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HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. NEW YORK, July 21, 1896.

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

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

J. Rudolph, \$10; Keuffel & Esser, \$34.73; J. Wack, \$8.25; Crescent Manufacturing Company, \$8.10; Gustav E. Stechert, 30 cents; Consolidated Ice Company, \$34.50; William Young, \$4.35; DeGrauw & Aymar, \$4.96; Carter & Collins, \$43; William P. Youngs & Co., \$6.75; L. C. Tufts, \$3; Boughton & Terwilliger, \$168; T. C. Dunham, \$34.63; Hammacher & Schlemmer, \$2.27; John Keynders, \$5.25; Standard Oil Company, \$6.37; J. Fleischhauer, \$138; Nason Manufacturing Company, \$6.12; McNab & Harlin, \$1.24; J. W. Crow, \$6.75; J. N. Brown, \$129.96; Baker, Smith & Co., \$316; Osborne & Burke, \$2.50; A. McGerald, \$758.65; Ernst Leitz, \$1; Dennison Manufacturing Company, \$9; Blake & Williams, \$28.50; J. T. Dougherty, \$18.50; Whittall, Tatum & Co., \$19.88; Hygiea Water Company, \$7.50; Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, \$199.59; Bloomingdale Brothers, \$97.82; Library Bureau, \$113.98.

The Attorney and Counsel presented the following Reports:

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

Orders received for prosecution, 357; attorneys' notices issued, 496; nuisances abated before suit, 210; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes, 50; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 70; suits discontinued—by Board, 54; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 10; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; judgments opened by the Court, 2; executions issued, 0; transcripts filed, 0; judgments for the People—criminal suits, 1; judgments for the defendant—criminal suits, 0; civil suits now pending, 328; criminal suits now pending, 96; money collected and paid to Cashier—civil suits, 0; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, 0.

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

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

David H. King, 3380; Thomas Folsom, 374; William Hoyt, 447; Kate Connolly, 449; David Rickey, 629; Frank Marina, 682; Otto Doefner, 688; Delli Alexandro Paoli, 699; Morris Gillert, 713; Vita Cimino, 719; United Electric-light Company, 721; David Porter, 737; Leo S. Bing, 789; Joseph Spear, 741; Frederick Garrison, 757; Nicholas Disesa, 769; Nicholas Muller, 776; John Karsch, 782; Annabala Boffa, 785; Charles H. Graham, 786; Mary Cohen, 790; Joseph Adrian, 791; Mary Folk, 792; William S. Bacharach, 793; Frederick Garrison, 798; Patrick Tracey, 808; Daniel Ahearn, 813; Fanny Keyser, 815; George B. Brown, 816; George W. Bates, 821; Theodore Jost, 831; John Davosky, 833; Sabino Rumolo, 834; Pasquale Vendararo, 836; James Koch, 838; Hosea Levine, 841; Mendel Schreiber, 842; George R. Reid, 845; Louis Schoner, 849; Mary Bullowa, 851; Charles D. Babcock, 854; Charles O. Korth, 855; Isadore Porcher, 862; John Hankenson, 863; Isadore Porcher, 864; Isadore Porcher, 865; William C. Flanagan, 878; Joseph Pasco, 883; Louis Herzog, 892; William Ritterbush, 893; Ann Winters, 896; Frederick Rusler, 897; Louis R. Ungrich, 903; Frank Demorest, 908; Nabin Vitalen, 924; George Kenny, 925; Louis Boch, 932; Joseph Pasco, 946; Joseph Capello, 952.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly report of Sanitary Superintendent; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists; ordered on file. 8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors; ordered on file. 9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades; ordered on file. 10th. Monthly report of Charitable Institutions; ordered on file.

The following Reports were Received from the Sanitary Committee:

1st. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); ordered on file. 5th. Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

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

Riverside—James P. Carr, Fireman, salary, \$360, resigned July 14, 1896.

Report in respect to the seizures of cow beef affected with tuberculosis. Ordered on file.

Reports transmitting lists of milk dealers who have failed to apply for permits after being notified. Referred to the Attorney and Counsel to prosecute.

A notice from Floyd Quick that premises No. 69 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street will be disconnected from premises No. 67 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street in thirty days, was received and ordered on file.

Report relating to complaints of nuisances caused by the Standard Gas Company. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to premises Nos. 3, 5 and 7 Bowery (lodging-houses). Referred to the Attorney and Counsel.

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

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

Vacations.

Order No. 29516, No. 363 East Seventy-sixth street; Order No. 17001, No. 316 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street; Order No. 27002, No. 76 West Houston street; Order No. 2226, No. 2418 Third avenue; Order No. 1620, north side of Ninety-eighth street, beginning about one hundred and fifty feet west of Madison avenue, and extending fifty feet; Order No. 1615, No. 18 East Ninety-eighth street; Order No. 28114, No. 95 Washington street; Order No. 32235, No. 318 East Seventy-third street; Order No. 32189, No. 122 East One Hundred and Twentieth street; Order No. 31351, No. 240 East Ninetieth street; Order No. 25643, No. 322 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

Certificates in respect to vacations of premises at No. 195 Elizabeth street, No. 25 East Eleventh street, No. 68 West Thirty-fifth street, No. 1088 Park avenue, No. 155 East Ninety-seventh street, No. 1797 Third avenue, southwest corner One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West Vanderbilt avenue, No. 264 Stanton street, and No. 128 Perry street.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 195 Elizabeth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 195 Elizabeth street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 25 East Eleventh street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 25 East Eleventh street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 68 West Thirty-fifth street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises

that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 68 West Thirty-fifth street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 1088 Park avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 1088 Park avenue, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 155 East Ninety-seventh street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 155 East Ninety-seventh street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 1797 Third avenue has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 1797 Third avenue, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot southwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West Vanderbilt avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage and plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot southwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West Vanderbilt avenue, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof, and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 264 Stanton street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 264 Stanton street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 128 Perry street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 128 Perry street, be required to vacate said building on or before July 27, 1896, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

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

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits for the sale and delivery of milk in the City of New York be and the same are hereby granted:

Stores—28. No. 348 East Seventy-sixth street; 78. No. 729 Third avenue; 79. No. 44 Amsterdam avenue; 80. No. 662 Tenth avenue; 81. No. 522 Eighth avenue; 82. No. 21 Manhattan avenue; 83. No. 1945 Third avenue; 84. No. 1439 Third avenue; 85. No. 861 Third avenue; 86. No. 1033 Second avenue; 87. No. 200 Eighth avenue; 88. No. 328 Eighth avenue; 89. No. 265 Ninth avenue; 90. No. 401 Tenth avenue; 91. No. 84 Second avenue; 92. No. 720 1/2 Second avenue; 93. No. 610 Second avenue; 94. No. 410 Second avenue; 95. No. 321 Seventh avenue; 96. No. 515 Tenth avenue; 97. No. 774 Tenth avenue; 98. No. 624 Eighth avenue; 99. No. 86 Amsterdam avenue; 160. No. 67 Greenwich street; 179. No. 31 Orchard street; 237. No. 930 First avenue; 244. No. 493 Amsterdam avenue; 254. No. 502 East Eighty-eighth street; 289. No. 321 West Twenty-fifth street; 386. No. 103 Orchard street; 411. No. 363 First avenue; 481. No. 1752 Park avenue; 559. No. 216 Thompson street; 599. No. 843 Second avenue; 677. No. 206 Thompson street; 684. No. 454 Brook avenue; 712. No. 188 West Tenth street; 739. No. 155 Hudson street; 839. No. 2046 Second avenue; 853. No. 3601 Third avenue; 866. No. 228 East Seventy-fourth street; 991. No. 536 West Forty-ninth street; 1056. No. 665 Sixth avenue; 1103. No. 303 East Eighty-third street; 1228. No. 457 West Sixteenth street; 1246. Nos. 561 and 563 Columbus avenue; 1356. No. 76 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street; 1357. No. 262 Stanton street; 1420. No. 539 East Eighty-third street; 1446. No. 505 West Fifty-second street; 1466. No. 595 Grand street; 1480. No. 1295 Washington avenue; 1486. No. 2087 Second avenue; 1560. No. 81 Allen street; 1645. No. 2668 Eighth avenue; 1670. No. 124 Allen street; 1737. No. 243 East Third street; 1738. No. 2355 First avenue; 1787. No. 2171 Fifth avenue; 1821. No. 726 Ninth avenue; 1879. No. 1455 Avenue A; 1895. No. 335 East Seventy-fifth street; 1901. No. 226 Eldridge street; 1995. No. 402 East Eighty-eighth street; 2003. No. 6 Avenue B; 2028. No. 1166 Second avenue; 2051. No. 238 East Sixth street; 2082. No. 1358 Avenue A; 2089. No. 1823 Madison avenue; 2096. No. 1580 Avenue A; 2109. No. 1506 Second avenue; No. 2140. No. 166 Orchard street; 2177. No. 2068 Second avenue; 2211. No. 141 St. Ann's avenue; 2297. No. 527 First avenue; 2376. No. 159 East Fourth street; 2378. No. 162 Orchard street; 2404. No. 495 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; 2463. No. 1952 Second street; 2476. No. 316 East Eighth street; 2739. No. 297 East Third street; 2750. No. 356 East Eighty-ninth street; 2751. No. 211 East Fifty-first street; 2762. No. 2350 First avenue; 2774. No. 332 East Fifty-second street; 2778. No. 401 West Forty-fourth street; 2865. No. 466 Lenox avenue; 3054. No. 99 Henry street; 3065. No. 434 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street;

3075. No. 452 Third avenue; 3223. No. 511 Avenue A; 3244. No. 2409 Second avenue; 3398. No. 210 West Thirtieth street; 3405. No. 473 East Fifty-first street; 3408. No. 28 Jackson street; 3470. No. 26 Allen street; 3477. No. 229 East Ninety-fifth street; 3491. No. 403 East Twenty-ninth street; 3538. No. 1377 Avenue A; 3553. No. 532 Hudson street; 3569. No. 25 Amsterdam avenue; 3593. No. 1727 Second avenue; 3750. No. 349 East Thirty-first street; 3883. Nos. 11-13 King street; 3907. No. 105 Cannon street; 3974. No. 126 Macdougall street; 4078. No. 1993 Lexington avenue; 4127. No. 230 East Eighty-third street; 4159. 2259 Seventh avenue; 4224. No. 87 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street; 4311. No. 50 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street; 4404. No. 1039 Third avenue; 4405. No. 1340 Park avenue; 4417. No. 1815 Washington avenue; 4600. No. 1678 Avenue A; 4614. No. 205 Mott street; 4630. No. 1637 First avenue; 4751. No. 1831 Third avenue; 4834. No. 232 Willis avenue; 4841. No. 234 East Thirty-fifth street; 4965. No. 336 East One Hundred and Sixth street; 5111. No. 406 East Tenth street; 5121. No. 277 Bleecker street; 5352. No. 125 Elizabeth street; 5359. No. 138 Avenue D; 5870. No. 314 East Forty-sixth street; 75. No. 91 Essex street; 206. No. 182 Spring street; 484. No. 315 West One Hundred and Forty-second street; 1236. No. 573 Columbus avenue; 1819. No. 447 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; 3274. No. 240 Ninth avenue; 5381. No. 214 West Eighteenth street; 2749. No. 794 Seventh avenue; 1146. No. 408 West Forty-second street; 5571. No. 208 Delancey street; 3655. No. 1076 First avenue; 6173. No. 442 West Forty-first street; 6174. No. 3 St. Mark's place; 6175. No. 1143 Tinton avenue; 6176. No. 670 Eleventh avenue; 6177. Nos. 360-362 Canal street; 6178. Nos. 118 and 120 Fulton street; 6179. No. 376 Canal street; 6180. No. 82 Lewis street; 6181. No. 387 Canal street; 6182. No. 442 Wales avenue; 6183. No. 1084 First avenue; 6184. No. 11 Varick street; 6185. Melrose avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets; 6186. No. 675 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; 6187. No. 676 East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; 6188. Nos. 148 and 150 Sixth avenue; 6189. No. 643 East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; 6190. No. 902 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; 6191. No. 739 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; 6192. No. 2162 First avenue; 6193. West side Washington street, between Second and Third streets, West Chester; 6194. No. 116 Eldridge street; 6195. No. 1992 Second avenue; 6196. No. 306 West Thirty-seventh street; 6197. No. 751 East One Hundred and Forty-third street; 6198. No. 1625 Fox street; 6199. No. 436 East Eighty-sixth street; 6200. No. 74 East One Hundred and Sixth street; 6201. No. 23 Rivington street; 6202. No. 580 Amsterdam avenue; 6203. No. 223 West Sixty-sixth street; 6204. No. 92 Attorney street; 6205. No. 169 East Broadway; 6206. No. 63½ First street; 6207. No. 17 West One Hundredth street; 6208. No. 215 East Second street; 6209. No. 333 East One Hundred and Fourth street; 6210. No. 549 Brook avenue; 6211. No. 460 West Fifty-second street; 6212. No. 554 East Eighty-second street; 6213. No. 1506 Avenue A; 6214. No. 1315 Avenue A; 6215. No. 158 Ridge street; 6216. No. 557 West Fifty-second street; 6217. No. 400 West Forty-sixth street; 6218. No. 559 West Forty-second street; 6219. No. 68 East One Hundred and Sixth street; 6220. No. 928 Westchester avenue; 6221. No. 978 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; 6222. No. 67 Grand street; 6223. No. 508 West Thirty-ninth street; 6224. No. 1682 Avenue A; 6225. No. 583 Grand street; 6226. No. 1368 Fifth avenue; 6227. No. 432 West Thirty-eighth street; 6228. No. 2351 Second avenue; 6229. No. 454 Brook avenue; 6230. No. 214 East One Hundred and Second street; 6231. No. 215 East One Hundred and First street; 6232. No. 107 East One Hundred and Eighth street; 6233. No. 200 East Seventy-eighth street; 6234. Corner One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Mariner avenue; 6235. No. 68 Clinton street; 6236. No. 438 Tenth avenue; 6237. No. 543 West Twenty-eighth street; 6238. No. 983 Columbus avenue; 6239. No. 825 Amsterdam avenue; 6240. No. 592 Amsterdam avenue; 6241. No. 766 Columbus avenue; 6242. No. 1987 Second avenue; 6243. No. 1368 Vanderbilt avenue; 6244. No. 903 East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; 6245. Southeast corner One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Bathgate avenue; 6246. No. 1891 Washington avenue; 6247. No. 1394 Washington avenue; 6248. No. 21 Columbus avenue; 6249. No. 304 West Sixty-ninth street; 6250. No. 42 West Ninety-ninth street; 6251. No. 2051 Second avenue; 6252. No. 1620 Vanderbilt avenue; 6253. Potter place, Bedford Park; 6254. One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Vanderbilt avenue; 6255. No. 743 Tremont avenue; 6256. No. 714 East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; 6257. No. 320 East One Hundred and Fourth street; 6258. No. 318 East One Hundred and Fourth street; 6259. One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and Vanderbilt avenue; 6260. No. 1472 Hoe street; 6261. No. 33 Stanton street; 6262. No. 506 Second avenue; 6263. No. 1143 Second avenue; 6264. No. 650 Second avenue; 6265. No. 857 Second avenue; 6266. No. 2241 Second avenue; 6267. No. 2047 Second avenue; 6268. No. 641 Second avenue; 6269. No. 684 East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; 6270. No. 326 East Fifty-sixth street; 6271. No. 2795 Third avenue; 6272. No. 1582 First avenue; 6273. No. 343 East Eightieth street; 6274. No. 137 West One Hundredth street; 6275. No. 310 East Eightieth street; 6276. No. 17 Manhattan street; No. 6277. No. 2128 Second avenue; 6278. No. 325 West Sixty-ninth street.

Wagons—Permits Nos. 199-201, inclusive, No. 348 East Seventy-sixth street; Permits Nos. 306, 307, inclusive, No. 91 Essex street; Permits Nos. 456-458, inclusive, No. 522 Eighth avenue; Permit No. 691, No. 182 Spring street; Permit No. 803, No. 1319 Second avenue; Permit No. 805, Nos. 426-428 East Fourteenth street; Permit No. 838, No. 33 East One Hundred and Thirty-third street; Permit No. 895, No. 315 West One Hundred and Forty-second street; Permit No. 966, No. 457 Columbus avenue; Permit No. 985, No. 573 Columbus avenue; Permit No. 1013, No. 1313 Vanderbilt avenue; Permit No. 1016, No. 33 Perry street; Permit No. 1022, One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Railroad and Morris avenues; Permit No. 1088, No. 442 West Forty-seventh street; Permit No. 1164, No. 307 Tenth avenue; Permit No. 1267, Gray's stable, No. 126 West Third street; Permit No. 1496, No. 137 Charlton street; Permit No. 1497, No. 414 East Eightieth street; Permits Nos. 1498-1499, inclusive, No. 354 College avenue; Permit No. 1500, No. 341 East Forty-seventh street; Permit No. 1501, No. 325 East Fifty-third street.

Reports on Applications for Permits.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:
No. 8984, to keep 100 chickens at Cambreling avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and Pelham avenue; No. 8985, to board and care for 1 child at No. 333 Tenth avenue; No. 8986, to board and care for 1 child at No. 522 West Forty-fourth street; No. 8987, to board and care for 2 children at No. 145 West Sixtieth street; No. 8988, to occupy the cellar apartment at No. 32 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street as a place of living and sleeping; No. 8989, to keep 12 chickens at No. 17 Rogers place; No. 127, to keep a lodging-house for 180 lodgers at No. 128 Park Row.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows:
No. 286, to keep, sell and deliver milk at No. 219 East Fifty-first street; No. 287, to keep 8 chickens at No. 1281 Bristow street; No. 288, to keep 4 chickens at No. 16 Livingstone place; No. 289, to keep 1 goat at No. 29 Little West Twelfth street.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:
No. 8366, to keep chickens at southeast corner of Orchard street and Ogden avenue; No. 1416, to sell and deliver milk at No. 606 East One Hundred and Forty-second street; No. 4301, to sell milk at No. 77 East One Hundred and Fifth street; No. 5148, to sell milk at No. 1370 Third avenue; No. 6103, to sell milk at No. 105 Cannon street; No. 6112, to sell milk at No. 502 West Thirty-fourth street; No. 6170, to sell milk at No. 462 Fourth avenue; No. 8935, to keep 6 chickens at 966 Trinity avenue.

Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

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

Order No. 30417, No. 443 Tenth avenue, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 31577, No. 185 Norfolk street, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 34478, No. 155 Duane street, extended to August 7, 1896; Orders Nos. 34564 and 34565, Nos. 105 and 107 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 34582, No. 1343 Bristow street, extended to August 7, 1896; Order No. 34972, No. 17 Rogers place, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 35016, No. 56 Front street, extended to August 15, 1896, on portion of order relating to whitewashing; Order No. 35471, No. 223 West Eighteenth street, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 24538, No. 22 Hubert street, modified so as not to require new water-closets, provided the present pan water-closets be put in proper repair by burning out and retarring the iron containers, replacing broken bowls by new ones and new pans provided in each instance, and that said water-closets be properly flushed at all times; Order No. 27275, Intervale avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, modified so as not to require the provision of water-closets, providing the privy-vault be cleaned, emptied and disinfected; Order No. 30672, No. 313 East One Hundred and Third street, modified so as not to require the entire yard to be flagged, providing the present flagging adjoining the house be properly repaired and the yard graded to a properly trapped sewer connected drain; Order No. 32933, No. 163 West Twenty-sixth street, modified so as not to require the repapering of parlor and bedroom; Order No. 33941, No. 67 Thompson street, modified so as not to require the pit under yard water-closets to be cemented, nor the grading and draining of areas; Order No. 34629, No. 12 Grove Hill place, modified so as not to require the main waste-pipe to be extended above the roof; Order No. 35329, Nos. 301 and 303 Avenue A, modified so as not to require the yard to be flagged, provided the present pavement be so graded as to discharge all surface water into the yard drain, and an extension was granted to August 1, 1896; Order No. 35388, No. 260 West Fifteenth street, modified so as not to require the walls of halls to be cleaned and whitewashed, and the rest of the order to be complied with at once; Order No. 9516, No. 104 East Sixteenth street, extended to September 1, 1896; Order No. 27278, No. 278 Grand street, extended to August 15, 1896; Order No. 29979, No. 56 Henry street, extended to August 15, 1896; Order No. 34625, No. 18 East Twenty-second street, extended to August 1, 1896; Order No. 34826, No. 526 East Twelfth street, extended to August 10, 1896; Order No. 29832, No. 238 East Forty-second street, modified so as not to require whitewashing, provided the walls and ceilings be cleaned; Orders Nos. 31916 and 31917, Nos. 765 and 767 Tremont avenue, modified so as not to require the premises to be sewer connected; Order No. 35291, No. 824 Third avenue, modified so

as not to require the walls and ceilings to be whitewashed, provided the same be cleaned; Order No. 34690, No. 203 East Thirteenth street, extended to August 3, 1896, the modification was denied; Order No. 33565, No. 876 Sixth avenue, modified so as not to require a special vent-shaft for water-closet apartments, provided the doors of said apartments be cut away at least three inches at top and bottom.

Order No. 16954, No. 239 West Sixtieth street, rescinded; Order No. 22252, No. 535 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, rescinded; Order No. 25660, No. 4185 Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 25960, West One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Amsterdam avenue, rescinded; Order No. 26387, No. 487 Ninth avenue, rescinded; Order No. 26985, No. 20 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, rescinded; Order No. 27859, No. 482 Lenox avenue, rescinded; Order No. 30241, No. 219 West Sixty-third street, rescinded; Order No. 30924, No. 1333 Bristow street, rescinded; Order No. 30934, No. 241 East One Hundred and Eighth street, rescinded; Order No. 31694, No. 400 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, rescinded; Order No. 32877, No. 1067-9 Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 34199, No. 324 East Fifty-fifth street, rescinded; Order No. 34225, No. 2509, Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 34310, northwest corner One Hundred and second street and Central Park, West, rescinded; Order No. 34316, No. 345 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 34536, One Hundred and Forty-second street and Boulevard, rescinded; 34938, No. 502 Sixth avenue, rescinded; Order No. 27582, No. 489 Greenwich street, rescinded; Order No. 27904, No. 228 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, rescinded; Order No. 29647, No. 507 Washington street, rescinded; Order No. 34808, No. 2½ Albany street, rescinded; Order No. 31272, No. 460 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, rescinded; Order No. 35557, No. 526 West Forty-seventh street, rescinded.

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

Order No. 29422, No. 1575 Madison avenue; Order Nos. 30022, 30024 and 30025, Nos. 1, 3 and 4 Lane avenue, Springhurst; Order No. 32228, No. 761 Columbus avenue; Order No. 32309, Nos. 57 and 59 Vandam street; Order No. 34111, No. 432 East Eighty-second street; Order No. 34701, No. 74 West Forty-fifth street; Order No. 34764, No. 13 Chrystie street; Order No. 35057, No. 53 Broome street; Order No. 35213, No. 114 Centre street; Order No. 35248, No. 331 East One Hundred and Ninth street; Order No. 35318, No. 1013 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; Order No. 31610, No. 336 East Twenty-fifth street; Orders Nos. 34895, 34896 and 34897, south side Potter place, 3d, 4th and 5th houses north of Bainbridge avenue; Order No. 35303, northeast corner One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Amsterdam avenue; Order No. 35554, No. 925 Third avenue; Order No. 14217, No. 155 East One Hundred and Tenth street.

The following communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases:
1st. Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases; ordered on file.
2d. Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian; ordered on file.
3d. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:
Sanitary Inspector Woodend, from July 18 to 25, on account of military duty; Medical Inspector M. Morris, from July 18 to 21, on account of death in family; Medical Inspector Livermore, from July 20 to August 3, on account of ill health.

Report on condition of inmates of Deborah Nursery. The Board directed that a copy be forwarded to Dr. Derby, Ophthalmologist of the Board.

The following communications were received from the Register of Records:

1st. Weekly letters; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly abstract of births; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly abstract of still-births; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly abstract of marriages; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious disease; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly mortuary statement; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by clerks; ordered on file. 8th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the delayed birth and marriage certificates named in his report dated July 21, 1896.

Submitting delayed birth certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following birth certificates:

Katie Moscow, October 22, 1888; Paul Moscow, July 17, 1890; Max Moscow, September 10, 1892.

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

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

Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is granted as follows:
Medical Inspector Koester, from July 8 to 14, on account of sickness.

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

A communication from the Department of Public Parks in respect to drainage, water-ways and sanitary condition of Central Park was received and referred to Chief Inspector Martin.

Owners of No. 32 Cherry street, Nos. 350, 352 and 354 West Broadway, No. 103 Greenwich street, No. 121 Baxter street, and No. 38 Sheriff street, were heard, by their attorneys, in respect to orders to vacate rear buildings on said premises as human habitations, and the applications for the suspension of said orders were denied.

Applications of A. L. M. Bullowa in respect to order to vacate No. 89 Thompson street, rear, and of William H. Schneider in respect to order to vacate No. 88 Sheriff street, rear, and of Henry W. Schroeder in respect to order to vacate No. 121 Baxter street, rear, as human habitations, were received, and, on motion, were denied and ordered on file.

An eligible list for the appointment of a Junior Clerk was received from the Civil Service Boards.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Harry G. Doran be and is hereby appointed a Junior Clerk in this Department, on probation and subject to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of four hundred and eighty dollars per annum.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, For the purpose of complying with the objects of chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, and section 3360 of the Code of Civil Procedure, by instituting condemnation proceedings against the owners of rear buildings known as Nos. 308, 310, 312 and 314 Mott street, No. 21 West street, Nos. 246, 248, 250, 252 and 254 Mott street, and Nos. 36 and 36½ Baxter street, in the City of New York, it is essential that this Board should submit an offer to the owner or owners of said buildings for the purchase of the same.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase said rear buildings for a fair and reasonable sum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of July be and are hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign certificates and forward the same to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of July the following amount for the salaries of officers and patrolmen detailed to the Board of Health, pursuant to the provisions of section 5, chapter 309, Laws of 1880, and section 296, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 84, Laws of 1887, and chapter 188, Laws of 1889, and chapter 567, Laws of 1895, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit: Two Roundsmen, from July 1 to July 31, two hundred and fifty dollars; forty-seven Patrolmen, from July 1 to July 31, five thousand four hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents—Total, five thousand seven hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents.

Ayes—The President, Commissioners Fowler, Doty, and Roosevelt.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-fifth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 17 Sullivan street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or buildings is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said buildings prevent ventilation buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that

ness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-fifth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 156 Greenwich street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-seventh day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 19 West street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-ninth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 109 Thompson street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-ninth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 105 Thompson street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-fifth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further

amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or buildings situated and known as Nos. 68, 70, 72 and 74 Thompson street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or buildings is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said buildings or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said buildings prevent ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said buildings and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said buildings or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said buildings or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said buildings or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said buildings or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said buildings.

On motion of the President, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the twenty-fifth day of June, 1896, the Sanitary Superintendent of this Department, pursuant to section 659 of the New York Consolidation Act (being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882), as amended by section 9, chapter 84 of the Laws of 1887, and as further amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, did certify that the premises or building situated and known as No. 58 Thompson street (rear), in the City of New York, were unfit for human habitation and not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation, by reason of want of proper ventilation and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the occupancy of said premises or building is dangerous to life and detrimental to health; and

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of July, 1896, an order was duly made and issued by this Board as is required by law, requiring all persons residing at said building or premises to vacate the same for the reasons as aforesaid; and

Whereas, This Board is of opinion and does hereby declare that by reason of want of proper ventilation, age, defects in drainage and plumbing, and because said building prevents ventilation of buildings adjacent thereto, and because of the existence of a nuisance on said premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants and among the occupants of adjacent buildings, that said building and premises are not fit for human habitation, and make or conduce to make other buildings adjacent thereto unfit for human habitation, and that said building or premises are not reasonably capable of being made fit for human habitation and occupancy, and are dangerous to life or injurious to health, and that the evils in or caused by said building or premises cannot be remedied by repairs or in any other way except by destruction; therefore, be it

Resolved, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567, Laws of 1895, that the said building or premises be and the same hereby are condemned, and the owner or owners of said building or premises are hereby required to forthwith remove the same.

Further Resolved, That the owner or owners thereof be and are hereby required to forthwith certify to this Board his or their assent or refusal to the removal of the said building.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, July 18, 1896.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending July 11, 1896:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.—For Croton water rents, \$144,742.55; for penalties, water rents, \$135.30; for tapping Croton pipes, \$245.50; for sewer permits, \$380.44; for restoring and repaving—Special Fund, \$1,035.25; for redemption of obstructions seized, \$28.50; for vault permits, \$2,272.75; for shed permits, \$25—total, \$148,865.29.

Public Lamps.—9 new lamps erected and lighted, 1 old lamp relighted, 3 old lamps discontinued, 21 lamp-posts removed, 20 lamp-posts reset, 10 lamp-posts straightened, 10 columns relaced, 2 columns refitted, 2 service pipes refitted, 1 stand pipe refitted.

Permits Issued.—67 permits to tap Croton pipes, 40 permits to open streets, 18 permits to make sewer connections, 29 permits to repair sewer connections, 181 permits to place building material on streets, 26 permits, special, 9 permits to construct street vaults, 27 permits for building purposes, 5 permits to construct sheds over sidewalks.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.—268 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 34,570 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 6,300 lineal feet of sewer examined, 2 manhole-heads reset, 3 basin heads reset, 1 new manhole head and cover put on, 8 new manhole covers put on, 2 new basin grates put in, 2 new basin covers put on, 136 cubic feet of brickwork built, 10 square yards of pavement relaid, 29 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 9 carloads of dirt removed.

Obstructions Removed.—16 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Repairs to Pavement.—4,450 square yards of pavement repaired.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending July 11, 1896.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	46	138	9	12
Laying Croton Pipes
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	34	107	4	19
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	1	16	3	..
Supplying Water to Shipping	6
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers	18	32	..	9
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements	144	169	3	58
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	20	50	2	4
Roads, Streets and Avenues	8	12	2	2
Total	277	530	23	104

Requisitions on the Comptroller.—The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$145,644.18.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Operations for the week ending August 8, 1896:

Plans filed for new buildings, 43; estimated cost, \$562,000; plans filed for alterations, 57; estimated cost, \$106,345; buildings reported for additional means of escape, 24; other violations of law reported, 33; buildings reported as unsafe, 49; violation notices issued, 58; fire-escape notices issued, 50; unsafe buildings notices issued, 119; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 92; complaints lodged with the Department, 26; iron beams, columns, girders, etc., tested, 3,695.

STEVENS CONSTABLE, Superintendent of Buildings.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Mayor's Marshal's Office—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
No money received after 2 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
No money received after 2 P. M.
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.
Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.
Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Governor's Room—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.
Coroner's Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.
Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10:30 A. M.
Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.
City Court—City Hall, General Term, Room No. 20, Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M.
District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates' Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"TRIBUNE" AND "TIMES."
AFTERNOON—"Mail and Express" and "Commercial Advertiser." Weekly—"Frank Leslie's Weekly" and "Harper's Weekly." German—"Staats Zeitung."
 JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 701 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.
 Dated New York, October 30, 1895.
 DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.
 LAMONT MCGOUGHIN, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
 Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: 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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, August 19, 1896, for making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 1, 2, 3, 12, 20, 41, 44, 54, 93, 97 and Annex, 98, 100 and 101, and Primary School Buildings Nos. 36 and 48; also for Altering and Fitting the premises Nos. 71 and 73 Pitt street and Annex to Grammar School No. 4. Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. The 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 subcontractors, and no change will be permitted to be made in the subcontractors named without the consent of the Committee and Superintendent of School Buildings.
 It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposits made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited and retained by this Board not as a penalty but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

JOSEPH J. LITTLE, Chairman.
 ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.
 Dated New York, August 8, 1896.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
 TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1896, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York, under the direction of N. H. Voris, Auctioneer, will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, at Katonah, Westchester County, New York, the following:

Two-story frame building, about 80 x 45 feet, known as "The Katonah Silk Mill," to the stone foundation, said building having an addition of 12½ x 20 feet for an engine-room, and coal shed about 10 x 13 feet, together with contents, viz.: Steam-engine and boiler, about 110 feet of shafting and about 300 feet of 3-inch steam-pipe.
 The above-described property is Parcel No. 93 of Map described as "Exhibit No. 6 of 1895" (new Parcel No. 288).

TERMS OF SALE:
 The consideration that the Aqueduct Commissioners shall receive for the foregoing will be:
 First—The lowest price that will be accepted for said buildings and contents is \$450.
 Second—The removal of the buildings and contents within two months from the date of sale.
 Third—The sum paid in money on the day of sale.
 By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of the City of New York.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.
 EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.
NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS HAS established a branch office at junction of Third and Courtlandt avenues, where all plans for the erection or alteration of buildings above the Harlem river may be submitted and filed.
 STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING each of the following-mentioned fire apparatus will be received by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 10, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:

ONE FIRST SIZE STEAM FIRE-ENGINE, WITH AN M. R. CLAPP BOILER.
 ONE FIRST SIZE STEAM FIRE-ENGINE, WITH LA FRANCE BOILER.

Separate bids must be made for each kind of apparatus.
 For each of the Steam Fire-engines above mentioned the amount of security required is \$2,000 and the time for delivery 90 days.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at fifteen (15) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, to the amount of five (5) per centum of the amount of the security required. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING articles below enumerated to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 19, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:

235 CHESTNUT TELEGRAPH POLES, ASSORTED SIZES.

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

For information as to the description of the articles to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The articles are to be delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of six hundred (600) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING articles below enumerated to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, August 19, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read:

850 COLORED MARSEILLES QUILTS, HEMMED TO MEASURE 60 x 84 INCHES, AND OF THE STYLE AND QUALITY AS PER SAMPLE TO BE SEEN AT THESE HEADQUARTERS.

425 PAIRS 10-4 ALL-WOOL SCARLET BLANKETS, OF STYLE, QUALITY AND WEIGHT AS PER SAMPLE TO BE SEEN AT HEADQUARTERS.

1,700 BED SHEETS, 54 x 90 INCHES, INCLUDING HEMS, AND TO BE OF NEW YORK OR UTICA MILLS BLEACHED SHEETING.

850 PILLOW-CASES, 45 x 36 INCHES, INCLUDING HEMS, AND TO BE OF NEW YORK OR UTICA MILLS BLEACHED SHEETING.

Bidders may bid for either one or more, or all of the items in one proposal, but must state the price of each item separately.

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

For information as to the description of the articles to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

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

The articles are to be delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at the sum specified in the several forms of contracts.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sums specified in the several forms of contracts, which are as follows:

For the Quilts, \$600.
 For the Blankets, \$600.
 For the Sheets, \$275.
 For the Pillow Cases, \$50.

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, August 1, 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TEN Horses (registered numbers 238, 250, 263, 349, 389, 495, 496, 549, 699 and 717), will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, August 14, 1896, at 11 o'clock A. M., by John Steibling, auctioneer, at the Training Stables of the Fire Department, Nos. 133 and 135 West Ninety-ninth street.

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

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE PRIVILEGE of picking over the rubbish of the City, other than ashes, garbage and street sweepings gathered by the Department of Street Cleaning, or committed to the Department of Street Cleaning by the Department of Docks, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at the office of said Department, No. 32 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday, August 26, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and read.

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment by the contractors, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department. All bids must be made with reference to the above-mentioned form of agreement and its requirements, on file in the office of the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

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

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

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

A deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) must be paid over to the Comptroller by the bidder to whom the contract has been awarded, on or before the execution of the contract, as a guarantee for the faithful performance 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; 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.

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 hundred dollars (\$500). 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.

F. M. GIBSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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

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

STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

July 25, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office No. 262 Third Avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Friday, August 14, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WEBSTER AVENUE, from the northerly crosswalk of the Kingsbridge road to the southerly crosswalk of the Southern Boulevard.

The paving-bricks shall consist of the best quality of sound, hard-burned, vitrified machine-pressed shale or clay paving-brick, made and burned specially for street paving purposes, and shall stand all reasonable tests as to hardness, toughness, uniformity of shape and size and non-absorption of water required by the Chief Engineer of Construction, and to which paving material is usually subjected. All brick shall be rectangular and straight, with upper corners slightly rounded, if required, free from cracks or defects of any kind, of uniform size and texture, four to five inches deep, eight and one-half inches to nine and one-quarter inches long, and three inches to three and one-quarter inches wide. Not less than ten bricks of the kind proposed to be used shall be submitted by each bidder on or before the 8th day of August, 1896. No bid or proposal No. 1, for brick pavement will be considered unless the bidder can refer to a city street, or portion thereof, which has been paved with the brick proposed to be used and subjected to travel for a period of at least one year and which is now in good condition.

Bidders may submit more than one set of sample bricks from different works, to be laid at one and the

same price, but only one kind and size of brick will be allowed for the entire work.

The cost of the tests made upon all the samples submitted, not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars, shall be paid to the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards by the party to whom the contract may be awarded at the time of signing the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE charge for vault permits is fixed at the rate of \$2 per square foot, under and pursuant to ordinance of the Common Council relating thereto.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, July 30, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, August 12, 1896. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTEENTH AVENUE, from Twenty-third to Twenty-seventh street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth Avenue to Hudson river, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE OR SYENITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Boulevard Lafayette to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIRST AVENUE, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK AVENUE, WEST SIDE, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and First street.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF HAMILTON PLACE, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam Avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Amsterdam to Morningside Avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, from Amsterdam to Morningside Avenue.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE FUNDREDTH STREET, from Fourth to Fifth Avenue (except from Madison to Fourth Avenue).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from Boulevard to Amsterdam Avenue.

No. 11. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: SEVENTH STREET, from Third to Fourth Avenue; SIXTEENTH STREET, from Avenue C to East River.

No. 12. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: SEVENTY-

THIRD STREET, from West End Avenue to Riverside Drive; SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Boulevard to West End Avenue; WEST END AVENUE, from Sixty-ninth to Seventy-second street; WEST END AVENUE, from Seventy-second to Seventy-sixth street.

No. 13. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive; EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive; EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from West End Avenue to Riverside Drive; EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, from West End Avenue to Boulevard.

No. 14. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Central Park West, to Columbus Avenue; NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from Columbus to Amsterdam Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from Boulevard to Amsterdam Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET, from Boulevard to Central Park West.

No. 15. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Seventh to St. Nicholas Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Lenox to Mount Morris Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, from Lenox to Mount Morris Avenue.

No. 16. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas Avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth to Edgecombe Avenue.

No. 17. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: PLEASANT AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS, BUILDERS, FLAGGERS AND OTHERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 6, Article 7, section 105, Revised Ordinances of 1880, which reads: "All curbs-stones * * * shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curbs-stones provided by the City or not.

Further notice is given that this Department will in no case entertain claims or damages to concrete or other artificial sidewalks that are caused by repair or setting of hydrants, or by other work which the City does for the general good.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS WILL SELL at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, on the 21st day of August, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., by Woodrow & Lewis, Auctioneers, all the buildings and parts of buildings hereinafter described.

All the existing structures in the territory between the southerly side of Bet hune street and the centre line of the block between Bank and Bethune streets, extending from the westerly side of West street to the easterly side of Thirteenth Avenue, to the level of the existing curb, including the planking and paving of yards and areas (AS ONE LOT) approximately as follows:

No. 1. Four-story brick building, about 76 feet by 200 feet, together with the boilers, boiler foundations, engine room, etc., sprinkling apparatus, etc., steam heating

system, elevator and incidental shafting, etc., sawdust apparatus, benches, partitions in cellar, fences and gates, outside floor and trackway.

No. 2. Two-story brick building, about 18.7 by 54.3 feet.

No. 3. Two-story brick building, about 23.45 by 39 feet.

No. 4. Two-story brick and iron building, about 23.5 by 104.3 feet.

No. 5. Brick building, about 92.4 by 129 feet, by 44.6 feet, by 29.9 feet, by 44.7 feet, by 161 feet, together with shelving, hoods, and piping, shafting and crane.

No. 6. Two-story brick building, about 30.2 feet by 39.7 feet.

No. 7. One-story building, about 18 by 35.1 feet.

No. 8. Two-story brick building, about 25 by 45.1 feet.

No. 9. About 6,191 square feet of pavement to be removed.

No. 10. About 11,727 square feet of planking on yards and areas to be removed, including sills.

TERMS OF SALE:

Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase-money must be paid in cash at the time and place of sale, balance of the purchase-money to be paid to Woodrow & Lewis, at their office, No. 94 Pearl street, before 12 o'clock M., August 22, 1896; and the removal of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, planking, and all other material must be made by the purchaser or purchasers within forty days from the date of sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase-money or moneys, and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, planking, or any other material.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, August 6, 1896.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING AN AMBULANCE STATION AND VACCINE LABORATORY ON SEVENTEENTH STREET, COMMENCING ABOUT 355 FEET EAST OF AVENUE C, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals for estimates for building an Ambulance Station and Vaccine Laboratory on Seventeenth street, commencing about 355 feet east of Avenue C, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 12 o'clock P. M. on the 18th day of August, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for building an ambulance station and vaccine laboratory on Seventeenth street, commencing about 355 feet east of Avenue C, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$25,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation or the Health Department may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$3,637,756.84 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. GOLD BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED, BY AN ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE PASSED MARCH 14, 1889, TO INVEST IN THESE BONDS AND STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1896, at 11 o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Coupon or Registered Bonds and Stock of the City of New York, bearing interest at three and one-half per cent. per annum, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE.
\$400,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for constructing a bridge over the Harlem river at Third avenue	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 413, Laws of 1892; chapter 716, Laws of 1896, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 19, 1893, and May 27, 1896	Nov. 1, 1916	May 1 and Nov. 1
903,004 28	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as "School-house Bonds"	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 88, Laws of 1895, and being a portion of a series of bonds authorized by resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 5, May 19, June 2, June 25, June 30 and July 10, 1896	Nov. 1, 1914	"
95,115 33	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, Sanitary Improvement, School-house Bonds	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, chapter 432, Laws of 1893, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 9, June 25, and July 10, 1896	Nov. 1, 1915	"
150,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for new grounds and buildings for the College of the City of New York	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 168, Laws of 1895; chapter 608, Laws of 1896, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 23, 1895, and February 20 and May 19, 1896	Nov. 1, 1914	"
25,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for the payment of awards, costs, charges and expenses certified by the Change of Grade Damage Commission	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 337, Laws of 1893; chapter 567, Laws of 1894, and resolution, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 25, 1896	Nov. 1, 1910	"
45,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for the construction of the New East River Bridge	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 789, Laws of 1895, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 19 and June 30, 1896	Nov. 1, 1917	"
148,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for the Improvement of Public Parks, Parkways and Drives in the City of New York	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 194, Laws of 1896, and being a portion of the stock authorized by resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, May 27, June 9, June 30, July 2 and July 10, 1896	Nov. 1, 1917	"
100,000 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for repaving roads, streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 112, Laws of 1895, and resolution, Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 19, 1896	Nov. 1, 1917	"
25,994 92	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for acquiring land, etc., for a Public Park between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets and First avenue and the East river.	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 746, Laws of 1894; and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 9 and June 25, 1896	Nov. 1, 1917	"
20,518 88	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for acquiring land, etc., for a Public Park in the Twelfth Ward	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 56, Laws of 1894, and resolutions, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 9 and June 25, 1896	Nov. 1, 1917	"
7,304,723 43	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, for the payment of State Taxes for the support of the Insane. This stock is Exempt from Taxation, under the authority of chapter 3, Laws of 1896.	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 3, Laws of 1896, and resolution, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 2, 1896	Nov. 1, 1915	"
419,500 00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as Additional Water Stock of the City of New York. This stock is Exempt from Taxation by the City and County of New York, under the authority of a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted September 3, 1883.	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 490, Laws of 1883, and resolutions of the Aqueduct Commission, March 11 and April 22, 1896	Oct. 1, 1915	Apr. 1 and Oct. 1

The principal of and the interest on the above-described Bonds and Stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

CONDITIONS.

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

These persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance. In the event of failure to make such deposit, the Comptroller shall have the option of awarding said stock to the next highest bidder, or of readjusting said stock for sale, and the bidders thus failing to make such deposit shall be liable to the City of New York for the loss, if any, thus sustained.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 30, 1896.

The following items of the foregoing amounts of bonds are hereby reduced by withdrawal of bonds from sale, as follows:

\$1,304,723.43 Consolidated Stock for the Payment of State Taxes for the Support of the Insane reduced to \$1,200,000.

\$419,500 Additional Water Stock reduced to \$319,500.

WILLIAM J. LYON, Deputy Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 11, 1896.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, the 10th day of September, 1896, at noon, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, all the right, title and interest of the City of New York in and to a certain interior lot of land described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the low water mark of the Harlem river, as the same existed on the 20th of July, 1801, intersected a line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Thirtieth street and distant 24 feet 11 inches southerly therefrom, and running thence southeasterly and along said low water mark to the point of intersection of said mark with another line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Thirtieth street and distant 49 feet 11 inches southerly therefrom; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line until it intersects a line drawn parallel with Third avenue and distant 105 feet easterly therefrom; thence northerly along said last-mentioned line 25 feet to the said first-mentioned parallel line drawn 24 feet 11 inches southerly from One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and thence westerly along the same to the point or place of beginning, as shown on a map submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund June 30, 1896, signed "C. W. June 12th, '96."

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The highest bidder will be required to pay in cash at the time of the sale the whole of the purchase-money and the expenses of such sale and of the conveyance.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

The map of the property may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted June 30, 1896.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 30, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

NEW YORK, August 4, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M. Monday, August 17, 1896:

No. 1. FOR REPAIRING AND REPAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE WALKS WITHIN AND AROUND THE CITY PARKS, OTHER THAN CENTRAL PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR PAVING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALKS OF THE CENTRAL PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE SIDEWALKS OF TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 4, CROSSING THE CENTRAL PARK AT NINETEEN SEVENTH STREET, from Fifth Avenue to Central Park, West (Eight Avenue), in the City of New York.

The Engineer's estimates of the works to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, are as follows:

No. 1—ABOVE MENTIONED.
91,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base.

125,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, without concrete base.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be seventy-five consecutive working days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at Four Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 2—ABOVE MENTIONED.
90,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt, with concrete base.

150,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt, without concrete base.
The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be eighty consecutive working days. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at Four Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 3—ABOVE MENTIONED.
304,000 square feet of walk pavement of asphalt, with concrete base and rubble-stone foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty consecutive working days.
The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at Four Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

Bidders on numbers 2 and 3, above-mentioned, must deposit with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, at least two days before making a bid, samples of materials he intends to use, as follows:

1st. Specimens of mastic of rock asphalt, refined bitumen and grit.

2d. Specimens of asphaltum and of asphaltic cement.

3d. A statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface.

4th. Specimens of sand intended to be used.

5th. Specimens of pulverized carbonate of lime intended to be used, and such specimens must be furnished to the Department of Public Parks as often as may be required during the progress of the work.

6th. Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric and a product of the first quality and from the mines hereinafter designated.

No bid will be received or considered unless the deposits of materials referred to above are made with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks within the time prescribed, nor unless they conform to the requirements of the specifications.

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

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

Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, at their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of contracts which the successful bidder in each case will be required to execute, and information relative thereto, can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

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

DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW YORK, August 7, 1896.

PROPOSALS FOR IRON, LUMBER, ETC.

Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, August 22, 1896.

The articles, supplies, goods and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, on the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York.

- IRON AND TIN.
- 5 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 22, 24 x 84.
 - 5 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.
 - 10 bundles Common Sheet Iron, No. 22, 24 x 84.
 - 6 coils Iron Wire, No. 6.
 - 3 coils Iron Wire, No. 10.
 - 5 boxes Tin, "Melyn" Grade, 14 x 20, XXXX.
 - 5 boxes Tin, "Melyn" Grade, 14 x 20, XXX.
 - 20 boxes Tin, "Melyn" Grade, 14 x 20, XX.
 - 15 boxes Tin, "Melyn" Grade, 14 x 20, X.

- LUMBER.
- 40,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 1" x 12" to 13" x 12" to 16", dressed one side.
 - 30,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 5/8" x 12" to 15" x 12" to 16", dressed one side.
 - 10,000 feet Clear White Pine, 1 1/4" x 12" to 16" x 12" to 16", dressed one side.
 - 10,000 feet Clear White Pine, 2" x 12" to 16" x 12" to 16", dressed one side.
 - 400 pieces Clear Pine, 3/8" x 9 1/2" x 13", dressed one side, tongued and grooved and beaded.
 - 400 Wall Strips 2" x 3 1/4" x 13'.

- LEATHER.
- 4,000 pounds good damaged Sole Leather, 21 to 25 pounds to the side.
 - 1,600 pounds Offal Leather.
 - 5,000 feet Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet to the side.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. Each article must be bid on separately.

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

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except such as are designated in the specifications.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Iron, Lumber, 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, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, 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 will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, August 7, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO WINDOWS AT CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALD BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, August 20, 1896, until 10 o'clock A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Windows at City Hospital, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance 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 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 received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, August 7, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR RETINING, REPAIRS TO ROOFS, GUTTERS, LEADERS, DRAINS, ETC., TO SEVERAL BUILDINGS AT RANDALL'S ISLAND.

SEALD BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, August 20, 1896, until 10 o'clock A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Retining, Repairs to Roofs, Gutters, Leaders, Drains, etc., at Randall's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, August 7, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO ROOFS, GUTTERS, CORNICES, CUPOLAS, VENTILATORS, ETC., CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALD BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Thursday, August 20, 1896, until 10 o'clock A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Roofs, Gutters, Cornices, Cupolas, Ventilators, etc., City Hospital, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW YORK, July 31, 1896.

PROPOSALS FOR CLOTHING—SEALED BIDS

or estimates for furnishing clothing, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, August 13, 1896.

The articles, supplies, goods and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, on the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York, unless otherwise specified, and to be delivered as follows, viz.: One-fourth Winter goods to be delivered by October 1, balance as required during 1896. All other goods to be delivered in ten days after award.

The quality of the goods to conform in every respect to the samples exhibited, or, in absence of samples, to the specifications of the same, and which bidders are requested to examine with care before making their estimates.

Where brands are called for only such brands will be accepted.

CLOTHING, ETC.

For Summer.

1. 100 Men's Summer single-breasted Sack Suits, Italian lined, sizes 36 to 46, quality and color as per sample.
2. 160 Men's Undershirts.
3. 635 pairs Men's Suspenders.
4. 160 pairs Men's Drawers.
5. 160 Men's Outing Shirts.
6. 1,000 pairs Men's Socks.
7. 160 Women's Wrappers.
8. 160 Women's Vests.
9. 160 pairs Women's Drawers.
10. 630 Women's Chemises.
11. 160 Women's Skirts.
12. 1,000 pairs Women's Stockings.

For Winter.

13. 475 Men's Winter Beaver Overcoats, wool lining, sizes 36 to 46, quality as per sample.
14. 475 Men's Winter single-breasted Sack Suits, Italian lined, sizes 36 to 46, quality and color as per sample.
15. 475 Men's Undershirts.
16. 475 pairs Men's Drawers.
17. 475 Men's Heavy Outing Shirts.
18. 475 Women's Heavy Wrappers.
19. 475 Women's Vests.
20. 475 pairs Women's Drawers.
21. 475 Women's Skirts, flannel.
22. 475 Women's Hoods.
23. 475 Women's Shawls.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. Each article must be bid on separately.

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

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except such as are designated in the specifications.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Clothing, 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, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

fuse 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 him, or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, 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 will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, July 14, 1896.

EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:

August 17, 10 A. M. MEDICAL BATH ATTENDANT, DEPARTMENT CHARITIES. Applicants must be familiar with regulating the temperature of baths, to give "massage treatment," understand needle and shower baths, and regulate the appliances of the bath-room, etc.

August 17, 10 A. M. LABORATORY ATTENDANT, BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY, HEALTH DEPARTMENT. Applicants must have some knowledge of chemicals and chemical apparatus and preparation of microscopic slides.

Notice is hereby given that no applications shall be received excepting from residents of the State of New York.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, March 19, 1896.
NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION days in the Labor Bureau will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and that examinations will take place on those days at 2 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land for a public park, bounded by Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of the City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 OF THE LAWS OF 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of September, 1896, at the opening of the Court, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for a public park, bounded by Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of the City of New York, heretofore selected, located and laid out by the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, the same being particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Ninth avenue with the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street, and thence (1) running westerly along the southerly line of the said Twenty-eighth street for a distance of one hundred and seventy-five feet (175 feet) to the intersection of the same with the easterly boundary line of the premises occupied by Grammar School No. 33; thence (2) running southerly along the easterly boundary line of said premises for a distance of ninety-eight feet and nine inches (98 feet 9 inches) to the intersection of the same with the southerly boundary line of the said premises; thence (3) running westerly along the southerly boundary line of said premises for a distance of two hundred and twenty-five feet (225 feet) to the intersection of the same with the westerly boundary line of the said premises; thence (4) running northerly along the westerly boundary line of said premises for a distance of ninety-eight feet and nine inches (98 feet 9 inches) to the intersection of the same with the southerly line of Twenty-eighth street; thence (5) running westerly along the southerly line of the said Twenty-eighth street for a distance of four hundred feet (400 feet) to the intersection of the same with the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (6) running southerly along the easterly line of said Tenth avenue for a distance of one hundred and ninety-seven feet and six inches (197 feet 6 inches) to the intersection of the same with the northerly line of Twenty-seventh street; thence (7) running easterly along the northerly line of the said Twenty-seventh street for a distance of eight hundred feet (800 feet) to the intersection of the same with the westerly line of Ninth avenue; thence (8) running northerly along the westerly line of the said Ninth avenue for a distance of one hundred and ninety-seven feet and six inches (197 feet 6 inches), more or less, to the place or point of beginning, as shown and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan showing a public park in the Twentieth Ward of the City of New York, laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895," filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 1, 1896, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks on May 27, 1896. The said Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895, has determined that the proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring title to the land for said park to be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition and construction of such park, shall be thirty-three and one-third per cent. (33 1/3 per cent.), or one-third (1/3) the cost thereof. And said Board has also determined that the area within

which such part of said expense shall be so assessed shall be bounded as follows:

On the north by Thirty-fourth street; on the south by Twentieth street; on the east by Eighth avenue, and on the west by the Hudson river.

Dated New York, August 12, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 14th day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of September, 1896, 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 in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 13th day of September, 1896.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; on the east by the Bronx river; on the west by a line drawn parallel to the Southern Boulevard distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, August 4, 1896.
GEO. E. MOTT, Chairman; JULIUS WEIL,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to LORING PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hampden street to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Loring place, from Hampden street to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Hampden street (East One Hundred and Eighty-third street), distant 415.53 feet easterly from the intersection of the northern line of Hampden street with the eastern line of Sedgwick avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of Hampden street for 79.77 feet on the arc of a circle whose radius is 182.5 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly on a line forming an angle of 28 degrees 10 minutes 34 seconds to the east with the northern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its eastern extremity for 966.39 feet to the southern line of Fordham road.

3d. Thence westerly deflecting 118 degrees 53 minutes 10 seconds to the left and along the southern line of Fordham road for 68.50 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly for 984.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Loring place is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on section 16 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 18, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895.

Dated New York, August 10, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BAINBRIDGE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge road to Southern Boulevard, 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bainbridge avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street) distant 799.76 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Decatur avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street for 91.74 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 167 degrees 9 minutes to the left for 30.33 feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 84 degrees 34 minutes 28 seconds to the right for 200.17 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 8 degrees 31 minutes 8 seconds to the left for 1,411.49 feet.

5th. Thence southerly deflecting 15 degrees 7 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 1,156.58 feet.

6th. Thence easterly deflecting 88 degrees 47 minutes 4 seconds to the left for 60.01 feet.

7th. Thence northerly deflecting 91 degrees 12 minutes 56 seconds to the left for 1,149.89 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 15 degrees 7 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 1,399.06 feet.

9th. Thence northeasterly for 190 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street) distant 813.36 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street with the western line of Decatur avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street for 60.06 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 92 degrees 32 minutes 22 seconds to the right for 216.71 feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees 13 minutes 35 seconds to the right for 322 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 31 degrees 1 minute 5 seconds to the left for 379.60 feet to the southern line of East Two Hundredth street (Southern Boulevard).

5th. Thence easterly along the southern line of East Two Hundredth street for 61.12 feet.

6th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 79 degrees 1 minute 1 second to the right for 384.60 feet.

7th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 31 degrees 1 minute 5 seconds to the right for 334.33 feet.

8th. Thence southerly for 209.37 feet to the point of beginning.

Bainbridge avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 17 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 27, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 28, 1895.

Dated New York, August 10, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BATHGATE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street distant 169.50 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 53 minutes 46 seconds to the left for 499.45 feet to the northern line of Wendover avenue.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of Wendover avenue for 60.62 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 508.15 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street distant 222.29 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 58 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 480.40 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 480.35 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street distant 227.17 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 1 minute 20 seconds to the right for 501.07 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 501.12 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street distant 211.37 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 18 minutes 48 seconds to the left for 635.61 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 635.21 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street distant 209.07 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 89 degrees 41 minutes 12 seconds to the right for 881.32 feet to the southern line of Tremont avenue.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of Tremont avenue for 60.71 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 890.89 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "F."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street distant 195.43 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 50 minutes 48 seconds to the left for 412.80 feet to the northern line of Tremont avenue.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of Tremont avenue for 60.73 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 403.60 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "G."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street distant 193.42 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees 5 minutes 12 seconds to the right for 476.32 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street for 60 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 476.31 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "H."
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street distant 159.94 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street for 61.22 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 101 degrees 26 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 618.15 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street for 60 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 605.85 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "I."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street distant 177 feet westerly from the intersection of the western line of Third avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street.

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eightieth street for 61.22 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 78 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 256.24 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 4 degrees 17 minutes 35 seconds to the right for 50.46 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 7 degrees 46 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 1,156.46 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

5th. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 60 feet.

6th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,156.46 feet.

7th. Thence southerly deflecting 9 degrees 17 minutes 8 seconds to the left for 50.66 feet.

8th. Thence southerly for 255.56 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "J."
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street distant 238.57 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street with the western line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 60 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 450.66 feet to the western line of Third avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Third avenue for 74.96 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 405.73 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "K."
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third avenue distant 210.58 feet southerly from the angle point in the eastern line of Third avenue south of Washington avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 76.80 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 128 degrees 37 minutes 24 seconds to the left for 803.68 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 88 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 60.01 feet.

4th. Thence southeasterly for 756.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Bathgate avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 10, 13 and 14 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed respectively in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on June 10, 1895, October 31, 1895, and December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 14, 1895, November 2, 1895, and December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1895, November 2, 1895, and December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, August 10, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to DEPOT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), at Bedford Park, east of 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening

8th. Thence southerly along the western line of Moshulu Parkway for 230.37 feet.
9th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 66 degrees 33 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 361.45 feet.
10th. Thence northwesterly for 183.77 feet to the point of beginning.

Depot street is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on section 17 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 27, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 28, 1895.

Dated New York, August 10, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, on or before the 21st day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 21st day of September, 1896, 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 in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 22d day of September, 1896.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and distant northerly 100 feet from the northerly side thereof from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard, and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof, and thence by a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence by the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam Avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the easterly side of Twelfth avenue to a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard, and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof; thence by a line drawn parallel to the Boulevard and distant westerly 100 feet from the westerly side thereof to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, and on the west by the easterly side of Twelfth avenue; excepting from said area all 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 a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 28, 1896.
ANDREW S. HAMMERSLY, Chairman; BENNO LEWINSON, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MORRIS AVENUE, (although not yet named by proper authority), from the east side of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Morris Avenue, from the east side of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (as legally opened November 16, 1880) distant 482.92 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the western line of Park Avenue (legally opened as Railroad Avenue, West).

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 80 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 1,390.69 feet.

3d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 26 degrees 41 minutes 18 seconds to the right for 117.37 feet to the western line of Park Avenue (legally opened as Railroad Avenue, East).

4th. Thence northeasterly along the western line of said Park Avenue for 290.03 feet.

5th. Thence northerly for 1,246.60 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street distant 502.44 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the western line of Park Avenue (legally opened as Railroad Avenue, West).

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 80 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,035.37 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

3d. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street for 80.41 feet.

4th. Thence southerly for 1,027.30 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, distant 1,023.28 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of

East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street with the western line of Park Avenue (legally opened as Railroad Avenue, West).

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street for 80.42 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 84 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 294.61 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 0 degrees 38 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 60.30 feet.

4th. Thence northerly deflecting 0 degrees 1 minute 23 seconds to the left for 432.85 feet.

5th. Thence northerly deflecting 0 degrees 3 minutes 49 seconds to the right for 60 feet.

6th. Thence northerly deflecting 0 degrees 38 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 4,222.33 feet.

7th. Thence northerly deflecting 34 degrees 30 minutes to the left for 294.45 feet.

8th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 400 feet, for 90.46 feet.

9th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 155.87 feet.

10th. Thence northerly deflecting 9 degrees 27 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 60.83 feet.

11th. Thence northerly deflecting 9 degrees 27 minutes 44 seconds to the left for 1,163.29 feet to the easterly line of the lands to be acquired for the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

12th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 43 degrees 25 minutes 55 seconds to the right along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 116.36 feet.

13th. Thence southerly deflecting 136 degrees 34 minutes 5 seconds to the right for 1,244.79 feet.

14th. Thence southerly deflecting 9 degrees 27 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 60.83 feet to the western line of Claremont Park.

15th. Thence southerly along the western line of Claremont Park for 554.74 feet.

16th. Thence southerly deflecting 34 degrees 30 minutes to the right for 4,247.08 feet.

17th. Thence southerly deflecting 0 degrees 38 minutes 34 seconds to the left for 60 feet.

18th. Thence southerly deflecting 0 degrees 3 minutes 35 seconds to the left for 438.93 feet.

19th. Thence southerly deflecting 0 degrees 3 minutes 7 seconds to the left for 60 feet.

20th. Thence southerly for 295.29 feet to the point of beginning.

MORRIS AVENUE is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on sections 7, 9 and 14, of the Final Maps and Profiles of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, sections 7 and 9 on October 31, 1895, and section 14 on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, sections 7 and 9 on November 2, 1895, and section 14 on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, August 10, 1896.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sheridan Avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Sheridan Avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Webster Avenue distant 1,067.33 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Webster Avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Webster Avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 180 feet.

3d. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 18.42 feet.

4th. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 80 feet.

5th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn westerly from the western extremity of the preceding course lies on the western prolongation and is 50 feet for 53.39 feet.

6th. Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 166.99 feet.

7th. Thence westerly deflecting 12 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 62.81 feet.

8th. Thence westerly deflecting 16 degrees 15 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 200.03 feet.

9th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 28 degrees 34 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 67.72 feet.

10th. Thence northerly deflecting 24 degrees 0 minutes 31 seconds to the right for 717.02 feet.

11th. Thence westerly deflecting 51 degrees 38 minutes 18 seconds to the left for 604.65 feet to the easterly line of the lands to be acquired for the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

12th. Thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 54 minutes 25 seconds to the left for 80 feet along the eastern line of the lands to be acquired for the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

13th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees 5 minutes 35 seconds to the left for 614.73 feet.

14th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 31 degrees 26 minutes 9 seconds to the right for 93.76 feet.

15th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 20 degrees 12 minutes 9 seconds to the right for 717.02 feet.

16th. Thence easterly deflecting 67 degrees 53 minutes 7 seconds to the left for 62.50 feet.

17th. Thence easterly deflecting 15 degrees 18 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 200.03 feet.

18th. Thence easterly deflecting 5 degrees 10 minutes 27 seconds to the left for 60.34 feet.

19th. Thence easterly deflecting 23 degrees 38 minutes 33 seconds to the left for 221.11 feet.

20th. Thence easterly deflecting 1 degree 9 minutes 41 seconds to the right for 67.74 feet.

21st. Thence easterly for 180 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster Avenue distant 548.07 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Webster Avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Webster Avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 320.58 feet to the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad right of way.

3d. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn westerly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 6 degrees 39 minutes 18 seconds to the north with said course and whose radius is 2,955.90 feet for 60.34 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 180 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster Avenue distant 548.07 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Webster Avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Webster Avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 320.58 feet to the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad right of way.

3d. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn westerly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 6 degrees 39 minutes 18 seconds to the north with said course and whose radius is 2,955.90 feet for 60.34 feet.

4th. Thence northerly for 180 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Boscobel Avenue distant 994.81 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the western line of Boscobel Avenue with the western line of Nelson Avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Boscobel Avenue for 67.81 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 103 degrees 15 minutes 7 seconds to the left for 1,010.76 feet to the northern line of Lind Avenue.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of Lind Avenue for 66.19 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 990.26 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "E."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Boscobel Avenue distant 1,085.36 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Boscobel Avenue with the western line of Marcher Avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the eastern line of Boscobel Avenue for 274.83 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 85 degrees 48 minutes 2 seconds to the right for 71.59 feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 67 feet for 109.70 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 60.49 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,033 feet for 151.17 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 480.54 feet.

7th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 10 degrees 21 minutes 36 seconds to the right for 78.16 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 3 degrees 42 minutes 14 seconds to the left for 45.11 feet.

9th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 922 feet for 130.88 feet.

10th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 548 feet.

11th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 3 degrees 24 minutes to the right for 769.96 feet.

12th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,058.55 feet for 308.95 feet.

13th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 66.51 feet.

14th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 7 degrees 51 minutes 26 seconds to the right for 812.14 feet.

15th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 700 feet for 89.00 feet to the southern line of Burnside Avenue.

16th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Burnside Avenue for 100 feet.

17th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose centre lies in the western prolongation of the preceding course and whose radius is 800 feet for 101.78 feet.

18th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 705.09 feet.

19th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 5 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 407.87 feet.

20th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 50 feet for 1.15 feet to the western line of Tremont Avenue.

21st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Tremont Avenue for 174.17 feet.

22nd. Thence southwesterly deflecting 11 degrees 13 minutes 12 seconds to the right for 173.28 feet.

23d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 0 degrees 30 minutes 5 seconds to the left for 141.09 feet.

24th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 0 degrees 47 minutes to the right for 335.01 feet.

25th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 922 feet for 54.71 feet.

26th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 516 feet.

27th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,078 feet for 153.03 feet.

28th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 353.60 feet.

29th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 6 degrees 39 minutes 22 seconds to the left for 176.21 feet to the northern line of Featherbed Lane.

30th. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Featherbed Lane for 1.73 feet to the western line of Featherbed Lane.

31st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Featherbed Lane for 223.61 feet to the southern line of Featherbed Lane.

32d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Featherbed Lane for 209.24 feet.

33d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 98 degrees 8 minutes to the right for 4.10 feet.

34th. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn southerly from the southern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 19 degrees 3 minutes 33 seconds to the east with the southern prolongation of said course and whose radius is 223.78 feet for 231.26 feet.

35th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 399.50 feet.

36th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 500 feet for 273.40 feet.

37th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 91.27 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "F."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street (legally opened as Hampton Street) distant 550.43 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street with the eastern line of Loring Place.

1st. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

4th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

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19th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

20th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 100 feet.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of July, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of September, 1896, 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 or claimants, 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, August 8, 1896.
JULIUS J. FRANK, DENNIS McEVROY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, upon the written request of the Department of Public Parks of the said City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands, property rights, terms, easements and privileges, necessary to be acquired pursuant to chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act to lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway in 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 that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, to present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Room 113 Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the said City of New York, on or before the 15th day of September, 1896, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting within the ten days next after the said 15th day of September, 1896, 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, together with our damage maps and 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. 150 Nassau street (American Tract Society Building), in the said city, there to remain until the 28th day of September, 1896.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of October, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 5, 1896.
GEORGE C. COFFIN, Chairman; MATTHEW CHALMERS and HENRY HUGHES, Commissioners.
BRADFORD L. ESTEN, 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 TRAVERS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 12th day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 12th day of September, 1896, 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 in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 14th day of September, 1896.

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

of Webster avenue, and on the west by the easterly side of Jerome avenue, excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of October, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 30, 1896.
GEO. CHAPPELL, Chairman; WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, GEO. H. FSTEIN, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 22d day of July, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the wharf property, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and 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 wharf property, wharfage rights taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice and on or before the 25th day of August, 1896.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of August, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 30, 1896.
WILBUR LARREMORE, WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, WILLIAM J. ELLIS, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, lands under water, wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, lands and lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the City of New York, on the North river, between Bethune and West Twelfth streets, and between West street and Thirteenth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the uplands, lands, wharf property, lands under water, wharfage rights, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 15, title 1, and 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 uplands, lands, lands under water and wharf property taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 253 Broadway, in the City of New York, Rooms 312 and 313, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice and on or before August 20, 1896.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of August, 1896, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 23, 1896.
CHARLES W. GOULD, Chairman; JNO. DELAHUNTY, MICHAEL COLEMAN, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises

required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 25th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of August, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 27, 1896.
JNO. DELAHUNTY, HENRY L. BRIDGES, JOHN J. QUINLAN, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 14th day of July, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9th floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of August, 1896, 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 or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, July 22, 1896.
MAX SELIGMAN, OWEN MCGINNIS, G. THORNTON WARREN, Commissioners.
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 1st day of September, 1896; that we, the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 1st day of September, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2.30 o'clock.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway in the said city, there to remain until the 1st day of September, 1896.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the

the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III., thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of October, 1896, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, July 23, 1896.
ALBERT B. BOARDMAN, Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, CHARLES H. WEBB, Commissioners.
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Kingsbridge road and 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 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said city, on or before the 15th day of September, 1896, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 15th day of September, 1896, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3.30 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 in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 16th day of September, 1896.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; on the east by the westerly side of Amsterdam avenue; on the west by the easterly side of Kingsbridge road; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, July 27, 1896.
BENJAMIN BARKER, Jr., Chairman; SAMUEL W. MILBANK, DAVID D. STEVENS, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 19th day of June, 1896, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 20th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of ascertaining and appraising the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described and laid out, appropriated or designated by said chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as and for a public park in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, and proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes named in said act, and to perform such other duties as are by said act prescribed.

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected for said purposes comprises all the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not now owned or the title to which is not vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, within the limits or boundaries of the parcels of land laid out, appropriated or designated for said public park by said act of the Legislature, namely: All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell's avenue as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and south of that point by the northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek and the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly line of Jerome avenue, excepting and reserving therefrom all public streets, avenues or places now laid out across or over any part of said land and shown on the official filed maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

All parties and persons, owners, lessees or other persons interested in the real estate above described and to be taken for the purposes of said public park, or any part thereof, or affected by the proceedings had under or authorized by said act, chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are required to present the same to us, duly verified, with such affidavits or other proof in support thereof as the said owner or claimant may desire, within sixty days after the date of this notice (July 9, 1896), at our office, Room 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of September, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and in case any such person or claimant shall desire at such time and place to offer further and additional proofs or testimony, such person or claimant will be heard or said proofs or testimony will be received by us.

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

Dated New York, July 9, 1896.
CHARLES L. GUY, WILLIAM H. BARKER, H. H. PORTER, Commissioners.

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