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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending January 21, 1893.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to January 21, 1893, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since January 14, 1893, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on January 21, 1893.

Very respectfully, THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1893. }

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain, during the week ending January 21, 1893. CR.

		1893.	1893.		
Jan. 21	To	1893.	Jan. 14	By	1893.
21	Additional Water Fund	\$2,931 07	21	Balance	\$2,865,174 98
	Armory Fund	30,362 00		Taxes	\$141,048 90
	Bridge over Harlem River—Third Avenue	30 00		Interest on Taxes	5,549 27
	Bridge over Harlem River—One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street	136 59		Arrears of Taxes	42,287 28
	Castle Garden, etc.—Improvement	291 57		Interest on Taxes	6,933 53
	Central Park, Construction of Tool-house	6 45		Fund for Street and Park Openings	10,071 65
	Commissioners of Excise Fund	52 46		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886	20,533 88
	Criminal Court-house Fund	3,336 00		Interest on Assessments	2,827 25
	Croton Water Fund	2,790 90		Charges on Arrears of Taxes	30 00
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	119 00		Charges on Arrears of Assessments	56 00
	Department of Buildings—Special Fund	35 10		Harlem River Improvement Fund	477 02
	Dock Fund	20,153 80		Additional Public Park Fund	612 62
	Dog License Fund	300 00		Dog Licenses	14 00
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension	225 45		Sun Dry Licenses	212 50
	Fund for Street and Park Openings	17,461 14		Additional Water Fund	24 00
	Fund for Viaduct	64 50		Restoring and Repaving—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	16 00
	Harlem River Improvement Fund	249 00		Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works	998 00
	Mount Morris Park, Construction of	63 35		Tapping Pipes	24 50
	New York Columbian Celebration Fund	15 50		Water Meter Fund No. 2	335 82
	Public Buildings—Twelfth Ward, Construction of	31 50		Dog License Fund	33 00
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error	2 98		Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening, 1893	8 00
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error	343 45		Public Charities and Correction—Salaries, 1892	5 17
	Repaving	197 95		Unclaimed Salaries and Wages	397 79
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works	452 32		Block Index Map Fund	23 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—College Place Widening	19,799 00		Hospital Fund	286 79
	Revenue Bond Fund (Street Cleaning)	14,663 00		General Fund	14,225 34
	Riverside Park, Construction of	176 68		"	1,200 00
	Rutgers Slip Park, Improvement of	61 62		"	2,903 39
	School-house Fund	2,687 00		"	10,111 28
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886	79,349 19		"	1,725 20
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages	49 08		"	241 75
	Van Cortlandt Park—Improvement	180 41		"	10 00
	Water Meter Fund No. 2	353 15		"	30,000 00
		\$196,972 21		Comm'n's of Sinking Fund	598,902 94
	Advertising	\$3 07			
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	2,720 85			
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages	1,472 00			
	Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts	16 00			
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	4,046 06			
	Bronx River Bridges	4 94			
	Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	381 50			
	Bureau of Licenses	94 46			
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines	105 00			
	Children's Fold of the City of New York	3,888 57			
	Cleaning Markets	771 51			
	Amounts forward	\$13,538 96			
Jan. 21	To	\$13,538 96	21	By	\$3,264,077 92
	Cleaning Streets	34,778 85		Amount forward	
	College of the City of New York	339 00		By Amount forward	\$3,264,077 92
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office	275 04			
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works	204 00			
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office	83 46			
	Contingencies—Law Department	703 09			
	Department of Buildings—Salaries and Contingencies	90 00			
	Election Expenses	4,511 90			
	Entrance to Central Park at West One Hundred and Sixth Street	7,547 98			
	Fire Department Fund	8,205 26			
	Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity	20,170 27			
	Free Floating Baths	3 64			
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	991 15			
	Health Fund	764 15			
	Hebrew Benevolent Society	17,183 14			
	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	6,279 21			
	Hospital Fund	5,704 01			
	Improving Plaza at Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Tenth Street	3,594 10			
	Interest on the City Debt	5,355 00			
	Judgments	1,155 10			
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting	27,731 30			
	Laying Croton Pipes	5,520 38			
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	472 84			
	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River	1,448 42			
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	7,655 00			
	Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of	174 45			
	New York Juvenile Asylum	18,797 03			
	Normal College	279 07			
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books	77 00			
	Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy	5,046 48			
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	998 46			
	Public Charities and Correction	31,742 66			
	Public Instruction	11,052 74			
	Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues	1,133 70			
	Rents	3,750 00			
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading	2,482 70			
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	4,388 23			
	Riverside Park and Avenue—Improvement and Maintenance	388 32			
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling	131 12			
	Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts	8 40			
	Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office	28 35			
	Salaries—Department of Public Works	2,564 50			
	Salaries—Finance Department	30 00			
	Amounts forward	\$257,460 55			

Jan. 21	To Amounts forward	\$257,460 55	\$196,972 21	By Amount forward.....		\$3,264,077 92
	Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	163 75				
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,575 10				
	Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	90 00				
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,935 60				
	Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail.....	16 62				
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards ..	431 33				
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	5 75				
	Telephonic Services—Rents and Contingencies.....	73 60				
			261,752 30			
	To Balance		\$458,724 51			
			2,805,353 41			
			\$3,264,077 92			\$3,264,077 92

January 21, 1893. By Balance..... \$2,805,353 41
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THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending January 21, 1893.

			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
1893.	By Balance, as per last account current					
Jan. 14	Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund.....	Macdaniel.....	\$12,835 23			\$599,365 50
" 21	Street Improvement Fund.....	"	428 02			
	Assessment Fund.....	"	110 87			
	Assessment Fund, Public Drive, South One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	"	58 00			
	Third Avenue Assessment Fund.....	"	13			
	Market Rents and Fees.....	Sullivan.....	4,160 00			
	Dock and Slip Rents.....	Phelan.....	3,718 92			
	Street Vaults.....	Daly.....	1,375 88			
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents.....	McLean.....	\$3,736 94			
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents.....	Macdaniel.....	2,431 68			
	Interest on Croton Water Rents.....	"	278 85			
	Croton Water Rents and Penalties.....	Riley.....	31,406 16			
	House Rent.....	Sullivan.....	871 76			
	Interest on Bond and Mortgage.....	"	772 80			
	Ground Rent.....	"	4 17			
	Court Fees and Fines.....	Perley.....	414 00			
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption.....					39,916 36
	To Sinking Fund—Interest.....					
	To Balances.....					
			\$135,000 00			
			2,274,390 12			\$639,281 86
			\$2,409,390 12	\$2,409,390 12	\$639,281 86	\$639,281 86

January 21, 1893. By Balances..... \$2,274,390 12 \$639,281 86
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THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chamberlain.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the week ending February 25, 1893.

Resolved, That the roadway of West Eleventh street, from the westerly crosswalk of West street to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, as far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that the present crosswalk within that space be relaid, using the present bridge-stones where not worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, and using new bridge-stones in place of defective stones, and laying new bridge-stones, where not already laid, under the provisions of chapter 449, Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Trinity avenue to Willow avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and First street, extending about two hundred and fifty feet east of First avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, as provided by section 356, New York City Consolidation Act, 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. M. Ceballos to place and keep a crosswalk consisting of two courses of North river blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, on South street, from a point opposite Pier 10, East river, to the westerly curb-line of

said street, the work to be done and the material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Smith to place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 64 Essex street, as shown upon the annexed diagram, provided same shall not exceed the dimensions required by law, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That two additional lamp-posts be erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the following schools: Grammar School No. 17, No. 335 West Forty-seventh street; Grammar School No. 51, No. 519 West Forty-fourth street; Grammar School No. 58, No. 317 West Fifty-second street; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Herman Schul to place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 73 West Broadway, as shown on the accompanying diagram, provided same shall not exceed the dimensions required by law, the work to be done and the material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Cedar place, from Tinton avenue to Forest avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on Fifty-third street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the vacant lot No. 120 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Manhattan street, from Twelfth avenue to Hudson river, be paved with granite-block pavement and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of South street, from Whitehall to Corlears street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that the present crosswalks within that space be relaid, using the present bridge-stone where not worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, and using new bridge-stones in place of defective stones, and laying new crosswalks and setting new curb-stones where necessary, under the provisions of chapter 449, Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Eightieth street, from Columbus to Amsterdam avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-post erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in front of Methodist Episcopal Church, located on west side of Marion avenue, about fifty feet north of Kingsbridge road (or Fordham Hill), under direction of Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth avenue to Manhattan avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.
Approved by the Mayor, February 20, 1893.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 183 of article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, as amended March 5, 1883, etc., relating to the firing of firearms.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section I. That section 183 of article 13 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1880, as amended by said resolution of March 5, 1883, be further amended by inserting at the conclusion of the section the following words: "The Berkeley Oval, on Burnside avenue, between Sedgwick avenue and McComb's Dam road."

Sec. II. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. III. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 14, 1893.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 21, 1893, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the names of the following persons recently appointed or superseded as Commissioners of Deeds be and they are hereby corrected so as to read as follows:

John C. List, to read..... John C. Lyst.
A. Gloistner, "..... August J. Gloistner.
Cornelius Kettles, to read..... Cornelius Ketels, Jr.
Thomas J. Hayden, "..... K. H. Hayden.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 21, 1893.

Whereas, It has pleased Divine Providence to remove from among us Edward P. Hagan, Senator from the Ninth Senatorial District of the City of New York; and

Whereas, Senator Hagan, during his lifetime, by his genial temperament, his sturdy loyalty to friends and his generous disposition, endeared himself to thousands of the citizens of this metropolis; and

Whereas, During his frequent terms of service as a member of the State Legislature, he was always the friend and protector of the rights and privileges of the Board of Aldermen, and was the warm personal friend of almost every member of this Board; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Common Council deplores the untimely death of Senator Edward P. Hagan, and that on the day of the funeral the members of this Board attend the ceremonies in a body.

That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated by the Clerk, be forwarded to the widow of the deceased; and be it further

Resolved, That as an additional mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 21, 1893.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk, Common Council.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 17th day of February, 1893.
Present—Commissioners Martin, McClave, MacLean and Sheehan.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain Edward Slevin, Fourth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.
Patrolman Emil Oppenheimer, Thirtieth Precinct, three days, if pay is released.
" Charles Hildenbrand, Twenty-seventh Precinct, three days, if pay is released.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—Leaves of absence granted under Rule 154.
" Relative to immorality at French ball on 6th instant.
" On complaint of Elizabeth W. Bedell.
Contagious disease in family of Patrolman William H. Plunkett, Central Office.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

John Bender, at Concordia Assembly Rooms, February 25. Fee, \$25.
Ernest Regelman, at Germania Assembly Rooms, February 25. Fee, \$25.
Henry J. Appel, Jr., at Lexington Avenue Opera House, February 27. Fee, \$25.
Samuel Tobias, at Lexington Avenue Opera House, March 2. Fee, \$25.
George G. David, at Central Turn Hall, March 1. Fee, \$25.
Joseph Janacer, at Bohemian National Hall, March 4. Fee, \$10.
Joseph Janacer, at Bohemian National Hall, February 21. Fee, \$10.
Joseph Fernando, at Fernando's Hall, February 25. Fee, \$10.
Joseph Fernando, at Fernando's Hall, February 27. Fee, \$10.
Application of Patrolman George Baker, Seventh Precinct, for promotion, was ordered on file.

Communications Ordered on File.

Secretary Civil Service—Relative of promotion of Doormen to Patrolmen.
Thomas Burgess, "Morgan Journal"—Calling attention to designation by the Mayor of paper in which brief advertisements may be published.

Communications Referred to Chief Clerk.

W. S. Williams—Asking address of F. Coyle, a supposed Policeman.
A. E. Olawosky, Russian Consul-General—Inquiring as to property of Lazar Arsenstah.
A. Hartnagle—Asking date of murder of Dr. Burdell.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

Arthur McMullin, Clerk, Board of Education—Complaint of nuisance on premises No. 102 West Fortieth street.
J. C. Pumphleby, Secretary City Improvement Society—Complaint of unharmed wagons, carts and carriages in front of the property of other people in violation of law.
Orange County Sessions—Relative to Perry King, habitual criminal.
District Attorney—Asking attendance of three officers at his office in certain cases.

Communications Referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Health Department—On sanitary condition of lodging-rooms in Station-houses.
Health Department—On sanitary condition of Twenty-third Sub-Precinct Station.
Communication from the Health Department, recommending the usual vacations to members of the Sanitary Company, to be taken under direction of the Sanitary Superintendent, was approved.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. John W. Goodwin, }
vs. } Writ of certiorari.
The Board of Police.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman John Crean, Twenty-eighth Precinct, from December 14 to January 7, 1893.

Resolved, That the bill of the Secretary of State, \$1.45 transmitted with certified copy of chapter 38, Laws of 1893, abolishing office of Chief Inspector, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer.

Resolved, That Alexander Maitland be granted permission to extend the wire connecting the Twenty-fifth Precinct Station-house with the Presbyterian Hospital, to the Lenox Library, the work to be done under supervision of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies and Superintendent of Telegraph, and without expense to this Department.

On report of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections that he had appointed Aaron C. Allen as Chief Clerk of the Bureau, at a salary of \$2,000 per annum, pursuant to section 1849, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, subject to approval of the Board of Police, it was

Resolved, That the action of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections be approved.

On report of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the proposal of John H. Spellman to furnish summer hats for the use of the Police force of the same style and quality as last year, for the sum of \$2.10 each, be and is hereby accepted; the same to be sold at the Bureau of Clothing and Equipment for account of said Spellman, and without liability to this Department, and to be ready for delivery not later than May 1, 1893.

Retired Officer—All Aye.

Patrolman Benjamin B. Northrup, Sixth Precinct, \$600 per year.

Resolved, That Inspector William W. McLaughlin be assigned to charge of the Detective Bureau, subject to the further order of this Board.

Transfers, etc.

Patrolman Jeremiah Sullivan, from Sixth Precinct to Tenth Precinct.

" Ira L. Todd, from Thirtieth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

" John Jefferson, from Thirty-second Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct, detail continued.

Resolved, That John O'Meara be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.

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

Patrick S. McCormick.	Sylvanus Weider.	John T. Murphy.
Michael Donnelly.	John Dorsey.	Hugh Little.
Charles Kraushaar.	Thomas H. Walsh.	Ed. J. Cavanagh, Jr.
Dennis Sullivan.	Theo. Hynicka.	And. D. Lambruschin.
George E. Sottong.	John Kremelbein.	Ulysses S. Westervelt.
Hugh J. Smith.	William Kennedy.	Hugh Cooney.
Charles O. Roester.	Frank T. Murphy.	Michael Kelly.
James J. McKenna.		

Advanced to Grades.

Patrolman John Whitworth, Eleventh Precinct, February 11, 1893, First Grade.

" John H. Keeling, Fourteenth Precinct, February 7, 1893, First Grade.

" Cornelius Lucy, Twenty-seventh Precinct, February 11, 1893, First Grade.

" John Becker, Twenty-second Precinct, February 17, 1893, Second Grade.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Patrick O'Brien, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Rennie Sheridan, Eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Hugh McGuire, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Patrick Hurley, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Charles M. Donovan, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" William O'Hara, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas S. Mahaffy, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" Jacob Ott, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" Jacob Ott, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
" Charles E. Sherwood, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas T. Brady, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" John Davidson, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas Lee, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Peter H. Felton, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Dennis Minogue, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Michael J. Netterville, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas O'Connor, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" John R. Kouschinsky, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
" Joseph O'Hara, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" John P. Powers, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Dennis F. Ward, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Josiah Elting, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" Ira J. Todd, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" William Reidy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" William Keating, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Michael Dolan, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
" Frank Kieser, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
" James F. Duane, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Frank Gunn, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" John E. Reiss, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.
" Frederick Reiss, Thirty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Henry Bischoff, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" James M. Kane, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.
" Charles Delanage, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas Kieley, Twenty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Frank Kenney, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Michael A. Donovan, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Daniel J. McCaffrey, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas F. Burns, Ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas W. Kennelly, Tenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay.
" William Ryan, Thirty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman Thomas Nugent, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Patrick Grady, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Owen Hanley, Second Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.
" Watson Drummond, Second Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Rhody J. Kennedy, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Henry Foster, Eleventh Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Peter Wiegand, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Owen Duffy, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.
" John McGrath, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.
" John J. Bannon, Twenty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Edward Donohue, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Frederick D. King, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" James J. Ward, Twenty-seventh Precinct, neglect of duty.
" William W. Kimmey, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Frederick E. Wade, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" John J. McLaughlin, Thirty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Robert H. Ellis, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Patrick F. Gilmartin, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.
" Patrick F. Gilmartin, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, February 25, 1893.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to chapter 226, Laws of 1889, I herewith transmit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department of the City of New York for the week ending February 25, 1893:

Examinations.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	
David McGowan	541 West Twenty-eighth street.	Driver	Rejected.
David Webb	416 East Eighty-ninth street	"	Passed.
Frank T. Murphy	108 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street.	Steamfitter	"
George Rapp	517 West Twenty-fourth street.	Butcher	"
James T. Brady	33 Vandam street.	Elevator man	"
Edward McGilly	242 East Thirtieth street	Laborer	"
Hugh Little	40 Downing street	Clerk	"
Dennis Sullivan	509 Grand street.	Printer	"
William J. Flynn	421 West Thirty-fourth street.	Tinsmith	Rejected.
Michael Donnelly	146 East Ninety-seventh street	Laborer	Passed.
John Dorsey	401 West Fifty-sixth street.	Fireman	Rejected.
Sylvanus Weider	631 West Forty-second street	Driver	Passed.
James Kane	8 Amsterdam avenue	Bartender	"
Uriah Vosler	286 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh st.	Driver	"
William Gerhardt	215 East Twenty-sixth street.	"	"
Charles T. Schaefer	400 East Fourteenth street	Waiter	Rejected.
Michael Carty	12 Broome street.	Driver	Passed.
Charles E. Bollermann	619 East Ninth street.	Silver chaser	Rejected.
Elias White	112 East Seventh street.	Butcher	"
Lawrence Byrnes	321 East Forty-fifth street.	Clerk	Passed.
Charles Kranshaar	174 Second avenue.	Massage operator	"
John Grossman	441 East Twelfth street	Laborer	"
Theo. Hynicka	220 West Sixtieth street.	Bookbinder	"
John T. Murphy	32 Oak street.	Driver	"
Edward J. Cavanagh, Jr.	31½ Carmine street	Clerk	"
Patrick S. McCormick	305 Amsterdam avenue	Bricklayer	"
Henry Raisch	Kingsbridge, N. Y.	Butcher	Rejected.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
FRIDAY, February 24, 1893, 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 23, 1893.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 189th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Friday, February 24, 1893, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

THOS. F. GILROY, Mayor.

INDORSED:

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 23d day of February, 1893.

THOS. F. GILROY,
Mayor;

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller;

GEO. B. MCCLELLAN,
President of the Board of Aldermen;

E. P. BARKER,
President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—Thomas F. Gilroy, the Mayor; Theodore W. Myers, the Comptroller; George B. McClellan, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held February 16, 1893, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1893.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At the meeting of this Board held on February 10, 1893, there was referred to the Comptroller an application from the Board of Health of the Health Department for a transfer of \$9,438.50 from any unexpended balances at the disposal of this Board, for the purpose of providing the funds necessary to construct the steam-fitting, boiler and ventilating system of the New Reception Hospital and boiler-house at the foot of East Sixteenth street.

It appears from the resolution adopted by the Board of Health on February 8, 1893, that the proposals for the work were duly advertised in the CITY RECORD and that four bids were received therefor, the lowest being that of Messrs. Baker, Smith & Co., at the price named in the resolution, viz., \$8,989, which with the Architect's fees of five per cent. thereon, makes a total of \$9,438.50.

It is necessary that this work should proceed with the erection of the building, in order to properly construct the heating apparatus without delay, and the only unexpended balance from which the sum asked for can be spared is the appropriation for "Judgments" for the year 1892, this case being a special emergency.

I offer for adoption the following resolution to transfer the said sum from the appropriation for "Judgments" for 1892, for the purpose mentioned in the resolution.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of nine thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and forty-five cents (\$9,438.45) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation for the year 1892, entitled "Judgments," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the Health Department for the year 1893, entitled "Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island, and at foot of East Sixteenth street, and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases (sections 549, 550 and 551, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882)," which is insufficient to enable the Department to construct the steam-fitting, boiler and ventilating system of the New Reception Hospital and boiler-house at the foot of East Sixteenth street.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 23, 1893.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

I present herewith a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on February 15, 1893, requesting the appropriation of \$20,425.30 from the proceeds of bonds to be issued, with the approval of this Board, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 264 of the Laws of 1891, the said sum to be applied to the payment of the expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the premises on the northerly side of Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, adjoining Grammar School No. 32, in the Twentieth Ward, as a site for school purposes, under chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890. A communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 19, 1893, incloses a certified copy of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and a certified copy of an order confirming said report and taxing the costs; the order having been duly entered, its provisions should be complied with.

The School Trustees were unable to agree with the owner as to price and consequently condemnation proceedings became necessary, and the property thus cost the City over \$2,000 more than the highest price set by the owner, which was \$18,000.

I offer the following resolution to authorize the issue of additional School-house Bonds to the amount of \$20,425.30 for the purpose mentioned, for such action as this Board may deem advisable.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate on the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands, buildings and improvements adjoining Grammar School No. 32, on the north side of Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, in the Twentieth Ward, as a site for school purposes, was confirmed by the Supreme Court, on January 16, 1893; and

Whereas, The Board of Education of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 264 of the Laws of 1891, adopted a resolution on February 15, 1893, requesting the Comptroller to issue, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, School-house Bonds to the amount of twenty thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars and thirty cents, for the payment of the award, costs, charges and expenses in the proceedings to acquire title to the said lands, buildings and improvements, as a site for school purposes; therefore

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 264 of the Laws of 1891, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of additional School-house Bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of twenty thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars and thirty cents (\$20,425.30), and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to issue the same for such period as he may direct, but no longer than twenty years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, the proceeds of the sale of which bonds shall be applied to the payment of the award, costs, charges and expenses of proceedings as certified by the Counsel to the Corporation for the acquisition of title to said lands, buildings and improvements on the north side of Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, No. 365 West Thirty-fifth street, adjoining Grammar School No. 32, in the Twentieth Ward, as a site for school purposes, as follows:

Award, No. 365 West Thirty-fifth street..... \$18,250 00
Costs, etc..... 2,175 30

Total..... \$20,425 30

And

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to exempt the said stock from taxation by the City and County of New York, pursuant to an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

In view of the statement contained in the foregoing report, the Comptroller was requested to communicate with the Board of Education to the effect that it is the sense of this Board that proceedings to acquire land by condemnation for school purposes should not be resorted to, until every method of arrangement with the owner as to price has failed, and the acquisition of the said land is absolutely necessary for the purposes of the Board of Education.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1893.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

On the 26th day of January, 1893, this Board adopted a resolution transferring the sum of \$6,000 to the "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department and Station-houses" of the Police Department for the year 1892, in accordance with a request to that effect in a resolution adopted by the Board of Police on December 23, 1892, to enable the Department to provide for the Detective Bureau, and at each Police station-house, additional cabinets and criminal record books for the Rogues' Galleries.

A resolution subsequently adopted by the Board of Police, on January 31, 1893, requested the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to so amend the resolution adopted January 26, 1893, as to make the said sum of \$6,000 applicable to the same appropriation for the year 1893, as there was not sufficient time during the remainder of the year 1892 to procure the necessary cabinets and record books for the Detective Bureau and for each Police station-house.

The articles being deemed necessary, and the intention of this Board being to grant the transfer for the purpose mentioned, I offer the following resolution, amending the resolution of January 26, 1893, so as to make the said sum of \$6,000 applicable to the appropriation for the year 1893.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of six thousand dollars be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled "Election Expenses—Printing Official Ballots," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the year 1893, entitled "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department and Station-houses, etc.," which is insufficient to enable the Department to provide for the Detective Bureau and at each Police station-house additional cabinets and criminal record books for the Rogues' Galleries, and the resolution adopted January 26, 1893, transferring the said amount to the appropriation for the year 1892, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1893.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

The following bills of the Fort Washington Ridge Road Commission were presented to this Board on the 16th instant and referred to the Comptroller:

Voucher No. 9. Rent of office No. 76 Boreel Building, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	\$143 75
Voucher No. 10. Thirty-seven monuments as per contract, at \$5.28.....	195 36
Voucher No. 11. Five sets black and white prints, twenty inches by forty inches, ninety-five plates.....	42 75
Voucher No. 12. William J. Haskins, Surveyor, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	600 00
Voucher No. 13. John B. Hays, Clerk, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	300 00
Total.....	\$1,281 86

Under the provisions of the act, chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, this Commission is authorized to incur any necessary expense in settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the Fort Washington Ridge road, and this Board has already, under date of November 18 and December 6, 1892, appropriated a total amount of \$4,802.90 for the salaries of the Commissioners up to November 25, 1892, and various other expenses of this Commission.

I offer for adoption the following resolution to authorize the further issue of Assessment Bonds to the amount of \$1,281.86 for the payment of the above-mentioned bills.
Respectfully submitted,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Whereas, The Commissioners appointed in pursuance of the provisions of section 2 of chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, for the purpose of settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of the avenue known as the Fort Washington Ridge road, have certified certain bills of expenses incurred by them in accordance with the requirements of said act, amounting to the sum of one thousand two hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-six cents (\$1,281.86); and

Whereas, The said expenses are deemed reasonable and just and proper charges under the act mentioned; therefore

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of the act, chapter 114, Laws of 1892, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue Assessment Bonds of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, payable on or after November 1, 1895, for the sum of one thousand two hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-six cents (\$1,281.86), to be applied to the payment of the following bills, to wit:

Voucher No. 9. Rent of Office No. 76, Boreel Building, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	\$143 75
Voucher No. 10. Thirty-seven monuments as per contract at \$528.....	195 36
Voucher No. 11. Five sets black and white prints, twenty by forty inches, ninety-five plates.....	42 75
Voucher No. 12. William J. Haskins, Surveyor, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	600 00
Voucher No. 13. John B. Hays, Clerk, November 1, 1892, to February 1, 1893.....	300 00
Total.....	\$1,281 86

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1893.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller, New York City:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty-four cents from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled "Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to and Repairs," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1892, entitled "Supplies for Police," which is insufficient.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of two hundred and ninety-six dollars and three cents from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department, etc.," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1892, entitled "Supplies for Police," which is insufficient to enable the Board of Police to pay the following bills of 1892, Ward & Olyphant, three hundred and sixty dollars and forty-six cents; Martin B. Brown, ten dollars; Frederick Pierce, six dollars and fifty-four cents.

Very respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty-four cents (\$112.54) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled, "Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to, and Repairs," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the said year, entitled, "Supplies for Police," which is insufficient for the uses thereof; and

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and ninety-six dollars and three cents (\$296.03) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1892, entitled, "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department, etc.," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the said year, entitled, "Supplies for Police," which is insufficient for the uses thereof, the two said sums amounting to four hundred and eight dollars and fifty-seven cents, to enable the Board of Police to pay the following bills of 1892, viz.:

Ward & Olyphant.....	\$360 46
Martin B. Brown.....	10 00
Frederick Pierce.....	6 54
Total.....	\$377 00

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1893.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have the honor to respectfully request a transfer of \$10,000 from the appropriation for cleaning streets, account of "Sweeping," 1893, to the appropriation for cleaning streets, account of "Snow and Ice," 1893, for the reason that the amount appropriated is not sufficient to cover the business of the year.

Very respectfully,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1893, entitled "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Sweeping," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the said year, entitled, "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice," which is insufficient for the uses thereof.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1893.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At the meeting of this Board on February 16, 1893, an application from the Department of Public Parks was presented and referred to the Comptroller, requesting the issue of bonds to the amount of \$4,000 under the authority of chapter 417 of the Laws of 1892, for the purpose of making topographical surveys and plans for the improvement of Mosholu Parkway, as authorized by said Act.

Pursuant to the provisions of this Act, the Department of Public Parks is authorized to construct, improve and maintain such public roadways as may be necessary on the lands acquired under chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884 as public parkways, Mosholu Parkway being one of the four mentioned in the Act. The plans for such work to be prepared by the Department of Public Parks, and the Comptroller is to issue bonds therefor when directed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to an amount in any one year not exceeding \$100,000.

The matter of the partial improvement of these parkways was presented to this Board on July 5, 1892, but as no instrumental survey had been made, and the work was to be done from information derived from an inspection of the ground, it was deemed advisable to delay the authorization for the issue of the bonds for this work until proper information of the topography of the ground had been obtained.

The appropriation asked for is for the purpose of making such surveys, and the amount is regarded as reasonable; and I offer the following resolution to authorize the issue of the bonds, as requested by the resolution adopted by the Board of Park Commissioners on the 15th instant.

Respectfully,
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 24, 1893.

Hon. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—The Department of Public Parks, by resolution adopted February 16, 1893, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to "authorize the Comptroller to issue bonds or stock to the amount of \$4,000 in the manner provided by chap. 417 of the Laws of 1892 for the purpose of making topographical surveys and plans for the improvement of Mosholu Parkway as authorized by said Act."

The Act referred to in the resolution authorizes the Department of Public Parks to "construct, improve and maintain such public roadways as may be necessary on the lands acquired by said city under chap. 522, Laws of 1884, as public parkways and known as the Crotona, Mosholu and Bronx and Pelham Parkways, upon plans to be prepared by the said Department of Public Parks," and requires the Comptroller "from time to time, when directed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to issue bonds or stocks in the manner now provided by law to an amount not exceeding in any one year \$100,000" "for the purpose of carrying out the work."

The matter of partially improving these parkways was presented on the 5th of July last, and in a report I made on July 20, 1892, I stated that no "instrumental survey has been made in connection with the proposed work, and the estimate is made by the Engineer, from information obtained from an inspection of the ground, and that before so expensive a piece of work is undertaken an exact survey should be made."

It is for the purpose of making the exact survey that the appropriation is now asked for, and as this preliminary work is absolutely essential, I can see no reason why the request should not be granted. The amount asked for is reasonable.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 417 of the Laws of 1892, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue from time to time, as required, Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of four thousand dollars, payable from taxation and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than twenty years from the date of issue, and bearing interest at a rate not greater than three per cent. per annum, for the purpose of defraying the expense of making topographical surveys and plans for the improvement of Mosholu Parkway, as authorized by said act.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The following communication was received:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Requisition is hereby made upon you, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of the City of New York, for such sum or sums of money as may be requisite and necessary to properly enable it to do and perform and cause to be done and performed the duties prescribed by such act, and that such sum or sums hereby required are to be used for the following purposes, namely:

1. That the unexpended balance of the appropriations other than those for expenses incurred heretofore made, remaining in the hands of the Comptroller after the payment of the bills and certificates thereof already furnished and delivered by these Commissioners to the Comptroller to be paid out of such appropriations, shall be transferred to miscellaneous account and be made applicable to the payment of any indebtedness heretofore lawfully incurred and to be necessarily incurred hereafter, by them.

SCHEDULE "A."

For expenses already incurred—	
Pay-roll for the month of January, 1893.....	\$3,493 43
Adams & Nealis, stenography.....	155 90
National Press Intelligence Company, clippings.....	58 35
Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, writing material.....	14 00
Thomas McCormack, laundrying towels.....	5 00
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	12 50
Arthur & Bonnell, stationery, etc.....	15 54
Charles W. Smith, for use of transit, etc.....	7 30
Werner Boecklin, expenses.....	30
Keuffel, Esser & Co., drawing material.....	23 79
Joseph M. Wilson, consultations as engineer.....	210 00
Total.....	\$4,906 11

SCHEDULE "B."

For estimated expenses for the months of February and March, 1893—	
For pay-rolls for February and March, 1893.....	\$1,681 66
For expenses of Commissioners' office, other than pay-rolls for February and March, 1893.....	100 00
For miscellaneous account for February and March, 1893.....	100 00
Total.....	\$1,881 66

Schedule "A".....	\$4,906 21
Schedule "B".....	1,881 66
Total sum required.....	\$6,787 87

This requisition is presented in pursuance of a resolution duly adopted by the concurrent vote of four members of this Board, at a duly appointed meeting held the 21st day of February, 1893.

In witness whereof, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners have caused this requisition to be signed by the President and attested by the Secretary, under the seal of the Board, the 21st day of February, 1893.

JOHN H. STARIN, Vice-President.

Attest:

EUGENE L. BUSHE, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Comptroller with the request that he prepare and present to this Board a detailed statement of the expenditures of the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission.

The following communication was and plans therein referred to were received from the Commissioner of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 24, 1893.

Hon. THOMAS F. GILROY, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the proposed construction of a new bridge over the Harlem river at Third avenue, I have the honor to transmit herewith the following plans and documents:

General plan and profile of the bridge and approaches.
Ground plan No. 12 of roadway and temporary bridge.
Plan No. 13. Cross-section of bridge and approaches.
Plan No. 14. Side view and plans of temporary bridge.
Plan No. 15. Side view and plans of permanent bridge.
Report and estimate by Mr. Thomas C. Clarke, Consulting Engineer.

I have the honor to request the approval by your Board of the Plans Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Very respectfully,

MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW YORK, February 20, 1893.

G. W. BIRDSALL, Esq., Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, City of New York:

SIR—Please submit to the Commissioner of Public Works the following report upon new Third Avenue Bridge:

In accordance with directions given me February 7, I have prepared plans of the new permanent and temporary bridges for submission to the Secretary of War, as follows:

No. 12. General plan of both bridges and their approaches.
No. 13. Cross sections of bridge and approaches.
No. 14. Side view and plans of temporary bridge.
No. 15. Side view and plans of permanent bridge.

I also submit for the purpose of further explaining this report:

Plans Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15, as above.
No. 6. Colored sketch of bridge and approaches.

The act authorizing this bridge (chapter 413, Laws of 1892) provides for a clear height at the draws of not less than 24 feet above spring-tide level. The present drawbridge is 13 feet in clear height, 485 feet long, and its width is divided into one roadway 38 feet wide and two 7-foot side-walks, the total, including width of trusses and railings, being 53 feet.

There are two openings of 80 feet each. The whole length of bridge is 435 feet.

As this Third Avenue Bridge carries nearly double the traffic of any of the other Harlem river bridges, it was thought desirable, in designing the new bridge, to give a greater width, and the following dimensions have been provided.

The total width is 86 feet, divided into one central way for electric-cars, and two double roadways for wheeled vehicles, and two footways.

On the deck spans each footway is 12 feet wide, and each carriageway and the electricway are 20 feet wide.

On the draw span these widths are diminished by the widths of the trusses, and are 10 feet on footwalks and 19 feet 4 inches on carriage and electric-car ways.

Owing to the increase of clear height of 11 feet, and the limited distance in which to get down, the question of grades has been a very perplexing one, and has occupied much time and labor.

We have succeeded in getting the easy grades of not exceeding 3 feet per 100, by using a very thin floor on the draw span, and beginning to descend from each end of it, as the law permits.

It becomes practicable to make a thin floor by using four girders of the riveted lattice construction, which are strong, durable and effective in appearance. They have the further merit of being narrow in width, so that four girders do not take up more room than two of those on the present bridge.

The deck spans will be of the ordinary plate girder construction.

The footways will leave by easy steps of 6 inches rise and 14 inches tread at each end of main bridge, diminishing the width of the approaches to 60 feet on the north side and two approaches of 30 feet each on the south side.

By this arrangement the electric cars will not cross the roadways, and the foot passengers will be kept distinct from both.

The swing span, 80 feet wide by 300 feet long, will be paved with asphalt, the deck spans and the approaches with granite paving, and blue-stone sidewalks.

The weight of the swing bridge is less than 1,700 tons, carried on 94 wheels of cast steel. The weight per wheel will not exceed 18 tons, so that the swing span can be moved as easily and quickly as the present one.

It is proposed to utilize the present pier by sinking around the circle of piles an annular caisson of steel to the rock by compressed air; upon this caisson when filled with concrete will be built a circular wall of masonry.

By this plan there will be no disturbance of the bed of the river and time and money will be saved.

The two draw-rest piers will stand on timber caissons filled with concrete and sunk to the rock.

All these piers will be of concrete faced with granite ashlar.

All the rest of the bridge and its approaches will rest on piled foundations cut off one foot below the level of low water.

When the swing-span is closed there will be two side openings 110 feet wide in clear by 24 feet high above spring tide. When the swing is open, the side openings will be 102 feet wide each in clear.

On the north side of the river, the approach from the end of deck-span to north side of Southern Boulevard will be open below and supported on piers and arches. There will also be three passages under the approach between Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

On the south side of river at the end of Third avenue, there will be two passages through to the river, and one up and down along the dock line. The footwalks will pass over these roads.

The rest of the approaches will be of solid masonry walls filled between with earth, and paved with granite. These walls will be of random ashlar made of the native gneiss and somewhat like the walls of the Forty-second Street Reservoir. They will be coped with low parapet walls, having cut granite copings and iron railings. At intervals of about ninety-five feet will stand piers, supporting clusters of electric lamps.

Accompanying this report there is a detailed estimate of quantities, priced at current rates.

The total, including a liberal allowance for engineering and contingencies, amounts to the sum of \$1,187,708.

The total length of the bridge and its approaches is 2,324 feet, and its superficial area is 135,337 square feet, making the estimated cost \$8.77 per square foot, which compares favorably with the cost of other city bridges.

The temporary bridge can be built in two months and the permanent bridge in eighteen months, provided the condemnation proceedings do not occupy more than one year; as the contractors can work upon the river part while the condemnation proceedings are going on, and can finish those parts of the approaches which are on private property in six months after getting possession of the lands.

All of which is respectfully submitted by

THOMAS C. CLARKE,
Consulting Engineer, Third Avenue Bridge, City of New York.
THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE.

Estimated Cost.

DESCRIPTION.	No.	QUANTITY.	PRICE.	AMOUNT.
<i>Excavation.</i>				
Dredging.....	1	1,000 cubic yards	\$1 00 per cubic yard	\$1,000 00
In Coffor Dam, including Coffor Dam.....	2	3,000 "	5 00 "	15,000 00
Arcades and approaches.....	3	45,000 "	1 00 "	45,000 00
Borrowed embankment.....	4	5,000 "	0 25 "	1,250 00
				\$62,250 00
<i>Foundations.</i>				
Iron caissons in place and filled.....	5	2,000 cubic yards	\$35 00 per cubic yard	70,000 00
Wooden caissons in place and filled.....	6	3,000 "	25 00 "	75,000 00
Spruce piles cut off in place.....	7	140,000 lineal feet..	25 per lineal foot.	35,000 00
Yellow pine.....	8	30,000 feet, B. M..	35 00 per M.....	1,050 00
Hemlock.....	9	650,000 "	25 00 "	16,250 00
Iron.....	10	54,000 pounds....	4 per pound....	2,160 00
				\$199,460 00
<i>Masonry.</i>				
Ashlar below low water, gneiss or limestone....	11	2,400 cubic yards	\$15 00 per cubic yard	\$36,000 00
Granite ashlar.....	12	2,600 "	25 00 "	65,000 00
Gneiss coursed ashlar.....	13	1,300 "	16 00 "	20,800 00
Gneiss uncoursed ashlar.....	14	2,500 "	12 00 "	30,000 00
Rubble.....	15	2,500 "	7 00 "	17,500 00
Brick facing and piers.....	16	250 "	12 00 "	3,000 00
Brick arches.....	17	500 "	16 00 "	8,000 00
Portland concrete.....	18	6,000 "	8 00 "	48,000 00
American cement concrete.....	19	15,500 "	5 50 "	85,250 00
Granite coping, piers and bridge seats.....	20	9,000 cubic feet..	2 00 per cubic foot..	18,000 00
Blue stone caps and binders.....	21	700 "	1 00 "	700 00
Stone dressing.....	22	4,000 square feet.	80 per square foot	3,200 00
				\$335,450 00
<i>Fine Cut Granite.</i>				
Caps.....	23	3,500 cubic feet..	\$3 00 per cubic foot..	\$10,500 00
Coping.....	24	7,800 "	3 00 "	23,400 00
Steps and landings.....	25	2,000 "	3 00 "	6,000 00

DESCRIPTION.	No.	QUANTITY.	PRICE.	AMOUNT.
Voussoirs.....	26	4,000 cubic feet..	3 00 per cubic foot..	\$12,000 00
Skewbacks.....	27	400 "	3 00 "	1,200 00
Posts.....	28	700 "	4 50 "	3,150 00
				\$56,250 00
<i>Steel and Iron.</i>				
All steel work in draw span, turn table, plate girders, corrugated floors, beams, columns and approaches.....	29	2,100 tons.....	\$81 00 per ton.....	\$170,100 00
Iron curb on draw span.....	30	1,800 lineal feet..	2 00 per lineal foot..	3,600 00
Iron work end of draw and fixed spans.....	31			1,000 00
				\$174,700 00
<i>Roadway.</i>				
American cement concrete.....	32	1,500 cubic yards.	\$6 00 per cubic yard	\$9,000 00
Granite paving.....	33	14,000 square yds.	3 50 per square yd.	49,000 00
Asphalt paving.....	34	2,000 "	3 00 "	6,000 00
Asphalt sidewalks.....	35	700 "	3 00 "	2,100 00
Blue-stone sidewalks.....	36	7,000 square feet.	50 per square foot.	3,500 00
Blue-stone curb.....	37	600 lineal feet.	1 00 per lineal foot.	600 00
				\$70,200 00
<i>General.</i>				
Iron railing with cornice.....	38	1,300 lineal feet.	\$12 00 per lineal feet.	\$15,600 00
Iron railing without cornice.....	39	3,300 "	1 50 "	4,950 00
Cluster lamps and connections.....	40	52 "	400 00 each.....	20,800 00
Drinking fountain and tablet.....	41			1,500 00
Painting.....	42			5,000 00
Machinery, boilers and engines.....	43			12,000 00
Engine-house.....	44			2,000 00
Removing old bridge and setting up machinery on new draw, maintaining temporary bridge and approaches until permanent one is opened to the public and then removing temporary bridge and approaches. All material in old and temporary bridges, also machinery, to be the property of contractor.....	45			1,000 00
				\$62,850 00
<i>Bridge Guard.</i>				
Yellow pine timber.....	46	130,000 feet, B. M..	\$35 00 per M.....	\$4,550 00
Yellow pine piles.....	47	30,000 "	25 per lineal foot.	7,500 00
Iron.....	48	7,000 pounds....	04 per pound....	280 00
				\$12,280 00
<i>Necessary Changes and Street Improvements.</i>				
From Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—				
Paving.....	49	7,000 square yards	\$3 50 per square yard	\$24,500 00
New sidewalk.....	50	20,000 square feet.	33 per square foot	6,600 00
Curb.....	51	1,500 lineal feet..	50 per lineal foot.	750 00
Removing and rebuilding old wall, east side of North Third avenue.....	52	500 cubic yards.	3 00 per cubic yard	1,500 00
New sewer.....	53	600 lineal feet..	10 00 per lineal foot.	6,000 00
				\$39,350 00
<i>Temporary Bridge.</i>				
Yellow pine.....	54	100,000 feet, B. M..	\$40 00 per M.....	\$4,000 00
Hemlock.....	55	150,000 "	30 00 "	4,500 00
Spruce.....	56	20,000 "	35 00 "	700 00
Spruce piles.....	57	15,000 lineal feet..	20 per lineal foot.	3,000 00
Iron drift and screwbolts, etc.....	58	5,000 pounds....	04 per pound....	200 00
Iron drawbridge, 164 feet span.....	59	120,000 "	04 "	4,800 00
Approaches, etc.....	60			2,800 00
				\$22,000 00
Total.....				\$1,032,790 00
Add 15 per cent. for all contingencies, superintendence and engineering.....				154,918 00
Total estimated cost.....				\$1,187,708 00

The Commissioner of Public Works and the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works appeared in relation thereto.

Debate was had thereon, whereupon the Comptroller moved that the Plans Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15 of the proposed bridge across the Harlem river at Third avenue, as presented by the Commissioner of Public Works, be approved.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1893—STATED MEETING, 10.30 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Dana (President), Straus, Tappen, Gray.

The following communications were received:

From the Secretary of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, advising the Department of the election of Mr. N. LeBrun as President of said Chapter. Filed.

From the Director of Menagerie, reporting in relation to the repairs required to be made at the Menagerie, with an estimate of the cost. Referred to Commissioner Gray for report.

From the Landscape Architect, reporting upon a plan submitted by Hon. John R. Fellows for roadway improvements adjoining Highbridge Park.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the matter was referred to the President to investigate and report as to what can be done to establish a public road or street at the location named.

From the Engineer of Construction, recommending that C. D. Earl, now employed as an Axeman, be assigned to the work of cleaning the "Pond" at Fifty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, Central Park, and that his pay be increased during such employment.

On motion, said recommendations were approved, and the pay of C. D. Earl was fixed at \$90 per month while employed on the work of cleaning the pond.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending that provision be made in drawing the specifications for the enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History for securing good construction in the arrangement of the walks, drives and lawns in immediate connection with the proposed buildings.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, the matter was referred to the Trustees of the Museum with the request that the Superintendent's suggestion be complied with.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Board, reporting John J. Odell as eligible for promotion to the fourth grade of clerkship. Filed.

Professor A. S. Bickmore appeared and was heard in relation to bills now before the Legislature to amend laws authorizing appropriations for the American Museum of Natural History.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, Senate Bill No. 32 and Assembly Bill No. 54, relative to the American Museum of Natural History, and Senate Bill No. 30, relative to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, were approved.

The Secretary submitted the following estimates for carpenter work in making alterations and additions to Police Clothing Rooms at the Arsenal:

Ryan & Seabold.....	\$1,287 00
Charles McCloskey.....	985 00
John Brennan.....	875 00
William Sexton.....	789 00

On motion, an order was authorized to be issued to the lowest bidder for doing the work by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

From Cornelius Ryan, applying for the privilege of conducting a refreshment stand at Mount Morris Park.

On motion of Commissioner Straus, the application of Mr. Ryan was ordered granted for one year upon his agreeing to pay a sum equal to ten per cent. of his gross receipts as license fee by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

Hugh Stevenson appeared and was heard in relation to making a street fronting on High Bridge Park, as shown on plan submitted, the private land to be dedicated for that purpose and the property-owners to do the work at their own expense.

Alfred Skitt submitted a draft of contract for the construction of the east side link of the Transverse Road Railway and asked that the same be submitted to the Sinking Fund Commissioners for their approval.

The same was ordered sent to the Corporation Counsel for his approval.

A committee of the West End Association, consisting of Messrs. James A. Deering, Cyrus Clark, J. Romaine Brown and Mr. Kittel, appeared before the Board and asked that something be done towards the improvement of Riverside Park.

They were requested to submit bills with a view to carrying out this improvement, for the consideration of the Board. The committee also called attention to the necessity for improving the Cathedral Parkway, the report of the Commissioners in condemnation proceedings for the widening of One Hundred and Tenth street having been confirmed on December 30, 1892. It was suggested that the Engineer or Architect prepare a plan of improvement.

The Engineer of Construction was directed to prepare a sketch showing houses, etc., on the line of the Cathedral Parkway and Riverside Park, with a view to having the same sold at auction.

Commissioner Tappen called up the matter of the proposed improvements on Cedar and other New Parks in the Annexed District and Engineer Haffen appeared and was heard in relation thereto.

On motion of Commissioner Gray, Commissioner Tappen was authorized to prepare a bill for presentation to the Legislature creating the office of Vice-President of the Board and authorizing that bills and pay-rolls may be signed by two members of the Board, one of whom shall be the President or Vice-President.

Commissioner Tappen moved to amend the By-laws by adding a section to Article 4, as follows:

Sec. 5. In case of any emergency in the public service within the jurisdiction of the Department, a Commissioner being present may take such action and make such order as may seem necessary, provided, however, that no expense shall be thereby incurred, unless there be a fund or appropriation chargeable therewith.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the Secretary of the Board was appointed as Secretary and Treasurer of the Park Police Pension Fund created by chapter 515 of the Laws of 1893, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

From John P. Dunn, Assistant to the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Department of the confirmation, on December 30, 1892, of the proceeding for acquiring the lands within the lines of Cathedral Parkway, between Seventh avenue and Riverside Park, as established by chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891. Filed.

Commissioner Straus offered the following:

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of acquiring title on behalf of the City to Cathedral Parkway provided for in chapter 275, Laws of 1891, was confirmed by the Supreme Court, on the 30th day of December, 1892, and the title to the lands required is now vested in the City.

Resolved, That the Landscape Architect be requested to report to this Board a plan for the actual improvement and completion of the said parkway.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

On motion of Commissioner Tappen, the Engineer in charge of the New Parks was directed to proceed without delay with the work of scraping and painting Pelham Bridge, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

On motion of Commissioner Dana, the Superintendent of Parks was directed to submit a list of the park cottages requiring painting and other repairs.

The President from the Auditing Committee presented the following reports:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

American Dist Telegraph Company, The.. Labor, Maint.—General Maintenance, 1892.....	\$5 25
Boller, Alfred P., professional services.... Bridge Harlem River, 155th street—Construction of....	1,261 91
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer, fuel..... Maintenance of Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	1,321 70
Passaic Rolling Mill Company, The, Esti- mate No. 5..... Bridge Harlem River, 155th Street—Construction of....	31,547 70
Ruddy, Stephen, Estimate No. 3..... Mount Morris Park—Coping and Railing.....	2,101 68
	\$36,238 24

RECAPITULATION.

Labor Maintenance—General Maintenance, 1892.....	\$5 25
Bridge Harlem River at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street—Construction of....	32,809 61
Maintenance of Museums—American Museum of Natural History.....	1,321 70
Mount Morris Park—Construction of, Coping and Railing.....	2,101 68
	\$36,238 24

Amounting to the sum of thirty-six thousand two hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-four cents.

PAUL DANA,
NATHAN STRAUS, } Auditing Committee.

NEW YORK, January 25, 1893.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, on motion, the same were approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Dana, Straus, Tappen, Gray—4.

On motion, at 12.52 P. M., the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, 1st proximo, at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending February 18, 1893.

Barometer.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
FEBRUARY.		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 12		30.444	30.500	30.500	30.481	11 A. M.	30.270
Monday, 13		30.290	29.980	29.918	30.063	0 A. M.	29.858
Tuesday, 14		30.224	30.244	30.156	30.208	11 A. M.	30.008
Wednesday, 15		29.876	29.800	29.882	29.853	0 A. M.	29.800
Thursday, 16		29.930	29.890	30.018	29.946	12 P. M.	29.876
Friday, 17		30.250	30.144	29.790	30.061	11 A. M.	29.610
Saturday, 18		29.464	29.498	29.618	29.527	12 P. M.	29.432

Mean for the week..... 30.020 inches.

Maximum " at 11 A. M., February 12th..... 30.526 "

Minimum " at 5 A. M., February 18th..... 29.432 "

Range "..... 1.094 "

Thermometers.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
FEBRUARY.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday, 12		28	26	34	33	4 P. M.	27	92
Monday, 13		32	30	34	33	6 P. M.	30	39
Tuesday, 14		31	31	42	37	3 P. M.	31	104
Wednesday, 15		38	35	47	43	4 P. M.	37	74
Thursday, 16		37	35	44	38	4 P. M.	29	100
Friday, 17		18	17	20	18	0 A. M.	17	38
Saturday, 18		20	19	25	23	5 P. M.	17	77

Mean for the week..... 32.3 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 15th..... 49. "

Minimum " at 12 P. M., 17th..... 17. "

Range "..... 32. "

Wind.

DATE. FEBRUARY.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P.M. to 7 A.M.	7 A.M. to 2 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	12..	NW	N	ENE	70	22	27	119	0	0	0	¼	3.15 P.M.
Monday,	13..	NE	NE	N	71	106	117	294	3	5½	3	14½	4 P.M.
Tuesday,	14....	WNW	NW	S	81	23	28	132	0	0	¼	1¾	10.30 P.M.
Wednesday,	15....	SW	SW	NW	97	71	42	210	¼	1	0	1¾	0.20 A.M.
Thursday,	16....	W	W	NNW	12	30	70	112	0	¾	3¾	7½	8.20 P.M.
Friday,	17....	NNE	NE	NE	94	68	78	240	0	0	0	¾	0.30 A.M.
Saturday,	18....	NNW	W	WNW	124	47	64	235	0	1½	½	7½	5 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,342 miles.

Maximum force..... 14 1/2 pounds.

DATE. FEBRUARY.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.						
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.						
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water. IN.	Depth of Snow. IN.	O. 10.	
Sunday, 12	.117	.175	.196	.163	77	89	100	89	6 Cir.	4 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday, 13	.144	.175	.181	.167	79	89	100	89	10	10	10	2 A.M.	9 P.M.	19.00	1.61	3 1/2	5	
Tuesday, 14	.174	.155	.203	.177	100	57	82	79	0	0	5 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Wedn'day, 15	.165	.225	.231	.207	72	70	83	75	10	10	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Thursday, 16	.178	.151	.132	.154	80	52	70	67	0	3 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8
Friday, 17	.083	.076	.085	.081	84	70	72	75	3 Cir.	10	10	5 P.M.	12 P.M.	7.00	.56	} 9 1/2	4	
Saturday, 18	.092	.100	.117	.103	85	74	87	82	10	10	5 Cu.	0 A.M.	11.30 A.M.	11.30	.16		3	

Total amount of water for the week..... 2.33 inches.

Duration for the week..... 1 day, 13 hours, 30 minutes.

Depth of snow..... 12 1/2 inch.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, February 12		Cool, hazy.....	Mild, hazy.
Monday, " 13		Cold, hailing; snow turned to rain, 8 A. M.....	Raw, raining.
Tuesday, " 14		Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday, " 15		Mild, hazy.....	Mild, overcast, hazy.
Thursday, " 16		Cold, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.
Friday, " 17		Cold, hazy.....	Cold, overcast.
Saturday, " 18		Cold, snowing.....	Cold, overcast.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 25, 1893.
Number of licenses issued and amounts received there-
or, in the week ending Friday, February 24, 1893.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Feb. 18, 1893	11	\$14 50
Monday, " 20, "	43	629 75
Tuesday, " 21, "	21	53 00
Wednesday, " 22, "	Holiday.	
Thursday, " 23, "	21	24 50
Friday, " 24, "	24	531 50
Totals.....	120	\$1,253 25

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10
A. M. to 12 M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor. WILLIS HOLLY, Sec-
retary and Chief Clerk.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
GEORGE E. BEST, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN J. TUCKER,
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, H. W. CANNON, and the MAYOR,
COMPTROLLER and COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS;
ex officio, Commissioners; J. C. LULLEY, Secretary;
A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer; E. A. WOLFF, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, Commissioner; MAURICE F.
HOLAHAN, Deputy Commissioner (Room A).
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD, Chief Clerk (Room 6).
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer (Room 9);
JOSEPH RILEY, Water Register (Rooms 2, 3 and 4);
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent of Street Improve-
ments (Room 5); HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer in Charge
of Sewers (Room 9); WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superin-
tendent of Repairs and Supplies (Room 15); MAURICE
FEATHERSON, Water Purveyor (Room 1); STEPHEN
MCCORMICK, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas
(Room 11); JOHN L. FLORENCE, Superintendent of Streets
and Roads (Room 12); MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS,
Superintendent of Incumbrances (Room 16).

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
No. 2623 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hun-
dred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4
P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; JOHN H. J. RONNER
Deputy Commissioner; WM. H. TEN EVCK, Secretary

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broad-
way, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A.
STORRS, Deputy Comptroller; D. LOWBER SMITH,
Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 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, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers
street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, 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.
JOHN A. SULLIVAN, 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.

Receiver of Taxes; DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LOUIS HANNEMAN, Corporation Attorney.
*Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal
Taxes.*

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MARTIN, President; CHARLES F. MAC-
LEAN, JOHN MCCLAVE and JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Commis-
sioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F.
RODENBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-
TION.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted,
from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 10 to 12 M.

Headquarters.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and JOSEPH D.
BRYANT, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD
and HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex officio, Commis-
sioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49
and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
PAUL DANA, President; ABRAHAM B. TAPPEN, NA-
THAN STRAUS and HENRY WINTHROP GRAY, Commis-
sioners; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; EDWARD L.
PARRIS and GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioners
FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner; JOHN J. RYAN,
Deputy Commissioner; J. JOSEPH SCULLY, Chief
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMIN-
ING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman; WILLIAM HILDRETH
FIELD and HENRY MARQUAND, Members of the Super-
visory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive
Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

THE MAYOR, Chairman; E. P. BARKER (President,
Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary;
the COMPTROLLER and PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF
ALDERMEN, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEICESTER HOLME, WILLIAM S. ANDREWS and
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioners; JAMES F. BISHOP,
Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under
Sheriff.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET
CLEANING.

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

ARMORY BOARD.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, January 24, 1893.

TO ARCHITECTS.

A GENERAL INVITATION IS HEREBY
extended to architects to furnish competitive
designs and plans for an armory building for the use of
Troop A, of the National Guard of the State of New
York.

The building to be erected on the ground 200 x 100
feet in the rear of the Eighth Regiment Armory, be-
tween Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, and front-
ing on Madison avenue. The building to be of brick,
with stone trimmings, and provided with a roof of glass,
slate, tile or other durable material, and in design
should harmonize as near as possible with the Eighth
Regiment Armory adjoining.

The excavation for the building to be over the whole
area of 200 x 100 feet, and to give a depth that will in-
sure nine feet clear from the floor of the cellar to the
ceiling above.

The cellar to contain a target range, marker's pit,
large saddle room, armorer's room, boiler room and a
runway for horses to the floor above.

The remainder of the cellar to be left unfinished and
to be used as a stable, and to be fitted up by the Troop
at their own expense, and not to be provided for in the
present plans or estimates.

The main floor, on street level, is to be occupied with
a ring of tan bark or dirt (similar to riding school rings)
of the largest possible dimensions. This floor to be
supported on columns and arches.

The plans to show accommodation in the building
for Troop Meeting-room, Captain's Room, Lieutenant's
Room, First Sergeant's Room, Quartermaster Ser-
geant's Room, Janitor's Apartments, Kitchen, with
range, etc.; Locker-rooms, with lockers, to be pro-
vided for 105 men; suitable Water-closets, Bath-rooms,
etc.; as much Gallery and Seating Accommodations as
possible.

Building to be lighted by electricity and gas. Heated
by steam. Ample provisions made for drainage.

Plans to be submitted, to be drawn scale 1/8 inch
equal to one foot with a perspective drawing, rendered
in black and white.

The entire cost of building, as called for in these
specifications, shall not exceed \$140,000.

The Armory Board reserves the right to reject any or
all plans which may be offered if, for any reason,
they deem it best to do so, and in case any plan is ac-
cepted as presented or with alterations or suggestions
of the Armory Board, and it is subsequently found that
a contract satisfactory to the Armory Board can be
made for the complete erection of the building as herein
called for, for a sum, including the architect's fees,
which shall not exceed the appropriation for the work,
the architect presenting such plans shall be engaged for
the work and his compensation for plans and superin-
tendence shall be four per cent. of the amount of such
contract.

The plans must be prepared with the view of inviting
proposals for the erection of the building for a gross
sum, and must be presented to the Committee on Plans,
at this office, on or before March 1, 1893.

A map showing the site is on file in this office, and
must be consulted by architects for such information as
they may need in that respect.

THOMAS F. GILROY, Mayor;
EDWARD P. BARKER,
President Department Taxes and Assessments;
MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner Public Works;
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
COL. JAMES CAVANAGH,
Armory Board Commissioners.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Executive Committee on Nautical School, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand
street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, March 10, 1893,
for making Repairs to the Hull of the Ship St. Mary's,
lying at the foot of East Twenty-eighth street.

JOHN SCHUYLER CROSBY,
MILES VAN ARSDALE,
WM. J. V. O'BRIEN,
ROBERT MACLAY,
JAMES W. GERARD,
Executive Committee on Nautical School.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of
the Commander on board the ship.

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

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

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

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 Executive Committee.
Dated New York, February 24, 1893.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

the Board of School Trustees for the Seventeenth
Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146
Grand street, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday,
March 9, 1893, for erecting an Addition to Grammar
School Building No. 19, on north side of Thirteenth
street, between First and Second avenues.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,
H. H. HAIGHT, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.
Dated New York, February 24, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place, by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward,
until 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, March 3, 1893, for
Altering Building No. 230 East One Hundred and
Twenty-fifth street, to be used as an annex to Grammar
School No. 39.

JOHN WHALEN, Chairman,
ANTONIO RASINES, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated New York, February 18, 1893.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same
place by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, March 3, 1893,
for Sanitary, etc., Work at Primary School Building
No. 1, corner Ludlow and Delancey streets.

CHAS. B. STOVER, Chairman,
LOUIS HAUPST, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.
Dated New York, February 17, 1893.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals 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 pro-
posing 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.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND
ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1893.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE
New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is
hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual
Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal
Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the
year 1893, are open, and will remain open for examina-
tion and correction until the thirtieth day of April,
1893.

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

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

EDWARD P. BARKER,
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING CEDAR PLACE,
TWENTY-THIRD WARD, CONFIRMED BY
THE SUPREME COURT, FEBRUARY 16, 1893.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE
"New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the
Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives pub-
lic notice to all owners of property and persons affected
by the assessment, in the matter of acquiring title
to CEDAR PLACE, from Eagle avenue to Union
avenue, which assessment was confirmed by the
Supreme Court February 16, 1893, and entered on the
20th day of February, 1893, in the Record of Titles of
Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection
of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments
and of Water Rents," that 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 pro-
vided in section 998 of said "New York City Con-
solidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 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 April 24,
1893, will be exempt from interest as above provided,
and after that date will be subject to a charge of
interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from
the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assess-
ments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 24, 1893.

PROPOSALS FOR \$208,558.70 CONSOLI-
DATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF
NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-
HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUAR-
DIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST
FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO
INVEST IN THESE BONDS.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his
office, until Monday, the 13th day of March, 1893,
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 an issue of \$208,558.70
registered

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, and known as "School-house
Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the
United States of America, 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 per centum per annum,
payable semi-annually on the first day of May and
November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions
of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act
of 1882, and chapter 264 of the Laws of 1891, for the
purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new
school buildings, and other school purposes, and is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from
State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137
of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and
under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city,
approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and resolu-
tions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted
January 31 and February 23, 1893, 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 execu-
tors, administrators, guardians and trustees, and others
holding trust funds to invest such funds in the stocks 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 pro-
vided 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

PROPOSALS FOR \$800,000 STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

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

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York until Monday, the 27th day of February, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by him in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, for the whole or a part of the following registered stocks and bonds of the City of New York, all of which are redeemable from the Sinking Fund and exempt from City and County taxation, to wit:

\$250,000 ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

issued in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide new reservoirs, dams and a new aqueduct, with the appurtenances thereto, for the purpose of supplying the City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water;" and under a resolution of the Aqueduct Commissioners adopted February 8, 1893.

The principal is payable on the first day of October, 1912, and the interest, semi-annually, at the rate of three per cent. per annum, on the first day of April and October in each year.

For the redemption of said stock the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have created a special sinking fund by a resolution adopted February 6, 1893, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of Article VIII. of the State Constitution, as amended November 4, 1884.

The said stock is exempt from taxation under section 34 of said chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted September 3, 1893.

\$550,000 DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

authorized by section 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted November 2, 1892.

The principal is payable from the Sinking Fund, November 1, 1923. Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of three per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November in each year.

Said Dock Bonds are exempt from city and county taxation, under an ordinance of the Common Council of the City of New York, passed October 2, 1880, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted November 2, 1892.

AUTHORITY FOR TRUST INVESTMENTS.

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

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 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 the bonds awarded to them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

Proposals will be received for said stocks or bonds in sums of one thousand dollars or multiples thereof, for the whole or any part of each issue.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Stocks and Bonds 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.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 14, 1893.

AUTHORITY FOR TRUST INVESTMENTS.

CHAPTER 65, LAWS OF 1889.

AN ACT authorizing the investment of trust funds in stocks or bonds of any of the cities of this State. Approved by the Governor, March 14, 1889. Passed, three-fifths being present.

The people of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. It shall be lawful for executors, administrators, guardians and trustees and others holding trust funds for investment to invest the funds so held by them in trust in bonds or stocks of any of the cities of this State, issued pursuant to the authority of any law of this State.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING WENDOVER AVENUE, TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, CONFIRMED BY THE SUPREME COURT MAY 12, 1892.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all owners of property and persons affected by the assessment, in the matter of acquiring title to WENDOVER AVENUE, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, which assessment was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 12, 1892, and entered on the 9th day of February, 1893, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that 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 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 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 cent. 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 April 10, 1893, will be exempt from interest as above provided,

and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 11, 1893.

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, February 25, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, March 16, 1893, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN BEACH AVENUE, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from the Southern Boulevard to the East river.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN RAILROAD AVENUE, EAST, from the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the south curb-line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from Courtlandt avenue to Morris avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from Courtlandt avenue to Morris avenue.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN OGDEN AVENUE, from Birch street to Orchard street.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from the existing sewer fifty-five feet west of Anthony avenue to Morris avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
NEW YORK, February 23, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, March 9, 1893, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third avenue to Brook avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FOREST AVENUE, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS.

No. 3. FOR LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Trinity avenue to Union avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office on Tuesday, March 7, 1893, until 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

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

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRD AVENUE, from Fifty-ninth to Ninety-sixth street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT STONE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Sixth to Madison avenue.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature,

and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 1 and 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT

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

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

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

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

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioner of Public Works

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 4072, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances on the southerly side of the Southern Boulevard, from the end of existing sewer west of Willis avenue to the summit east of Willis avenue.

List 4078, No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Eighth street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

List 4079, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Manhattan avenue and Central Park, West.

List 4082, No. 4. Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, connecting with present sewer in Forty-third street, east of First avenue.

List 4083, No. 5. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Avenue A and East river.

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

No. 1. South side of the Southern Boulevard, extending easterly from Willis avenue, about 525 feet.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Central Park, West, to Manhattan avenue; east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Eighth to One Hundred and Ninth street, and north side of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Central Park, West, to Manhattan avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of First avenue, from Forty-second to Forty-third street.

No. 5. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Avenue A to the East river.

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 25th day of March, 1893.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHARLES E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 23, 1893.

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 39/6, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, and in Kingsbridge road, east side between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-third streets.

List 4026, No. 2. Paving Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fortieth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

List 4028, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Harlem river, with granite blocks.

List 4054, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road; both sides of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-first street; block bounded by One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-first streets, Audubon and Eleventh avenues; east side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-second street, west side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-second street; east side of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first street and One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road.

No. 2. Both sides of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth street to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 18th day of March, 1893.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 16, 1893.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1893.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS during the year 1893, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, March 7, 1893.

DRY GOODS FOR INSANE ASYLUMS.
70,000 yards Brown Muslin, "Indian Head," 36 inches.
27,000 yards Brown Muslin, "Indian Head," 48 inches.
6,000 yards Bleached Muslin, "Dwight Anchor," 36 inches.
17,000 yards Satinet, "Spring Brook."
18,000 yards Cottonade, "Flat Rock."
25,000 yards Ticking, "Cordis Mill, A. C. E."
15,000 yards Canton Flannel, "Amoskeag, A. A."
10,000 yards Kentucky Jeans, "Flushing."
19,000 yards Blue Denim, "Silver Fox Amoskeag."
40,000 yards Gingham.
21,300 yards "Otis" Checks.
5,000 yards Seersucker "Bates Mill."
1,125 yards Red Flannel "Beldyde Scarlet."
1,200 yards Blue Flannel for Blouses.
1,750 white Toilet Quilts "Bates."
8,000 yards Crash Roller Toweling "Stevens all linen."
2,000 yards Crash Dish Toweling "Stevens all linen."
3,400 yards Huckabuck Toweling.
2,000 yards Damask for Table Cloths.
1,000 yards White Table Oil Cloth.
750 yards Sleeve Lining.
3,250 Men's Knit Undershirts.
3,250 Men's Knit Drawers.
500 Women's Knit Jackets, large.
500 Women's Woolen Shawls, black, brown and gray.
1,000 Women's Woolen Hoods, black, brown and gray.
2,500 pairs Colored Woolen Blankets, "Kersey," average seven pounds.
1,250 pairs White Woolen Blankets, "Hartford," average six pounds.
1,200 Overcoats, "Quinnepit material."
500 Pea Jackets, "Quinnepit material."
500 Summer Blouses (faced).
500 Summer Helmets, with Department devices.
1,200 Men's Summer Hats.
2,500 Women's Summer Hats.
50 Men's Canvas Hats.
50 Men's Rubber Coats.
1,334 Rubber Sheets, 16 grommets each.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the per-

son or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 435.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIERS, NEW 38, NEW 42, PIER FOOT OF BETHUNE STREET, PIER, NEW 63, AND AT PIER FOOT OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE above-named places, 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 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1893.

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 Eleven Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows:

ON THE NORTH RIVER.
At Pier, new 38..... 35,000 cubic yards.
At Pier, new 42 (south side)..... 12,000 "
At Pier foot of Bethune street..... 9,000 "
At Pier, new 63 (north side)..... 26,000 "
At Pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street..... 65,000 "
Total..... 147,000 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 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.

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 the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of May, 1893, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed 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 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 to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES J. PHELAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, February 23, 1893.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of January, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the

purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York (Room No. 3), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 27, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Saturday, the 1st day of April, 1893, 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 Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 27, 1893.
THOMAS NOLAN,
JOSEPH C. WOLFE,
WILLIAM H. MCKEAN,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and Morningside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of February, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Seventeenth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York (Room No. 3), with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 27, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Monday, the 3d day of April, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 27, 1893.
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
LEO C. DESSAR,
JAMES E. DOHERTY,
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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, between Riverside avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers of said Court, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1893, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that

day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of William M. Hoes, who declines to serve.

Dated New York, February 21, 1893.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands required for a public park, at or near CORLEARS HOOK, in the seventh Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS WHO MAY CONSIDER THEMSELVES AGGRIEVED BY THE ESTIMATE OF THE COMMISSIONERS IN THE ABOVE MATTER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor, Room 25), on Friday, March 3, 1893, at three o'clock P. M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate may be hereafter inspected at our said office, No. 200 Broadway; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers street, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1893, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, February 16, 1893.
MEYER THALMESSINGER,
Chairman,
HENRY CAMPBELL,
DAVID MCCLURE,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of February, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Nineteenth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1888, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 16, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Tuesday, the 21st day of March, 1893, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 16, 1893.
EDWARD T. WOOD,
PETER BOWE,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Twelfth avenue to the bulkhead-line, Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 29th day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets; easterly by the westerly line of Twelfth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets; and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twelfth day of April, 1893, 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, February 14, 1893.
JOHN E. WARD, Chairman,
J. P. SOLOMON,
HENRY WINTHROP GRAY,
Commissioners.
CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3d day of February, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Twenty-first street, as shown and delineated on a certain map of the City of New York, made by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York April 1, 1891, and as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York on March 7, 1888, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 them 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 11, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Saturday the 18th day of March, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 11, 1893.
MICHAEL J. LANGAN,
JOSEPH C. WOLFF,
HENRY HUGHES,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in the said city, on or before the 23d day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 23d day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2.30 o'clock, P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 22d day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets; easterly by the westerly line of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of April, 1893, 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, February 9, 1893.
MAX MOSES, Chairman,
BRYAN L. KENNELLY,
JOHN L. NASH,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, 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 FORT INDEPENDENCE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from its junction with Boston avenue to Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in the said city, on or before the 23d day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 23d day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 22d day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the prolongation westerly from Broadway for a distance of 100 feet of the centre line of the blocks, between Fort Independence street and Van Cortlandt avenue, and by the centre line of said blocks from Broadway to Bailey avenue; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Fort Independence street, from Bailey avenue to Oloff street, the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Giles place and Fort Independence street, from Oloff street to Boston avenue, an irregular broken line commencing at a point in the easterly line of Boston avenue, opposite Fort Independence street, and running thence in a southerly direction, and between Sedgwick avenue and Boston avenue for a distance of about 300 feet and the easterly line of Boston avenue; southerly by a line commencing at a point in the easterly line of Boston avenue, distant about 240 feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Fort Independence street with the westerly line of Boston avenue; and running thence easterly for a distance of about 100 feet, the centre line of the block between Heath avenue, Boston avenue and Fort Independence street and its prolongation westerly from Heath avenue, for a distance of 84.5 feet and the centre line of the blocks between Fort Independence street and a certain unnamed street, from Albany road to Broadway, and the prolongation of said centre line easterly from Albany road to the centre line of the block between Albany road and Fort Independence street, and westerly from Broadway for a distance of 100 feet; and westerly by the centre line of the block between Heath avenue, Bailey avenue and Fort Independence street, the centre line of the block between Bailey avenue, Albany road and Fort Independence street and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of April, 1893, 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, February 9, 1893.
LEICESTER HOLME, Chairman,
HENRY STEINERT,
JAMES F. C. BLACKHURST,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from River avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of February, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made under authority of chapter 84 of the Laws of 1868, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester on the 23d day of February, 1871, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (February 4, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, 1893, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, February 4, 1893.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
THEODORE E. SMITH,
JAMES MITCHELL,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in the said city, on or before the 17th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 17th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 16th day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Burnside avenue to Third avenue, and the prolongation of said centre line easterly from Third avenue to Lafontaine avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and Tremont avenue, from Lafontaine avenue to Webster avenue and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Webster avenue and Burnside avenue; and westerly by the easterly line of Burnside avenue and the easterly line of Webster avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 504 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers street, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 3rd day of March, 1893, 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, February 3, 1893.
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
EMANUEL M. FRIED,
Commissioners.
MATTHEW P. RYAN, 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, for the use of the public, to the lands required for the opening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Bristow street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of April, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as East One Hundred and Seventieth street, as shown, laid out and established on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement and filed on or about the 9th day of December, 1890, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (January 30, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Monday, the sixth day of March, 1893, at three and one-half o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, January 30, 1893.

JOHN E. WARD,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
J. P. SOLOMON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES V. GABRIEL, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 29th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 4 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 28th day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second street and One Hundred and Forty-third street; easterly by the westerly line of Convent avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of April, 1893, 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, February 14, 1893.

LEWIS H. ARNOLD, Jr., Chairman,
WILLIAM B. ANDERSON,
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,
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 WELCH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 14th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 13th day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between Welch street and Kingsbridge road, the centre line of the block between Welch street and Pelham avenue; the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and Pelham avenue, and the prolongation westwardly of said last-mentioned line from Third avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Washington avenue and Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, and the centre line of the block between Welch street and East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, and the prolongation westwardly from Vanderbilt avenue, East, of the centre line of the block between Welch street and East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, to the centre line of the block between Webster avenue and Bainbridge avenue, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Webster avenue and Bainbridge avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions

of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874 and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 30, 1893.

MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES F. WILDEY,
JOHN COTTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Columbus (formerly Ninth avenue and Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 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, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 212, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, 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 21st day of February, 1893, 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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1893, 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, February 9, 1893.

MATTHEW CHALMERS,
WILLIAM MCKEAN,
PETER HAULENBEEK,
Commissioners.

THOMAS J. O'ROURKE, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, Room 4, in said city, on or before the 10th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 10th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 9th day of March, 1893.

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

Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; easterly by the westerly line of Convent avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 28, 1893.

CHAUNCEY S. TRUAX, Chairman,
APPLETON L. CLARK,
HENRY G. CASSIDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to the lands required for the opening and extension of PELHAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), westerly to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and

having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 14th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 13th day of March, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Kingsbridge road and Brookline street, the centre line of the block between Pelham avenue as extended, Webster avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, West, and a line parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Pelham avenue; easterly by a line equi-distant from the Southern Boulevard and Third avenue, and extending northerly from the centre line of the block between Pelham avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to a point distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Pelham avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Pelham avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, the centre line of the blocks between Pelham avenue and Welch street, and the centre line of the blocks between Kingsbridge road and Welch street and westerly by a line parallel with, and distant about 87 feet westerly from the westerly line of Bainbridge avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 30, 1893.

MICHAEL J. LANGAN, Chairman,
CHARLES F. WILDEY,
JOHN COTTER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEETH STREET, between Broadway and the bulkhead line, Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 8th day of March, 1892, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss, if any, over and above the benefit and advantage, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, over and above the loss and damage, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening a certain street herein designated as One Hundred and Fiftieth street, as shown and delineated on a certain map made by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, by and under authority of chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867, and filed in the office of the Street Commissioner of the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1868, and more particularly set forth in the aforesaid order of appointment and the petition of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement filed therein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street, 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 affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at their office, No. 51 Chambers street, in the City of New York, Room No. 3, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within thirty days after the date of this notice (January 23, 1893).

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on Wednesday, the 1st day of March, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, January 23, 1893.

MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
MATTHEW CHALMERS,
BENJAMIN PATTERSON,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 6th day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 6th day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 4th day of March, 1893.

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 23, 1893.

BENJAMIN PATTERSON, Chairman,
SAMUEL W. MILBANK,
H. W. GRAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 1st day of March, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 1st day of March, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 28th day of February, 1893.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third street and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street; easterly by the westerly line of Convent avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; and westerly by the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; excepting from said area all the 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 the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 20, 1893.

ARTHUR INGRAHAM, Chairman,
THEODORE WESTON,
MICHAEL J. MULQUEEN,
Commissioners.

MATTHEW P. RYAN, 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, to acquire title to certain lands required for a public park, at or near CORLEARS HOOK, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway, (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 15th day of February, 1893, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 15th day of February, 1893, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage maps, showing the land to which title is sought to be acquired, with the improvements thereon, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the city of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 16th day of February, 1893.

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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1893, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 30, 1892.

MEYER THALMESSINGER, Chairman,
HENRY CAMPBELL,
DAVID MCCLURE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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