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## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

### Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, April 10, 1896. *Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor of New York:*

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Correction for the three months ending March 31, 1896.

Yours, very respectfully, ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

Census Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Dec. 31.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Escaped.	Pardoned.	Remaining Mar. 31.
City Prison	455	4,243	2,307	1,938	...	...	...	...	463
District Prisons	176	10,272	4,283	5,966	...	...	...	...	199
Penitentiary	1,049	4,333	3,688	...	...	...	...	...	1,129
Workhouse	960	6,063	3,516	2,360	...	10	2	...	1,135
	2,650	21,031	10,474	10,264	...	11	3	3	2,926

NOTE.—In above report number given as "Transferred" from Workhouse means those inmates working at institutions of Department of Public Charities, under the care and supervision of Workhouse Keepers, and those detailed for labor at City Prisons.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 31, 1896.

### Quarterly Report Ending March 31, 1896.

Salaries	\$44,142 67
Supplies	49,027 10
Repairs to buildings	1,366 80
Repairs to steamboats, etc.	24 00
Maintenance insane criminals	1,467 33
Transportation, etc., insane criminals	5 98
Donations to discharged prisoners	2,000 00
Total	\$98,033 88

E. & O. E. CHAS. BENN, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, OFFICE OF CITY PRISON, CORNER OF FRANKLIN AND CENTRE STREETS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1896. *Hon. ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction:*

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith quarterly report of work done by paid and unpaid labor, ending March 31, 1896.

Yours, respectfully,

JOHN E. VAN DE CARR, Warden.

CITY PRISON, TOMBS, April 8, 1896.

### Work Done by Paid and Unpaid Labor for the Quarter ending March 31, 1896.

Carpenters' work—130 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, bunks, New Prison; 20 feet 3 by 4 inches joist, New Prison; 5 pounds nails, New Prison; 7 panes glass 10 by 12 inches, Female Prison; 4 ventilation boards, Old Prison; 1 sash 2 by 6 by 2 feet, Boys' Prison; 6 panes glass 10 by 16 inches, Boys' Prison; 45 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, Warden's Apartments; 35 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch yellow pine, Warden's Apartments; 15 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch yellow pine, Warden's Apartments; 2 drawer pulls, Warden's Apartments; 1 pair 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch butts, Warden's Apartments; 1 sash 36 by 26 inches, New Prison; 4 panes glass 13 by 18 inches, New Prison; 5 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine paddle, Kitchen; 1 pane glass 17 by 17 inches, lamp, New Prison; 5 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, repairing bunks, New Prison; 2 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine cover for gas, yard; 1 window sash 10 by 13 inches, Boys' Prison; 15 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ash table, Warden; 6 panes glass, New Prison; 2 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, New Prison; 65 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, New Prison; 1 lock, for closet, Female Prison; 1 pair 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch butts, Female Prison; 25 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, coal bin, Caterer's Kitchen; 60 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, repairing apartments, Warden's; 40 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, repairing apartments, Warden's; 50 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, repairing apartments, Warden's; 90 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch yellow pine, repairing apartments, Warden's; 2 pair 3-inch butts, Warden's; 4 rims lock and spindle, Warden's; 4 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine bunks, New Prison; 4 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine closet seats, Hospital Cell; 45 feet spruce, staging for painters, Tombs; 5 feet yellow pine, repairs, Old Prison; 5 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch yellow pine pigeon holes, Office; 8 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch yellow pine, pigeon holes, Office; 10 feet yellow pine, platform, Prison Yard; 8 feet joists, 3 by 4 inches, Prison Yard; 1 brass lock, putting on, Office; 1 brass lock, putting on, New Prison; 2 knobs and spindles, storm house, Bridge; 1 pane glass 10 by 16 inches, Boys' Prison; 2 hot house pullies, Old Prison; 8 feet sash cord, Old Prison; 10 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, windows, Old Prison; 1 pane glass 6 by 10 inches, Old Prison; 10 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, box for Matrons; 1 pane glass 10 by 10 inches, New Prison; 75 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, Office; 50 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, Office; 2 closet locks, Office; 1 pair 3-inch butts, Boys' Prison; 1 brass lock, putting on, New Prison; 50 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, Office; 100 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, Office; 2 pairs 3-inch butts, Office; 2 drawer pulls, Office; 70 feet pine, Matrons' packing boxes; 150 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, Office; 40 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, Office; 35 feet pine, Matrons' Apartments; 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  days' work, Central Office; 10 feet oak table, Warden's Apartments; 25 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, book case, Central Office; 15 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, pot covers, Female Prison; 8 feet walnut picture frames, Office; 10 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine shelf, Old Prison; 1 closet lock, Kitchen; 4 panes glass, 10 by 12 inches, New Prison; 8 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, New Prison; 2 panes glass 18 by 20 inches, lamp, Prison Yard; 6 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, New Prison; 3 panes glass, Laundry; 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  days' work at Central Office; 4 window sashes, 2 feet by 2 feet 6 inches, New Prison; 16 panes glass, 10 by 13 inches, New Prison; 1 pane glass, 18 by 20 inches, New Prison; 1 pane glass, 18 by 20 inches, Laundry; 10 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine bulletin board, Old Prison; 1 pane glass, storm house, Old Prison; 5 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, Boys' Prison; 1 closet lock, Boys' Prison; 1 key, Office; 1 key, Old Prison; 35 feet yellow pine, flooring storm house, Old Prison; 2 pairs 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch butts, Kitchen; 2 panes glass, Kitchen; 5 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, repairing closet, New Prison.

Plumbers' and Tinsmiths' Work—2  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch bibb cocks; 1 wash hand basin, Old Prison; 1 cover dish, Doctor's Room; 1 sheet galvanized iron, Dining Room; 1 10-gallon can, Kitchen; Repairing bath tub in Old Prison; 1 union, Old Prison; 1 bushing, Old Prison; 1 foot  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, Old Prison; 2 brass couplings, Old Prison; 8 sheets tin 14 by 20 feet, repairing boilers, Kitchen; 1 coffee pot, Female Prison; 35 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch gas pipe, Warden's Apartments; 9 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe fittings, Warden's Apartments; 24 galvanized iron cuspadore, Store Room (Stock); 1 10-gallon kettle, Kitchen; 3 sheets tin, 14 by 20 inches, repairing cans, Third District Prison; 2 bibb cocks, New Prison; 24 burner tips, Tombs; 1 5-gallon coffee pot, Kitchen; 3 8-quart sauce pans, Kitchen; 2 ash cans, Engine Room; 12 mess pans, Store Room (Stock); 15 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, Warden's Apartments; 10 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch fittings, Warden's Apartments; 1 cross piece, range, Laundry; 1 coffee pot, Kitchen; 8 feet galvanized iron pipe, hydrant; 2 tin boxes, 14 by 12 inches, Office; 2 10-gallon cans, Kitchen; 15 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, repairing steam pipe, New Prison; 4 3-inch fittings, repairing steam pipe, New Prison; 8 sheets tin, 14 by 20 inches, bottoming cans, Kitchen; 1 sheet iron, 7 by 2 inches, ash can, Old Prison; 12 burner tips, Tombs; 3  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch fittings for range, Kitchen; 1 set of rings, Kitchen; 1 sheet iron 7 by 2 feet, ash box, Old Prison; 1 sheet iron 7 by 2 feet, ash can, Boys' Prison; repairing and erecting gas-water boiler, Female Prison; 40 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch galvanized iron pipe, Female Prison; 10  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch fittings, Female Prison; 1  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch bibb cock, Female Prison; 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch bibb cocks, Female Prison; 1 ball cock, hot water, Boys' Prison; 1 grate and set bricks, Kitchen; 1 wash boiler, Female Prison; 1 dipper, Female Prison; 1 length 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pipe, Laundry; 1 lock and key, closet, Laundry; 1 plunger, for cleaning closets, Old Prison; 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch bibb cock, New Prison; 1 sheet iron furnace pot for roofing repairs, Boy's Prison; 8 sheets tin 14 by 20 inches, cans, Kitchen; 12 burner tips, Tombs; 1 sheet zinc, Matrons' Room; 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch bibb cocks, New Prison; 1 tin box, 15 by 10 inches, Office; 1 large dipper, Kitchen; 10 feet 2-inch leader, storm house, Old Prison; 80 sheets tin 14 x 20 inches, repairing roof, Tombs; 10 pounds solder, repairing roof, Tombs; 5 pounds nails, Tombs; 25 pounds metallic paint, Tombs; 9 feet 6-inch galvanized leader pipe, Female Prison; 8-quart can, Kitchen; 1-gallon can for bromide, Female Prison.

Painters' Work—27 days' work during month of January in New Prison; 28 (1 painter) days' painting in Warden's Apartments; 40 (1 painter) days' painting in Female Prison, month of February; 19 (1 painter) days' painting in Female Prison, month of March; 19 (1 painter) days' painting in Boys' Prison, month of March.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, April 3, 1896. *Hon. ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction:*

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to you, my report for the quarter ending March 31, 1896. The number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the results accomplished.

Very respectfully,

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

### Warden's Report.

The following is the report of New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for the quarter ending March 31, 1896:

	MALES.		FEMALES.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOR- EIGN.
	White.	Colored.	White.	Colored.			
Remaining at last report	949	49	43	8	1,049	608	441
Received	398	28	21	6	453	293	155
Total imprisoned	1,347	77	64	14	1,502	906	596
Discharged	332	15	18	3	368	217	151
Pardoned	3	..	..	..	3	2	1
Escaped	1	..	..	..	1	1	..
Died	1	..	..	..	1	1	..
Total discharged	337	15	18	3	373	221	152
Total remaining	1,010	62	46	11	1,129	685	444

Increase..... 80

Males—Men, 1,070; boys, 2—Total, 1,072. Females—Women, 56; girls, 1—Total, 57.

Total belonging to Penitentiary, 1,129.

Number of prisoners—Males, 1,072; females, 57—total, 1,129.

Number of paid officers and employees boarding at Penitentiary—Males, 61; females, 7—total, 68—Grand total, 1,197.

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

### BLACKSMITHS.

#### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: Harlem Hospital—64 uprights for mattresses, 69 braces for stretchers. City Hospital—8 pairs hinges, 1 11-inch hook, 2 iron protectors, 2 steel keys, 1 ring bolt. Lunatic Asylum—5 wire screens, 3 stove screens. Bellevue Hospital—1 cold chisel, 1 sledge. Metropolitan Hospital—12 iron girders for fire-escapes. Almshouse—73 anchors for roof, 48 spindles to make 24 wheelbarrows. Fordham Hospital—1 whiffletree. Central Office—1 7-foot fire-hoe, 5 lock hasps, 5 staples and plates. Gouverneur Hospital—27 window guards, 1 door with lock and key. Randall's Island Hospital—12 tires, 24 hub bands, 12 spindles and 24 clips to make 12 wheelbarrows. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—1 oyster knife and stake.

Repairs: Harlem Hospital—2 ambulances, 2 wheelbarrows, 2 dead wagons, 1 wagon. City Hospital—12 slice bars, 3 fire hoes, 3 wheelbarrows, 1 dumb-waiter wheel, scaffolding trusses, 1 fire iron, 2 strap hinges. Bellevue Hospital—1 ambulance bell and frame, 1 jack, clip, altered dead wagon to transfer wagon, 1 go-cart, 1 ice-box, 1 dead wagon, 1 hand dead cart. Metropolitan Hospital—2 wagons, 9 chisels, 11 slice bars, 8 fire hoes. Fordham Hospital—Altered 4 window guards, 1 harness hanger. Central Office—1 fire hoe, Commissioner's carriage. Gouverneur Hospital—1 crib. Randall's Island Hospital—1 large ice tong, 3 cleavers, 3 stove shakers, 6 fire irons, 1 meat chopping machine. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—4 hand trucks, 1 fire hoe. Twenty-sixth Street Dock—90 bedsteads. General Storehouse—3 hand trucks. Homeopathic Hospital—1 carriage. Infants' Hospital—1 wheel. Steamer "William H. Wyckham"—1 gangplank, 1 slice bar, 1 fire hoe. Steamer "Fidelity"—4 hand trucks, 2 slice bars. Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 720 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

#### For Department of Correction.

Made: Penitentiary—306 chisels, 133 points, 22 wedges, 36 plugs, 100 bucket handles, 303 bucket rivets, 106 bucket straps, 143 bucket ears, 1 3-foot poker, 1 riveting hammer, 2 washers, 74 drills, 42 pitching tools, 4 corner braces, 24 stonecutter hammers, 1 push-cart, 2 keys, 2 chain links, 1 crowbar, 3 chain hooks, 4 hook chisels, 3 tongs, 24 tub handles, 1 peg cutter. District Prisons—1 iron door, 2 pairs large strap hinges, 6 whitewash scrapers. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 gangplank, ironed 1 new stool for pilot-house. Central Office—5 hinges, hasps and staples. City Prison—2 pairs large strap hinges.

Repairs: Penitentiary—8,000 chisels, 6,690 points, 65 wedges, 3,611 drills, 44 pitching tools, 43 chain links, 7 crowbars, 2 chain hooks, 456 augers, 22 picks, 142 axes, 3 sledges, 5 hammers, 1 window rod, 13 locks, 1 wrench, 1 peg cutter, 1 poker, 1 cleaver, 1 block, 1 door, 3 wringers, 13 cot frames, 2 stone trucks, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 crossbar, 1 tinsmith stake, 2 guard-boards, 2 coal-carts, 5 hand coal-carts, 1 brace, 1 stove, 2 ox-carts, 2 coal-barrows, 1 latch, 3 seats, 1 hand-cart, 1 hand-truck, 1 trap door, 2 coal buckets, 4 windows, 1 scales. District Prisons—1 slice bar, 2 prison wagons. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 monkey wrench, 4 hand trucks, 2 gangplank shoes. Central Office—1 bread wagon, 4 vans. Workhouse—1 wagon, 1 dirt cart, 1 coal cart, 1 ash cart. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 coal cart, 1 bread wagon, 2 trucks, 1 express wagon, 4 wagons. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 2,471 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

### TINSMITHS.

#### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: Bellevue Hospital—1 vegetable trough fitted, 1 3-gallon can, 24 1-quart cans, 24 3-quart cans, 12 bake pans, 24 funnels, 12 tea canisters, 12 coffee canisters, 12 bandage boxes. City Hospital—12 dressing pans, 6 small sterilizers, 12 large sterilizers, 12 2-quart douche cans, 12 1-quart douche cans. Randall's Island Hospital—200 feet 5-inch galvanized iron leader-pipe, 100 feet 6-inch galvanized iron leader-pipe, 200 feet 6-inch stovepipe, 100 feet 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch stovepipe, 24 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch elbows, 24 6-inch elbows. Gouverneur Hospital—9 milk shakers, 10 lengths 5-inch stovepipe, 1 5-inch elbow, 2 drip pans, lined 1 feed box. Fordham Hospital—6 small funnels, 6 galvanized iron garbage cans, 3 8-quart kettles. Metropolitan Hospital—1 tea kettle, 24 6-gallon cans, 12 1-pint dippers. Infants' Hospital—4 water coolers. Almshouse—1 3-gallon copper can. Repairs: Bellevue Hospital—7 ice boxes, 2 bath tubs, 8 ambulance lamps. Almshouse—2 sewing machines.

Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 459 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

#### For Department of Correction.

Made: Penitentiary—2 galvanized iron ash cans, 60 1-quart cups. City Prison—2 meat boxes lined, 6 10-gallon boilers, 6 large pudding pans. District Prisons—2 meat boxes lined, 1 10-gallon boiler, 1 15-gallon boiler, 2 30-quart cans, 1 galvanized iron box, 1 galvanized iron ice box pan, 1 copper-bottom boiler, 3 20-gallon boilers, 3 6-gallon cans, 1 roasting pan, 1 tea kettle, 1 coffee strainer. Workhouse—120 3-pint cups. Repairs: Penitentiary—465 various prison pieces, 56 quarry pumps. District Prisons—1 can.

Department of Correction—Days' labor, 1,138.

### CARPENTERS.

#### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: Fordham Hospital—4 3-leaf screens, 1 whiffletree. Gouverneur Hospital—3 3-leaf screens, 1 cake board, 1 feed box. Harlem Hospital—1 14-foot stepladder, 1 instrument table, 4 stretchers, 1 instrument case. Randall's Island Hospital—24 washstands, 24 dining tables, 24 ward stands, 12 ward tables, 12 small tables. City Hospital—1 pair wagon shafts, 2 12-foot scaffolding trusses, 1 glass partition, 12 3-wing screens, 1 small table, 4 wheelbarrows. Bellevue Hospital—2 painters' ladders, 1 vegetable trough, 2 peel handles, 6 dozen pairs large crutches. General Storehouse—850 coffins, 7 gem cases. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—4 frames, 1 coal cart. Central Office—2 signs for hall, 5 document boxes, 1 railing and gate, 1 wardrobe, 1 stamp rack, 1 frame. Assistant Storekeeper—1 hall stand. General Storekeeper—6 photo frames, 1 drawing board. Infants' Hospital—6 small tables, 6 washstands. Steamer "Mermaid"—1 flag pole. Steamer "William H. Wickham"—4 foot boxes. Almshouse—4 bread carts. Nurses' Home—150 screen frames.

Repairs: Gouverneur Hospital—1 ambulance, 1 ambulance bed. Harlem Hospital—1 ice box, 1 door, 1 dead wagon, 1 ambulance. Randall's Island Hospital—1 coal cart. City Hospital—1 dumbwaiter wheel, 1 carriage body. Bellevue Hospital—4 ice boxes, 2 chairs, 1 bath tub frame, 1 dead wagon, 1 ambulance. General Storehouse—2 bread wagons, 1 business wagon, 1 supply wagon, 1 pair shafts, 1 truck. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—1 chair, 1 gang plank, Steamer "Fidelity"—1 hand truck. Metropolitan Hospital—2 wagons. Insane Asylum—1 wagon body.

Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 2,000.

#### For Department of Correction.

Made: Penitentiary—1 gang plank, 25 signs, 105 cell buckets, 78 various handles, 1 cup rack, 2 water troughs, 39 mallets, 1 hand cart, 12 clothes posts, 3 boxes, 1 foot stand, 12 wash tubs, 12 hot bed sashes, 10 ice picks, 2 writing tables, 24 knobs, 2 pairs oars, 1 glazing board, 1 cupboard, 4 photo frames. District Prisons—2 meat boxes, 1 table leaf, 2 wooden horses. City Prison—2 meat boxes. Central Office—5 document boxes, 3 photo frames, 3 signs, 1 paper file rack, 2 window desks, 1 oak table, 1 oak table top, 2 oak office desks. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 wagon shaft. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 stool, 4 gang-plank shoes. Storehouse—1 3-seated desk. Workhouse—100 cell buckets.

Repairs: Penitentiary—145 cell buckets, 7 chairs, 2 benches, 2 tables, 3 guard boats, 8 wheelbarrows, 18 pails, 26 tubs, 5 coal carts, 2 coal barrows, 2 water tubs, 1 stand, 1 hand truck,



2 ox carts, 2 bread boxes, 25 snow shovels. Central Office—2 vans, 1 clothes basket, 2 chairs, 1 wagon jack. Steamer "Minnaharonek"—1 chair, 3 gang planks. Workhouse—1 ox cart. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 2,388.

#### PAINTERS AND UPHOLSTERERS.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Painted: Fordham Hospital—3 roller-towel brackets, 4 screen frames, 4 window screens, 1 whiffletree. Lunatic Asylum—3 stove screens. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—3 frames. Nurses' Home—16 screen frames. Harlem Hospital—4 3-arm towel racks, 1 14-foot stepladder, 1 instrument table, 1 bulletin-board, 4 stretchers, 1 wooden door, 1 instrument case. Bellevue Hospital—8 ambulance lamps, 1 invalid chair, 14 ice boxes, 1 provision wagon, 2 bath-tubs, 2 ladders, 1 vegetable-trough, 1 go-cart, 1 transfer wagon. Metropolitan Hospital—8 water coolers. Assistant Storekeeper—5 screens. Randall's Island Hospital—24 washstands, 24 tables, 12 small tables, 12 ward tables. Gouverneur Hospital—3 screen frames, 1 crib, 1 ambulance, 1 feed box. Central Office—1 bread wagon, 4 signs, 1 wagon, 1 tin box, 1 office chair, 3 photo frames, 1 stamp rack, 1 picture frame, 5 document boxes, 1 railing and gate, 1 wardrobe. City Hospital—2 signs, 1 table, 12 screen frames, 4 wheelbarrows. General Storekeeper—6 photo frames. Twenty-sixth Street Dock—1 camp-chair. Infants' Hospital—6 tables, 6 washstands, 1 wheel. Steamer "Mermaid"—1 flag-pole.

Upholstered: Harlem Hospital—1 ambulance fender. Bellevue Hospital—3 ambulance beds, 25 hair pillows, 1 operating table, 10 hair mattresses. Nurses' Home—3 hair mattresses. Assistant Storekeeper—1 chair. General Storekeeper—2 easy chairs, 1 lounge, 1 hair mattress, 4 chairs. Male Training School—11 hair mattresses. Metropolitan Hospital—1 wagon recovered. Fordham Hospital—15 hair mattresses. Almshouse—29 hair mattresses. Gouverneur Hospital—1 ambulance, 2 hair mattresses, 1 ambulance bed. City Hospital—2 hair mattresses. Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 303.

##### For Department of Correction.

Painted: Penitentiary—55 lights glass, 65 signs, 3 guard boats, 4 pails, 197 cell buckets, 1 slate, 1 barber-chair, 2 window screens, 1 water-closet, painting and decorating walls of prison, 48 spittoons, 11 bucket covers, 1 chair, 1 water pail, 2 foot-stools, 1 box, 6 tables, 2 skylights, 8 slides for keepers' roll, 1 armchair, 4 photo frames, 1 hand-cart, 12 hotbed sashes. Steamer "Minnaharonek"—1 gangplank, 2 chairs, 1 meat box, 1 stool, 4 coal barrows, 4 hand-trucks. City Prison—Screen work, 4 screen railings, 2 meat boxes, 1 sample cot-frame. District Prisons—1 wagon, 2 meat boxes, 1 van. Storehouse—1 3-seated desk. Central Office—5 document boxes, 3 vans, 14 signs, 1 chair, 1 paper-file rack, 2 window desks, 1 oak table, 1 oak table top. Upholstered: Penitentiary—1 hair mattress. Workhouse—40 hair mattresses. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 2,053.

#### TAILORS AND COT MAKERS.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—4 Tarpaulins. Harlem Hospital—12 stretcher cloths.

##### For Department of Correction.

Made: Penitentiary—245 pairs summer pants, 61 cots. Repaired: Penitentiary—514 jackets, 980 pairs pants, 407 vests, 354 caps, 455 pairs gloves, 545 cots.

#### BROOM AND BRUSH MAKERS.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: General Storehouse—148 dozen brooms, 248 dozen brushes.

##### For Department of Correction.

Made: Storehouse—69 dozen brooms, 77 dozen brushes.

#### SHOEMAKERS.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Made: General Storehouse—1,150 pairs men's shoes.

##### For Department of Correction.

Made: Storehouse—450 pairs men's shoes. Repaired: Penitentiary—4 pairs women's shoes, 1,155 pairs men's shoes. Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 3,473. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 1,862.

#### IN THE CUTTING-ROOM.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Cut and made: Bellevue Hospital—816 ward shirts, 100 flannel sacques, 50 cassimere gowns, 400 hickory shirts, 404 brown muslin shirts, 612 huckabuck towels. Almshouse—115 tick dresses, 1 25-foot flag, 506 pairs cassimere pants, 282 cotton petticoats, 192 cotton coats. City Hospital—300 baby jean capes, 300 pairs cassimere pants, 82 tick dresses, 91 gingham dresses, 45 cassimere gowns. Infants' Hospital—112 tick dresses, 150 pairs cassimere pants, 150 baby flannel sacques. Randall's Island Hospital—50 pairs overalls. Metropolitan Hospital—700 men's brown muslin shirts. Twenty-sixth Street Dock—25 pairs cassimere pants, 29 spreads. Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan"—75 spreads, 4 table cloths. Out-door Poor—84 towels. Central Office—1 25-foot flag, 2 12-foot flags. General Storehouse—100 tick dresses, 100 bed-ticks, 100 bed-spreads, 100 cotton jackets, 100 pillow-ticks, 100 pillow-cases, 100 hickory shirts. Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 2,885½.

##### For Department of Correction.

Cut and Made: Penitentiary—390 shirts, 350 jackets, 400 pairs pants, 200 pairs mitts, 165 pairs women's Canton flannel drawers, 140 vests. Workhouse—1,000 brown muslin chemises. Steamer "Minnaharonek"—25 spreads. District Prisons—24 brown muslin sheets. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 611.

#### IN THE SEWING ROOM.

##### For Department of Correction.

Made: Penitentiary—178 sheets, 100 petticoats, 27 butcher aprons, 24 white spreads, 6 baby suits. Central Office—23 hand towels. Repaired: Penitentiary—1,032 shirts, 1,363 pairs socks, 826 undershirts, 888 pillow ticks, 25 chemises, 56 dresses, 22 petticoats, 2 sheets, 8 butcher aprons, 23 aprons, 1 bed tick, 2 clothes bags, 1 table cloth, 7 pairs butcher cuffs, 4 white spreads. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 888.

#### IN THE STONE SHED.

Cut: 1,681 feet 11-inch flagging, 104 feet 3-inch sills, 437 feet 11-inch water table, 169 feet 1-inch coping, 3 feet 6-inch curbing, 2 feet window jambs, 134 feet 7-inch corner stone, 5 feet 6-inch sill course, 18 feet caps, 32 feet boiler anchors, 56 feet 6-inch steps.

##### For Department of Public Charities.

Delivered: Almshouse—13 loads building stone, 14 loads broken road stone. Maternity Hospital—19 feet 2-inch caps. Metropolitan Hospital—2 stones for boiler anchors, 3 feet 6 inches by 1 foot by 1 foot.

Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 222.

##### For Department of Correction.

Delivered: Workhouse—96 loads rough building stone, 1,050 feet flagging, 125 feet curbing, 38 feet 11-inch door sill. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 9,088.

#### IN THE COAL YARD.

##### Loading and Handling Coal.

Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 1,491. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 968.

#### MEN EMPLOYED ON OUTDOOR LABOR.

##### Discharging Cargoes and Keeping Roads in Order.

Discharged: 1,645 tons coal, 330 tons ice, 27,500 bushels manure. Department of Public Charities—Days' labor, 1,971. Department of Correction—Days' labor, 986.

##### Summary of Days' Labor.

Department of Public Charities—	Department of Correction—
Blacksmiths..... 720½	Blacksmiths..... 2,471½
Tinsmiths..... 459½	Tinsmiths..... 1,138
Carpenters..... 2,000	Carpenters..... 2,388
Painters and Upholsterers..... 303	Painters and Upholsterers..... 2,053
Cot Makers, Broom and Brush and Shoemakers..... 3,473	Tailors, Cot Makers, Broom and Brush and Shoemakers..... 1,862
In the Cutting Room..... 2,885½	In the Cutting Room..... 611
In the Stone Shed..... 222	In the Sewing Room..... 888
In the Coal Yard..... 1,491	In the Stone Shed..... 9,088
Out-door Labor..... 1,971	In the Coal Yard..... 968
	Out-door Labor..... 986
Total..... 13,525½	Total..... 22,453½

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK, April 1, 1896. Hon. ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner of Correction.

SIR—I respectfully forward herewith detailed statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed at this institution for the Department of Correction and Department of Public Charities for the quarter ended March 31, 1896.

Appended will also be found a tabulated statement of the admissions, discharges, etc., for the quarter, as well as the location of and the number remaining at other institutions at the close of business March 31, 1896.

Very respectfully,

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

#### For Department of Correction.

Carpenters—Storehouse—Placed in thorough repair a two-story frame building, lined inside throughout, new doors and office partition, repaired window sash and window frames, made grocery bin with ten compartments, and 100 soap boxes. Made 50 boxes, various sizes, 105 bucket covers, 6 covers, various sizes, 2 counters, 2 desks, 1 drawer, 1 file rack, 3 frames, 719 handles, various, 1 ironing board, 5 meat blocks, 135 feet moulding, 118 peels, 2 rolling pins, 18 squillees, 7 pairs sashes, 4 stands, 1 stone barrow, 2 signs, 2 shelves, 6 skids, 24 snow-shovels, 3 tables, 4 tailboards, 2,300 tallies, 2 wardrobes, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 towel roller and rack, 4 window frames, 2 elevators, 6 door sills. Boxed up 1 boiler. Cut 50 jamb blocks. Floored 1,000 square feet. Ceiled 528 square feet. Ground 282 knives, 43 saws, 84 pairs scissors, 2 cleavers. Put up 355 feet clothes line and 4 signs. Repaired 13 benches, 744 boxes, 3 boards, 241 buckets, 27 carts, 40 doors, 1 dumb-waiter, 2 fences, 7 frames, 5 floors, 2 hand barrows, 2 gates, 5 ladders, 4 meat wagons, 1 lime shed, 9 peels, 2 runways, 10 pairs sashes, 14 skylights, 2 stalls, 22 stools, 200 dining tables, 19 tailboards, 1 wash stand, 112 wheelbarrows, 242 windows, 3 water-closets, 1 ice box, 1 stairway, 4 shutters, 1 scale. Harlem Prison—Built 1 storeroom, 10 by 14 by 16, and made 192 feet shelving. Fire Department—Placed outside shutters on cupola. Essex Market—Made 6 bunks, 30 by 72, laid 352 square feet flooring and reset 12 doors. Fourth District Prison—Ceiled 154 square feet ceiling surface and made general repairs in kitchen.

Blacksmiths—Made 3 box irons, 39 bolts, 9 bars, various, 18 braces, 2 brackets, 2 angle irons, 8 chisels, 1 coffee grinder, 2 grates, 47 handles, 2 hoes, 34 hooks, 2 hoops, 3 hawks, 1 iron plate, 2 iron frames, 4 mountings, 7 nuts, 5 scrapers, 2 shovels, 2 slice bars, 4 spikes, 3 spindles, 26 staples, 19 straps, 5 washers, 90 wedges, 2 pokers, 3 hammers, 2 catches. Removed 15 cot frames. Repaired 10 anchors, 1 auger, 111 buckets, 9 carts, 59 chisels, 5 chisel bars, 47 cot frames, 4 crowbars, 5 drills, 91 forks, 11 hammers, 7 hand trucks, 2 hoes, 1 iron bedstead, 2 pinchbars, 54 pick heads, 11 points, 10 rakes, 2 roasters, 1 runway, 1 saddle, 88 scrapers, 11 shovels, 25 slice bars, 1 trace iron, 7 wheelbarrows, 2 wrenches, 1 grate, 3 pairs hames, 10 cell doors, 186 quarrying tools.

Tinsmiths—Made 2 boilers, 6 tin boxes, 6 coffee pots, 50 candle sticks, 10 dippers, 271 feet gutters, 89 feet leader pipe, 6 saucepans, 202 feet stove pipe, 2 smokestacks, 1 sterilizer (copper), 6 water cans, 200 tin cups, 3 feet tin pipe, with funnel, 8 measures, 4 funnels, 1 basin, 3 dripping pans, 4 scoops, 1 marking pot, 4 kettles and 3 elbows. Laid 1,100 square feet roofing. Lined 2 dissecting tables and 1 ice box. Put up 8 stoves and 2 smoke jacks. Repaired 2 leader pipes, 61 locks and keys, 1 gong, 4 pumps, 1 range, 596 pieces tinware and repaired roofs where necessary. City Cemetery—Repaired 2 roofs.

Engineer—Repaired 1 basin, 2 cisterns, 1 chandelier, 2 steam coils, 1 engine, 9 gas fixtures, 2 gas leaks, 1 pump, 1 sewing machine, 136 steam leaks, 1 steam pipe, 1 stove, 1 tub, 1 valve, 6 washing machines, 2 water faucets, 4 water-closets, 19 water leaks, 3 water lines, 3 water pipes. Cleaned 19 gas-fixtures, 1 pipe, 1 sink, 2 gutters, 1 water-closet. Connected 1 air line, 1 water line, 2 gas-fixtures, 1 gas pendant, 1 gas-house, 1 mangle, 1 radiator, 1 steam line. Disconnected 1 basin, 1 radiator, 1 washing machine. Laid 1 water-line; put in 1 gas light and 1 mangle; thawed 17 pipes, 1 water-closet, 3 traps.

Painters—Painted 44,272 square feet wall and ceiling surface, interior of Baker's residence and 1 outhouse, male dining-room, 2 rooms and hallway complete, including doors and windows; 3 rooms complete, with doors and windows; 3 pairs window blinds, 7 boxes, 73 brackets, 81 buckets, 7 cell doors, 110 cot frames, 4 doors, 39 iron bedsteads, 5 radiators, 290 feet steam pipe, 27 windows, 2 water-closets, 24 water pails, 6 water cans, 1 table, 2 wardrobes, base of male hall, exterior and interior complete, including doors and windows of storehouse, also 2 closets, 1 water-stand, 1 water-closet and 1 desk for same. Painted and grained 1 partition; painted and lettered 27 bins, 43 signs; calcimined 2 ceilings; painted, grained and varnished 2 benches; painted, lettered and varnished 6 tin boxes; stained and varnished 2 bedsteads and 3 cases; tarred 1 roof; painted and varnished 1 trunk and 512 square feet flooring; lettered 1 glass sign; glazed 251 window lights.

Masons, Plasterers, etc.—Built 295 feet brick wall; pointed 9,725 square feet dressed stone work; reset 121 square feet flagging; plastered 126 square feet wall surface, and made repairs where necessary; repaired 1 gutter and 1 clothes crematory.

Cot-makers, etc.—Put up 1,590 cots and repaired 917 cot bottoms; repaired 5 mats, 3 carpets, 1 elevator rope, and 2 padded cells; spliced 583 cot ropes; covered 2 tables; laid 1 carpet.

Shoemakers—Made 800 pairs women's shoes, 3 pairs men's shoes, 2 pairs slippers; repaired 744 pairs shoes.

Tailors—Made 10 blouses, 700 pairs mitts, 625 pairs suspenders, 525 vests; altered 84 jackets; bound 500 pairs women's shoes; sewed 900 pillow ticks; repaired 1,324 jackets, 650 vests, 1,970 pairs pants; repaired and pressed 489 suits prisoner's own clothing.

#### Female Workhouse Help.

Sewing Rooms—Made 148 aprons, 3,248 pillow cases, 550 shirts, 300 sheets (City Prison), 180 chemises, 185 sheets, 175 shrouds, 295 vests.

Laundry—Workhouse, 174,935 pieces washed and laundered; City Cemetery, 285 pieces washed and laundered; City Prison, 16,059 pieces washed and laundered—total, 190,379 pieces.

#### Ordinary Labor.

Sewing-rooms, 6,670 days; Laundry, 2,350 days; Scrubbers, baths, etc., 3,381 days; Messengers and Tiers, 659 days; in Hospital, 2,654 days; Kitchens, 1,003 days; sundries, 4,012 days—total, 20,729 days.

#### OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

##### Ordinary Labor.

INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.
First District Prison.....	1,212	1,096
Second District Prison.....	570	338
Third District Prison.....	289	230
Fourth District Prison.....	60	166
Fifth District Prison.....	209	217
Steamboat Department.....	559	....
Total.....	2,908	2,047

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS LABOR.
Launch.....	1,040	Gashouse.....	661
Storehouse.....	591	Boilerhouse.....	1,213
Stable.....	684	Fire Department.....	92
Bakery.....	756	Masons.....	332
Carpenters.....	1,305	Stone Cutters.....	311
Painters.....	1,088	Plasterers.....	313
Tinsmiths.....	255	Brick Masons.....	238
Blacksmiths.....	176	City Cemetery.....	115
Cot Makers.....	508	Grounds.....	7,256
Barbers and Baths.....	504	Farm.....	225
Shoemakers.....	1,569	In Hospital.....	2,518
Tailors.....	1,737	Labor Gangs.....	11,702
Cleaners.....	4,149		
Kitchen and Dining Rooms.....	3,206		
Buckets.....	3,616		
		Total number of days' labor.....	46,180

#### Number of Prisoners Remaining at other Institutions, March 31, 1896.

INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Bellevue Hospital.....	20	109	129	Branch Workhouse...	35	..	35
Gouverneur Hospital..	..	5	5	First District Prison	38	33	71
City Hospital.....	36	84	120	Second " "	20	11	31
Randall's Island Hospital.....	51	48	99	Third " "	16	8	24
Infants' Hospital.....	51	18	69	Fourth " "	3	5	8
Lunatic Asylum.....	6	7	13	Fifth " "	5	7	12
Almshouse.....	45	55	100	Steamboat Department	46	..	46
Metropolitan Hospital..	..	4	4				
				Total.....	372	397	769

#### For Department of Charities.

Carpenters—Barge for Homeless Men—Studded, sheathed and battened barge, using 650 pieces thin pine. Almshouse—Repaired roof, blown down by storm, and made 2 instrument cases. General Storekeeper—Made 1 bookcase, 1 coal bin, and made and put up 2 doors.

Engineer—Metropolitan Hospital—Removed to Workhouse Laundry 2 washing machines, 1 wringer, pulleys, shafting, etc. Put up 2 washing machines, 1 wringer, 2 lines of shafting, pulleys and hangers. Connected 5 driving belts, water and steam pipes.

Painters—General Storekeeper—Painted, grained and varnished 1 bookcase.

Shoemakers—Repaired: For Bellevue Hospital, 76 pairs shoes; for City Hospital, 28 pairs shoes; for Randall's Island Hospital, 5 pairs shoes; for Steamboat Department, 10 pairs shoes; for Storehouse, 18 pairs shoes.

Tailors—Made: For Metropolitan Hospital, 32 blouses; for Randall's Island Hospital, 42 blouses; for Bellevue Hospital, 76 blouses; for Infants' Hospital, 3 blouses; for Storehouse, 12 suits of clothes.

Laundry—Washed and laundered: For Metropolitan Hospital, 50,662 pieces; for Bakery, 408 pieces; for Fordham Hospital, 3,765 pieces; for Steamboat Department, 2,087 pieces; for Storehouse employees, 1,851 pieces; for Ward's Island Asylum, 327 pieces; for Barge for Homeless men, 9,449 pieces; for Superintendent of Out-door Poor, 668 pieces. Total, 69,217 pieces.



Sewing Rooms (Female)—Almshouse—Made 60 aprons. Barge for Homeless Men—Made 809 sheets, 401 shirts. Bellevue Hospital—Made 170 dresses, 100 nightgowns, 250 shirts, 230 sheets, 370 wrappers. Metropolitan Hospital—Made 190 dresses, 200 pillow cases, 375 sheets. City Hospital—Made 300 pillow cases. Randall's Island Hospital—Made 160 chemises, 495 dresses, 73 night gowns, 4,210 pillow cases, 1,145 sheets, 424 shirts. Storehouse—Made 875 shrouds. Steamboat Department—Made 150 sheets.

## Ordinary Labor.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	DAYS' WORK.		WHERE EMPLOYED.	DAYS' WORK.	
	Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.
Bellevue Hospital.....	2,922	11,794	Stable.....	1,367	171
Gouverneur Hospital.....	...	597	Bakery.....	2,642	137
City Hospital.....	3,217	8,475	City Cemetery.....	2,185	...
Randall's Island Hospital.....	4,305	5,755	Gashouse.....	1,323	...
Infants' Hospital.....	4,379	1,373	Fire Department.....	244	...
Harlem Hospital.....	...	575	Branch Workhouse.....	2,999	...
Almshouse.....	1,781	6,646	Labor gangs, unloading coal, manure, etc.....	9,618	...
Metropolitan Hospital.....	1,816	2,507			
Insane Asylums.....	2,267	...			
Steamboat Department.....	3,783	...			
Storehouse.....	1,183	768			
			Total.....	46,091	38,798

## Mechanical Labor.

INSTITUTIONS.	DAYS' WORK.			
	Carpenters.	Painters.	Bricklayers and Masons.	Engineers.
Almshouse.....	287	13	23	...
Metropolitan Hospital.....	33	...	128	12
Harlem Hospital.....	4	...	...	...
Barge for Homeless Men.....	74	19	...	...
General Storekeeper.....	49	...	...	...
Total.....	447	32	151	12

## BAKERY.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK, April 14, 1896. Hon. ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner of Correction:  
Sir—I respectfully submit the following report of the operations of this Bureau, for the quarter ended March 31, 1896.

	DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.	DEPT. OF CORRECTION.	DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.	DEPT. OF CORRECTION.
No. barrels of flour on hand Jan. 1, 1896.....	575	287		
No. barrels of flour received during the quarter.....	3,501	1,551		
Total.....	4,076	1,838		

The number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the various Institutions in the Department during the quarter:

Department of Charities.....	Pounds.
Department of Correction.....	816,499
Total.....	481,575

Very respectfully, LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, April 9, 1896.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, George B. Fowler, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Thomas F. White, \$2,083.33; Frank C. Langley, \$166.66; Hammond Typewriter Company, \$85; Hektograph Company, \$4; Julius Wack, \$1.25; Demarest & Son, \$0.75; John Wiley & Sons, \$9.85; Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, \$98.14; Tower Manufacturing Company, \$16; Denison Manufacturing Company, \$3; Colgate & Co., \$6.75; Ford Surgical Company, \$25.50; A. J. Mone, \$9.95; Clark & Wilkins, \$10; William Young, \$6; Patterson Bros., \$3.95; Arnold, Constable & Co., \$92.87; Adam Nimphius, \$3.50; Standard Oil Co., \$7.14; Gilbert & Barker Company, \$42.62; McNab & Harlin Company, \$5.05; Rinald Bros., \$8; Devoe & Reynolds, \$225; R. H. Leslie & Co., \$63.60; Parke, Davis & Co., \$0.75; Jenkins, Bros., \$2.16; R. Eckstein, \$1.20; Sheppard & Stolp, \$54; Keuffel & Esser, \$1.50; E. Leitz, \$3.75; J. N. Brown, \$48.37; A. E. Barnes & Co., \$45.60; Pugsley & Chapman, \$2.58; M. B. Brown, \$305.15; J. Fleischhauer, \$150; Emmons Clark, \$270; Bates Manufacturing Company, \$2.50; Diagraph Company, \$50; F. A. Fischer, \$4; Merck & Co., \$1.80; Metropolitan Telephone Company, \$40.30; J. Fleischhauer, \$136; Seabury & Johnson, \$10.68; McKesson & Robbins, \$84.41; Lehn & Fink, \$234.19; T. C. Dunham, \$6.45; A. P. Volmer, \$121.49; Dr. C. Clark, \$11.85; Hester Boarding Stables, \$82.50; A. J. Tagliabue, \$5.50; Eimer & Amend, \$337.45; Patrick Burns, \$4; George Ermold, \$65.85; Dr. H. D. Gill, \$75; Whittall, Tatum & Co., \$39.43; Emil Greiner, \$90.50; Caswell, Massey & Co., \$5.65; Blake & Williams, \$365; Bloomingdale Bros., \$387.30; Myron C. Rush, \$40.48; George Tiemann & Co., \$10.13; Ballard & Son, \$12.

## The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

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

Orders received for prosecution, 234; attorneys' notices issued, 280; nuisances abated before suit, 175; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes, 46; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 34; suits discontinued—by Board, 40; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 7; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; executions issued, 0; judgments for the People—criminal suits, 0; judgments for the defendant—criminal suits, 0; civil suits now pending, 250; criminal suits now pending, 86; money collected and paid to Cashier—civil suits, \$25; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, \$0.

2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit:

Michael Sweeney, 2618 (1890); Andrew Delbitt, 2626 (1889); Andrew Delbitt, 3051 (1889); Andrew Delbitt, 3096 (1889); Max Greenstein, 3420; Mary Teel, 3430; Frederick W. Miller, 3437; Ann Moss, 3523; Simon P. Flannery, 3552; Bertha M. Lipple, 3583; Tobias Silverstein, 26; Mary Cardone, 33; Morris Levy, 42; Benjamin Oestreicher, 43; Sender Jarmulowsky, 44; George R. Twimble, 47; Mark R. Hogan, 55; Henry Rawak, 67; Frederick Van Beuren, 68; Bernard Magin, 70; Christian and Isador Pocher, 73; Christian and Isador Pocher, 74; Daniel Meenan, 80; Herman Weissmann, 83; Samuel Glantz, 85; Morris H. Petigor, 90; Martin Senger, 91; Daniel Meenan, 95; William Sloan, 97; Max Meyer, 98; Morris Lubelsky, 99; Edward M. Berrien and Joseph B. Halsey, 115; Moses Amhon, 119; Charles N. Van Beuren, 134; John Mahl, 137.

Reports on applications to register delayed birth returns, pursuant to chapter 259, Laws of 1880.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to register the following birth returns, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 259, Laws of 1880:

Martin Schwesenz, born October 2, 1881; Sarah Rabinowitz, born May 17, 1894.

Report on the application to change the names of Marie Ebbich, born December 21, 1895, to Maximilian Titus Washington Spaan. The report was approved and application granted.

The following communications were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly report of Sanitary Superintendent; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists; ordered on file. 8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors; ordered on file. 9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades; ordered on file. 10th. Monthly reports of Charitable Institutions; ordered on file. 11th. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital; ordered on file. 12th. Weekly report from Reception Hospital; ordered on file. 13th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); ordered on file. 14th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); ordered on file. 15th. Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following changes in the Hospital Service be and are hereby approved:

Kate Matthews, Cook, salary \$252, resigned March 31, 1896; Lizzie Cahill, Ward Helper, salary \$168, resigned March 31, 1896; Bridget Kennedy, Cook Helper, salary \$240, resigned March 31, 1896; Bridget Kennedy, Cook, salary \$252, appointed April 1, 1896, vice Matthews;

Josephine Hanlon, Cook Helper, salary \$240, appointed April 1, 1896, vice Kennedy; Nellie Leeder, Ward Helper, salary \$168, discharged April 7, 1896; Ellen Fitzgerald, Ward Helper, salary \$168, appointed April 8, 1896, vice Leeder; Annie Wolf, Ward Helper, salary \$168, appointed April 8, 1896, vice Cahill; Catharine Crawford, Ward Helper, salary \$168, appointed April 1, 1896, vice Craig; James P. Matthews, Fireman, salary \$480, resigned March 31, 1896; Felton Foote, Fireman, salary \$480, discharged April 1, 1896; David Quinn, Fireman, salary \$480, appointed April 2, 1896, vice Foote; Conrad Kroll, Night Watchman, salary \$360, resigned April 2, 1896; Charles Johnson, Night Watchman, salary \$360, appointed April 3, 1896, vice Kroll; Richard P. Terheine, General Helper, salary \$360, appointed April 3, 1896; Conrad Kroll, Orderly, salary \$360, appointed April 3, 1896; Kate Kearns, Ward Helper, salary \$168, appointed April 4, 1896, vice Walsh.

Report on the communication from Dr. S. J. Meltzer, in respect to diagnosis of diseases of two patients at Mount Sinai Hospital. The report was approved and ordered on file.

A notice from John A. Schumann of No. 109 East Ninety-sixth street, that he will "cut off" sewer connection of premises No. 107 East Ninety-sixth street, in thirty days, was received and ordered on file.

Report of the seizure of cow beef affected with tuberculosis. Ordered on file.

Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed:

## Vacations.

Order No. 5088, No. 300 East Forty-sixth street.

## Public Nuisances.

Order No. 4557, No. 12 Elm street.

Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, Leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Sanitary Inspector Bronner, April 2, on account of sickness.

## Report on Application for Store and Wagon Permits for the Sale of Milk.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits to sell and deliver milk in the City of New York be and are hereby granted:

Wagons—Permit No. 1015, One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Boston avenue, West Farms; permit No. 1016, No. 33 Perry street; permits Nos. 1017 to 1019, inclusive, No. 437 West Fortieth street; permits Nos. 1020 to 1021, inclusive, No. 437 West Fortieth street; permit No. 1022, No. 566 Robbins avenue; permit No. 1023, No. 1073 Fifth avenue; permit No. 1024, No. 1664 First avenue; permit No. 1025, No. 143 Third avenue; permit No. 1026, No. 147 Third avenue; permit No. 1027, No. 53 Columbus avenue; permit No. 1028, No. 448 Lenox avenue; permit No. 1029, No. 1522 First avenue; permit No. 1030, No. 1667 Main street; permit No. 1031, Woodlawn Heights, Mile Square road; permit No. 1032, No. 505 West Thirty-eighth street; permit No. 1033, No. 30 Madison street; permits Nos. 1034 to 1045, inclusive, No. 206 East Twelfth street; permit No. 1046, No. 266 West Fifty-third street; permits Nos. 1047 to 1049, inclusive, No. 57 Sixth avenue; permit No. 1050, No. 266 West Fifty-third street; permit No. 1051, No. 57 Sixth avenue; permits Nos. 1052 to 1059, inclusive, No. 266 West Fifty-third street; permits Nos. 1060 to 1069, inclusive, No. 109 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; permit No. 1070, No. 266 West Fifty-third street; permits Nos. 1071 to 1075, inclusive, Nos. 880-882 Amsterdam avenue; permit No. 1076, No. 546 Tenth avenue; permit No. 1077, No. 141 Bank street; permit No. 1078, One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Boston avenue; permits Nos. 1079 to 1082, inclusive, Nos. 221-229 East Thirty-fourth street; permits Nos. 1083 to 1087, inclusive, Nos. 306-319 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; permit No. 1088, No. 332 West Forty-seventh street; permit No. 1089, No. 404 Madison street; permits Nos. 1090 to 1095, inclusive, No. 212 East Fifty-second street; permits Nos. 1096 to 1103, inclusive, No. 2266 Third avenue.

Stores—1688, No. 514 West Twenty-seventh street; 1689, No. 284 Boulevard; 1690, No. 478 Lenox avenue; 1691, No. 995 Sixth avenue; 1692, No. 518 Tenth avenue; 1693, No. 370 Tenth avenue; 1694, No. 1823 Amsterdam avenue; 1695, No. 461 Seventh avenue; 1696, No. 246 Eighth avenue; 1697, No. 124 Manhattan street; 1698, No. 2232 Fifth avenue; 1699, No. 467 Tenth avenue; 1700, No. 436 West Nineteenth street; 1701, No. 202 West Nineteenth street; 1702, No. 206 East Eighty-fourth street; 1703, No. 368 Third avenue; 1704, No. 709 Second avenue; 1705, No. 466 Seventh avenue; 1706, No. 854 Second avenue; 1707, No. 436 West Forty-second street; 1708, No. 200 West Fortieth street; 1709, No. 62 Amsterdam avenue; 1710, No. 71 Amsterdam avenue; 1711, No. 39 Ludlow street; 1712, No. 42 Stanton street; 1713, No. 72 North Moore street; 1714, No. 1548 Madison avenue; 1715, No. 1015 Park avenue; 1716, No. 540 Third avenue; 1717, No. 321 East Twenty-sixth street; 1718, No. 1333 Third avenue; 1719, No. 642 Tenth avenue; 1720, No. 791 Ninth avenue; 1721, No. 2002 Second avenue; 1722, No. 1998 Second avenue; 1723, No. 175 Essex street; 1724, No. 507 West Twenty-sixth street; 1725, No. 648 Ninth avenue; 1726, No. 352 West Thirty-seventh street; 1727, No. 123 Suffolk street; 1728, No. 518 West Thirty-ninth street; 1729, No. 270 Seventh avenue; 1730, No. 429 East Seventeenth street; 1731, No. 436 Seventh avenue; 1732, No. 423 Willis avenue; 1733, No. 72 East One Hundred and Twentieth street; 1734, No. 115 West Houston street; 1735, Rogers place, near Westchester avenue; 1736, No. 99 East Eighth street; 1737, No. 242 East Third street; 1738, No. 2355 First avenue; 1739, No. 55 Ridge street; 1740, No. 1812 Second avenue; 1741, No. 1853 Third avenue; 1742, No. 504 East Seventeenth street; 1743, No. 76 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; 1744, No. 4171 Columbus avenue; 1745, 726 East Sixth street; 1746, Corner Pelham and Arthur avenues; 1747, No. 323 East Forty-eighth street; 1748, Corner White Plains road and Westchester avenue; 1749, No. 523 Brook avenue; 1750, No. 1829 Second avenue; 1751, No. 1510 Second avenue; 1752, No. 418 West Thirty-fifth street; 1753, No. 1814 Second avenue; 1754, No. 9 Norfolk street; 1755, No. 82 Allen street; 1756, No. 20 Avenue D; 1757, No. 1780 First avenue; 1758, No. 254 Rivington street; 1759, No. 715 East Sixth street; 1760, No. 47 Lewis street; 1761, No. 125 Columbia street; 1762, No. 17 Rutgers place; 1763, No. 214 East Thirty-eighth street; 1764, No. 11 Ludlow street; 1765, No. 217 Second avenue; 1766, No. 47 East First street; 1767, No. 310 Avenue A; 1768, No. 2121 Third avenue; 1769, No. 2306 Second avenue; 1770, No. 59 Horatio street; 1771, No. 1414 Third avenue; 1772, No. 3392 Second avenue; 1773, No. 213 Monroe street; 1774, No. 1 Duane street; 1775, No. 122 West Forty-ninth street; 1776, No. 2222 Second avenue; 1777, No. 740 Greenwich street; 1778, No. 721 East Ninth street; 1779, No. 334 West Thirty-seventh street; 1780, No. 29 Macdougall street; 1781, No. 266 East Houston street; 1782, No. 1605 Avenue A; 1783, No. 239 William street; 1784, No. 228 East Seventy-fourth street; 1785, No. 63 James street; 1786, No. 1914 Park avenue; 1787, No. 67 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; 1788, No. 1373 First avenue; 1789, No. 212 Eldridge street; 1790, No. 7 Rivington street; 1791, No. 640 East Fifth street; 1792, No. 17 Pike street; 1793, No. 618 Courtlandt avenue; 1794, No. 221 East Sixth street; 1795, No. 2244 Fifth avenue; 1796, No. 306 Cherry street; 1797, No. 170 Avenue A; 1798, No. 134 1/2 Monroe street; 1799, No. 210 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street; 1800, No. 1094 Park avenue; 1801, No. 189 Madison street; 1802, No. 35 First street; 1803, Crescent avenue, near One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; 1804, No. 351 West Fifty-ninth street; 1805, No. 20 Perry street; 1806, No. 527 West Thirty-sixth street; 1807, No. 1485 Second avenue; 1808, No. 428 Fifth street; 1809, No. 699 Tenth avenue; 1810, No. 485 Pearl street; 1811, No. 1416 Lexington avenue; 1812, No. 217 East Twenty-sixth street; 1813, No. 122 Leonard street; 1814, No. 199 Tenth avenue; 1815, One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Boston avenue; 1816, No. 437 West Fortieth street; 1817, No. 421 West Sixteenth street; 1818, No. 1660 Avenue A; 1819, No. 566 Robbins avenue; 1820, No. 424 Amsterdam avenue; 1821, No. 726 Ninth avenue; 1822, No. 325 East Thirty-second street; 1823, No. 435 First avenue; 1824, No. 138 Seventh avenue; 1825, No. 210 East Twenty-ninth street; 1826, No. 541 West Forty-fourth street; 1827, No. 186 Rivington street; 1828, No. 594 Eighth avenue; 1829, No. 121 Attorney street; 1830, No. 848 Second avenue; 1831, No. 239 East Third street; 1832, No. 2133 Second avenue; 1833, No. 103 Seventh avenue; 1834, No. 694 Elton avenue; 1835, No. 328 East Sixth street; 1836, No. 1348 First avenue; 1837, No. 120 Division street; 1838, No. 318 East Thirty-sixth street; 1839, No. 2803 Third avenue; 1840, No. 166 Stanton street; 1841, No. 817 Westchester avenue; 1842, No. 322 Henry street; 1843, No. 641 Morris avenue; 1844, No. 565 Grand street; 1845, No. 332 East Ninth street; 1846, No. 39 Essex street; 1847, No. 18 Broome street; 1848, No. 1555 Madison avenue; 1849, No. 46 Thompson street; 1850, No. 761 Elton avenue; 1851, No. 2339 First avenue; 1852, No. 198 Allen street; 1853, No. 1379 Avenue A; 1854, No. 1937 Third avenue; 1855, No. 101 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street; 1856, No. 311 Fourth avenue; 1857, No. 240 East Fifty-sixth street; 1858, No. 131 Monroe street; 1859, No. 174 Division street; 1860, No. 539 West Fiftieth street; 1861, No. 72 Oliver street; 1862, No. 1664 First avenue; 1863, No. 1414 Second avenue; 1864, No. 1541 Avenue A; 1865, No. 1592 Avenue A; 1866, No. 1704 Avenue B; 1867, No. 1733 First avenue; 1868, No. 443 Tenth avenue; 1869, No. 283 Avenue A; 1870, No. 902 Amsterdam avenue; 1871, No. 227 East Twenty-ninth street; 1872, Nos. 1442-1444 Lexington avenue; 1873, No. 877 Seventh avenue; 1874, No. 472 Fourth avenue; 1875, No. 557 West Fiftieth street; 1876, No. 326 East Fortieth street; 1877, No. 659 Eleventh avenue; 1878, No. 232 West Sixteenth street; 1879, No. 1455 Avenue A; 1880, Nos. 1683-1685 Amsterdam avenue; 1881, No. 1700 Amsterdam avenue; 1882, No. 1654 Avenue A; 1883, No. 415 Third avenue; 1884, No. 330 Ninth avenue; 1885, No. 1016 First avenue; 1886, No. 341 Water street; 1887, No. 1333 Second avenue; 1888, No. 300 East Fourteenth street; 1889, No. 209 East Seventy-sixth street; 1890, No. 1105 Park avenue; 1891, No. 831 Columbus avenue; 1892, No. 960 Amsterdam avenue; 1893, No. 34 Great Jones street; 1894, No. 607 Amsterdam avenue; 1895, No. 337 East Seventieth street; 1896, No. 1160 Third avenue; 1897, No. 509 Greenwich street; 1898, No. 1969 Third avenue; 1899, No. 34 Great Jones street; 1900, No. 135 Alexander avenue; 1901, No. 236 Eldridge street; 1902, No. 364 East Tenth street; 1903, No. 319 East Ninety-third street; 1904, No. 2171 Second avenue; 1905, No. 443 East Seventy-fourth street; 1906, No. 135 Essex street; 1907, No. 208 East Thirty-fourth street; 1908, No. 23 Lewis street; 1909, No. 203 East Twenty-fifth street; 1910, No. 236 Chrystie street; 1911, No. 668 Tenth avenue; 1912, No. 218 Madison street; 1913,



No. 1869 Second avenue; 1914. No. 1954 Second avenue; 1915. No. 3 Weehawken street; 1916. No. 27 Henry street; 1917. No. 318 East Fifty-fourth street; 1918. No. 109 East Second street; 1919. No. 744 Columbus avenue; 1920. No. 155 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street; 1921. No. 123 East One Hundred and Tenth street; 1922. No. 4014 East Seventieth street; 1923. No. 226 East Seventy-fifth street; 1924. No. 307 Columbus avenue; 1925. No. 89 Sixth avenue; 1926. No. 98 Essex street; 1927. No. 705 Amsterdam avenue; 1928. No. 240 East Thirtieth street; 1929. No. 206 East Twenty-sixth street; 1930. No. 345 East Twenty-fourth street; 1931. No. 167 Essex street; 1932. No. 339 Ninth avenue; 1933. No. 521 Brook avenue; 1934. No. 148 Tenth avenue; 1935. No. 1125 Second avenue; 1936. No. 429 First avenue; 1937. No. 538 Ninth avenue; 1938. No. 232 East Forty-first street; 1939. No. 316 East Forty-seventh street; 1940. No. 51 Sullivan street; 1941. No. 234 East One Hundred and Second street; 1942. No. 528 Third avenue; 1943. No. 1 Mitchel place; 1944. No. 124 East Eleventh street; 1945. No. 787 Amsterdam avenue; 1946. No. 742 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; 1947. No. 616 Courtlandt avenue; 1948. No. 711 Second avenue; 1949. No. 315 East Thirty-eighth street; 1950. No. 336 East Forty-third street; 1951. No. 167 East Ninety-fifth street; 1952. No. 248 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street; 1953. No. 98 East Houston street; 1954. No. 1606 Avenue A; 1955. No. 220 Mott street; 1956. No. 1328 First avenue; 1957. No. 225 Willis avenue; 1958. No. 358 East Third street; 1959. No. 2237 First avenue; 1960. No. 15 Avenue C; 1961. No. 787 Amsterdam avenue; 1962. No. 711 Second avenue; 1963. No. 426 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; 1964. No. 932 Columbus avenue; 1965. No. 407 First avenue; 1966. No. 429 East Fifty-ninth street; 1967. No. 102 East One Hundred and Second street; 1968. No. 216 East Twenty-eighth street; 1969. No. 2113 Third avenue; 1970. No. 323 East Forty-third street; 1971. No. 22 Old Slip; 1972. No. 61 First avenue; 1973. No. 115 Columbia street; 1974. No. 2243 Second avenue; 1975. No. 219 West Sixteenth street; 1976. No. 2230 First avenue; 1977. No. 221 Alexander avenue; 1978. No. 628 Second avenue; 1979. No. 81 Third avenue; 1980. No. 143 Third avenue; 1981. No. 418 East Seventy-second street; 1982. No. 419 East Seventieth street; 1983. No. 362 Amsterdam avenue; 1984. No. 316½ Hudson street; 1985. No. 108 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street; 1986. No. 78 Pike street; 1987. No. 315 Delancey street; 1988. No. 219 Tenth avenue; 1989. No. 1390 Second avenue; 1990. No. 1230 Second avenue; 1991. No. 2517 Eighth avenue; 1992. White Plains avenue, corner Seventh street; 1993. No. 337 East Thirty-eighth street; 1994. No. 261 Avenue A; 1995. No. 1682 First avenue; 1996. No. 948 Columbus avenue; 1997. No. 170 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; 1998. No. 131 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; 1999. No. 124 Cherry street; 2000. No. 196 Columbus avenue; 2001. No. 131 Willett street; 2002. No. 75 Carmine street; 2003. No. 6 Avenue B; 2004. No. 506 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; 2005. No. 179 Ludlow street; 2006. No. 67 Charlton street; 2007. No. 10 Ludlow street; 2008. No. 394 Third avenue; 2009. No. 54 Cherry street; 2010. No. 144 Lewis street; 2011. No. 317 Hudson street; 2012. No. 99 Avenue A; 2013. No. 417 East Eighteenth street; 2014. No. 109 Thompson street; 2015. No. 315 Alexander avenue; 2016. No. 354 Willis avenue; 2017. No. 285 East Fourth street; 2018. No. 64 Stanton street; 2019. No. 144 Eldridge street; 2020. No. 141 Orchard street; 2021. No. 275 East Tenth street; 2022. No. 173 First avenue; 2023. No. 526 First avenue; 2024. 1596 Lexington avenue; 2025. No. 414 East Eighteenth street; 2026. No. 382 East Houston street; 2027. No. 3 Ninth avenue; 2028. No. 1166 Second avenue; 2029. No. 1207 First avenue; 2030. No. 1490 Second avenue; 2031. No. 802 Sixth avenue; 2032. No. 342 Brook avenue; 2033. No. 53 Columbus avenue; 2034. No. 446 West Fifth street; 2035. No. 300½ East Seventy-fifth street; 2036. No. 135 Crosby street; 2037. No. 417 Tenth avenue; 2038. No. 793 Forest avenue; 2039. No. 179 Tenth avenue; 2040. No. 42 Essex street; 2041. No. 314 Monroe street; 2042. No. 126 East One Hundred and Tenth street; 2043. No. 452 East Fifty-eighth street; 2044. No. 329 East Eighty-eighth street; 2045. No. 2719 Third avenue; 2046. No. 224 West Twenty-eighth street; 2047. No. 745 Seventh avenue; 2048. No. 470 Western Boulevard; 2049. No. 424 Seventh avenue; 2050. No. 218 Ninth avenue; 2051. No. 338 East Sixth street; 2052. No. 2417 Second avenue; 2053. No. 38 Clinton street; 2054. No. 471 First street; 2055. No. 184 Forsyth street; 2056. No. 84 East Third street; 2057. No. 119 Columbia street; 2058. No. 173 East Ninety-ninth street; 2059. No. 1295 First avenue; 2060. No. 1633 Madison avenue; 2061. No. 448 Lenox avenue; 2062. No. 1226 Lexington avenue; 2063. No. 213 Madison street; 2064. No. 635 Third avenue; 2065. No. 186 Madison street; 2066. No. 529 Second avenue; 2067. No. 170 East One Hundred and Third street; 2068. No. 241 East Fifty-ninth street; 2069. No. 32 Second avenue; 2070. No. 1114 Park avenue; 2071. No. 257 Madison street; 2072. No. 2181 Eighth avenue; 2073. No. 518 Eleventh avenue; 2074. No. 299 Mott street; 2075. No. 1667 Main street; 2076. Woodlawn Heights, Mile Square road; 2077. No. 59 Mott street; 2078. No. 76 Eldridge street; 2079. No. 110 Norfolk street; 2080. No. 703 Washington street; 2081. No. 164 East One Hundred and Sixth street; 2082. No. 1358 Avenue D; 2083. No. 311 East Thirty-fifth street; 2084. No. 42 Oliver street; 2085. No. 131 Mott street; 2086. No. 175 Third avenue; 2087. No. 123 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; 2088. No. 649 East Thirtieth street; 2089. No. 1722 Park avenue; 2090. No. 763 Lexington avenue; 2091. No. 1301 Amsterdam avenue; 2092. No. 631 Amsterdam avenue; 2093. No. 147 Avenue C; 2094. No. 222 East Forty-first street; 2095. No. 442 West Thirty-ninth street; 2096. No. 1580 Avenue A; 2097. No. 61 Bayard street; 2098. No. 428 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; 2099. No. 503 Broome street; 2100. No. 537 West Fifty-ninth street; 2101. No. 337 East Seventy-fourth street; 2102. No. 338 East Ninth street; 2103. No. 132 Attorney street; 2104. No. 17 Roosevelt street; 2105. No. 432 East Fifteenth street; 2106. No. 346 West Thirty-eighth street; 2107. No. 18 First street; 2108. No. 937 First avenue; 2109. No. 1506 Second avenue; 2110. No. 2176 Eighth avenue; 2111. No. 2244 Second avenue; 2112. No. 342 West Thirty-seventh street; 2113. No. 362 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; 2114. No. 165 West Houston street; 2115. No. 211 East Third street; 2116. No. 260 East Fourth street; 2117. No. 324 West Twenty-first street; 2118. No. 129 Henry street; 2119. No. 23 Charles street; 2120. No. 1694 Madison avenue; 2121. No. 2482 Eighth avenue; 2122. No. 4 Manhattan place; 2123. No. 192 Avenue B; 2124. No. 903 Third avenue; 2125. No. 231 Mulberry street; 2126. No. 416 Lenox avenue; 2127. No. 2349 Broadway; 2128. No. 731 Columbus avenue; 2129. No. 721 Ninth avenue; 2130. No. 316 Ninth avenue; 2131. No. 326 East Eighth street; 2132. No. 63 Sheriff street; 2133. No. 430 West Twenty-ninth street; 2134. No. 34 Essex street; 2135. No. 918 Eighth avenue; 2136. No. 214 East Fifty-sixth st.; 2137. No. 1755 Lexington avenue; 2138. No. 169 Eldridge street; 2139. No. 1479 Avenue A; 2140. No. 166 Orchard street; 2141. No. 1615 East End avenue; 2142. No. 414 Second avenue; 2143. No. 761 Columbus avenue; 2144. No. 615 Second avenue; 2145. No. 252 Avenue A; 2146. No. 205 East One Hundred and Second street; 2147. No. 1276 Third avenue; 2148. No. 1777 First avenue; 2149. No. 1214 First avenue; 2150. No. 314 West Forty-first street; 2151. No. 514 West Forty-eighth street; 2152. No. 637 First avenue; 2153. 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No. 128 Ninth avenue; 2185. No. 177 Clinton street; 2186. No. 1142 First avenue; 2187. No. 135 Baxter street; 2188. No. 506 West Twenty-seventh street; 2189. No. 345 Madison street; 2190. No. 447 West Fortieth street; 2191. No. 262 West Forty-seventh street; 2192. No. 113 Mott street; 2193. No. 537 East Twelfth street; 2194. No. 138 Chrystie street; 2195. No. 206 East Twelfth street; 2196. No. 57 Sixth avenue; 2197. No. 109 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; 2198. No. 266 West Fifty-third street; 2199. No. 1559 Second avenue; 2200. No. 1571 Avenue A; 2201. No. 23 Henry street; 2202. No. 655 Courtlandt avenue; 2203. No. 666 Morris avenue; 2204. No. 573 Ninth avenue; 2205. No. 555 Third avenue; 2206. No. 1979 Second avenue; 2207. No. 3047 Third avenue; 2208. No. 149 Brook avenue; 2209. No. 281 Mott street; 2210. No. 550 Courtlandt avenue; 2211. No. 153 Lincoln avenue; 2212. No. 756 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; 2213. No. 607 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; 2214. No. 154 Allen street; 2215. No. 99 Lexington avenue; 2216. No. 227 Mott street; 2217. Corner Tremont and Clinton avenues; 2218. No. 2489 Second avenue; 2219. No. 261 Seventh avenue; 2220. No. 50 West End avenue; 2221. No. 107 East Fourth street; 2222. No. 356 Ninth avenue; 2223. No. 827 Third avenue; 2224. No. 636 Sixth avenue; 2225. No. 84 First avenue; 2226. No. 545 West Thirtieth street; 2227. No. 652 Washington street; 2228. No. 151 East Twenty-sixth street; 2229. No. 908 Amsterdam avenue; 2230. No. 599 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; 2231. No. 2552 Eighth avenue; 2232. No. 17 Peck slip; 2233. No. 647 East Sixteenth street; 2234. No. 424 East Ninth street; 2235. No. 379 Bleeker street; 2236. No. 111 West Forty-sixth street; 2237. No. 731 Greenwich street; 2238. No. 85 Stanton street; 2239. No. 102 Bayard street; 2240. No. 2364 Eighth avenue; 2241. No. 509 East Eleventh street; 2242. No. 2351 Second avenue; 2243. No. 2702 Eighth avenue; 2244. No. 192 Second avenue; 2245. No. 103 East One Hundred and Second street; 2246. No. 804 Second avenue; 2247. No. 1576 Second avenue; 2248. No. 99 Ninth avenue; 2249. No. 634 East Sixteenth street; 2250. No. 112 Greenwich avenue; 2251. No. 397 Second avenue; 2252. No. 821 Park avenue; 2253. No. 517 West Fifty-second street; 2254. No. 410 West Twenty-ninth street; 2255. No. 113 West Houston street; 2256. No. 2018 Second avenue; 2257. No. 979 Third avenue; 2258. No. 695 Greenwich street; 2259. No. 327 Madison street; 2260. No. 519 Courtlandt avenue; 2261. No. 776 Courtlandt avenue; 2262. No. 274 Alexander avenue; 2263. No. 115 Avenue A; 2264. No. 241 Mulberry street; 2265. No. 291 East Second street; 2266. No. 383 Bleeker street; 2267. No. 423 West Forty-eighth street; 2268. No. 976 Park avenue; 2269. No. 26 Willett street; 2270. No. 447 Amster-

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No. 2255 Seventh avenue; 2300. No. 2038 Second avenue; 2301. No. 316 East Sixty-sixth street; 2302. No. 14 Macdougall street; 2303. No. 725 Second avenue; 2304. No. 803 Columbus avenue; 2305. No. 793 Columbus avenue; 2306. No. 1520 Avenue A; 2307. No. 28 First avenue; 2308. No. 404 West Fifty-fourth street; 2309. No. 1697 Third avenue; 2310. No. 97 West End avenue; 2311. No. 425 Third avenue; 2312. No. 142 East Ninety-seventh street; 2313. No. 527 First avenue; 2314. No. 555 Greenwich street; 2315. No. 1743 Park avenue; 2316. Nos. 556 and 558 West Broadway; 2317. No. 423 East Sixty-third street; 2318. No. 1325 First avenue; 2319. No. 58 Oliver street; 2320. No. 50 Avenue C; 2321. No. 157 Avenue C; 2322. No. 518 East Thirteenth street; 2323. No. 224 Second street; 2324. No. 870 Columbus avenue; 2325. No. 188 Spring street; 2326. No. 909 Amsterdam avenue; 2327. No. 65 Broome street; 2328. No. 101 East Broadway; 2329. No. 121 Washington street; 2330. No. 25 Suffolk street; 2331. No. 103 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street; 2332. No. 446 Eighth avenue; 2333. 1628 East End avenue; 2334. No. 249 Ninth avenue; 2335. No. 240 Mulberry street; 2336. No. 515 East Twelfth street; 2337. No. 620 West Forty-seventh street; 2338. No. 31 Cornelia street; 2339. No. 749 Amsterdam avenue; 2340. No. 123 Washington street; 2341. No. 67 Willett street; 2342. No. 2 Henry street; 2343. No. 221 East Forty-seventh street; 2344. No. 138 Norfolk street; 2345. No. 1112 Second avenue; 2346. No. 436 West Twenty-eighth street; 2347. No. 141 Bank street; 2348. One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Boston avenue; 2349. No. 16 East Thirteenth street; 2350. No. 732 Union avenue; 2351. No. 1791 Third avenue; 2352. No. 222 Columbus avenue; 2353. No. 1813 Amsterdam avenue; 2354. No. 752 Sixth avenue; 2355. No. 138 West Fifty-second street; 2356. No. 175 East Eighty-fourth street; 2357. No. 416 West Thirty-first street; 2358. No. 227 Third avenue; 2359. No. 639 Lexington avenue; 2360. 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No. 248 West Thirty-second street; 2474. No. 202 West Sixty-second street; 2475. No. 1433 First avenue; 2476. No. 316 East Eighth street; 2477. No. 340 Hudson street; 2478. No. 97 Cannon street; 2479. No. 68 Mott Street; 2480. No. 241 East Twenty-second street; 2481. No. 2055 Third avenue; 2482. No. 367 West Fifteenth street; 2483. No. 156 Orchard street; 2484. No. 1664 Amsterdam avenue; 2485. No. 644 Third avenue; 2486. No. 212 East Fifty-second street; 2487. No. 2266 Third avenue; 2488. No. 2019 Third avenue; 2489. No. 439 West Thirty-first street; 2490. No. 530 Columbus avenue; 2491. No. 391 Second avenue; 2492. No. 1380 Vanderbilt avenue; 2493. One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Third avenue; 2494. No. 959 Kingsbridge road; 2495. No. 134 Sixth avenue; 2496. No. 410 East Sixty-fourth street; 2497. No. 2964 Third avenue; 2498. No. 586 Second avenue; 2499. No. 64 East Broadway; 2500. No. 21 Orchard street.

#### Reports on Applications for Permits.

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

No. 8712, to keep a school for 5 scholars at No. 33 West Ninety-eighth street; No. 8713, to use smoke-house at No. 699 St. Ann's avenue; No. 8714, to keep 13 cows at north side One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, near Union avenue; No. 8715, to keep 5 chickens at No. 240 East Twenty-sixth street; No. 8716, to keep 8 chickens at No. 542 West Twenty-eighth street; No. 8717, to conduct a day nursery at No. 223 East Sixty-seventh street; No. 8718, to conduct a day nursery No. 1147 First avenue; No. 8719, to conduct a day nursery at No. 227 East Fifty-ninth street; No. 8720, to occupy basement at No. 516 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8721, to occupy basement at No. 434 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8722, to occupy basement at No. 522 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8723, to occupy basement at No. 524 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8724, to occupy basement at No. 507 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8725, to occupy basement at No. 329 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8726, to occupy basement at No. 333 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8727, to occupy basement at No. 509 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8728, to occupy basement at No. 510 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8729, to occupy basement at No. 510 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8730, to occupy basement at No. 213 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8731, to occupy basement at No. 517 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8732, to occupy basement at No. 514 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8733, to occupy basement at Nos. 426-8 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8734, to occupy basement at No. 215 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8735, to occupy basement at No. 170 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8736, to occupy basement at No. 203 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8737, to occupy basement at No. 56 First avenue, as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8738, to occupy basement at No. 166 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8739, to occupy basement at No. 163 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8740, to occupy basement at No. 135 East Third street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8741, to occupy basement at No. 270 Bowery as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8742, to occupy basement at No. 137 East Third street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8743, to occupy basement at No. 436 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8744, to occupy basement at No. 416 Fifth street as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8745, to occupy basement at No. 1098 Third avenue as a place for living and sleeping; No. 8746, to occupy basement at No. 514 Sixth street as a place for living and sleeping.

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

No. 233, to keep 8 chickens at No. 315 East Twenty-sixth street; No. 234, to keep a school at No. 54 Ludlow street.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked: No. 8094, to use beds in dormitories at Nos. 7 and 9 Mission place; No. 3496, to render lard at No. 587 Ninth avenue; No. 3332, to render lard at No. 214 Spring street; No. 3314, to render lard at No. 738 Tenth avenue; No. 4425, to render lard at northeast corner Thirty-eighth street and Second avenue; No. 8077, to render lard at Nos. 637-39-41 West Fortieth street; No. 7268,



to unload loose manure from light carts on vessels or boats lying at the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Harlem river; No. 8397, to board and care for 2 children at No. 211 Avenue C.

#### Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

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

Order No. 27153, No. 320 East Thirty-third street, extended to April 15, 1896; Order No. 32067, No. 343 Water street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 32084, Nos. 21-23 Ann street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 2434, No. 402 East Eighty-second street, extended to May 10, 1896, on portion of order relating to bath-tubs; Order No. 3784, south side of Ninety-sixth street, one hundred feet east of Fifth avenue, extended to April 15, 1896; Order No. 4422, No. 1149 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 6740, No. 439 East Fifty-fourth street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 6770, No. 333 Grand street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 7259, No. 31 Pell street, extended to April 15, 1896, on all the order except that part referring to closing the holes in iron main waste pipe; Order No. 7392, No. 1613 Broadway, extended to May 6, 1896; Order No. 7486, No. 524 East Seventy-third street, extended to April 15, 1896; Order No. 7490, No. 75 Gouverneur street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 7855, No. 801 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extended to April 20, 1896, on white-washing; Order No. 7899, No. 1472 Amsterdam avenue, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 8049, No. 29 East Third street, extended to May 2, 1896; Order No. 8147, No. 173 East One Hundred and Seventh street, extended to April 15, 1896; Order No. 8206, No. 322 East Eighty-sixth street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 8542, No. 135 Prince street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 8988, No. 511 West One Hundred and Forty-second street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 9738, No. 59 West Seventy-sixth street, extended to May 1, 1896; Order No. 9750, No. 243 East Forty-sixth street, extended to April 15, 1896; Order No. 6457, Nos. 157-159 William street, modified so as not to permit a continuous waste-pipe from gallery sinks to discharge into a properly trapped sewer connected tank; Order No. 7240, Nos. 625-629 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, modified so as not to require the second floor water-closet to be ventilated by a special shaft, nor the dwarf partitions extended to the ceiling; Order No. 7544, No. 2283 Seventh avenue, modified so as to allow the drip-pipes from the radiators to discharge into the cellar sink, and the boiler blow-off pipe to discharge into a condenser, the overflow pipe therefrom to connect with the house-sewer by a gas-tight joint, and the opening in the trap at the old connection properly sealed gas-tight.

Order No. 32047, rescinded, No. 229 East One Hundred and Third street; Order No. 3000, rescinded, No. 242 East Thirty-fifth street; Order No. 5577, rescinded, No. 743 Eleventh avenue; Order No. 5897, rescinded, Morris Park and Columbus avenue, Van Nest; Order No. 6067, rescinded, No. 208 West Forty-third street; Order No. 6090, rescinded, No. 2040 Seventh avenue; Order No. 7148, rescinded, No. 256 West Twenty-ninth street; Order No. 7395, rescinded, No. 110 Charles street; Order No. 7433, rescinded, No. 76 West Third street; Order No. 7504, rescinded, No. 227 West Sixteenth street; Order No. 7996, rescinded, Nos. 47-51 Pike street; Order No. 9139, rescinded, No. 111 Ridge street; Order No. 9186, rescinded, No. 521 West Fifty-second street; Order No. 9726, rescinded, No. 322 Madison street.

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

Order No. 3194, No. 134 Wooster street; Order No. 6744, No. 119 Park Row; Order No. 7065, No. 253 Church street; Order No. 7122, Nos. 18 and 20 Roosevelt street; Order No. 7475, east side Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; Orders Nos. 7762 and 7763, Nos. 206 and 208 East Twenty-eighth street; Order No. 7914, No. 179 East Third street; Order No. 8735, No. 32 Pell street; Order No. 8955, No. 229 East Thirty-ninth street; Order No. 9164, No. 318 Sixth street; Order No. 9301, No. 324 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; Orders Nos. 9392 and 9393, Nos. 32 and 34 Columbia street; Orders Nos. 9852 and 9853, Nos. 413 to 417 West Twenty-sixth street; Order No. 10164, No. 34 West Thirty-fifth street; Order No. 10420, No. 170 East One Hundred and Seventh street; Order No. 10421, No. 172 East One Hundred and Seventh street; Order No. 10478, No. 326 Henry street.

The following communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases:

- 1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Report on application for leave of absence.
- Reports of inspections of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.
- The following communications were received from the Register of Records:
- 1st. Weekly letters; ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly abstract of births; ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly abstract of still births; ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages; ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious disease; ordered on file.
- 6th. Weekly mortuary statement; ordered on file.
- 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks; ordered on file.
- 8th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following delayed birth and marriage certificates named in his report of date April 9, 1896.

#### Report on Applications to File Supplemental Papers.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to file supplemental papers relating to John Giovanni, died October 6, 1895; Andrew W. Prentiven, died February 10, 1888; George Door, died November 19, 1894; unknown man (Simon Comes), died September 17, 1895; Lucy Tellew, died October 3, 1895; Florentine Adam, died July 8, 1895.

#### Submitting Delayed Birth Certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the "Volume of Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the birth certificates of Francis Juedel, born June 24, 1894, and Thomas Peter Messemmer, born August 23, 1894.

The following communication was received from the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratory:

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

#### Report on Application for Leave of Absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is granted as follows:

Medical Inspector Ennis, from March 23 to 31, on account of sickness.

Reports on probationary services of Charles Langsdorff, Eugene Coons and Carl E. Gilson.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Charles Langsdorff, provisionally employed as a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Eugene Coons, provisionally employed as a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Carl E. Gilson, provisionally employed as a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

#### Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

A copy of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approving pay-roll of ten Medical Inspectors, amounting to \$1,000, was received and ordered on file.

A communication from the New York City Civil Service Boards in respect to the results of an examination of clerks for promotion was received and ordered on file.

On motion it was Resolved, That Frederic D. Bell, Clerk of the First Grade of this Department, be and is hereby promoted to a clerkship of the Second Grade, with salary at the rate of \$1,100 per annum, from and after May 1, 1896.

Resolved, That the following named Junior Clerks in this Department be and are hereby promoted to the position of Clerk of the First Grade, with salaries as designated in each case, from and after May 1, 1896: Samuel W. McAneny, \$660; William A. Stedman, Jr., \$840; William H. Donnelly, \$660; James J. Connolly, \$660; Willis R. Hill, \$660; John J. Barry, \$660.

Resolved, That the salaries of the following named Junior Clerks in this Department be fixed as follows, from and after May 1, 1896: Royal E. Arnold, \$480; Joseph Mechler, \$540; Maurice Frank, \$540; William J. Lee, \$540.

On motion, it was Resolved, That, from official reports received from officers of this Department in charge of the disinfection of clothing which has been exposed to contagious disease, this Board is of the opinion that the plant in use at Bellevue Hospital for the disinfection of the clothing of insane patients is suitable and ample for the destruction of any germs of contagious disease in such clothing.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the plans and specifications for the construction of pipe trenches, manhole boxes, manholes, pipe work, valves, pipe covering, etc., at North Brother Island, be and are hereby approved, and the Secretary is directed to advertise in the CITY RECORD for proposals for the same, as required by law.

Dr. Dillon Brown, George F. Dominick, President Andrews of the New York Steam Heating Company, and others, appeared before the Board, and were heard in respect to nuisance caused by the New York Steam Heating Company, at Fifty-eighth street and Madison avenue.

On motion, the hearing was adjourned to Tuesday, April 14, at 12 o'clock M.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 14, at 12 o'clock M.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Society of American Artists to place and keep a sign, announcing an art exhibition in the building of the Society of Fine Arts, on the unused lamp-post on the southeast corner of Seventh avenue and Fifty-seventh street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks from April 23, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 22, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, April 24, 1896.

#### APPOINTMENTS.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, No. 407 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, May 1, 1896. *Supervisor, City Record:*

Please take notice that I have this day appointed Mr. John S. Ryan Janitor of the Sixth District Civil Court in place of Mr. Hugh P. Finnegan, removed, the appointee having passed Civil Service examination.

Very respectfully, D. V. MARTIN, Justice.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Railroads. Finance. RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold a meeting on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 2.30 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

FINANCE—The Committee on Finance will hold a public hearing on Saturday, May 2, 1896, at 11 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, "for the purpose of considering the subject of repairs to the Harlem River Driveway, and to ascertain if the Department of Public Parks shall be authorized to expend \$380,000, without public letting, as provided for in General Order 747, and in two other communications received by the Board of Aldermen from said Department."

WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk, Common Council.

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to provide for the construction of a bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue, in the City of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 2.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to exempt the real estate of religious corporations in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, from assessments for public improvements.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 3.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to provide for the construction of a bridge over the Mott Haven Canal at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in the City of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be given on such bill at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 1.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, entitled "An act to provide for the acquisition of sites for school buildings by the Board of Education of the City of New York," as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 1 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT in relation to the uniforms of the officers and members of the Fire and Police Departments of the City of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 12.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend chapter 907 of the Laws of 1895, entitled "An act for the relief of John H. O'Rourke."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 12 M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by

both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for rapid transit railways in cities of over one million inhabitants," as amended by chapters 102 and 556 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapters 528 and 752 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 519 of the Laws of 1895.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, May 6, 1896, at 2 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT for the relief of Edward McGaffney, a retired fireman of the City of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 3 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to authorize the Board of Five Commissioners of the City of New York to inquire into and to determine the claim of William Mahoney to be placed upon the pension-roll of the Fire Department of said city.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 3 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend subdivision 4 of section 86 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 2 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT in relation to the salaries of Attendants of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, and the Appellate Division thereof, in the First Department, and the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 1 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT relating to the payment of officers of election in the City and County of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 2.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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," and the acts amendatory thereof, relating to the Fire Department of the City of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 12 M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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," relating to the filing of claims against the City with the Comptroller thereof.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 12.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.



Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled and worded as follows:

AN ACT to amend section 1768 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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," as amended by chapter 846 of the Laws of 1895, so far as the same relates to the Coroners.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Monday, May 4, 1896, at 1.30 P. M.

Dated CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 27, 1896.

### 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 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor.** **JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary and Chief Clerk.**

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**EDWARD H. HEALY, First Marshal.**  
**JOHN J. BRENNAN, Second Marshal.**

#### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**SETH SPRAGUE TERRY and RODNEY S. DENNIS.**

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 269, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER; H. W. CANNON, GEORGE WALTON GREEN, and THE MAYOR, COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, ex officio, Commissioners; EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.**

#### BOARD OF ARMY 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.  
**JOHN JEROME, President Board of Aldermen.**  
**WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, Clerk Common Council.**

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner; HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner (17th floor); HENRY DIMSE, Chief Clerk (17th floor); GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (17th floor); COLUMBUS O. JOHNSON, Water Register (1st floor); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge of Sewers (17th floor); JOHN C. GRAHAM, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies (17th floor); EDWARD P. NORTH, Water Purveyor (Basement); STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas (2nd floor); JOHN SIMPSON, Superintendent of Streets and Roads (17th floor); WILLIAM HENKEL, Superintendent of Incinerators (Basement); STEVENSON TOWLE, Consulting Engineer and in charge of Street Improvements (17th floor).**

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 220 Fourth avenue, corner of Eighteenth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent.**

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

**TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.**  
No. 262 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. HAFREN, 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.  
**ANSON G. MCCOOK, 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.  
**FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.**  
**ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.**

**Office of the Corporation Attorney.**  
No. 110 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**GEORGE W. LYON, 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.  
**ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.**  
**MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.**

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

#### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

##### Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**THEODORE ROOSEVELT, President; AVERY D. ANDREWS, FREDERICK D. GRANT and ANDREW D. PARKER, Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F. RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.**

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.  
**ROBERT MACLAY, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.**

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

##### Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**SILAS C. CROFT, President; JOHN P. FAURE and JAMES R. O'BRIEN, Commissioners; H. G. WEAVER, Secretary.**

**Purchasing Agent, GEO. W. WANMAKER.** 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.**

**Out-Door Poor Department.** Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. **WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent.** Entrance on Eleventh street.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

##### Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner; ARTHUR PHILLIPS, Secretary; CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper and Auditor; CHARLES STEINBERG, Purchasing Agent.**

#### 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.  
**O. H. LA GRANGE, President; JAMES R. SHEFFIELD and AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.**

**HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department; GEO. E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles; MARTIN L. HOLLISTER, Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Department; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.**  
Central Office open at all hours.

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and GEORGE B. FOWLER, 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.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**S. V. K. CRUGER, President; SMITH ELY, WILLIAM A. STILES and SAMUEL McMILLAN, Commissioners; WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.**

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.  
**EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, President; EDWIN EINSTEIN and JOHN MONKS, Commissioners; GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.**  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**  
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**EDWARD P. BARKER, President; JAMES L. WELLS and THEO. SUTRO, Commissioners; C. ROCKLAND TYNG, Secretary.**

#### BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

No. 162 Broadway.  
**HENRY S. KEARNY, JACOB HESS, and THOMAS L. HAMILTON, and the Mayor, ex officio, Commissioners.**

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

No. 32 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**GEORGE E. WARING, Jr., Commissioner; F. H. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner; THOS. A. DOE, 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.**  
**EVERETT P. WHEELER, THOMAS STURGIS, E. RANDOLPH ROBINSON, C. W. WATSON and J. VAN VECHTEN OLCOTT, Members of the Supervisory Board.**

**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.  
**THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD MCCUE, Assessors; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.**

#### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN, Sheriff; HENRY H. SHERMAN, Under Sheriff.**

#### N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM J. ROWE, Warden.**

#### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM SOMMER, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.**

#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM PLIMLEY, Commissioner; P. H. DUNN, Deputy Commissioner.**

#### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; HENRY W. UNGER, Chief Clerk.**

#### THE CITY RECORD OFFICE

**And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.**  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant; HENRY McMILLEN, Deputy Supervisor and Expert.**

#### EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

No. 32 Chambers street.  
**JOHN YULE, Chairman; JAMES M. MORROW, Secretary; JAMES P. KNIGHT, Treasurer.**

#### CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, open constantly.  
**EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, WILLIAM H. DOBBS, EMIL W. HORBER and WILLIAM O'MEAGHER, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.**

#### SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
**FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.**

#### APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRETT, PARDON C. WILLIAMS, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WM. LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.**

#### SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.  
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 25.  
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 27.  
Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 16.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 19.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 20.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 23.  
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 22.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.  
**Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JOSEPH F. DALY, MILLS BEACH, ROGER PRYOR, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY W. BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY HISCOPPE, JR., JOHN J. FRIEDMAN, JOHN SEDGWICK, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID McADAM, HENRY R. BECKMAN, HENRY A. GILBERTSLEEVE; HENRY D. PURROY, Clerk.**

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
**JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JAMES FITZGERALD, RUFUS B. COWING, JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. McMAHON, Judges.**  
**JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.**

#### CITY COURT.

City Hall.  
General Term, Room No. 20.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.  
Part II., Room No. 21.  
Part III., Room No. 15.  
Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.**  
**ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chief Justice; JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER and JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN, Justices; JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.**

#### CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.  
**JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk; 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.**

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Judges—ELIAB B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS, JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK.**

#### DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

**First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers street.**

**WACHOPE LYNN, Justice. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Clerk.**  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.**

**HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.**  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.**

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

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

**Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues open to close of business.**

**DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAHAM BERNARD, Clerk.**  
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

**JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. JOSEPH C. WOLF, Clerk.**  
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

**Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.**

**Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.**  
**JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.**

**Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.**

**JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.**

**Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.**  
**Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.**

**Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.**

**WILLIAM G. MCCREA, Justice. WM. H. GERMAINE, Clerk.**  
**Eleventh District—Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.**

**JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.**

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

**City Magistrates—LEROY B. CRANE, ROBERT C. CORNELL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR., HENRY E. BRANN, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, JOHN O. MOTT, THOMAS F. WENTWORTH.**  
**JOS. S. TIBBETS, Secretary.**  
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place.

**First District—Criminal Court Building.**  
**Second District—Jefferson Market.**  
**Third District—No. 69 Essex street.**  
**Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.**  
**Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.**  
**Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.**

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1896.

#### 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 No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, May 20, 1896. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

**No. 1. FOR BUILDING VAULT IN FRONT OF AND PLACING WROUGHT-IRON WINDOWS IN ENGINE-HOUSE AT HIGH BRIDGE.**

**No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING AND ERECTING A CONVEYOR, WITH THE NECESSARY HOUSING, ENGINES, SCALES AND APPURTENANCES, TO CONVEY COAL FROM BOAT IN HARLEM RIVER THROUGH TUNNEL, TOWER, ETC., TO AND STORE SAME IN COAL-HOUSE OF THE NEW HIGH SERVICE WORKS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects 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 in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, 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 a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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,



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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office, No. 66 Third Avenue, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

SILAS C. CROFT, President; JOHN P. FAURE and JAMES R. O'BRIEN, Commissioners, Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ICE.

1,500 tons (more or less) prime quality Ice not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered at Blackwell's and Randall's Islands, in quantities as required, during the year 1896. The weight to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 pounds, all of which shall be delivered at the points named free of expense to the Department of Public Charities.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, in the City of New York, until 10 A.M. of Thursday, May 14, 1896. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (\$50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 2, 1896.  
SILAS C. CROFT, President; JOHN P. FAURE and JAMES R. O'BRIEN, Commissioners, Department of Public Charities.

#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

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

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

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BUREAU OF COMBUSTIBLES, NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE OWNER of powder seized at Baychester for violation of section 455, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, that on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 10 o'clock A.M., the Fire Commissioners will sell at public auction at the Bureau of Combustibles, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, about 1,850 pounds of dynamite, 450 pounds of blasting powder, 25 pounds of gun powder and 1,000 feet of fuse.

By Order Board of Fire Commissioners.  
GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 800 TONS OF BUCKWHEAT COAL.—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 10.30 o'clock A.M., Wednesday, May 13, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be of the best quality of Pittston or Wilkesbarre, to weigh 2,240 pounds to the ton, and be well-screened and free from slate.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the Headquarters of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an Inspector designated for that purpose by the Department, upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported by the contractor.

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

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

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the coal 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 supply to which it relates.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of one thousand two hundred (\$1,200) 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 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 sixty (\$60) 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.

O. H. LA GRANGE, JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, AUSTIN E. FORD, Commissioners.

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.  
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PIPE TRENCHES, MANHOLE-BOXES, MANHOLES, PIPE-WORK VALVES, PIPE COVERING, ETC., AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR CONSTRUCTION of pipe trenches, manhole-boxes, manholes, pipe-work valves, pipe covering, etc., at North Brother Island, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 12.30 o'clock P.M. of the 12th of day May, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for construction of pipe trenches, manhole-boxes, manholes, pipe-work valves, pipe covering, etc., at North Brother Island, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$4,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES G. WILSON, GEORGE B. FOWLER, M. D., ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE ROOSEVELT, Commissioners.

#### DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P.M., until further notice.

Dated New York, October 30, 1895.  
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### 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 4808, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbs and laying flag-stones and crosswalks in Burnside avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to Webster avenue.

List 4977, No. 2. Outlet sewer and appurtenances in Wolf street, from Harlem river to Union street, with branches in Birch street, from Wolf street to summit east of Ogden avenue; Lind avenue, from Wolf street to summit south of Union street; Sedgwick avenue, from Wolf street to the line of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; Sedgwick avenue, from Wolf street to summit south of Wolf street.

List 5103, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Webster avenue to Weeks street, with granite-blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 5113, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Welch street, from the existing sewer under the New York and Harlem Railroad to Third avenue, with branches in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Pelham avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Burnside avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to Webster avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Wolf street, from Union street to Harlem river; both sides of Birch street, from Wolf street to about 196 feet east of Ogden avenue; both sides of Lind avenue, from Wolf street to about 720 feet south of Union street; both sides of Sedgwick avenue, from about 751 feet south of Wolf street to the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line; also both sides of Undercliff avenue, from Washington Bridge to Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards line; both sides of Aqueduct avenue, from Lind avenue to Washington Bridge; both sides of avenue between Aqueduct avenue and Wolf street, running northwesterly from Birch street; both sides of Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Washington Bridge; both sides of Ogden avenue, commencing about 230 feet north of Devoe street to Washington Bridge; both sides of Nelson avenue, from Devoe street to Birch street; both sides of Bremer avenue, from about 320 feet south of Union street to about 475 feet north of Union street,



and both sides of Union street, from Wolf street to about 100 feet east of Bremer avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Webster avenue to Weeks street and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Welch street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Third avenue; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street east side of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to Pelham avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from about 450 feet east of Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Lorillard place to Third avenue; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, extending about 350 feet east of Third avenue; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to Pelham avenue, and both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, East, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh to Welch street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 1st day of June, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, April 30, 1896.

**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 4070, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging St. Nicholas terrace, from the south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street to its intersection with Convent avenue, and building retaining walls.

List 5105, No. 2. Paving Morris avenue, from south side of One Hundred and Fortieth street to south side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, with granite blocks.

List 5147, No. 3. Fencing easterly side of St. Nicholas terrace, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street to Convent avenue, with iron fence.

List 5208, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with granite-block pavement Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Forty-first 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. Both sides of St. Nicholas terrace, from the south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street to Convent avenue, extending 100 feet easterly and westerly from the line of St. Nicholas terrace, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Morris avenue, from the south side of One Hundred and Fortieth street to One Hundred and Forty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Easterly side of St. Nicholas terrace, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street to Convent avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street to north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 22d day of May, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, April 22, 1896.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 15, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 20 and Primary School No. 1.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 2, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 15, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 26 and 37.

CHAS. F. BAUERDORF, Chairman, GEORGE SPURGEON, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, May 2, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place, by the Board of School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 14, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 31.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 14, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 22; also for New Furniture for Grammar School No. 22.

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 14, 1896, for Making Alterations and Repairs to the Heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 90.

ABBIE HAMLIN MACIVOR, Chairman, J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Sixth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 12, 1896, for supplying Furniture for Primary School No. 2.

JOHN F. WHELAN, Chairman, HENRIETTA NEYLAN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, April 29, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 11, 1896, for making Alterations and Additions to the present Heating and Ventilating Apparatus in Grammar School No. 14.

F. B. JENNINGS, Chairman, WILLIAM T. LEE, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated NEW YORK, April 28, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 8, 1896, for supplying New Furniture for Grammar School No. 38.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 25, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ALSO BE RECEIVED AT THE same place by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 4, 1896, for Making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 15, 29, 36, 71, 88 and Primary School No. 31.

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

Dated NEW YORK, April 21, 1896.

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

The form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; ASHBEEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain; WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

**COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.**

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS** and performing work required for the furnishings and alterations in the Criminal Court Building, on the block bounded by Centre, Elm, Franklin and White streets, pursuant to chapter 371, Laws of 1877, and as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held June 12, 1895, December 13, 1895, January 22, 1896, and February 11, 1896.

NOTES.—Bids will be received as follows:

1. Bid for furniture, cabinet-work and other work specified under heading of Furniture, Cabinet Work, Furnishings, etc.

2. Bid for burglar-proof file case, burglar-proof safe, fire and burglar-proof safe and fire-proof safes.

3. Bid for metallic file cases and document files, fitting up burglar-proof file case and safe; removal and setting up file cases, etc.

4. Bid for metallic file cases for the Health Department.

5. Bid for mason work, carpenter work, iron and steel work, plumbing work, gas-fitting work, marble work, slate work, tiling work, heating and ventilating work, electrical work, gas and electric light fixtures, painting and other work specified.

It is to be understood that all the requirements and conditions of the contract and specifications shall apply alike to each bid.

SEALED estimates for the above work, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Friday, May 15, 1896, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by and in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder with adequate security as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the Department of Public Works, 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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

N. B.—Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done bidders are referred to the drawings and the specifications. The drawings may be seen at the office of the Architect, Robert Maynicke, Rooms 15 to 18 (twelfth story), New York Commercial Building, Nos. 725 and 727 Broadway, in the City of New York.

The entire work to be completed within NINETY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The damages to be paid by the Contractor or Contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day. Bidders will state in writing and also in figures a price for the whole work on which they may bid, complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all work set forth in the drawings and specifications and form of agreement.

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. 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.

The amount of security required is—  
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\$2,500 on Bid No. 3.  
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Blank form of estimates and further information, if desired, can be obtained on application at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway.

The form of agreement, including the specifications for the work, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; ASHBEEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain; WILLIAM M. K. OLCOTT, Chairman Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

**PROPOSALS FOR SEWER, WATER AND GAS CONNECTIONS OF THE PUBLIC BUILDING TO BE ERRECTED IN CROTONA PARK, NEAR THIRD AVENUE, IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 248 OF THE LAWS OF 1894.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** above work, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Comptroller, Rooms Nos. 14 and 15, Finance Department, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1896, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the lowest bidder, with adequate surety, as soon thereafter as practicable. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded shall 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 that the contract has been so awarded, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the surety offered has been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work shall be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Public Works may designate.

N. B.—The price must be written in the bid, 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. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to reject all bids if it shall be deemed for the public interests so to do. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all persons 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 making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; 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 determined by

the Comptroller after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

For the nature and extent of the work to be done bidders are referred to the drawings and the specifications. The drawings may be seen at the office of the Architect, Robert Maynicke, Rooms 15 to 18 (twelfth story), New York Commercial Building, Nos. 725 and 727 Broadway, in the City of New York.

The entire work to be completed within NINETY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The damages to be paid by the Contractor or Contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day. Bidders will state in writing and also in figures a price for the whole work on which they may bid, complete, which price is to cover the furnishing of all necessary materials and labor and the performance of all work set forth in the drawings and specifications and form of agreement.

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. 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.

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NEW YORK, May 1, 1896.

**COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.**

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

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

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

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1896.

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

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

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

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

On the North River:

Mud dredging, about..... 100,000 cubic yards.

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

(1.) 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.

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in slips or portions of slips between West Thirty-fourth and West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, on the North river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer, and all the work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of January, 1897.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per cubic yard, for doing such dredging, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices 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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised 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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the

foregoing estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement or estimate of the Architect, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Architect, and in substantial accordance with the plans and specifications hereto annexed. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work. The plans may be seen at the office of the Architect, Mr. George B. Post, No. 33 East Seventeenth street, New York City.

The entire work will be completed within forty days after the notice to commence work has been given by the Commissioner of Public Works. The damages to be paid by the contractor or contractors for each day that the contract or contracts may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, by the clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS per day.

Bidders will state, in writing, also in figures, a price for the whole complete.

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. 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.

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some kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 2, 1896.

#### TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 537.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT SUNDRY-NAMED PLACES ON THE NORTH RIVER.

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

THURSDAY MAY 7, 1896, 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 Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

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

	Cubic Yards.
Pier, new 38, North river, about.....	37,500
Pier, new 39, North river, about.....	44,000
Pier, new 40, North river, about.....	52,000
Pier, new 42, North river, about.....	48,000
Pier, new 44 (North side), North river, about.....	18,000
Pier, new 45, North river, about.....	31,500
Total, about.....	231,000

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 at sundry named places on the North river, as specified herein, and is to be done from time to time; and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of September, 1896.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices 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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which he is directly or indirectly interested, or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, , 1896.

#### TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 532.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT AND IN SHERMAN'S CREEK, ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT AND IN Sherman's Creek, on the Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1896, 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 Thirteen Thousand Dollars.

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

Mud and Sand Dredging, about..... 160,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging therein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in the bed of the Harlem river and in the bed of Sherman's Creek, on the Harlem river, in conformity with the accompanying drawing marked "Dredging at Sherman's Creek, H. R.," and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of July, 1896.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices 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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member or in which he is directly or indirectly interested or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 21, 1896.

#### TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 534.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE PIER FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AT THE LANDING DOCK ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, EAST RIVER, AND AT THE PROPOSED NEW COAL PIER ON RANDALL'S ISLAND, HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE PIER foot of West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river; at the Landing Dock on North Brother Island, East river, and at the proposed new Coal Pier on Randall's Island, Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1896, 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 hundred dollars.

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

CLASS I.  
Pier foot West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river—Dredging, about..... 4,000 cubic yards.

CLASS II.  
Landing Dock at North Brother Island, East river—Dredging, about..... 1,500 cubic yards.

CLASS III.  
Proposed new Coal Pier, Randall's Island, Harlem river—Dredging, about..... 2,050 cubic yards.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for each class of the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices 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 therein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be at the Pier foot of West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river; at the landing dock on North Brother Island, East river, and at the proposed new Coal Pier on Randall's Island, Harlem river, and is to be done from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 10th day of June, 1896.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per cubic yard, for doing such dredging, in each class, 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 consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which he is directly or indirectly interested or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.*

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded



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

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

Bidders are 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.

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, March 26, 1896.

**TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 535.)**  
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH RIVER, BETWEEN THE BATTERY AND WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET.

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

**TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1896,**  
at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

Mud dredging, not to exceed, . . . . . 200,000 cubic yards.

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

(1) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the locations 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.

(2) 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 the Battery and West Thirty-fourth street, on the North river, and is to be done, in m time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer. And all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of January, 1897.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons

interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of the City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or any one in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 2, 1896.

#### QUARANTINE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE QUARANTINE COMMISSIONERS, No. 71 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT** this office until noon on Tuesday, May 12, 1896, for the construction of a one and a-half story brick office building for the Health Officer, to be erected on the land of the Quarantine Station on Staten Island, in accordance with the drawings and specifications and under the superintendence of William Bigelow, Architect.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for bids can be obtained at this office.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

NEW YORK, April 29, 1896.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 11, 1896:

**FOR MAKING, FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 500 SETTEES FOR THE PARKS.**

The amount of security required is \$2,000. 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposal and forms of contract which the successful bidders will be required to execute and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

S. V. R. CRUGER, SAMUEL McMILLAN, SMITH ELY, WILLIAM A. STILES, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NEW YORK, April 29, 1896.

##### AUCTION SALE.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS** will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, corner Eighty-ninth street and Avenue B, on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

The One-story and Garret Frame Club-house or Building standing on lands acquired for the extension of East River Park.

##### TERMS OF SALE:

The purchase-money to be paid at the time of sale and the building to be removed entirely from the Park within ten days thereafter.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks,  
WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, NEW YORK, April 28, 1896.

##### NOTICE.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL** sell at public auction at the Central Park Stables, Eighty-fifth street transverse road, on Saturday, May 2, 1896, at 9 o'clock A. M.,

10 impounded Dogs.

The purchase-money to be paid at the time of sale, and the purchases to be removed from the Park immediately thereafter.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks,  
WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

NEW YORK, April 24, 1896.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, May 6, 1896:

**FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHERE REQUIRED ON THE CENTRAL PARK AND CITY PARKS TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND SQUARE FEET OF GRASS SOD.**

All the sod to be furnished and delivered shall be free from weeds and of a vigorous, healthful growth, cut in squares of twelve to fifteen inches and not less than one and one-half inches thick.

The Contractor will be required to deliver the above material in such quantities and at such times and places as may be designated by the Department, the whole quantity to be delivered prior to November 1, 1896.

The amount of security required is \$2,000. 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 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 and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

S. V. R. CRUGER, SAMUEL McMILLAN, SMITH ELY, WILLIAM A. STILES, Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### 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 named street in the

##### TWELFTH WARD.

**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, FROM THE BOULEVARD TO RIVERSIDE AVENUE;** confirmed June 29, 1895; entered April 24, 1896. Area of assessment: All the houses and lots of ground, pieces and parcels of land lying within the boundary described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the west side of Morningside avenue, West, about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, and running thence northerly on a straight line to a point about 387½ feet west of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly on a straight line to a point about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with One Hundred and Fourteenth street to a point in Riverside Park about 100 feet west of Riverside avenue; thence northerly on a line parallel with Riverside avenue to a point about 100 feet west of the southwest corner of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and Riverside avenue; thence easterly along the south line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street to a point about 387½ feet east of the Boulevard; thence southerly on a line parallel with the Boulevard to a point about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence again easterly on a line parallel with One Hundred and Sixteenth street to the west line of Morningside avenue, West; thence southerly along Morningside avenue, West, to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given 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." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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 June 23, 1896, 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.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 28, 1896.

##### PROPOSALS FOR \$4,039,502.84 GOLD BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

INTEREST THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until Monday, the 4th day of May, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following coupon or registered bonds and stock of the City of New York, to wit:

\$925,000 "CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight



and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1916, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the following-named amounts and for the following-described purposes:

For repaving streets and avenues, pursuant to chapter 475 of the Laws of 1895..... \$475,000 00  
For the construction of an extension to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, pursuant to chapter 347 of the Laws of 1895..... 200,000 00  
For the construction of the Harlem River Driveway, pursuant to chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, and chapter 8 of the Laws of 1894..... 250,000 00

This stock has been authorized to be issued by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 26, 1895, January 10, 1896, and March 28 and July 9, 1894.

#### \$283,000 "CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1912, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the following-named amounts and for the following-described purposes:

For the purchase of new stock or plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, pursuant to chapter 368 of the Laws of 1894..... \$83,000 00  
For completion of Riverside Park and Drive, pursuant to chapter 74 of the Laws of 1894..... 200,000 00

This stock has been authorized to be issued by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted January 15, 1896, February 20, 1895, and March 26, 1896.

#### \$302,000 "CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1910, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and has been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution adopted January 10, 1896, to provide for payments of awards, costs, charges and expenses certified by the Change of Grade Damage Commission, pursuant to chapter 337 of the Laws of 1893 and chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894.

#### \$175,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1912, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and has been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution adopted January 17, 1896, for the sanitary protection of the water-supply, pursuant to chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893.

#### \$400,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "ADDITIONAL CROTON-WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK"

—authorized by sections 132, 134 and 141 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 12, 1895, and January 31, 1896.

The principal shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1911, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

#### \$100,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "POLICE DEPARTMENT BONDS"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1916, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock is issued pursuant to chapter 350 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 495 of the Laws of 1895, and sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and has been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolutions adopted October 14, 1895, and April 14, 1896, for the construction and furnishing of a police station-house, prison and stable in Charles street.

#### \$1,000,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK"

—authorized by sections 132, 134 and 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted March 5, 1896.

The principal shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1920, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

#### \$50,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "FIRE-HYDRANT STOCK"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1925, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

This stock has been authorized to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution adopted February 20, 1896, to provide for placing fire-hydrants and laying water-mains in connection therewith, pursuant to chapter 510 of the Laws of 1894, and sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

#### \$806,502.84 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS "SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS"

—the principal payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year 1911, with interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, in such gold coin, on the first days of May and November in each year.

These bonds are issued in pursuance of the provisions of sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 252 of the Laws of 1889, chapter 459, Laws of 1894, and chapter 88 of the Laws of 1895, for the purchase of new school sites for the erection of new school buildings, and for other school purposes, and as authorized by resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education.

**AUTHORITY FOR TRUST INVESTMENTS.**  
Attention is called to the provisions of an act passed by the Legislature March 14, 1889, authorizing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees, and others

holding trust funds, to invest such funds in the stock or bonds of the City of New York.

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

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

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 21, 1896.

#### 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 named street in the**

**TWELFTH WARD.**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND CONVENT AVENUE;** confirmed July 12, 1894; entered April 16, 1895. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Convent avenue, and to the extent of half the block lying north and south of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Amsterdam and Convent avenues.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given 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." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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 June 15, 1896, 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.  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 21, 1896.

#### PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

**CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.**  
**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 26th day of May, 1896, at noon, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, all the right, title and interest of the City of New York in and to the premises known as No. 60 Grove street, in the City of New York, upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:**  
The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty per cent. of the purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of the sale, and the balance upon the delivery of the deed within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.  
The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 16, 1896.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 17, 1896.

#### STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

April 20, 1896.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and 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. 2522 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 12 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 5, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. **FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,** from Franklin avenue to Boston road.

No. 2. **FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,** from the Southern Boulevard to a line two hundred and seventy feet east of Locust Avenue; also the TRIANGULAR SPACE AT THE INTERSECTION OF SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, TRINITY AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET.

No. 3. **FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LORILLARD PLACE,** from the existing manhole in Pelham avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street.

No. 4. **FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET,** between Brook avenue and summit east of St. Ann's avenue, WITH BRANCH IN ST. ANN'S AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and a point eighty and five-tenths feet north.

No. 5. **FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET (SUBURBAN STREET),** between Webster avenue and the Concourse, WITH BRANCHES IN DECATUR AVENUE, between East Two Hundred and First Street and East Two Hundredth street; IN BAINBRIDGE AVENUE, between East

Two Hundred and First street and East Two Hundredth street; IN BRIGGS AVENUE, between East Two Hundred and First street and East Two Hundredth street.

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

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

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

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

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.**  
**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: Boots, 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.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf-property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and priviledges of and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York on the North river, between Bethune street and the centre line of the block between Bethune and Bank streets and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses, together with a statement of the amounts previously taxed, to whom the same were payable and the date of such taxation, 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 a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of May, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, together with said statement, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated New York, May 1, 1896.  
JAMES D. WITT WARNER, Chairman, WILBUR LARREMORE, WM. H. MCCARTHY, Commissioners.  
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, upon the written request of the Department of Public Parks of said City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to the fee of all the land for public use between the Tenth avenue and other streets and the Harlem river, in the City of New York, adjoining and in addition to the lands authorized to be acquired by chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, pursuant to chapter 876 of the Laws of 1895, entitled "An act to amend chapter 749 of the Laws of 1894, entitled 'An act to provide for the acquisition of lands for public use between the Tenth avenue and other streets and the Harlem river, in the City of New York, adjoining and in addition to the lands authorized to be acquired by chapter 249 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, the title to which is not vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.'"

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** we, the undersigned, Arthur H. Masten, Emanuel Blumenstiel and John Paul Bocock, were duly appointed Commissioners of Appraisal under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 876 of the Laws of 1895, by an order of the Supreme Court duly made and filed in the office of the Clerk thereof, in the City and County of New York, on the 17th day of April, 1896.

That we have severally duly taken and subscribed the oath required by chapter XVI, title V, section 968 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act), each of which said oaths so taken and subscribed, as aforesaid, were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 24th day of April, 1896.

A brief statement of the purposes for which we have been appointed is as follows:

We are to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the lands shown upon a certain duplicate map duly made and filed by the Department of Public Parks, in said City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of said chapter 876 of the Laws of 1895; one copy thereof was, on or about the 27th day of January, 1896, duly filed in the office of the Department of Public Parks, in said City of New York, and one copy thereof was, on or about the 30th day of January, 1896, duly filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, which said lands are shown and delineated and more particularly set forth in the petition of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 17th day of April, 1896.

All the parties, persons or claimants interested in the real estate taken for public use pursuant to the provisions of said chapter 876 of the Laws of 1895, or affected thereby, are hereby notified and required to present any claim or demand on account thereof to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Appraisal, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proofs in support thereof as the said parties and persons or claimants so interested, as aforesaid, may desire, at our office, Room 113, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

We hereby set the 27th day of May, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M., at said Room 113, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, as the time and place when and where the said parties and persons or claimants will be heard in relation thereto by us as said Commissioners, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such parties and persons or claimants, and examine the proofs submitted by them, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such parties, persons or claimants, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 1, 1896.  
ARTHUR H. MASTEN, EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, JOHN PAUL BOCKOCK, Commissioners.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, April 23, 1896.  
MICHAEL FENNELLY, JOSEPH RILEY, CHARLES D. BURRILL, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ONIDA AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eastchester avenue to Mount Vernon avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of April, 1896, 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, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 29, 1896.  
ALBERT SPRAGUE BARD, JOHN MURPHY LORENZ ZELLER, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening KEMBLE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mount Vernon avenue to Verio avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively



entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of April, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street, or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, April 20, 1896.  
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, ANDERSON PRICE,  
H. B. HALL, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLIFFORD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eastchester avenue to Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 21st day of April, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, April 29, 1896.  
JNO. H. JUDGE, ELLIS E. WARING, RIGNAL  
D. WOODWARD, 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 PEROT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boston avenue to Sedgwick avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**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 supplemental 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 21st day of May, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 21st day of May, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 22d day of May, 1896.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to Perot street and distant about 300 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Sedgwick avenue and distant easterly 100 feet from the easterly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to

Perot street and distant southerly about 300 feet from the southerly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Boston avenue and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 27, 1896.  
JAMES R. ELY, Chairman; JAMES T. LEWIS,  
Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FARAGUT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East river to the Hunt's Point road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, on or before the 23d day of May, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 23d day of May, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 25th day of May, 1896.

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

On the north by the southerly side of Ryawa avenue; on the south by the United States bulkhead-line; on the east by the westerly side of Falconer street, from the southerly side of Ryawa avenue to the centre of Edgewater road; thence by the southerly side of Hunt's Point road to the United States bulkhead-line, and on the west by the easterly side of Sacrahong street, from the southerly side of Ryawa avenue to the northerly side of Edgewater road; thence by a line parallel to Faragut street and distant about 250 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the United States bulkhead-line; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown on our benefit map deposited as aforesaid. The above streets are the streets shown on the Final Maps, section 5, of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards July 8, 1893, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York July 12, 1893, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York July 18, 1893.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 30, 1896.  
DAVID MITCHELL, Chairman, SAMUEL H.  
ORDWAY, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 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 a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 1896, 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 Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, April 15, 1896.  
APPLETON L. CLARK, WILLIAM R. LOWE,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening OPDYKE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mount Vernon avenue to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 10th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of April, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be

assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, April 22, 1896.  
GROSVENOR S. HUBBARD, EDWARD S.  
KAUFMAN, JOHN A. REILLY, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WASHINGTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 10th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of April, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of May, 1896, 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 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, April 22, 1896.  
HENRY LONNIE NELSON, CHARLES A.  
JACKSON, WM. G. ROSS, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening KATONAH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eastchester avenue to Mount Vernon avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 10th day of April, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 13th day of April, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Gerken Building, No. 90 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, April 22, 1896.  
LEWIS B. WOODRUFF, JOHN LERCH, JNO. W.  
D. DOBLER, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

**NOTICE OF FILING THE FIRST PARTIAL AND SEPARATE ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM THE FIRST PARTIAL AND SEPARATE REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT, TOGETHER WITH THE PROPOSED AREA OF ASSESSMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, property, rights, terms, easements and privileges not owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, or any right, title and interest therein, not extinguishable by public authority, embraced within the lines of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and nine transverse roads, from a point on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in said city, at the intersection of said street and Mott avenue northerly to Moshulu Parkway, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895.

**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 first partial and separate estimate of damage, embracing all that portion of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and transverse roads designated as Section 1 and shown as Parcels A, B, C, D, E, F and G, on our damage map, deposited as hereinafter mentioned, and extending from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Walnut street, with transverse roads at East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 20th day of May, 1896; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 20th day of May, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said estimate, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of May, 1896.

Third—That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 89 of the Laws of 1896, we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the line separating the City of New York from the City of Yonkers; easterly by the Bronx river and the East river; southerly by the Harlem river, the Bronx Kills and the East river, and westerly by the Hudson river and the Harlem river, all of which land taken together is known as the Twenty-third Ward and part of the Twenty-fourth Ward, as such territory was annexed to the City of New York by an act of the Legislature designated as chapter 613 of the Laws of 1873, and acts amendatory thereof.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of June, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 18, 1896.  
JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN H. KNOEPEL,  
Commissioners.  
WM. R. KEESSE, Clerk.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on HENRY, OLIVER AND CATHARINE STREETS, in the Fourth Ward of said City, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 45 of the Laws of 1890.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 17, 1896, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 2d day of May, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1896.  
FRANKLIN BIEN, JAMES J. WALSH, EMANUEL  
BLUMENSTIEL, Commissioners.  
DAVID J. WOELFFER, Clerk.

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