

# THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

VOL. XXV.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1897.

NUMBER 7,200.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

### ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week ending December 26, 1896.

#### Barometer.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
DECEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 20	29.932	29.870	29.880	29.894	29.976	29.860
Monday, 21	29.824	29.764	29.774	29.787	29.860	29.760
Tuesday, 22	29.860	29.860	29.860	29.860	29.910	29.700
Wednesday, 23	29.640	29.712	29.982	29.778	30.012	29.616
Thursday, 24	30.130	30.180	30.294	30.201	30.304	30.012
Friday, 25	30.332	30.334	30.308	30.325	30.378	30.256
Saturday, 26	30.128	30.084	30.194	30.135	30.280	30.084

Mean for the week..... 29.994 inches.

Maximum " at 10 A.M., December 25..... 30.378 "

Minimum " at 5 A.M., December 23..... 29.616 "

Range " ..... .762 "

#### Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
DECEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 20	27	23	31	28	34	27	29.6
Monday, 21	25	21	33	28	35	25	30.3
Tuesday, 22	26	25	30	26	34	26	30.0
Wednesday, 23	20	26	26	24	18	17	24.3
Thursday, 24	24	10	21	18	15	13	13.6
Friday, 25	25	17	20	25	23	21	21.6
Saturday, 26	23	20	33	29	33	30	29.6

Mean for the week..... 26.3 degrees.

Maximum for the week at 7 P.M., 22d..... 38 "

Minimum " at 6 A.M., 24th..... 9 "

Range " ..... 29 "

#### Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
DECEMBER.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P.M. to 7 A.M.	7 A.M. to 2 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	Distance for the day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	20....	WNW	NW	W	82	58	13	153	¼		0	1	3.30 A.M.
Monday,	21....	NW	NW	WSW	26	18	30	74	0	0	0 ¼	1	9.40 P.M.
Tuesday,	22....	N	NW	E	48	9	25	82	0		0	2	A.M.
Wed'sday,	23....	NNE	NW	NW	74	80	91	245	½	¾	2	3 ½	7.50 P.M.
Thursday,	24....	NW	NNW	NW	152	91	81	324	1	2 ½	2	0	3.40 A.M.
Friday,	25....	W	NNW	WSW	84	47	56	187	0	¼	¼	2 ½	10.40 P.M.
Saturday,	26....	WSW	W	WNW	106	85	66	257	¾	1 ½	¾	2	2.40 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,322 miles.

Maximum force " ..... 6 pounds.

Hygrometer.										Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
DATE.		FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.				CLEAR, °. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
DECEMBER.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Mean.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration, H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow, IN.	°. 10
Sunday,	20	.078	.119	.101	.099	53	68	58	59	0	2 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday,	21	.067	.096	.114	.092	50	51	60	53	2 Cir.S.	6 Cir.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday,	22	.123	.095	.121	.113	87	37	61	68	8 Cu.	8 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Wedn'day,	23	.106	.109	.083	.098	66	75	84	75	10	5 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Thursday,	24	.068	.065	.056	.053	100	57	65	74	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Friday,	25	.060	.078	.089	.075	35	46	63	54	4 Cir.	9 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Saturday,	26	.074	.114	.132	.106	60	60	70	63	3 Cir.	9 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
													.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Total amount of water for the week..... .27 inch.

Duration for the week..... 19 hours, 0 minutes.

Depth of snow..... 6 inches.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
DECEMBER.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, Dec. 20	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.
Monday, " 21	Calm, pleasant.	Calm, hazy.
Tuesday, " 22	Raw, hazy.	Raw, hazy.
Wednesday, " 23	Cold, snowing.	Raw, hazy.
Thursday, " 24	Clear, cold.	Clear, cold.
Friday, " 25	Cold, hazy.	Cold, pleasant.
Saturday, " 26	Raw, slight haze.	Raw, cloudy.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S STATEMENT.

Statement and Return of Money received by WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the month of December, 1896, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Sections 56 and 216 of New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

DATE OF FINAL DECREE.	ESTATE OF—	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Nov. 25, 1896	Cologero Spinoso	\$101 29	\$101 29
Dec. 1, 1896	Samuel S. Moore	1 25	1 25
	Ann Gilbride	27 74	27 74
	Annie Glanz	2 36	2 36
	Bridget Murphy	7 36	7 36
	Margaretha Frohlich	4 24	4 24
Dec. 4, 1896	Edgar Weaver	15 56	15 56
" 7, "	William F. P. Boettlerling	125 28	125 28
	Kate Connell	239 06	239 06
	John Nedoziecky	1 80	1 80
Mar. 26, 1896	Michael Reiner	5 01	5 01
Dec. 17, "	Anton Staudinger	19 98	19 98
	Adolph Fischer	69	69
	William F. Grossman	5 33	5 33
		\$556 95	\$556 95

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

EXTRACTS FROM MINUTES OF THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 2, 1897.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Including resolution whereby \$2,500 is transferred from appropriation for 1896 for "Supplies for Insane Asylums" to "Donations to G. A. R. Veterans." Copy forwarded to the General Bookkeeper and Auditor for his information.

To the Mayor—Including General Report for the year 1896.

To the Comptroller—Transmitting proposals of John C. Juhring, F. J. Dessoir, William T. Gillett, Jr., and the Consolidated Ice Company, for approval of the sureties.

Out-door Poor—Recommending that the balance, \$4,900, left of the appropriation to the poor adult blind, be presented to the 502 pensioners, about \$9 each; approved. Proposal of George I. Roberts & Bros., to furnish pipe coils, air valves, etc., for the sum of \$81; accepted.

Lodging-house for Homeless Men—Proposal of the Thayer Electric Construction Company to install electric-light system throughout the building for \$175; accepted. Proposal of P. J. Byrnes for carpenter work, etc., costing \$185; accepted.

Steamboats—Proposal of William H. Van Wart to place cork coverings on the various pipes and fittings on steamer "Fidelity" for the sum of \$67; accepted. Proposal of C. & I. Poillon for repair work on steamer "Fidelity," to cost \$35; accepted.

Bellevue Hospital—The following proposals accepted: Of B. F. Strauss, to build one undertaker's wagon, to cost \$375; Moeslein & Crane, for erecting a metal ceiling in Wards 13, 17, 19 and 25, to cost \$757.50; D. I. Christie & Co., for a single truck with racks, to cost \$260; Metropolitan Carriage and Wagon Company, a top business wagon, to cost \$250; George I. Roberts & Bros., for furnishing a hot-water tank, to cost \$178.

Harlem Hospital—Minutes of meeting of Medical Board held December 29, 1896; approved. Proposal of B. F. Strauss to build one undertaker's wagon for the sum of \$375; accepted.

Fordham Hospital—Proposal of the Metropolitan Carriage and Wagon Company to furnish a top business wagon for the sum of \$250; accepted.

City Hospital—Proposal of Andrew Philp's Sons to remove boiler foot of East Twenty-sixth street and place same in position at Nurses' Home, for the sum of \$197; accepted. Proposal of George I. Roberts & Bros., for making water-pipe connections, to cost \$140; accepted.

Randall's Island Hospital and Schools—Report from Medical Chief of Staff, Dr. E. J. Tucker, showing that said hospitals are without a single case of contagious or infectious diseases.

### Appointments, etc.

Steamboats—January 1—Maurice Coldack, Fireman, salary increased to \$400 per annum (transferred from Randall's Island).

Fordham Hospital—January 1—Hattie A. Britton, Head Nurse, \$360 per annum (graduate New York City Training School; passed final examination May, 1896).

City Hospital—January 1—George W. Seelig, Assistant Apothecary (transferred from Fordham Hospital).

Randall's Island—January 1—George O'Dell, Fireman, salary reduced to \$360 per annum (transferred from Steamboats). January 1—Michael Meany, Hospital Orderly, reappointed, \$300 per annum.

### Resignations.

Bellevue Hospital—December 31—Frank R. Battles, Hospital Helper.

Gouverneur Hospital—December 28—Charles R. Geddes, Ambulance Driver.

No dismissals. H. G. WEAVER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, DECEMBER 21 TO 26, 1896.

### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending December 19, 1896: Males, 42; female, 1; on file. List of 28 prisoners to be discharged from December 27, 1896, to January 2, 1897. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 19, 1896, \$127.

On file. From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending December 19, 1896, \$783.

On file. From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending December 19, 1896, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From George Gordon Battle, Esq., Deputy Assistant District Attorney—Stating that he has been requested by the Grand Jury to write to Commissioner Wright saying that an investigation into the practice of certain members of the criminal bar in connection with City Prisons will be instituted at 2.30 p.m., December 21, and asking that the Commissioner be present. On file.

From Workhouse—Reporting that a small shanty put up for shelter by one of the inmates was partly burned on December 19; building of no value. On file.

From Counsel to the Corporation—Copy of circular letter in regard to the provisions of contracts, which is sent out with the view of avoiding litigation in future. Referred to Book-keeper.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending December 19, 1896. On file.

### Resigned.

December 20—Thomas J. McGivney, Orderly, Workhouse.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

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

JANUARY 5, 1897. To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 31, 1896:

Permits Issued—For sewer connections, 8; for sewer repairs, 2; for Croton connections, 4; for Croton repairs, 7; for placing building material, 4; for crossing sidewalk with team, 1; for miscellaneous purposes, 5; total, 31.

Public Money Received—For sewer connections, \$130; for restoring pavements, \$52; for damage to Department hose, \$3.75; total, \$185.75.

Plans and Specifications Approved—Paving Alexander avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Third avenue; paving One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Alexander avenue to Brook avenue; paving Boston road, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; grading Longwood avenue, from Tiffany street to Southern Boulevard.

Laboring Force Employed during the Week—Foremen, 5; Assistant Foremen, 3; Sewer Laborers, 18; Laborers, 75; Toolmen, 2; Truckman, 1; Carts, 5; Carpenter, 1; Machinists, 2; Sounders, 3; Cleaners, 4; total, 119.

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week, \$72,058.36.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

## ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

### Railroads.

RAILROADS—The Committee on Railroads will hold a meeting on Monday, January 11, 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m., in Room 13, City Hall. WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk, Common Council.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Section 68 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act of the City of New York), provides that "there shall be published in the CITY RECORD, within the month of January in each year, a list of all subordinates employed in any department (except laborers), with their salaries, and residences by street numbers, and all changes in such subordinates or salaries shall be so published within one week after they are made. It shall be the duty of all the heads of departments to furnish to the person appointed to supervise the publication of the CITY RECORD everything required to be inserted therein."

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are

kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor. JOB E. HEDGES, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
EDWARD H. HEALY, First Marshal.  
JOHN J. BRENNAN, Second Marshal.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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



## COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.  
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN JEROME, President Board of Aldermen,  
WILLIAM H. TEN ENCK, Clerk Common Council.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.  
No. 2022 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hun-  
dred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4  
P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
LOUIS F. HAPPEL, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD,  
Deputy Commissioner; JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secre-  
tary.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.  
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broad-  
way, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; WILLIAM J. LYON,  
Deputy Comptroller; EDGAR J. LKVEY, Assistant  
Deputy Comptroller.

## Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street  
and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, First Auditor.  
FRED'K L. W. SCHAFFNER, Second Auditor.  
FRED'K J. BRETTMAN, Third Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears  
of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.  
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, Chambers  
street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Clerk  
of Arrears.

No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of  
Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and  
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of the City Revenue and  
Superintendent of Markets.

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

No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau of the City Chamberlain.  
Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and  
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ANSON G. MCCOY, City Chamberlain.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Council to the Corporation.  
Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9  
A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.  
ANDREW T. CAMBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.  
No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. LYON, Corporation Attorney.

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal  
Taxes.  
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street,  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Attorney.  
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

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

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.  
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THEODORE ROOSEVELT, President; AVERY D. AN-  
DREWS, FREDERICK D. GRANT and ANDREW D. PARKER,  
Commissioners; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; T. F.  
RODERBOUGH, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

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

Purchasing Agent, Geo. W. WANMAKER; W. A.  
PRICE, General Bookkeeper and Auditor. Office hours,  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and  
Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Re-  
pairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.;  
Saturdays, 12 M.  
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M.  
to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. En-  
trance on Eleventh street.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.  
No. 146 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner; ARTHUR PHIL-  
LIPS, Secretary; CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper  
and Auditor; CHARLES STEINBERG, Purchasing Agent.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted,  
from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Headquarters.  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
JAMES R. SHEPHERD, President; O. H. LA GRANGE  
and THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners; CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department. GEO. E. MUR-  
RAY, Inspector of Combustibles; MARTIN L. HOLLISTER,  
Fire Marshal; WM. L. FINDLEY, Attorney to Depart-  
ment; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm  
Telegraph.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES G. WILSON, President, and GEORGE B.  
FOWLER, M. D., the President of the Police Board,  
ex officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex  
officio, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

## BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTROL.

No. 120 Broadway.  
HENRY S. KEARNEY, JACOB HESS, and THOMAS L.  
HAMILTON, and the Mayor, ex officio, Commissioners.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

No. 32 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4  
P. M.  
GEORGE E. WARD, Jr., Commissioner; F. H.  
GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner; THOS. A. DOE, Chief  
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMIN-  
ING BOARDS.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between  
Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EVERETT A. WHITELER, THOMAS STURGIS, W.  
BAYARD CUTLER, C. W. WATSON and J. VAN VECHTEN  
OLCOTT, Members of the Supervisory Board.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; E. P. BAKER (President,  
Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary;  
the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF  
ALDERMEN, and the COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
Members; CHARLES W. ADDE, Clerk.  
Office of the Department of Taxes and Assess-  
ments, Stewart Building.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 37 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS J. K. K. Chairman; P. M. HAVERTY,  
JOHN W. JACOBI, EDWARD MCCUE, Assessors; WM.  
H. JACOBSON, Secretary.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

No. 1 and 3 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HARVEY J. H. PUSEN, Sheriff; HENRY H. SHERMAN,  
Under-Sheriff.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Essex Hotel, Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM SCHMIDT, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN,  
Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 125, Stewart Building, Chambers street and  
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM FLETCHER, Commissioner; P. H. DUNN,  
Deputy Commissioner.

## SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue.  
H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.

## N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.

No. 20 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM J. ROWE, Warden.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

No. 7 and 9 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY L. T. HOOVER, County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY,  
Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.  
W. M. K. OLCOTT, District Attorney; HENRY W.  
LYON, Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.  
No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays,  
on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN A. SUTCHER, Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL,  
Deputy Supervisor and Accountant; HENRY McMIL-  
LEN, Deputy Supervisor and Expert.

## EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

No. 32 Chambers street.  
JOHN YALE, Chairman; JAMES M. MORROW, Secre-  
tary; JAMES P. KNIGHT, Treasurer.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, open  
continuously.  
EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, WILLIAM H. DOBBS, EMIL  
W. HOBBS and THEODORE K. TUTHILL, Coroners; ED-  
WARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M.;  
EDMUND J. G.  
FRANK L. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Sur-  
rogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

## APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth  
street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE  
C. BAKER, PARDON C. WILLIAMS, EDWARD PATTER-  
SON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM,  
WILLIAM ROMSEY, ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WM.  
LEAHY, Deputy Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Session Term, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Session Term, Part II., Room No. 15.  
Session Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Session Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Session Term, Part V., Room No. 23.  
Session Term, Part VI., Room No. 21.  
Session Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.  
Session Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.  
Session Term, Part IX., Room No. 16.  
Session Term, Part X., Room No. 18.  
Session Term, Part XI., Room No. 32.  
Session Term, Part XII., Room No. 31.  
Session Term, Part XIII., Room No. 30.  
Session Term, Part XIV., Room No. 24.  
Session Term, Part XV., Room No. 22.  
Session Term, Part XVI., Room No. 26.  
Session Term, Part XVII., Room No. 20.  
Session Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 14.  
Session Term, Part XIX., Room No. 17.  
Session Term, Part XX., Room No. 13.  
Session Term, Part XXI., Room No. 10.  
Session Term, Part XXII., Room No. 9.  
Session Term, Part XXIII., Room No. 8.  
Session Term, Part XXIV., Room No. 7.  
Session Term, Part XXV., Room No. 6.  
Session Term, Part XXVI., Room No. 5.  
Session Term, Part XXVII., Room No. 4.  
Session Term, Part XXVIII., Room No. 3.  
Session Term, Part XXIX., Room No. 2.  
Session Term, Part XXX., Room No. 1.  
Session Term, Part XXXI., Room No. 0.  
Session Term, Part XXXII., Room No. -1.  
Session Term, Part XXXIII., Room No. -2.  
Session Term, Part XXXIV., Room No. -3.  
Session Term, Part XXXV., Room No. -4.  
Session Term, Part XXXVI., Room No. -5.  
Session Term, Part XXXVII., Room No. -6.  
Session Term, Part XXXVIII., Room No. -7.  
Session Term, Part XXXIX., Room No. -8.  
Session Term, Part XL., Room No. -9.  
Session Term, Part XLI., Room No. -10.  
Session Term, Part XLII., Room No. -11.  
Session Term, Part XLIII., Room No. -12.  
Session Term, Part XLIV., Room No. -13.  
Session Term, Part XLV., Room No. -14.  
Session Term, Part XLVI., Room No. -15.  
Session Term, Part XLVII., Room No. -16.  
Session Term, Part XLVIII., Room No. -17.  
Session Term, Part XLIX., Room No. -18.  
Session Term, Part L., Room No. -19.  
Session Term, Part LI., Room No. -20.  
Session Term, Part LII., Room No. -21.  
Session Term, Part LIII., Room No. -22.  
Session Term, Part LIV., Room No. -23.  
Session Term, Part LV., Room No. -24.  
Session Term, Part LVI., Room No. -25.  
Session Term, Part LVII., Room No. -26.  
Session Term, Part LVIII., Room No. -27.  
Session Term, Part LIX., Room No. -28.  
Session Term, Part LX., Room No. -29.  
Session Term, Part LXI., Room No. -30.  
Session Term, Part LXII., Room No. -31.  
Session Term, Part LXIII., Room No. -32.  
Session Term, Part LXIV., Room No. -33.  
Session Term, Part LXV., Room No. -34.  
Session Term, Part LXVI., Room No. -35.  
Session Term, Part LXVII., Room No. -36.  
Session Term, Part LXVIII., Room No. -37.  
Session Term, Part LXIX., Room No. -38.  
Session Term, Part LXX., Room No. -39.  
Session Term, Part LXXI., Room No. -40.  
Session Term, Part LXXII., Room No. -41.  
Session Term, Part LXXIII., Room No. -42.  
Session Term, Part LXXIV., Room No. -43.  
Session Term, Part LXXV., Room No. -44.  
Session Term, Part LXXVI., Room No. -45.  
Session Term, Part LXXVII., Room No. -46.  
Session Term, Part LXXVIII., Room No. -47.  
Session Term, Part LXXIX., Room No. -48.  
Session Term, Part LXXX., Room No. -49.  
Session Term, Part LXXXI., Room No. -50.  
Session Term, Part LXXXII., Room No. -51.  
Session Term, Part LXXXIII., Room No. -52.  
Session Term, Part LXXXIV., Room No. -53.  
Session Term, Part LXXXV., Room No. -54.  
Session Term, Part LXXXVI., Room No. -55.  
Session Term, Part LXXXVII., Room No. -56.  
Session Term, Part LXXXVIII., Room No. -57.  
Session Term, Part LXXXIX., Room No. -58.  
Session Term, Part LXXXX., Room No. -59.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXI., Room No. -60.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXII., Room No. -61.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXIII., Room No. -62.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXIV., Room No. -63.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXV., Room No. -64.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXVI., Room No. -65.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXVII., Room No. -66.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXVIII., Room No. -67.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXIX., Room No. -68.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXX., Room No. -69.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXI., Room No. -70.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXII., Room No. -71.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXIII., Room No. -72.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXIV., Room No. -73.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXV., Room No. -74.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXVI., Room No. -75.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXVII., Room No. -76.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXVIII., Room No. -77.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXIX., Room No. -78.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXX., Room No. -79.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXI., Room No. -80.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXII., Room No. -81.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXIII., Room No. -82.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXIV., Room No. -83.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXV., Room No. -84.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXVI., Room No. -85.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXVII., Room No. -86.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -87.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXIX., Room No. -88.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXX., Room No. -89.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXI., Room No. -90.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -91.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -92.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -93.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -94.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -95.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -96.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -97.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -98.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -99.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -100.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -101.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -102.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -103.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -104.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -105.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -106.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -107.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -108.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -109.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -110.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -111.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -112.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -113.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -114.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -115.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -116.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -117.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -118.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -119.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -120.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -121.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -122.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -123.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -124.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -125.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -126.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -127.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -128.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -129.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -130.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -131.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -132.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -133.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -134.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -135.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -136.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -137.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -138.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -139.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -140.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -141.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -142.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -143.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -144.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -145.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -146.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -147.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -148.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -149.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -150.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -151.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -152.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -153.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -154.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -155.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -156.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -157.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -158.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -159.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -160.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -161.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -162.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -163.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -164.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -165.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -166.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -167.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -168.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -169.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -170.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -171.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -172.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -173.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -174.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -175.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -176.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -177.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -178.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -179.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -180.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -181.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -182.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -183.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -184.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -185.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -186.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -187.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -188.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -189.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -190.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -191.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -192.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -193.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -194.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -195.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -196.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -197.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -198.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -199.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -200.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -201.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -202.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -203.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -204.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -205.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -206.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -207.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -208.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -209.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -210.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -211.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -212.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -213.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -214.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -215.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -216.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -217.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -218.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -219.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -220.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -221.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -222.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -223.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -224.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -225.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -226.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -227.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -228.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -229.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -230.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -231.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -232.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -233.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -234.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -235.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -236.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -237.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -238.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -239.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -240.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -241.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -242.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -243.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -244.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -245.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -246.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -247.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -248.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -249.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -250.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -251.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -252.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -253.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -254.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -255.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -256.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -257.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -258.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -259.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -260.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -261.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -262.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -263.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -264.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -265.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -266.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -267.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -268.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -269.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -270.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -271.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -272.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -273.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -274.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -275.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -276.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -277.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -278.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -279.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -280.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -281.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -282.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -283.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -284.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -285.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -286.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -287.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -288.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -289.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -290.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -291.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -292.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -293.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -294.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -295.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -296.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVIII., Room No. -297.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIX., Room No. -298.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXX., Room No. -299.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXXI., Room No. -300.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXII., Room No. -301.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIII., Room No. -302.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXIV., Room No. -303.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXV., Room No. -304.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVI., Room No. -305.  
Session Term, Part LXXXXXXXVII., Room No. -3



\_\_\_\_\_







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 Commissioner 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 Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK, January 6, 1897.  
**PROPOSALS FOR MANURE.** SEALED BIDS or estimates for furnishing Manure during the year of 1897, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 19, 1897.

To be delivered on Blackwell's Island, and weight allowed as received there.

1,500 tons No. 1 Fine Shook-out Horse Manure.  
25,000 bushels Fine Old Compost Manure (well rotted), 25 lbs. to bushel.

To be delivered in installments, as may be required during the year 1897.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK, January 6, 1897.  
**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,** etc. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Ice during the year of 1897, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 19, 1897.

To be delivered on Blackwell's Island, and weight allowed as received there.

1,250 tons prime quality Ice (2,000 lbs. to the ton).

The ice to be delivered as called for at Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the Department, and the same not to be less than 10 inches thick and of prime quality. Weight to be paid for as received at Blackwell's Island.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NEW YORK, December 30, 1896.

**PROPOSALS FOR TEMPORARY QUARTERS AT THE CITY PRISON, NEW YORK CITY.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** erection of Temporary Quarters at the City Prison, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate

shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Temporary Quarters at the City Prison," 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 Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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 (\$2,000) EACH.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the 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 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 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 work must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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 plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department and by Withers & Dickson, Architects, Bible House, Astor place, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

**FRESH COWS' MILK.**

**PROPOSALS FOR FRESH COWS' MILK FOR** the year 1897.—Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Fresh Cows' Milk for the year ending December 31, 1897, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York, until 10 A. M. Tuesday, January 12, 1897. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Cows' Milk for the year 1897," 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 Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE HUNDRED (\$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 or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Milk 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.

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 of the Department and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 30, 1896.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK, December 29, 1896.

**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,** etc. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Forage during the year of 1897, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897.

15,000 pounds fine Meal, free from adulteration, in bags 100 pounds net; bags to be returned.

62 bags coarse Meal, free from cob, in bags 100 pounds net; bags to be returned.

3,000 bushels No. 1 Oats, 32 pounds net to the bushel; bags to be returned.

60,000 pounds A No. 1 Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds per bale, weight allowed as received on Blackwell's Island.

40,000 pounds long, bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same conditions as hay.

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 Forage," 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 Commissioner of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

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

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.



that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

*The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.*

Bidders will 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 Commissioner 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 Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

**PROPOSALS FOR 1,200 TONS WHITE ASH** Coal, 2,240 pounds to the ton, for the year 1897. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing 1,200 tons Coal for the year ending December 31, 1897, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York, until 10 A. M. Tuesday, January 12, 1897. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,200 Tons Coal for the year 1897," 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 date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

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 (2,000) 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 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 Coal 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 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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 of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 29, 1896.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

## 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.

## STREET CLEANING DEPT.

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

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

## DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, January 7, 1897.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED TO MANUFACTURE ONE AMERICAN DOWN DRAFT BOILER, OR EQUAL THERETO, AND ERECT SAME IN POSITION, WITH NECESSARY FITTINGS, AT NURSES' HOME, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED 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 Wednesday, January 29, 1897, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Manufacturing and Erecting One Down Draft Boiler," 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 BY SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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 Eight Hundred 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 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.

### PROPOSALS FOR 500 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, or his authorized agent, for FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and to be delivered in the Twelfth Ward, East of Eighth Avenue, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required, the adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the City, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

THE COAL MUST BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND IN SUCH PLACES AS THE URGENCY OF THE CASE MAY REQUIRE.

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

### PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, or his authorized agent, for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened and delivered in such quantities on the east side, south of Eighth Avenue, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS each for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required, the adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the City, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department and all information furnished.

THE COAL MUST BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND IN SUCH PLACES AS THE URGENCY OF THE CASE MAY REQUIRE.

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.

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

## PROPOSALS FOR 700 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, or his authorized agent, for SEVEN HUNDRED (700) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and to be delivered in the south side, south of Eighth Avenue, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required, the adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the City, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

THE COAL MUST BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND IN SUCH PLACES AS THE URGENCY OF THE CASE MAY REQUIRE.

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.

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

## PROPOSALS FOR 250 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, or his authorized agent, for TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and to be delivered in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the



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

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

**THE COAL MUST BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND IN SUCH PLACES AS THE URGENCY OF THE CASE MAY REQUIRE.**

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.  
SILAS H. CROFT, President; JOHN P. FAURE, Commissioner; JAMES R. O'BRIEN, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities.

**PROPOSALS FOR 250 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.**

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities, at their office, until 10 o'clock A.M. of Tuesday, January 12, 1897, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, or his duly authorized agent, for TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) TONS Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality, each ton to consist of two thousand pounds, to be well screened, to be delivered in the Twelfth Ward, west of Eighth avenue, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet their approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the City, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

**THE COAL TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND IN SUCH PLACES AS THE URGENCY OF THE CASE MAY REQUIRE.**

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.  
SILAS H. CROFT, President; JOHN P. FAURE, M. D., Commissioner; JAMES R. O'BRIEN, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities.

#### DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 532 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P.M., until further notice.

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

#### TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, January 2, 1897.  
IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, notice is hereby given that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York for the year 1897 will be opened on January 11 and will remain open for examination and correction until the 30th day of April, 1897.

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

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

EDWARD P. BARKER, THEODORE SUTRO, JAMES L. WELLS, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 29, 1896.

**TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORDINANCES of the Common Council, approved December 31, 1880, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, viz.:

"Hoistways may be placed within the stoop-lines, but in no case to extend beyond five feet from the house-line, and shall be guarded by iron railings or rods to prevent accidents to passers-by."

You are further notified that all violations now existing of such ordinances must be removed, and that all conditions set forth in permits granted for vault or other purposes must be complied with within sixty days. The special ordinances permitting court-yard inclosures give no right to occupy this space otherwise.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner 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.

#### 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 curb-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 curb-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.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

##### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the following assessment lists are now under consideration by the Board of Assessors, viz.:

List No. 5199. Regulating, grading, etc., Webster avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Kingsbridge road (with annexed profile map as amended).

All persons who consider their property to have been injuriously affected by the regulating and grading of any of the streets and avenues above described, in consequence of a change of grade having been made therein, are hereby notified to transmit, in writing, the evidence relating thereto, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, No. 27 Chambers street, on or before 11.30 A.M. on the 14th day of January, 1897, at which time a public hearing will be given to all parties whose property may be affected by the aforesaid improvements.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.  
NEW YORK, January 5, 1897.

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

List 5339, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from the existing sewer at the west house-line of Franklin avenue to the summit east, with branch in Franklin avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to summit north.

List 5341, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Plimp-ton avenue, from existing sewer in Boscobel avenue to Orchard street.

List 5342, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Grand avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Franklin avenue, from a point distant about 280 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a point distant about 250 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extending about 104 feet east of Franklin avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Plimp-ton avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Orchard street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to Gerard avenue, and east side of Jerome avenue, extending about 442 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 1st day of February, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.  
NEW YORK, December 31, 1896.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES** SEALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS and Making and Completing Alterations to the Annex to the Thirty-fourth Precinct Station-house, No. 1935 Bathgate avenue, in the City of New York, and for Erecting and Completing Extension to the Stable, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, the 20th day of January, 1897.

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

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

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

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

The entire work is to be completed within one hundred (100) days from the date of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.  
NEW YORK, January 6, 1897.

**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.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between the lines of Academy street and Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said City, on the 22d day of January, 1897, at 2 o'clock P.M., to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our estimate or assessment (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of forty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 150 Nassau street), in opposition to the same, that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor; that it is our intention to present our report for confirmation 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 25th day of January, 1897, at the opening of Court on that day, to which day the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 6, 1897.  
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Chairman, SAMUEL W. MILBANK, WILLIAM T. GRAY, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Elton avenue to Mott avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**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 III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1897, 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 Commonality 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-first street, from Elton avenue to Mott avenue, 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 the intersection of the western line of Sheridan avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (as legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Sheridan avenue for 40.45 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 81 degrees 24 minutes 1 second to the right for 340.17 feet to the eastern line of Mott avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Mott avenue for 40.01 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 345.11 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Sheridan avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Sheridan avenue for 40.45 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 98 degrees 35 minutes 59 seconds to the left for 736.98 feet to the western line of Morris avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Morris avenue for 40 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

4th. Thence westerly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 730.93 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880) with the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, West) for 44.95 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 62 degrees 51 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 462.41 feet to the eastern line of Morris avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 40 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 482.92 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "D."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880) with the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Railroad avenue, West).

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Park avenue for 20.50 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 62 degrees 7 minutes 43 seconds to the right for 260.67 feet to the western line of Courtlandt avenue.

3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Courtlandt avenue for 28.26 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 113.03 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly and along the northern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 5.67 feet.

6th. Thence westerly and along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 146.66 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "E."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Railroad avenue, West) with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (as legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of (Railroad avenue, West), Park avenue, for 25.19 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 117 degrees 52 minutes 17 seconds to the left for 101.17 feet to the western line of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, East).

3d. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, East) for 23.75 feet to the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th. Thence westerly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 100.51 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "F."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, East) with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, East) for 28.28 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 117 degrees 53 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 107.42 feet to the western line of Courtlandt avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Courtlandt avenue for 25 feet to the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th. Thence westerly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 94.19 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "G."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880) with the western line of Melrose avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Melrose avenue for 25 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 44.1 feet to the eastern line of Courtlandt avenue.

3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Courtlandt avenue for 28.26 feet to the northern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 420.58 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "H."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Melrose avenue with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Melrose avenue for 25 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 44.1 feet to the eastern line of Courtlandt avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Courtlandt avenue for 25 feet to the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 421 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "I."**  
Beginning at a point at the intersection of the eastern line of Melrose avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Melrose avenue for 25 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 42.1 feet to the western line of Elton avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Elton avenue for 25 feet to the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

4th. Thence westerly along the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 421 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "J."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Melrose avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Melrose avenue for 25 feet.



dred and Sixty-first street (legally opened November 16, 1880).

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Elton avenue for 25 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 114 degrees 17 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 60.76 feet to the southern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

3d. Thence westerly along the southern side of said East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 55.38 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-first street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 6, 7 and 9 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, on August 6, 1895, and sections 7 and 9 on October 21, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, section 6 on August 7, 1895, and sections 7 and 9 on November 2, 1895; in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, section 6 on August 9, 1895, and sections 7 and 9 on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, January 7, 1897.  
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 NATHALIE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority, from the Kingsbridge road to Boston 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 III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1897, 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 Nathalie Avenue, from the Kingsbridge road to Boston avenue, 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 distant 17,615.39 feet northerly from the eastern prolongation of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured at right angles to the same, from a point 2,465.16 feet easterly of the eastern line of Tenth avenue.

1st. Thence northerly deflecting 51 degrees 25 minutes 48 seconds to the left from a line drawn from the point of beginning northerly and parallel to Tenth avenue for 65.15 feet.

2d. Thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn from the western extremity of the preceding course deflects 24 degrees 5 minutes 42 seconds southerly and to the left from its western prolongation and is 606 feet, for 305.14 feet.

3d. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,420.48 feet.

4th. Thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,652.93 feet, for 557.64 feet to the southern line of Boston avenue.

5th. Thence northerly along the southern line of Boston avenue for 25.14 feet.

6th. Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,592.93 feet, for 740.88 feet.

7th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,429.48 feet.

8th. Thence southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 660 feet, for 552.26 feet to the point of beginning.

Nathalie Avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 21 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 City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, January 7, 1897.  
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 EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from Third avenue to the 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 III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1897, 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 Eighty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard, 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 western line of Bathgate avenue distant 312.31 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Bathgate avenue with the eastern line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Bathgate avenue for 80.02 feet.

2d. Thence northerly deflecting 88 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 345.49 feet to the eastern line of Third avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 97.88 feet.

4th. Thence southeasterly for 290.69 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Bathgate avenue distant 359.05 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern lines of Bathgate avenue and Third avenue.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Bathgate avenue for 80.02 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 91 degrees 8 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 727.13 feet to the western line of Arthur avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Arthur avenue for 80.04 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 727.93 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Crotona avenue distant 1,272.76 feet southeasterly from the intersection of the western line of Crotona avenue with the southern line of Pelham avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Crotona avenue for 80 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 404.65 feet.

3d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 25 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 131.88 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 0 degrees 40 minutes 56 seconds to the left for 646.62 feet to the eastern line of Arthur avenue.

5th. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Arthur avenue for 80 feet.

6th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 89 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 777.46 feet.

7th. Thence southeasterly for 388.71 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "D."**  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona avenue distant 1,257.37 feet southeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Crotona avenue with the southern line of Pelham avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Crotona avenue for 80 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 495.10 feet to the western line of Southern Boulevard.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 80.05 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 482.70 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street is designated as a street of the first class and is shown on sections 12 and 13 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 City of New York on October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, January 7, 1897.  
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 VYSE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from Boston road to the Bronx Park, 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 III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1897, 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 Vyse street, from Boston road to the Bronx Park, 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 southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (legally opened as Tremont avenue) distant 684.94 feet northerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the western line of Boston road.

1st. Thence northerly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street for 60.63 feet.

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 98 degrees 17 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 691.19 feet to the northern line of Boston road.

3d. Thence easterly along the northern line of Boston road on the arc of a circle of 1,450 feet radius for 80.10 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly for 629.39 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (legally opened as Tremont avenue) distant 731.30 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the western line of Boston road.

1st. Thence northerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street for 60.01 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 91 degrees 14 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 1,423.33 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street for 60.02 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly for 1,420.57 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 654.34 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the western line of Boston road.

1st. Thence northerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street for 60.02 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 88 degrees 36 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 295.17 feet to the southern line of Bronx Park.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Bronx Park for 60.55 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly for 288.50 feet to the point of beginning.

Vyse street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 12 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 City of New York on October 31, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, January 7, 1897.  
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 the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CROTONA PARK, NORTH (although not yet named by proper authority, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, near Southern Boulevard, 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 orders of the Supreme Court, bearing dates the 23d day of November, 1896, and the 11th day of December, 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 and premises required for the opening of 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 2d day of December, 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, 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 26th day of January, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 31, 1896.  
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, PETER RAFFERTY,  
JAMES J. MARTIN, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 2d day of December, 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 16th day of December, 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, 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 13th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 23, 1896.  
JAMES R. ELY, LEOPOLD W. HARBURGER,  
SAMUEL J. FOLEY, 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 GUN HILL ROAD, formerly Olin 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 23d day of November, 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 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, 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 25th day of January,

1897, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 31, 1896.  
WALTER LARGE, DAVID M. KOEHLER,  
JOHN J. HART, 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 VANDERBILT AVENUE, WEST (although not yet named by proper authority, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Pelham avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of November, 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 16th day of December, 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, 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 January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.  
EDWARD D. FARRELL, JOHN J. QUINLAN,  
FREDERICK M. MELLERT, 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 all the real estate not owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, or any right, title or interest therein not extinguishable by public authority, mentioned and described in the first section of an act entitled "An act to provide for an addition to RIVERSIDE PARK, in the City of New York, being chapter 727 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 7th day of December, 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 acquiring title to the above-mentioned addition to Riverside Park, 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 16th day of December, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the proportion of the benefit and advantage of said addition to Riverside Park 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, as provided for by chapter 727 of the Laws of 1896, 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 addition to Riverside Park, 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, 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 January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 24, 1896.  
HENRY L. NELSON, SAMUEL SANDERS,  
ALEX. T. MASON, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD.

THE CITY RECORD IS PUBLISHED DAILY, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, at No. 2 City Hall, New York City. Annual subscription, \$9.30, postage prepaid. JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor.