. Hopp, on south point of Oak Point.  
That concert license has been granted to John F. Reilly, No. 332 Eighth avenue.  
Inclosing inquiry of Mrs. H. Law, Hollidaysburg, Pa., as to parents of George Beeh.  
Inclosing inquiry of G. G. Goodrich, Arkport, N. Y., as to his sister Sophia Goodrich.  
Inclosing inquiry of Ellen Collins, Pocomoke City, Md., as to Janie Johnson.  
Asking character, etc., of Alexander Comstock, St. James Hall, No. 1195 Broadway.  
Commissioner Street Cleaning Department—Asking that persons arrested by uniformed officers of the Street Cleaning Department when the Courts are not open, may be detained at the station-houses of precincts in which such arrests are made, and taken therefrom by such officers at the opening of the Police Courts. For report.  
Health Department—Copy resolution asking detail of officers at foot of East Sixteenth street every afternoon to prevent people approaching the hospital at the time patients are discharged from steamboat or transferred from hospital to boat. For report whether officer detailed at street cleaning stables can perform the duty.  
H. Ramsdell, Moore & Co. and others—Asking appointment of Patrick Smith as Special Patrolman.  
Lyman Rhoades, Mercantile Safe Deposit Co.—Asking appointment of Thomas Dusenberry as Special Patrolman.  
Frank Harold—Asking that inquiry be made for photograph instruments stolen.  
B. A. Nicholsburg—Complaint of violation of Sunday law at No. 788 Chatham square.  
Frederick Prior—Commending action of Patrolman Charles Cavanagh, Twenty-fourth Precinct, in stopping runaway team. For report.  
George F. Nelson, Grace Chapel—Asking detail of Patrolmen Clark and McCullough, Seventeenth Precinct, on excursion July 21, August 18 and September 1. To detail if no objection.  
Rev. William Tewes, St. Joseph Asylum, No. 173 East Third street—Asking detail of officer.  
J. M. Mills, No. 165 Broadway—Complaint of assault upon street fakirs by Patrolman William O'Keefe, First Precinct, at Broadway and Wall street, on 7th instant. For report.  
Board of Excise—Asking character, etc., of George C. Dougherty, No. 55 Great Jones street.  
Board of Excise—Character, etc., of John Gannon.  
Board of Excise—Reporting sundry licenses expired and not renewed.

## Transfers, etc.

Captain William C. F. Berghold, from Twenty-third Sub-Precinct to Sixth Precinct.  
Sergeant Frank W. Robb, from Thirty-seventh Precinct to Twenty-third Sub-Precinct.  
Patrolman Edward P. McCann, from Twentieth Precinct to First Precinct.  
" Julius Didier, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.

## Details by Superintendent Under Rule 32—Approved.

Roundsman James F. Carey, Eighteenth Precinct.  
" James F. Carey, Eighteenth Precinct.  
" John Campbell, Tenth Precinct.  
" John Campbell, Tenth Precinct.

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

M. F. Wemple.	Thomas Cavanagh.	Louis Frederick, Jr.
Samuel F. Millard.	Thomas F. Coffey.	Benjamin F. Seibelt.
Charles J. McCabe	Henry Hohn.	Peter Brass.
John H. Whalen.	Hugh McGraw.	Charles T. York.
Thomas Hannigan.	Philip Knob.	John Lowe.
Henry Preston.	Edward W. Larkin.	John Connor.
George S. C. Taylor.	George Pisten.	Edward E. O'Connor.
Edward Cumisky.	George Weiss.	Oscar B. Spencer.
William M. Egan.	Martin Fries.	John B. Everling.
Henry Schwartz.		

## Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Francis J. Grady, Twenty-fourth Precinct, July 1, 1894.  
" John H. Hurley, Eighteenth Precinct, July 11, 1894.  
" Charles Rink, Eighteenth Precinct, July 1, 1894.  
" George W. Taylor, Thirty-second Precinct, May 25, 1894.

## Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Cornelius F. Cronin, Seventh Precinct, June 29, 1894.  
" Louis de Tour, Twenty-eighth Precinct, June 8, 1894.  
" Francis H. Kelly, Twenty-fourth Precinct, June 29, 1894.

## Appointed Special Patrolman.

Julius Muller, for Victor J. Dowling and others, in East Fifty-seventh street.

## Pensions Granted—All Aye.

Jane Warts, widow of Alexander B. Warts (late Captain), \$300 per year, from July 1, 1894.  
Catherine Flannery, widow of Lawrence Flannery (late Patrolman), \$300 per annum, from July 1, 1894.

Resolved, That full pay, while sick, be granted to the following officers—all aye:  
Patrolman Thomas Byron, Eighteenth Precinct, from May 14 to June 16, 1894.  
" Charles Williams, Thirty-fourth Precinct, from May 22 to July 1, 1894.

Resolved, That Patrolman Peter McDonald, Thirty-fifth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of ten dollars (subject to the deduction under the rule), from M. Taylor Pyne, Riverdale, for recovery of stolen boat.

Resolved, That the return in the case of Jeremiah Bush be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk, and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of seven hundred dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled "Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison for the Eighth Precinct," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof; and the sum of one thousand three hundred dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1893, entitled "New Steel Steamboat for Harbor and River Service," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1894, entitled "Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses," which is insufficient to enable the Department to meet the expenses of investigation and examination of Police officers under resolution adopted by the Board of Police June 5, 1894—all aye.

## Judgments—Dismissals—All Aye.

Patrolman John J. Devereaux, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" Michael Brady, Twenty-eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

## Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Roundsman Michael McGinley, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
Patrolman Cornelius W. Roe, First Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.  
" Charles L. Sanders, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Lawrence Kane, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" John Ryan, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" James Dalton, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" George J. Grace, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" John McEwen, First Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" William J. Curran, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Philip Fitzsimons, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Edward B. Bishop, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
" Watson Drummond, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Michael J. Galvin, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Timothy King, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
" Patrick Sheehan, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" George Little, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Michael Neville, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Joseph Scott, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Dennis Day, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Albert A. Jordan, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Albert A. Jordan, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Albert A. Jordan, Sixth Precinct, violation of rules, three days' pay.  
" James Grier, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Joseph F. Jennings, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Owen Burns, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" George Rengerman, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" John Seaman, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" John J. Burns (1), Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Michael Sullivan, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Peter Gallagher, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" John Hodge, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Lawrence A. Hogan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" John Gerlinger, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Charles A. Connolly, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
" Charles A. Connolly, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" William F. Regan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Adam J. Gumbrecht, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Adam J. Gumbrecht, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Edward Monaghan, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Patrick O'Donnell, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Daniel J. Hogan, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" Thomas F. Campbell, Twelfth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
" John J. Kuntz, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Bernard F. Murphy, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Frederick Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" James Moran, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" John Cavanagh, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Marvin Woodin, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
" Peter Horn, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.



Patrolman John B. Smith, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Abram C. Hulse, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Peter Hare, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Edward M. Regan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Martin Fay, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Abraham Hazleton, Twentieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one day's pay.  
 " Edward P. McCann, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " John F. Burns, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Thomas Coleman, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Edward McDonald, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Walter Vallely, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Peter Hogan, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Philip McGovern, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Michael Breen, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Frederick Goetzger, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Louis Rott, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
 " Henry Warner, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John H. Dwyer, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " William Werdersheim, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " George Broderick, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " George Broderick, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " William J. McGowan, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James R. Kelsey, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " August Schneider, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Robert P. Beck, Twenty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, three days' pay.  
 " Julius Didier, Twenty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.  
 " Morris Ryan, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Martin Haniffy, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Jacob Simermyer, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Roger Donohue, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Joseph E. Burke, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
 " John J. Newlands, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Charles G. Paulding, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one and one-half days' pay.  
 " Thomas Kelly, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " William J. Smith, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edward W. Lammers, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " James McKnight, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Michael J. Keane, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Rudolph Newschaffer, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Peter J. Klein, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " William S. Stamford, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Henry Gerber, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John R. McClusky, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Patrick Stapleton, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Matthew Kenealy, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Frederick S. Rockwell, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Francis Becker, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Thomas Moore, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Dennis Keating, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Thomas M. Cooney, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Frank E. Bosard, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Albert B. Gunnison, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Patrick H. Cash, Twenty-eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, one-half day's pay.  
 " Patrick H. Cash, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Joseph Cassidy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Joseph Cassidy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " John J. Coady, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
 " Thomas Jefferson, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Samuel Pelton, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Xavier M. Keyser, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Samuel S. Cox, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Francis J. Farley, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Benjamin F. Austin, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Morris Nash, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " George V. Kass, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Frederick P. Williams, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Thomas H. Hallinan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James J. Gaffney, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James J. Allen, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " William Allen, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " John W. Murray, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edgar M. Goodwin, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " William Moore, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Emerson J. Lake, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " William F. Fitch, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
 " Henry J. Hoffman, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Jeremiah S. Levy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Everett H. Person, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Everett H. Person, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " John Sheils, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Philip Koff, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Michael Lober, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James J. Rooney, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " George McCartney, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " John J. Powers, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " John J. Powers, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John J. Powers, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Charles Goodwin, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
 " Peter F. Raime, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Jeremiah J. Maglin, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Frederick J. Cregier, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Peter Nugent, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edward Gleeson, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Michael Murray, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Peter Devlin (2d), Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Andrew A. Leddy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Floyd T. Gill, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edward A. Collins, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
 " John E. O'Brien, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John E. O'Brien, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " William J. Gillespie, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Thomas McQuade, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Thomas McQuade, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
 " Henry Armstrong, First Court, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Abram Campbell, First Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
 " Andrew Byrnes, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " James Dolan, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John O'Brien, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Thomas Feighney, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Christopher Farrell, Sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
 " Louis J. Schery, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John W. Boyle, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Bernard Carney, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Milton H. Teator, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " William Rohrs, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " William Powers, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James J. Savage, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John M. Walsh, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Jerome McDonough, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Charles Link, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John D. Douglas, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " James E. McCormick, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Anthony J. Miller, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Patrick R. McNierney, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Patrolman William Kilby, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " De Forest Freedenburg, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " William Fullerton, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " James Donnelly, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " John S. Conway, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Thomas Mulholland, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Charles Hilderbrandt, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Nathaniel P. Grosky, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Hugh Cassidy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Thomas Grady, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Patrick J. Wynne, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, five days' pay.  
 " Joseph Birmingham, Fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
 " Sylvanus Weider, Fifth Precinct, violation of rules, one-half day's pay.  
 " James L. Murray, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edward D. Calhoun, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Edward F. Keiley, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Charles J. Shields, Tenth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.  
 " Edward D. Hoffman, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " William E. Quinn, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Henry J. Klein, Fourteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " John J. Heffernan, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Matthew J. Reilly, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Henry Kufraim, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Francis P. Reynolds, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
 " Adolph W. Keller, Twenty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Hugh McIver, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Peter Duncan, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.  
 " Peter Duncan, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.

## Reprimands.

Patrolman Jeremiah Lane, Fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
 " Michael McEntee, Fourteenth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Martin J. F. Sairy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

## Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William J. Ennis, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " John Tyrell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " James J. Gaffney, Twenty-ninth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
 " Thomas Devine, Thirty-third Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
 " Edgar T. Clark, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending July 14, 1894:

*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

## SCHEDULE "A."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme ...	46 218	1894. July 9	Cole, William L., Thomas F. Meehan and J. M. Meehan (ex rel.) vs. Thomas F. Gilroy and Ashbel P. Fitch, as members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	Mandamus to compel the respondents to examine and audit the claim of Linch, Cole and Meehan, for advertising in "Irish-American" certain notices, etc., \$15,875.30.
Surrogate's.	46 219	" 10	Driscoll, Marie (Matter of the estate of).....	Citation only served.
Supreme ...	46 220	" 10	Russell, William (Matter of) ...	Commission de lunatico inquirendo.
"	(11) 261	" 10	Campbell, Catharine A. (In re) ..	To vacate assessment for 27th street paving, from 10th to 11th avenue.
4th Jud. Dist.	46 221	" 12	Abraham, Harry, vs. John F. Harriot, as Property Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York.....	For return of a diamond stud valued at \$35.
Supreme ...	(11) 264	" 13	Haubert, Catharine (In re).....	To vacate assessment for 16th street paving, from Avenue A to Avenue C.
"	(11) 264	" 13	Dunster, Julia (In re).....	To vacate assessment for 16th street paving, from Avenue A to Avenue C.
"	(11) 264	" 13	Alber, Joseph (In re).....	To vacate assessment for 16th street paving, from Avenue A to Avenue C.
"	46 222	" 14	Jones, Frances A., as administratrix, with the will annexed of Samuel M. Stubbs (ex rel.) vs. Ashbel P. Fitch, as Comptroller, and Edward Gilson, as Clerk of Arrears .....	Mandamus to compel the respondents to accept the sum of \$210.50 and interest, taxes upon premises No. 157 East 126th street.
Superior ...	46 223	" 14	Bonyng, Robert .....	For stenographic services in the Court of Oyer and Terminer furnishing notes of testimony to the District Attorney, \$540.10.

## SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED (EXCEPT THOSE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE "D").

In the matter of Peter Duffy (Corlears Hook Park opening award)—Order entered continuing the referee's report and directing payment of the award to the petitioner.

Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Robert J. Mahon—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$23.60 costs.

Thomas Mitchell—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$48.60 costs.

John Opfer—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$120.25 costs.

In the matter of Benjamin A. Aycrigg et al. (Corlears Hook Park opening award)—Order entered referring to E. T. Wood to ascertain title.

St. Nicholas Park—Order entered appointing Thomas C. T. Crain, Thomas C. Duham and John H. Judge, Commissioners of Estimate.

Fort Washington Park—Order entered appointing Wallace Macfarland, William B. Ellison and Matthew Chalmers, Commissioners of Estimate.

Francis Gottsberger—General Term order of reversal entered in favor of the City directing a new trial, with costs to the defendant to abide the event.

Otto Cook—General Term order of affirmance entered in favor of the City with costs.

People ex rel. Moses G. Byers vs. The Commissioner of Public Works—Order entered denying the motion for a writ of mandamus without costs and without prejudice to renewal of application.

In the matter of the Eighty-eighth street school site—Order entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and taxing the costs at \$2,417.60.

Robert Boyd—Order entered denying the motion to dismiss the complaint for lack of prosecution, provided the plaintiff puts the case on the calendar for October, 1894, otherwise complaint to be dismissed.

Frederick J. Pauly vs. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Order entered adjourning the motion for an injunction to July 16, 1894, at the same time and place and continuing the injunction meanwhile.

Otto Cook—General Term judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$86.80 costs.

United States Trust Company of New York—Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$186.82 costs.

In the matter of the public school site at Madison avenue and One Hundred and Fifteenth street—Order entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate.

William H. Tilford—Order entered extending the defendant's time to answer twenty days from July 14, 1894.



SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

In the matter of Newman Cowen (Cathedral Parkway opening award)—Reference proceeded and closed; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

In the matter of Corlears Hook Park (award to Benjamin A. Aycrigg)—Reference proceeded and adjourned subject to the call of the referee; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

In the matter of Thomas Corner (Corlears Hook Park opening award)—Reference proceeded on July 9 and 13 and closed; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED.

REGIS-TER FOLIO.	COURT.	TITLE.	CAUSE OF ACTION.	CLAIM.	DATE.	HOW DONE.	REMARKS.
36 554	Supreme ....	The Mayor, etc., vs. John B. Roach and another, executors, etc., No. 1...	For possession of premises south half of piers at foot of 10th street, East river, and damages .....	\$10,000 00	1894. July 2	Judgment entered in favor of the City for possession of the premises and for damages for unlawful detention .....	Pursuant to compromise.
36 555	" .....	The Mayor, etc., vs. John B. Roach and another, executors, etc., No. 2...	For possession of land under water, etc., at 9th street, near Avenue D, and damages. ....	20,000 00	" 2	Judgment entered in favor of the City for possession of the premises and for damages for unlawful detention .....	do
37 81	" .....	The Mayor, etc., vs. Emeline Roach .....	For possession of dock premises at foot of 8th street, East river, and damages. ....	10,000 00	" 2	Judgment entered in favor of the City for possession of the premises and for damages for unlawful detention .....	do
43 55	" .....	People ex rel. William G. Lyons vs. Board of Park Commissioners ..	Certiorari to review removal of the relator, a Patrolman, from Park Police force ....	.....	" 2	Judgment of affirmance entered on remittitur in favor of the City and for \$112.35 costs, etc. ....	After argument at Court of Appeals.
14 513	" .....	New York Fertilizer Manufacturing Co. ....	To restrain the defendants from interfering with plaintiff's business .....	.....	" 2	Order entered dismissing the complaint with costs...	For lack of prosecution.
44 209	Com. Pleas..	Valentine S. Skiffington ..	Damages for personal injuries by falling on ice on sidewalk at No. 237 East 101st street .....	5,000 00	" 3	Judgment entered in favor of the City, dismissing the complaint and for \$108.25 costs, e.c. ....	Plaintiff defaulted when case was reached on calendar.
46 97	Supreme ....	John McClave et al. vs. John F. Connor and another ..	Summons only served .....	.....	" 3	Judgment entered in favor of the City for \$213.73....	By default of appearance.
30 388	Com. Pleas..	Alexander List and another ..	To recover back amount paid for vault privilege at No. 133 Greene street .....	227 97	" 3	Order entered dismissing the complaint without costs	For lack of prosecution.
46 174	Supreme ....	Matter of Margaret Madden ..	Commission de lunatico inquirendo .....	.....	" 5	Order entered confirming inquisition and appointing a committee .....	After hearing before a commission.
46 80	" .....	Robert Bonyng .....	For transcript of stenographic minutes, furnished to District Attorney .....	1,287 00	" 5	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,287 certified to Comptroller .....	Without trial; upon offer.
43 498	" .....	John J. Donohue .....	To foreclose lien for material furnished in grading old reservoir in Central Park ...	1,603 89	" 5	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$2,053.39 certified to Comptroller .....	After trial before Stover, J.
36 556	" .....	William Mansfield .....	Balance claimed to be due under plaintiff's contract for Mill Brook drains .....	1,000 00	" 5	Order entered dismissing complaint without costs....	For lack of prosecution.
45 454	" .....	In the matter of The Board of Education, etc. ....	To acquire title to property for a public school site on 88th street .....	.....	" 5	Order entered confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate .....	Upon motion before Andrews, J.
23 51	" .....	Mechanics and Traders' National Bank .....	For balance due under contract for regulating, etc., Lexington avenue, from road street to Harlem river .....	18,480 16	" 6	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff and against defendant, Cornelius J. Winant, certified to Comptroller .....	City has no further interest.
46 180	" .....	People ex rel. Charles V. Hough vs. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment .....	Mandamus to compel Board to issue bonds for payment of relator's claim of \$100..	.....	" 6	Order entered directing peremptory writ of mandamus to issue .....	After argument before Ingraham, J.
44 427	" .....	People ex rel. Sarah H. Mallory vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments .....	Certiorari to review assessment upon relator's personal property for the year 1893 .....	.....	" 6	Order entered quashing writ of certiorari with cost	On consent.
45 470	" .....	People ex rel. James B. Urquhart vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments .....	Certiorari to review assessment upon relator's personal property for the year 1893 .....	.....	" 6	do do	do
44 369	" .....	People ex rel. Winnifred McC. Swearingen vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments .....	Certiorari to review assessment upon relator's personal property for the year 1893 .....	.....	" 6	do do	do
45 230	Com. Pleas..	John H. Deeves and another vs. John Dwyer et al. ....	To foreclose lien for mason work, etc., for building at No. 153 West 68th street. ....	3,267 00	" 6	Order entered discontinuing action without costs ....	By consent.
44 291	Superior....	Middleport Manufacturing Co. ....	To foreclose lien under contract for the alteration of Castle Garden, etc. ....	.....	" 6	Judgment entered dismissing the complaint as to The Mayor, etc., without costs .....	City has no further interest.
46 152	Supreme ....	Matter of Peter Duffy .....	For payment of award made in the matter of opening Corlears Hook Park .....	9,500 00	" 9	Order entered confirming the referee's report and directing payment of the award to the petitioner..	After hearing before a referee.
19 25	" .....	Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Co. ....	To restrain defendants from removing plaintiff's track, etc., corner of Broadway and Ann street .....	.....	" 9	Order entered discontinuing action without costs ...	By consent.
39 147	" .....	Robert J. Mahon .....	For services as Inspector of Election for Eighteenth Election District of Eleventh Assembly District .....	37 50	" 9	Judgment entered in favor of City, dismissing complaint with \$23.60 costs .....	For lack of prosecution.
38 102	Com. Pleas..	Thomas Mitchell .....	Damages for unlawful detention in House of Detention between June 29, 1887, and April 6, 1888 .....	500 00	" 9	Judgment entered in favor of City, dismissing complaint with \$38.60 costs .....	do
17 242	Supreme ....	John Scott .....	Salary as Police Justice .....	21,666 38	" 10	Plaintiff dead—action never revived .....	Action abates.
40 123	" .....	Matter of the application of The Mayor, etc., of New York .....	To acquire title to premises No. 116 West 98th street .....	.....	" 11	Proceeding abandoned by City .....	Title acquired by action.
43 502	" .....	Patrick Leavy .....	Damages for personal injuries caused by being thrown from a cart by defective pavement on 1st avenue, near 44th street. ....	50,000 00	" 14	Transcript of judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$10,396.56 certified to Comptroller .....	After trial before Dugro, J., and jury.

WM. H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, July 11, 1894, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon.

The Construction or Executive Committee recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Engineer in employing Daniel Carpenter temporarily as Laborer, at two dollars per day, from June 26, 1894, be and hereby is approved.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Richard Baldwin, Jr., be and hereby is recommended to the Civil Service Commissioners for examination for promotion from the grade of Transitman to that of Assistant Engineer in the Engineer Corps of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, a leave of absence for one year, beginning July 12, 1894, without pay, is hereby granted to Assistant Engineer Frank N. Speyer, and until he shall be assigned to duty by the Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Assistant Engineers Herbert C. Alden and C. V. Powers are hereby detailed to take the places of William B. Swan, resigned, and Edward S. Larned, absent on leave without pay, and their salary is hereby increased from \$1,500 to \$1,800 per annum, to take effect from and after July 11, 1894.

On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the same was adopted.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the following bills are hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment, viz. :

1st. Of Remington & Sherman Co., for moving safe from Brewster to Stewart Building, New York City, amounting to \$25.93.

2d. Of C. B. Travis, lease of right-of-way through property of E. H. Ganong made necessary by flooding of highways at Carmel, N. Y., in June, 1894, amounting to \$10.

3d. Of John M. Rose, for ladders for use at New Croton Dam, amounting to \$9.36.

4th. Of William Hyland, for carriage hire for Chief Engineer and Aqueduct Commissioners, amounting to \$6.

5th. Of John Peirce, for extra work on foundations of head and engine-house at Shaft No. 25 of New Aqueduct, amounting to \$138.19.

On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.

The Committee presented the following communication, received from the Chief Engineer :

NEW YORK, July 11, 1894.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with your resolution of June 13, 1894, I requested seven firms of bridge builders to send me bids for the construction of two small bridges at Salem Centre and at Carmel.

All, with the exception of the Riverside Bridge and Iron Works of New York, sent bids as follows :

NAME OF BIDDER.	SALEM CENTRE BRIDGE.	CARMEL BRIDGE.	TOTAL.
Berlin Iron Bridge Company, East Berlin, Conn.....	\$673 00	\$1,122 00	\$1,795 00
Phoenix Bridge Company, Phoenixville, Pa., through J. F. Kelly.	840 00	1,306 00	2,146 00
Passaic Rolling Mills Company, Paterson, N. J.....	899 00	1,302 00	2,201 00
King Bridge Company, Cleveland, O.....	849 00	1,363 00	2,212 00
Cooper, Hewitt & Co., New Jersey Steel and Iron Company, Trenton, N. J.....	916 00	1,469 00	2,385 00
Post & McCord, New York.....	1,000 00	1,600 00	2,600 00

The Berlin Iron Bridge Company sent also an offer to build, for \$1,660 in all, two bridges of its own pattern, which they would guarantee in the same manner.

I do not recommend the acceptance of that offer as, in addition to the objections which would be made to the acceptance of a bridge for which the other bidders have not had an opportunity to make an offer, I prefer our design on which the bids were based.

The Berlin Iron Bridge Company being the lowest bidders for the two bridges under the specifications and plans submitted by us, I respectfully recommend that they be awarded the contract for the same, at their price of \$673 for the bridge at Salem Centre and \$1,122 for the bridge at Carmel; total \$1,795.

I am, respectfully,  
A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

And recommended the adoption of the following resolution :

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, the work of furnishing and building two highway bridge superstructures, one to be erected at Salem Centre (Reservoir "M"), Westchester County, N. Y., and one to be erected at Carmel (Reservoir "D"), Putnam County, N. Y., be and hereby is awarded to the Berlin Iron Bridge Company at their bid, as follows : For the bridge at Salem Centre six hundred and seventy-three dollars, and for the bridge at Carmel one thousand one hundred and twenty-two dollars.

The same was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.

The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, In the opinion of the Aqueduct Commissioners, the further sum of five hundred thousand dollars will be required to defray the necessary and lawful current expenditures of said Commissioners; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller of the City of New York be and he is hereby requested to raise the sum of five hundred thousand dollars upon bonds of the City of New York, in conformity with the requirements of section 32, chapter 490, Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, for the uses and purposes of the Aqueduct Commissioners, as set forth in said chapter and section of said law.



The same was adopted by the following vote :  
Affirmative—Commissioners Duane, Tucker, Scott and Cannon—4.  
The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of Newcastle, Westchester County, New York, for the year 1893, amounting to sixteen dollars and fifty-three cents, is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.  
On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.  
The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, for the year 1893, amounting to fifteen hundred and one dollars and sixty-six cent. (\$1,501.66), is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.  
On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.  
The Committee also recommended the adoption of the following resolution :  
Resolved, That the accompanying bill for taxes due the Town of South East, Putnam County, New York, School District No. 6, for the year 1893, amounting to one hundred and twenty-one dollars and eight cents (\$121.08), is hereby approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.  
On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same was adopted.  
The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 9658 to 9675, inclusive, amounting to \$2,058.41; also of contractors' estimates contained in Vouchers Nos. 9676 to 9681, inclusive, amounting to \$83,172.67.  
On motion of Commissioner Tucker, the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.  
The Comptroller, under date of June 30, 1894, gave notice of the issue of warrants for the payment of vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners for  
Reservoir "M" (land section)..... \$101 50  
Cornell Dam ..... 1,200 90  
Reservoir "M" ..... 456 31  
And stating that on June 18, 1894, bonds were issued for the credit of the  
Additional Water Fund for..... 100,000 00  
Leaving a balance to the credit of said fund of..... 50,015 31  
Which were ordered entered upon the books of the Commissioners and filed.  
On motion of Commissioner Cannon, the minutes of stated meetings of June 20 and 27, 1894, were ordered approved.  
The Commissioners then adjourned.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, July 6, 1894.

The Hons. Thomas F. Gilroy, Mayor; William H. Clark, Counsel to the Corporation, and Michael T. Daly, 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 June 26 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 Department of Public Works.</i>	
	June 26, 1894	50 copies contract for sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street .....	Allowed.
		50 copies estimate for sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.....	"
		50 envelopes .....	"
	" 26, "	50 copies contract for regulating and grading Ninth avenue.	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating and grading Ninth avenue..	"
		50 envelopes. ....	"
		50 copies contract for regulating and grading Two Hundred and Seventh street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating and grading Two Hundred and Seventh street.....	"
		50 envelopes .....	"
	" 27, "	Reprint and insert pages 1, 2, 11, 12, 19 and 20 in twenty-five copies contract for sewer in One Hundred and Seventeenth street .....	Pages 11, 12, 19 and 20 allowed.
	" 30, "	50 copies contract for sewer in Fifth avenue. ....	Allowed.
		50 copies estimate for sewer in Fifth avenue.....	"
		50 envelopes. ....	"
		<i>By Finance Department.</i>	
	" 29, "	250 certificates of Consolidated Stock, book form (School-house Bonds) .....	"
		250 Dock Bonds, book form.....	"
	July 2, "	350 copies of advertisement for sale of \$250,000 Assessment Bonds .....	"
	" 3, "	1,000 "A" warrants.....	"
		1,000 "B" warrants.....	"
		<i>By Counsel to the Corporation.</i>	
	June 30, "	Canvas covers for fourteen registers ...	"
		Rebind Registers 37, 38 and 39.....	"
	July 2, "	Bind "Herald," "Sun," "Daily America," "World" and "Tribune," for quarter ending June 30, 1894.....	"
		Bind two sets "Law Journal," for quarter ending June 30, 1894.....	"
		<i>By Police Justices.</i>	
	June 26, "	5,000 warrants for father.....	"
		5,000 orders to father .....	"
		5,000 returns to habeas corpus (disorderly conduct).....	"
		5,000 returns to habeas corpus (bail case).....	"
		<i>By Health Department.</i>	
	" 27, "	100 sheets semi-carbon legal cap paper.....	"
		<i>By Department of Public Parks.</i>	
	" 28, "	75 copies Document No. 130 .....	"
		75 copies Document No. 131 .....	"
		(Quarterly reports, December 31, 1893, and March 31, 1894.)	"
		<i>By Commissioner of Street Improvements.</i>	
	" 28, "	50 copies contract for regulating, grading and paving One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.....	"
		50 copies estimate for regulating, grading and paving One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.....	"
		50 envelopes .....	"
		25 posters.....	"
		<i>By Court of Common Pleas.</i>	
	July 5, "	1 index to new general calendar.....	"

By a concurrent vote of the three officers, the Supervisor was 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.

Bills were approved : Martin B. Brown, \$3,482.11 (Voucher 180) and \$3,430.18 (Voucher 181); John F. Hahn, \$222.75 (Voucher 182); the New York Law Journal Publishing Company, \$333.33 (Voucher 183); "The Morgen Journal," \$11.25 (advertising).  
Pay-rolls were approved: Robert McManus, William H. Levett and Peter Leatham, \$21 each (Vouchers 175, 176 and 177).  
Adjourned.

W. J. K. KENNY, Secretary.

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

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION,  
ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,  
THURSDAY, June 28, 1894, 2 o'clock P. M. }

The Commission met, pursuant to adjournment.  
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varnum and Daniel P. Hays, Commissioners.  
Of Counsel—James M. Ward, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., representing numerous claimants.  
The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.  
Mr. Ward, on behalf of the Counsel to the Corporation, submitted the bills for experts, on behalf of the City, and duly certified to by the Corporation Counsel, with the request that the Commission certify them to the Comptroller for payment.  
The Commission ordered them to be filed and delivered to the Clerk.  
Commissioner Hays then delivered the following opinion :  
Before Commissioners appointed pursuant to chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894.

In the Matter  
of  
The Claim for damages of Peter J. Stumpf and Katie J. Stumpf, } Claim No. 5.  
for change of grade of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.  
Hays, Commissioner :

Under chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 the Legislature provided that all persons owning lands, etc., in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, who had sustained damages by reason of the change of the grade specified in the first section of the act, should be entitled to prove and recover the same from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, as provided in said act.

By the second section of said act it was provided that the Commissioners to be appointed under the act should have exclusive jurisdiction to estimate the loss which any owner of land and buildings had sustained by reason of such change of grade, "when such owner shall have filed with the Comptroller of said city a claim for damages, briefly describing the property of such owner or party affected, and the nature and particulars of the claim for damages."

A duplicate of such claim was required to be filed with the Counsel to the Corporation within six months after the first public meeting of the Commissioners.

After the organization of the Commissioners, and pursuant to the powers given them under section 5 of the Act of 1893, which authorized them to determine and prescribe the mode and manner in which all proceedings taken before them should be conducted, they adopted certain rules. These rules, among other things, provided the form in which the claims should be presented and required certain allegations to be therein contained. The form of claim adopted by the parties and approved by the Commissioners was that of a petition to be verified by the claimant. Peter J. Stumpf and Katie J. Stumpf, above named, filed with the Comptroller and with the Corporation Counsel what is alleged by their attorney to be a claim for damages under the provisions of the Act of 1893. It is insisted, however, by the Corporation Counsel, that Katie J. Stumpf has not filed any claim for damages under the provisions of said act, and that the claim filed was only that of Peter J. Stumpf. The question which we are therefore called upon to decide is, whether the paper which has been filed as above stated, is the claim of both Peter J. and Katie J. Stumpf, or only the claim of Peter J. Stumpf. The ground upon which the Corporation Counsel bases his contention is that the petition is in the name of Peter J. Stumpf. That it is signed and verified by him only, and further, that in the body of the petition he sets forth that he is one of the owners in fee of the premises therein mentioned, and describes himself as the petitioner, and prays at the end that he may be awarded the amount of loss and damages to his premises caused as aforesaid.

The question presented is a serious one, because the time within which to file claims has long since expired, and if Katie J. Stumpf cannot be held to have filed a claim, she has lost any right she may have had. Of course, this consideration does not in any manner affect the legal merits of the question to be decided, but it has imposed upon us the duty of giving it a most careful consideration, to the end that no injustice may be done.

It will be observed that the act provides no special form in which the claim shall be made by the owner, except that it requires such owner to briefly describe the property and the nature and particulars of his claim. It must be conceded, therefore, that if he had substantially complied with the provisions of the act of the Legislature that the Commissioners would have jurisdiction of his claim and it would then be within their powers to allow the amendment of such claim in any particular, as has been heretofore decided by this Commission in the matter of the claim of Ann Mullany—Opinion of Commissioner Varnum.

The particular question to be decided by us is whether Katie J. Stumpf has filed a claim under the provisions of the act so as to give the Commissioners jurisdiction thereof. The Legislature not having designated any form, as above suggested, in which the claims should be made, any paper or statement filed by the owner of property setting forth the property affected and the nature and particulars of his claim, would, in our judgment, be sufficient under the act to give the Commissioners jurisdiction.

It is a well-settled principle of law that in the construction of an act consideration may be given to the objects and purposes to be attained. The plain object intended to be accomplished by the provisions contained in section two, was to apprise the City authorities, through the Comptroller and the Corporation Counsel, of the names of the claimants, the property affected and the amounts claimed, together with the nature and particulars thereof. The paper filed in the above proceeding is entitled "In the matter of the Claim for damages of Peter J. Stumpf and Katie J. Stumpf for change of grade of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, filed pursuant to chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893," and it bears a similar indorsement. It also contains a brief description of the property, to wit, on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, designated on the tax maps as Lots Numbers Seventeen and Eighteen and Block No. 1684. It states the nature and particulars of the damage in the tenth paragraph of the petition and the amount claimed as \$3,000. It would therefore seem to comply with all the provisions of section three of the Act of 1893, as amended by the Act of 1894, unless importance is to be given to the fact that in the body of the petition Peter J. Stumpf, one of the claimants, only is mentioned and the word "petitioner" is used instead of the word "petitioners." We think the whole paper must be taken together, thus applying a familiar rule in the construction of written instruments; and, examining the paper in this light, we cannot ignore the statement contained in the title to the effect that the claim for damages is the claim of Peter J. Stumpf and Katie J. Stumpf. If this were a complaint in an ordinary action, under the Code, the title would be an essential part of the pleadings, and it would be necessary to state the names of all the parties to the action in the pleadings. In such a case where the title named two plaintiffs and the body of the complaint was so drawn that the word "plaintiff" was used in the singular number, we have no doubt but that the Court would regard it as a clerical error and, if the other party had not been misled, would disregard it.

Kenny vs. N. Y. C. & H. R. R., 49 Hun, 536.

That the City has not been misled by the clerical error in the petition is evident, by the fact that in the record kept by the Comptroller and the Corporation Counsel this claim is entered as the claim of both Peter J. and Katie J. Stumpf. The object of the statute has, therefore, been fully satisfied, and we think the technical objection made by the Corporation Counsel should be disregarded and the claim should be considered the claim of both parties. The case is entirely different from that of the People ex rel. The Eagle Insurance Company against the Tax Commissioners of the State of New York, cited by the Corporation Counsel and decided by Mr. Justice Andrews. The question there arose upon an application for a writ of certiorari to review an assessment. The power of the Court to grant this right to review is limited by the provisions of chapter 269 of the Laws of 1880. A writ can only be issued upon a petition which must specify the grounds of the alleged illegality, and the Court is limited in giving relief by section 4 of the act, which provides that if it shall appear by the return to such writ that the assessment complained of is illegal \* \* \* for any of the reasons alleged in the petition, the Court shall have the power to order such assessment, if illegal, to be stricken from the roll.

In the case mentioned an attempt was made to amend the petition by specifying other grounds of illegality, and the Court necessarily held that it had no jurisdiction to amend the petition, because its power to give relief and order an illegal assessment stricken from the rolls was limited by section 4 to a case in which it appeared by the return that the assessment complained of was illegal for any of the reasons alleged in the petition.

We do not think, therefore, that this decision has any application to the question under consideration, and for the reasons above stated we are of the opinion that the claim in question must be regarded as the claim of both Peter J. Stumpf and Katie J. Stumpf, and the motion of the Corporation Counsel to limit the damages to be awarded to Peter J. Stumpf must be denied.



So far as it is necessary the motion of the claimants' counsel to make the petition conform to the proof is granted.

I concur,

LORD, Chairman.

VARNUM, Commissioner.

Commissioners then heard and decided various motions to dismiss in the matter of Claim No. 39, Bertin Brothers.  
The Commission then, on motion of Commissioner Hays, adjourned to Tuesday, July 3, 1894, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the Week ending July 21, 1894.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Corporation of Grace Church, owners of the premises situated at Nos. 407-415 East Thirteenth street and Nos. 406-414 East Fourteenth street, to construct a bay-window on the building now or to be hereafter erected on Nos. 407-415 East Thirteenth street, provided, however, that such bay-window shall not extend beyond the stoop-line, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 26, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor, July 19, 1894.

DAVID J. CONNELL, Deputy Clerk, Board of Aldermen.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,  
New York, July 21, 1894.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, July 20, 1894.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, July 14, 1894	31	\$78 75
Monday, " 16, "	86	623 75
Tuesday, " 17, "	76	116 00
Wednesday, " 18, "	109	198 75
Thursday, " 19, "	68	164 25
Friday, " 20, "	66	184 75
Totals.....	436	\$1,366 25

DANIEL ENGELHARD,  
Mayor's Marshal.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

#### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.  
DANIEL M. DONEGAN, Second Marshal.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

### COMMON COUNCIL.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### Comptroller's Office.

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

### Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

### Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

### Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

### Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

### Office of the City Paymaster.

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

### LAW DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

#### Office of the Public Administrator

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

#### Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

#### Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

#### Central Office.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

#### Cent. at Office.

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

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

#### Headquarters.

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

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and CYRUS EDSON, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, *ex officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

### CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

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

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

### BOARD OF EXCISE

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

### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; EDWARD T. FLYNN, Chief Clerk.

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

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee of the Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 23, 1894, for Making Repairs, etc., at the College buildings, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Park avenues.

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

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted.  
The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and address on said proposal.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.  
Proposals to be addressed "To the Executive Committee for the Care, etc., of the Normal College."

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated NEW YORK, July 9, 1894.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street,  
NEW YORK, July 21, 1894.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing and altering the building of this Department, occupied as Quarters of Engine Company No. 16, at No. 223 East Twenty-fifth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 1, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.  
The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at ten (10) dollars.

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or

contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of three thousand (3,000) 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 one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street,  
New York, July 21, 1894.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING the materials and labor and doing the work required in making alterations, etc., to the fire-boat "The New Yorker" (Engine Company No. 57), of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 1, 1894, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.  
The work is to be completed and delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of four thousand (4,000) 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 two hundred (200) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR MAKING ALTERATIONS and additions on Pier "A," in the City of New York, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of Wednesday, the 25th day of July, 1894.

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

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work, complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire work is to be completed within FORTY-FIVE DAYS from the date of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at TEN (10) DOLLARS.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as 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 law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

No 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 re-

quired 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Police reserves the right to reject all the bids received if deemed for the best interests of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Police.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, July 11, 1894.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1894.

### 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 Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, August 1, 1894:

No. 1. DRAINAGE PIPES, ETC., FOR THE SLATE TANKS FOR THE AQUARIUM IN THE CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING, IN BATTERY PARK.

No. 2. FOR TILING THE FLOOR OF THE AQUARIUM IN THE CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING, IN BATTERY PARK.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR SURFACE WALKS, WITH ROCK ASPHALT PAVEMENT, WHERE REQUIRED IN CENTRAL PARK.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SCREENED GRAVEL OF THE QUALITY KNOWN AS ROA HOOK GRAVEL, WHERE REQUIRED ON THE CENTRAL PARK.

No. 5. FOR HARD RUBBER PIPING, FIXTURES, VALVES, ETC., FOR THE AQUARIUM IN CASTLE GARDEN BUILDING, IN BATTERY PARK.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately.

The estimates of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, are as follows:

#### NO. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state, in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be FIFTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 expired, are fixed at TEN DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

#### NO. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders are required to state in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals, ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be THIRTY-FIVE CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

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 expired, are fixed at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

The amount of security required is SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS.

#### NO. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

1,000 gross tons Asphalt Mastic.  
100 gross tons Refined Bitumen or Paving Cement.  
800 gross tons Long Island Gravel or Grit.  
300 cords Hickory or Oak Wood.

To be delivered in such quantities and at such times and places in Central Park as may be required, all within 60 days.

The amount of security required is TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The bidder must deposit with the Department of Public Parks, at least four (4) days before making his bid, samples of materials he intends to use, together with certificates and statements, as follows:

Specimens of asphaltum, with a certificate stating where the asphaltum was mined.

A specimen of the bitumen or asphaltic cement, with a statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface.

Specimens of gravel or grit intended to be used.  
Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric and a product of the first quality and from the mines designated in the specifications.

No bid will be received or considered unless the deposits of materials and statements referred to above are made with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks within the time prescribed, nor unless they conform to the requirements of the specifications and are satisfactory to the said Commissioners of Public Parks. Any bid accompanied by a sample of asphaltum which does not come up to the standard required by these specifications will be regarded as informal.

#### NO. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

4,000 cubic yards of screened gravel for roads and drives.

The amount of security required will be FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS.

#### NO. 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will state one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be SIXTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING

DAYS, and the penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be fixed at TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS per day. The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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 the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,  
NEW YORK, July 14, 1894.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE Department of Street Cleaning with the following: A Plant, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning at Riker's Island, for the Manufacture and Distribution of Electrozone, with a capacity of 4,000 gallons per hour. The contractor to guarantee to the City the right to the use of such plant, under any letters patent affecting such use, without the payment of royalty;—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 12 o'clock M., July 26, 1894, 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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 eighteen thousand five hundred (18,500) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of nine hundred and twenty-five (925) dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

### NOTICE.

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

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

### 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 4567, No. 1. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing sidewalks in front of No. 171 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

List 4568, No. 2. Flagging and curbing sidewalks in front of Nos. 136 and 138 West Twenty-eighth street.

List 4569, No. 3. Flagging and reflagging east side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

List 4570, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing south side of Sixty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 4571, No. 5. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing south side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 4572, No. 6. Flagging and reflagging both sides of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and on the west side of the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street.

List 4573, No. 7. Flagging and reflagging north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Columbus avenue.

List 4574, No. 8. Flagging and reflagging, curbing and recubing south side of Ninety-fifth street, commencing about 150 feet west of Columbus avenue and extending westerly about 50 feet.

List 4575, No. 9. Laying crosswalk across Avenue A, at the south side of Seventy-third street.

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

No. 1. North side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, on Block 413, Ward No. 28A.

No. 2. South side of Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, on Block 803, Ward Nos. 60 and 61.

No. 3. East side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

No. 4. South side of Sixty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to Eleventh avenue.

No. 5. South side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, from Boulevard to West End avenue, and north side of One Hundred and Third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and west side of Boulevard, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street.

No. 7. North side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, on Block 1033, Ward Nos. 1, 8, 9, 24 and 25.

No. 8. South side of Ninety-fifth street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, on Block 1021, Ward Nos. 39 and 40.

No. 9. To the extent of half the block from the southerly intersection of Avenue A and Seventy-third 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 its 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 14th day of August, 1894.

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, July 13, 1894.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries and other Supplies during the year 1894, 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 Thursday, July 26, 1894.

54,000 pounds Chicory.  
24,000 pounds Dried Apples.  
31,000 pounds Barley, No. 3.  
2,320 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.  
38,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.  
7,200 pounds Wheaten Grits.  
28,000 pounds Hominy.  
2,100 pounds Macaroni.  
46,000 pounds Oatmeal.  
1,800 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted.  
74,500 pounds Rice.  
15,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
26,500 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
115,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
400 pounds Standard Cut Loaf Sugar.  
500 pounds Cocoa.  
350 pounds Fine Black Tea.  
350 pounds Fine Green Tea.  
6,600 pounds Oolong Tea in half chests, free from all admixture and in original packages as imported.

400 pounds Mustard.  
170 pounds Ball Blue.  
20,000 pounds Cheese, State Factory, full cream, and bearing the State brand stenciled on each box.

11,000 pounds Prunes.  
2,600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.  
1,600 pounds Corn Star in pound papers.  
850 pounds Tapioca.

50,000 pounds Brown Soap of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure Settled Family Soap." All may be delivered at once, and all shall be delivered within 30 days after the contract is awarded. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Storehouse, B. I.; an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material; it must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts of alcohol of ninety four per cent., and contain not more than thirty-three per cent. of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for the same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

220 barrels prime quality American Salt, in barrels of 30 pounds net.

180 barrels Syrup.

200 barrels Soda Crackers.

80 barrels prime Sal-soda, about 340 pounds per barrel, barrels not to be returned.

495 bushels Beans, to weigh 62 pounds net to the bushel; not older than the crop of 1893.

50 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured and to average not less than 5 pounds each, to be delivered as required, in boxes of 4 quintals each.

38 dozen Sapolio.

86 dozen Sea Foam.

125 bushels Peas, not older than the crop of 1893.

2,050 barrels White Potatoes, to be good, sound and of fair size, to weigh 172 pounds net to the barrel; barrels to be returned.

1,350 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh and candled at the time of delivery, and to be furnished in cases of the usual size.

28,000 pounds Fine Meal, free from adulteration, in bags of 100 pounds net.

3,500 bushels mixed No. 2 Oats, 32 pounds net to the bushel.

400 bushels Rye, well grown and clean.

110 bags Coarse Meal, free from cob, in bags of 100 pounds net.

50 bags of Bran, in bags of 50 pounds net.

250 bales Hay, prime quality Timothy, tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

1,000 bales long bright Rye Straw, weight and tare same conditions as on hay.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

20 barrels prime quality Chloride of Lime, containing 32 per cent. of chlorine.

5,600 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from all adulterations and added impurities, subject to analysis if necessary. Size of packages, 25 to 100 pounds, as required.

10 barrels prime quality Raw Linseed Oil.

20 barrels prime quality Spirits Turpentine.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Provisions, etc.," with his or her 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 ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or her 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 or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, 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 test out the amount of their estimates in accordance with the same in figures.

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

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

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

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3.30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 23, 1894, or Repairing, Renovating, etc., at the Hall of the Board and its Annex, No. 160 Elm street.

ROBERT MACLAY, Chairman.  
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 23, 1894, for Altering and Fitting-up premises Nos. 170 and 181 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street for school purposes.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,  
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.  
Dated New York, July 9, 1894.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1894.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, August 22, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND BUILDING AN ENGINE AND BOILER HOUSE, TOWER AND CHIMNEY FOR HIGH SERVICE WORKS AT THE NEW AQUEDUCT, between Tenth avenue and Harlem river.

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 the deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 12, 1894.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, July 25, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET, from the Boulevard to retaining-wall east of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF RUTGERS SLIP, from Cherry to South street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

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.

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MICHAEL T. DALY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 26, 1894.

### CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO HOUSE owners and consumers of water from the City's water supply, that the books for the annual water rates for the year beginning May 1, 1894, are now open, and that said rates are payable in advance, beginning on the 1st of May, and that a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all rates remaining unpaid on the 1st of August, 1894, and a further penalty of ten per cent. on all rates remaining unpaid on the 1st of November, 1894.

MICHAEL T. DALY,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

### TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS

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



of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants, and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereupon liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

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

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,  
Commissioner of Public Works

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

CONDITIONS OF THE RIGHT TO DUMP AND FILL IN TO BE SOLD BY VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, ON TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1894, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., AT DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
NEW YORK, July 17, 1894.

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

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1894,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for and on account of the Department of Docks, the right to dump and fill in behind the bulkhead or river wall now building at Warren street, North river.

The filling will be put in to the height of five feet above mean high water behind the bulkhead or river wall, from the southerly crosswalk leading to the Pavonia Ferry to a line about 225 feet southerly of the said crosswalk and parallel thereto.

Privilege to fill in the said premises will be sold to the highest bidder, and the price for such right or privilege must be paid at the time of sale. The material to be dumped or filled in must be composed of clean ashes, sand, loam, earth, etc., or of stone; if of stone, no piece of stone must be greater than 16 inches in its largest dimensions, and all material must be dumped and filled in only at such times and places and in such manner as shall be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks, or such other officer or employee of the Department of Docks as may be designated by him; and all the work of dumping and filling-in must be done under the direction of the Engineer-in-Chief or designated employee.

The estimated quantity to be filled in at the said premises is about 30,000 cubic yards, more or less; but this quantity is approximate only, and the Department is not bound in any way by such estimate, and bidders must satisfy themselves of the quantities required to fill in at the place named by examination of the premises, or such other means as they may prefer, the intention of the Department being to fill in the whole of the said premises behind the bulkhead or river wall when it is built and ready to have filling put in behind it.

In case the party who is the highest bidder does not proceed with the work of filling in to the satisfaction of the Board of Docks, the said Board will at once proceed to have the filling-in done by other parties in such way and manner as it deems proper.

The Auctioneer's fees (\$25) for filling in on the said section must be paid by the highest bidder thereon at the time of sale.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
ANDREW J. WHITE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated NEW YORK, July 17, 1894.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 479.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ABOUT 8,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ABOUT 8,000 barrels of Portland Cement will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1894,

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

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

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

The cement required under the contract must be "Portland" cement, fully up to the standard of the best brands imported, and average at least 400 pounds gross weight to the barrel.

The quantity to be delivered under this contract is about 8,000 barrels.

It is estimated that about 5,000 barrels of this cement will be required to be quick-setting, and that about 3,000 barrels will be slow-setting; and it is further estimated that the deliveries will be required to be made so that about 600 barrels per week, more or less, will be required in each week.

It is expected that about 5,000 barrels will be required to be delivered at West Fifty-seventh Street Yard, and that about 3,000 barrels will be required to be delivered at East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

The contract is to be fully completed and to terminate on the 1st day of January, 1895.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the respective times specified for the fulfillment thereof may have expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

The empty barrels will be relinquished to the contractor, as provided for in the specifications, and

bidders must estimate the value of the empty barrels when considering the price for which they will furnish the cement under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price for each barrel of cement to be furnished, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
ANDREW J. WHITE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated NEW YORK, June 14, 1894.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 478.)

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

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

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1894,

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

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

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

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

ON THE NORTH RIVER.

Between West Thirty-fourth and West Fifty-eighth streets..... 120,000 cubic yards.  
Between West Seventy-fourth and West Eighty-third streets..... 40,000 "

Between West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets..... 40,000 cubic yards.

Total not to exceed..... 200,000 "

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

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between West Thirty-fourth and West Fifty-eighth streets, between West Seventy-fourth and West Eighty-third streets, and between West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, on the North river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of December, 1894, at which time this contract will cease and terminate.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
JAMES J. PHELAN,  
ANDREW J. WHITE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated NEW YORK, June 14, 1894.

## 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, July 20, 1894.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, August 2, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN JEROME AVENUE from One Hundred and Sixty-second street to Elliott street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN JEFFERSON STREET, from Franklin avenue to Boston road.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LOUIS F. HAFFEN,  
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, July 13, 1894.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, July 26, 1894, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN WASHINGTON AVENUE, between Wendover avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and in BATHGATE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING AN OUTLET SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Harlem river to Mott avenue.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAGLE AVENUE, from the existing sewer in John street to Cedar 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 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for opening and acquiring title to the following street, in the

##### TWELFTH WARD.

ACADEMY STREET, between Seaman avenue and Harlem river; confirmed May 31, 1894. Area of assessment: Both sides of Academy street, between Seaman avenue and U. S. channel line, Harlem river, and extending half the block on the intersecting avenues and streets.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the 11th day of July, 1894, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 30, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before September 10, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 17, 1894.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessments for opening and acquiring title to the following streets, to wit:

##### TWELFTH WARD.

TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—OPENING, between Tenth avenue and Harlem river; confirmed June 14, 1894. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Eighth street, between Tenth avenue and Exterior street, and to the extent of half the block on intersecting avenues.

TWO HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET—OPENING, between Tenth avenue and Harlem river; confirmed June 14, 1894. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Exterior street, and to the extent of half the block on intersecting avenues.

TWO HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET—OPENING, between Tenth avenue and Harlem river; confirmed June 14, 1894. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Tenth street, between Tenth avenue and Exterior street, and to the extent of half the block on intersecting avenues.

##### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—OPENING, between Elton and Third avenues; confirmed June 22, 1894. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Elton and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block on intersecting avenues.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the 3d day of July, 1894, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 30, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before September 4, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 10, 1894.

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for opening and acquiring title to the following avenue in the

##### TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

CAULDWELL AVENUE—OPENING, from Boston road to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and from Clifton street to Westchester avenue; confirmed May 18, 1894. Area of assessment bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, about 107 feet east of St. Ann's avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a point about 100 feet east of Robbins avenue; thence northerly through the middle of the blocks to the northerly side of Westchester avenue; thence easterly along Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence northerly through the middle of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues to a point about 225 feet north of Home street; thence westerly to a point about 178 feet west of Boston road; thence southwesterly on a line parallel with the Boston road to a point about 340 feet south of Spring place; thence southerly on a line parallel with Cauldwell avenue and distant about 240 feet westerly therefrom to a point 100 feet south of Teasdale place; thence westerly about 150 feet; thence southerly on a line midway Eagle and St. Ann's avenues to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the 30th day of June, 1894, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 30, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 30, 1894, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 10, 1894.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

#### SALE OF THE BAY RIDGE FERRY.

THE FRANCHISE OF A FERRY, FROM THE foot of Whitehall street, New York, to Bay Ridge, at Sixty-fifth street, Long Island, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room No. 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on Wednesday, May 16, 1894, at 12 M., for a term of ten years, from the first day of June, 1894, upon the following

##### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

In addition to the yearly rental to be paid for the ferry franchise, the purchaser and lessee of said franchise may have the use for ferry purposes of that portion of the landing and buildings at the foot of Whitehall street, which are now and were heretofore occupied and used in connection with the operation of the Bay Ridge ferry, and of the privileges heretofore exercised in operating said ferry, by the payment of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars per annum, payable quarterly, during the term of the new lease beginning June 1, 1894, to the lessee of franchise of the ferry to and from Staten Island.

The boats of said ferry shall make half hourly trips each way during the regular summer season, and trips during the rest of the year as may be directed by the Mayor and Comptroller of the City of New York.

The minimum, or upset price, is five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage of passengers, vehicles, freight, etc., and the total amount of the rental shall not be less than fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) per annum, payable quarterly in advance.

The lessee will be required to provide improved facilities for the safe and more convenient landing of passengers and vehicles at the Long Island terminus.

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

The lease will contain a covenant providing for the purchase, by any person or corporation other than the purchaser at the present sale, that may acquire said ferry franchise after the expiration of said term, at a fair appraised valuation of the boats, buildings and other property of the former lessee, actually necessary for the purpose of said ferry or franchise and the surrender and yielding up of the premises by the lessee, if the lessee shall not become the purchaser of the franchise for another term, which appraisal shall be made in the usual way before advertising a lease for a new term of the franchise, at least three months prior to the termination of the lease; provided that the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York shall not in any event be deemed to covenant to purchase said property.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller. The right to reject any bid is reserved, if deemed by the Comptroller to be in the interest of the City.

By orders of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 10, 1894.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 3, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, May 29, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 16, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, June 12, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 29, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Friday, June 22, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 12, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, July 2, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 22, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Thursday, July 12, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 2, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, July 30, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 12, 1894.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

#### SALE OF THE STATEN ISLAND FERRY.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY, FROM the foot of Whitehall street, New York to Staten Island, will be offered for sale by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at his office, Room No. 15, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on Wednesday, May 16, 1894, at 12 o'clock M., together with the wharf property belonging to the Corporation of said city, used and required for ferry purposes, for the term of ten years, from the first day of June, 1894, upon the following:

##### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

The minimum or upset price for the franchise is five per cent. of the gross receipts, and the total yearly rental therefor shall not be less than..... \$22,500 00  
For the wharf property the yearly rental is fixed at..... 21,500 00  
Total..... \$44,000 00

—payable in advance quarterly.

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

The lease will contain a covenant providing for the purchase by any person or corporation other than the purchaser at the present sale that may acquire said ferry franchise after the expiration of said term, at a fair valuation of the boats, buildings and other property of the lessee used in and actually necessary for the operation of said ferry, upon the termination of the lease, and the surrender and yielding up of the premises by the lessee, if the lessee shall not become the purchaser of the franchise for another term, which appraisal shall be made in the usual way, before advertising the lease for a new term of the franchise, at least three months prior to the termination of the lease; 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 lease also shall contain a provision that the number of boats employed and the number of regular trips made daily shall not be less than those now employed and made in operating the said ferry, and that at least three regular trips shall be made between the hours of one o'clock A. M. and five o'clock A. M., daily, at an interval of one hour and twenty minutes between each trip.

A further condition of the sale is that the purchaser and lessee of the franchise of the ferry to Bay Ridge, Long Island, may have the use for its ferry purposes of that portion of the landing and buildings thereon at the foot of Whitehall street, which are now and were heretofore occupied and used in connection with the operation of the Bay Ridge Ferry and of the privileges heretofore exercised in operating said Bay Ridge Ferry, by the payment of \$8,000 per annum to the lessees of the Staten Island Ferry, during the term of the lease beginning June 1, 1894.

The purchaser of the franchise or license to operate the ferry to and from the foot of Whitehall street to and from Staten Island, in case the purchaser should be any one other than the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, will be required to pay to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, upon the execution of the lease and upon the delivery of possession of said wharf property by said railroad company to said purchaser, the sum of \$175,000, the appraised value as fixed by the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted July 12, 1893, of the structures and improvements erected and made by the said Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company upon the wharf property leased in connection with said ferry franchise.

The rates for ferriage shall not exceed those now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Comptroller. The right to reject any bid is reserved, if deemed by the Comptroller to be in the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 10, 1894.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 3, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, May 29, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 16, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, June 12, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 29, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Friday, June 22, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 12, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, July 2, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 22, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Thursday, July 12, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 2, 1894.

The above sale is postponed to Monday, July 30, 1894, at the same hour and place.

ASHBEL P. FITCH,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 12, 1894.

### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BAINBRIDGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, 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 bearing date the 11th day of July, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Bainbridge avenue, as shown and delineated in red color on a map attached to the petition herein, dated New York, June 13, 1894, and signed Louis A. Risse, Chief Engineer, and as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan showing location, width, course, classification and grades of Streets, Avenues and Roads within the area bounded by Southern Boulevard, Briggs avenue, Moshulu Parkway and Maron avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under authority of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890," and filed, one 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 29th day of May, 1894, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on the 31st day of May, 1894, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on the 1st 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 unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 1, 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 (July 21, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of August, 1894, 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 Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 21, 1894.

RICHARD H. CLARKE,  
JOHN D. TREADWELL,  
THOMAS NOLAN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands on the northerly side of Maiden Lane, between William street and Gold street, in the Second Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 151 of the Laws of 1894, entitled "An act in relation to building sites for the Fire Department of the City of New York," and all other 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 the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of August, 1894, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Maiden Lane, between William street and Gold street, in the Second Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894; said property having been duly selected by said Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pur-



suance of the provisions of said chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Maiden Lane, opposite the centre of a party wall, which point is distant 178 feet 10 inches easterly from the intersection of the easterly side of William street with the northerly side of Maiden Lane; running thence northerly and through the centre of said party wall 89 feet 5 inches; thence westerly 13 feet 5 inches to a point distant 85 feet 1 1/2 inches northerly from the said northerly side of Maiden Lane; thence southerly and at right angles to the last course 4 inches; thence westerly 16 feet 8 inches; thence southerly 2 feet 10 inches; thence westerly 1 foot 2 inches to the centre of a certain party wall; thence southerly and through the centre of said party wall 5 feet; thence westerly 2 inches to the centre of another party wall; thence southerly and through the centre of the last-mentioned party wall 72 feet 5 inches to the northerly side of Maiden Lane, and thence easterly and along the said northerly side of Maiden Lane 34 feet 2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, July 16, 1894.  
WILLIAM H. CLARK,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

#### ST. JOHN'S PARK.

**NOTICE TO ALL OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS** respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the acquisition of title to the lands required for St. John's Park, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises embraced within the area of assessment fixed and determined by the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement as the area within which fifty per cent. of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park shall be assessed.

New York Supreme Court.—In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands for a public park on grounds known as St. John's Cemetery, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York, as selected, located and laid out by said Board, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice, pursuant to section 4 of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, passed May 13, 1887, that a true report or transcript of our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises to which title is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and of the value of the benefit and advantage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises embraced within the area of assessment fixed and determined by the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as the area within which fifty per cent. of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land required for said park, as laid out and established by the said Board, shall be assessed, has been deposited by us in the office of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern; the area as fixed and determined by the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement upon which such assessment is levied, is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the southerly side of West Eleventh street with the easterly side of West street; running thence southerly along the easterly side of West street to the northerly side of Spring street; thence easterly along the northerly side of Spring street to the westerly side of Macdougall street; thence northerly along the westerly side of Macdougall street to the southerly side of Minetta lane; thence westerly along the southerly side of Minetta lane to the westerly side of Sixth avenue; thence along the westerly side of Sixth avenue to the southerly side of Greenwich avenue; thence along the southerly side of Greenwich avenue to the southerly side of West Eleventh street; thence along the southerly side of West Eleventh street to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid, with the abstract of our said estimate and assessment; and further, 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 Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1894, 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; and further, that any person or persons whose rights may be affected thereby, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice (July 16, 1894), set forth their objections to the same, in writing, to us, who will receive such objections at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row (Room 2), at any time within the period mentioned.

Dated New York, July 16, 1894.  
EUGENE S. IVES,  
JOSEPH ULLMAN,  
RICHARD DEEVES,  
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 the opening of FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the bulkhead-line, Hudson river, in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of July, 1894, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, July 13, 1894.  
MICHAEL J. SCANLAN,  
CHARLES G. CORNELL,  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Commissioners.

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 EIGHTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Amsterdam avenue and the Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of

the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as One Hundred and Eightieth street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 430 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation on or about the 26th day of May, 1891, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 26, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 6th day of August, 1894, at 1 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, June 26, 1894.  
ROBERT L. LUCE,  
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,  
H. W. GRAY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 8th day of June, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage over and above the loss and damage, 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 One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works and the office of the Counsel to the Corporation on or about the 26th day of May, 1891, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 26, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 3d day of August, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 26, 1894.  
EDWARD B. LA FETRA,  
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,  
H. W. GRAY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interest-

ed in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue herein designated as One Hundred and Eighty-second street, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 360 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 17 of the Laws of 1884, and filed in the office of the Department of Public Works and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation on or about May 26, 1891, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 26, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 6th day of August, 1894, at eleven 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, June 26, 1894.  
WILLIAM H. WILLIS,  
ISAAC RODMAN,  
H. W. GRAY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to EDGEcombe ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to a point in the easterly line of Tenth avenue, opposite One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue, herein designated as Edgecombe road, as shown and delineated on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under authority of chapter 660 of the Laws of 1893, and filed on or about the 14th day of April, 1894, in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York, Room No. 1, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (June 26, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of July, 1894, 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, June 26, 1894.  
EDWARD F. O'DWYER,  
ISAAC FROMME,  
B. PERKINS,  
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 AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 2

Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 26th day of July, 1894, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 26th day of July, 1894, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 26th day of July, 1894.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: By a line beginning at a point distant 150 feet east from the easterly line of the Boulevard and 35 feet north from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, running parallel with the Boulevard for a distance of about 520 feet to a point 114 feet and 9 inches south from the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly, for a distance of 125 feet, to a point distant 25 feet east from the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence parallel with the Boulevard to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street about 50 feet distant from the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence for a distance of about 240 feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street distant 100 feet from the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence parallel with and distant 100 feet from the easterly line of Eleventh avenue for a distance of about 1,940 feet and 6 inches; thence perpendicular with said last mentioned line for a distance of 600 feet; thence parallel with and distant 100 feet from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue for a distance of about 363 feet and 6 7/8 inches to a point in the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence perpendicular to said easterly line of Kingsbridge road for a distance of 185 feet and 1 1/2 inches; thence at an angle of about 71 degrees with said last mentioned line for a distance of about 5 feet to a point in a line parallel with and distant 35 feet from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence parallel with and distant 35 feet from said northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street for a distance of 264 feet and 6 inches to the point of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of August, 1894, 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, June 6, 1894.  
JAMES P. CAMPBELL, Chairman,  
J. ROMAINE BROWN,  
MATTHEW CHALMERS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SHERMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1894, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street or avenue herein designated as Sherman avenue, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map and Profile showing Sherman avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as established by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in pursuance of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and filed in the Office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York and in the Office of the Department of Public Parks on or about the 17th day of January, 1885, and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 (July 3, 1894).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of July, 1894, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 3, 1894.  
PETER B. OLNEY,  
SAMUEL DINKELSPIEL,  
J. F. REILLY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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