





The Comptroller presented the following:  
HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 24, 1895. To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Health Department, held September 24, 1895, the following resolution was adopted:  
Resolved, That for the proper care and prevention of contagious diseases in this city, it is necessary to continue in the service of this Board ten (10) Disinfectors for three months, at the rate of sixty-five dollars per month, from October 1, 1895, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to appropriate, pursuant to chapter 535, Laws of 1893, the sum of one thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars for this purpose.

A true copy.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 535 of the Laws of 1893, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby appropriates the sum of one thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,950) for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses required to be incurred by the Board of Health for the preservation of the health of the community, as specified in its resolution relating thereto, and to the employment of ten Disinfectors for three months at the rate of sixty-five dollars (\$65) per month, adopted September 24, 1895.

Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, September 5, 1895.

DEAR MR. FITCH—In connection with the paving of Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and for which \$80,000 has been appropriated, I wish to ask you whether, if I see my way clear to saving a certain amount on that contract, it can be applied to paving the block on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and the Fifty-ninth street crosswalk running from the Plaza Hotel to the Hotel Savoy. We are supposed to have charge of Fifth avenue, and have no funds to keep it in order. The roadway opposite the Hotel Netherland is in a dangerous condition and should have immediate attention. The estimated cost of doing this work is about \$3,000. I wish you would, on your part, say yes, and ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to give their approval.

Yours, very truly,

D. H. KING, President, Department of Public Parks.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

P. S.—The block above mentioned I propose to pave with asphalt.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 24, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The President of the Department of Public Parks in communication to the Comptroller of September 5, 1895, says: "In connection with the paving of Fifth avenue from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and for which \$80,000 has been appropriated, I wish to ask you whether, if I see my way clear to saving a certain amount on that contract, it can be applied to paving the block on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and the Fifty-ninth street crosswalk from the Plaza Hotel to the Hotel Savoy. We are supposed to have charge of Fifth avenue and have no funds to keep it in order. The roadway opposite the Hotel Netherland is in a dangerous condition and should have immediate attention. The estimated cost of doing this work is about \$3,000."

I have examined the roadway of Fifth avenue between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and find the pavement in great need of repair, especially in front of the Hotel Netherland, where it is sunken in some places, and in others exceedingly rough, being in holes from wear.

I can see no reason why, if it be found that the \$80,000 appropriated for the paving of Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, is more than sufficient for that work, a part of the excess should not be applied to this work, as suggested by the President.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Park Department be and is hereby authorized, after providing for the completion of the work of asphaltizing Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, under the authority of chapter 11 of the Laws of 1894, to expend out of any unexpended balance that may remain out of the appropriation heretofore made for said work an amount sufficient to pave with asphalt the block on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and the Fifty-ninth street crosswalk running from the Plaza Hotel to the Hotel Savoy.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 20, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The President of Department of Public Parks transmits with communication of 17th instant the plans for building a new roof over the gallery and floor tanks of the Aquarium.

These plans are sent in conformity with section 2, chapter 254, Laws of 1893, being a variation or modification of the plans submitted to the Board and approved in 1892.

They are sufficient for the purpose, and I have no doubt the change is necessary in order to give air and ventilation for the aquaria.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans of the Park Department for building a new roof over the gallery and floor tanks of the Aquarium, in Battery Park, this day submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be and the same are hereby approved.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Requisition is hereby made upon you, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for rapid transit railways in cities of over one million inhabitants," as amended by section 7 of chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894, by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, organized under the aforesaid act as amended, for the sum of fourteen thousand seven hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty-two cents (\$14,772.52), which is requisite and necessary (in addition to the unexpended balance of one thousand six hundred and eighty-two dollars and thirteen cents of the appropriation made on June 4, 1895, and to the unexpended balance of three thousand five hundred and sixty-four dollars and sixteen cents of the appropriation made on June 25, 1895) to properly enable said Board to do and perform, or to cause to be done and performed, the duties prescribed by the said statutes as amended.

Appended hereto is a statement (marked Schedule "A" and authenticated by the signatures of the President and Secretary of this Board) showing the purposes to which it is intended to apply the appropriation for which requisition is now made.

Appended hereto is also a further statement (marked Schedule "B" and authenticated in like manner) showing the details of the expenditure heretofore authorized by this Board from the said appropriation of June 4, 1895.

Appended hereto is also a further statement (marked Schedule "C" and authenticated in like manner) showing the details of the expenditure heretofore authorized by this Board from the appropriation of June 25, 1895.

This requisition is made and presented pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by the concurrent vote of five members of this Board at a regular meeting thereof, duly held on the twenty-fourth day of September, 1895.

In Witness whereof, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners has caused this requisition to be subscribed by its President and Secretary, and its official seal to be hereto affixed at the City of New York this 24th day of day of September, 1895.

[SEAL.]

A. E. ORR, President.

LEWIS L. DELAFIELD, Secretary.

SCHEDULE "A."

Purposes to which it is proposed to apply the appropriation for which requisition is now made:

1. Salaries of the Secretary and Messenger of the Board, respectively, from June 30 to December 31, 1895	\$1,609 98
2. Telephone rental for months of July to December, 1895, inclusive	120 00
3. Printing minutes of the Board from April 29 to December 31, 1895 (estimated)	450 00
4. Fees of William D. Parsons, Chief Engineer, for three months ending October 1, 1895	2,500 00
5. Disbursements of Chief Engineer for June, 1895	626 70
6. Rent of offices of Board for quarters ending August 1 and November 1, 1895, respectively	1,000 00
7. Disbursements of Chief Engineer for months of July and August	3,575 57
8. Disbursements of Chief Engineer for month of September, 1895 (estimated)	2,300 00
9. Fees of Messrs. Parsons, Shepard & Ogden, and Tracy, Boardman & Platt, counsel, for three months ending October 1, 1895	5,000 00
10. Disbursements and expenses of counsel for same period (in part estimated)	2,336 56
11. Printing to be done for Board other than printing of minutes (estimated)	250 00
12. Petty expenses of Board, including Stenographer's fees, typewriting, postage and furniture for office	250 00
Total estimate	\$20,018 81

Less unexpended balance:

1. Of appropriation of June 4, 1895	\$1,682 13
2. Of appropriation of June 25, 1895	3,564 16
	\$5,246 29
	\$14,772 52

LEWIS L. DELAFIELD, Secretary.

A. E. ORR, President.

SCHEDULE "B."

By resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly adopted on the 4th day of June, 1895, there was appropriated for the purposes of this Board the sum of \$17,751.19, and a balance of a former appropriation amounting to \$1,701.38, was rendered applicable to the same purposes, thus rendering available, for the purposes specified in the requisition of this Board dated May 7, 1895, the aggregate sum of \$19,452.57.

From this aggregate sum this Board has authorized expenditures to the extent of \$17,770.44, as hereinafter set forth, and there should therefore remain, to the credit of this Board, under the said appropriation, an unexpended balance of \$1,682.13.

The following is a statement showing the details of the expenditure authorized by this Board from the said appropriation of June 4, 1895:

June 1895.	4. Salary of Secretary and Messenger for two months ending May 31	\$536 66
"	4. Tracy, Boardman & Platt, and Parsons, Shepard & Ogden, counsel, fees and disbursements from January 1 to April 1, 1895	5,130 43
"	6. William B. Parsons, Chief Engineer, disbursements	142 71
"	6. Home Life Insurance Company, rent of offices, quarter ending May 1	500 00
"	6. Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, telephone rental	41 50
"	6. H. A. Rost, printing report of Chief Engineer	615 53
"	13. Disbursements of Chief Engineer	222 38
July	1. Salary of Secretary and Messenger for June	268 33
"	1. Fees of Chief Engineer for quarter ending July 1	2,500 00
"	1. Evening Post Job Printing Office, printing report to Common Council, etc.	295 66
"	1. Martin B. Brown & Co., printing minutes	266 89
"	1. Parsons, Shepard & Ogden, and Tracy, Boardman & Platt, counsel, fees for quarter ending July 1, and disbursements	6,824 85
Sept. 19.	19. Telephone rental for month of June	20 00
"	19. Evening Post Job Printing Office, for preparation of plates for use in printing report of the Board	405 50
Total		\$17,770 44

LEWIS L. DELAFIELD, Secretary.

A. E. ORR, President.

SCHEDULE "C."

By resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly adopted on the 25th day of June, 1895, there was duly appropriated for certain special purposes designated in a requisition made by this Board on April 11, 1895, the sum of \$5,000. From this appropriation this Board has authorized expenditures in the sum of \$1,435.84, for the purpose of paying a clerical assistant and canvassers employed to obtain the consents of property-holders to the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad. There should, therefore, remain to the credit of this Board, under the said appropriation, an unexpended balance of \$3,564.16, which may properly be rendered applicable to the purposes for which the present requisition is made.

LEWIS L. DELAFIELD, Secretary.

A. E. ORR, President.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, September 11, 1895. The Honorable WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of chapter 553 of the Laws of 1895 the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have authorized a lease of the third floor of the Constable Building, at Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue, for the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, and the Justices of that division have approved a plan and specifications for the necessary improvements and alterations to prepare and arrange that floor for the use of said court. It now becomes the duty of the Commissioner of Public Works to advertise, let and execute a contract for these alterations and improvements, and also to provide the court with such furniture, fittings and office supplies as the Justices or the Presiding Justice shall require and select. The act further provides that the expense thus incurred shall be met by the issue of Revenue Bonds.

The total expense for alterations, improvements, fittings, furniture and supplies is estimated at \$20,000, and I respectfully ask that the issue of bonds to that amount be authorized and appropriated to the use of the Commissioner of Public Works in carrying out the purposes of the act, so far as the same are delegated to him.

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 25, 1895.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioner of Public Works in communication of September 11, 1895, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, states that in pursuance of chapter 553, Laws of 1895, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have authorized the lease of the third floor of the Constable Building, Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue, for the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District; that the Justices of that division have approved a plan and specifications for the necessary improvements and alterations, and that it now becomes the duty of the Commissioner of Public Works to advertise, let and execute a contract for such alterations and improvements, and also to provide the court with such furniture, fittings and office supplies as the Judges shall require and select.

The Commissioner further states that the total expense for the alterations, improvements, fittings, furniture and supplies is estimated at the sum of \$20,000, and he asks that the issue of bonds for that amount be authorized and appropriated to the use of the Commissioner of Public Works in carrying out the purposes of the act.

I inclose the plans for the alterations, but I have no information relative to the items further than what is shown on them.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of chapter 553 of the Laws of 1895, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds of which shall be applied to the payment of the expenses of the necessary improvements and alterations to prepare and arrange the third floor of the Constable Building, at Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue for the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, and the amount necessary for the redemption of said bonds to be included in the Final Estimate for 1896.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, September 12, 1895. The Honorable WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Recently a part of the machinery or gearing of the draw-bridge over the Harlem Ship Canal was broken in turning the bridge, and repairs are urgently needed. The estimated cost of these repairs exceeds the amount available in the appropriation for the maintenance of the bridge by \$500. I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the said amount be transferred from "Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, etc.," for 1895, from which it can be spared, to "Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal—Maintenance of," for 1895.

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for 1895, entitled "Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening" the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for 1895, entitled "Bridge Over Harlem Ship Canal, Maintenance of," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, September 18, 1895. The Honorable WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—By a resolution adopted June 25, 1895, your Board authorized the repaving of a number of streets with asphalt "to be laid on the present stone block-pavement." Among these is the Boulevard, east side, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street. The present pavement on that part of the Boulevard, however, is not stone blocks, but Telford macadam pavement. To dispel any doubt as to the validity of the authorization in respect to this repaving, I respectfully ask your Board to adopt the inclosed resolution, authorizing the repaving with asphalt "to be laid on the present Telford foundation."

Very respectfully,

WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.



And offered the following :

Resolved, That, in pursuance of chapter 475 of the Laws of 1895, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes and determines that the Boulevard, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street, east side, be repaved with asphalt to be laid on the present Telford foundation, with crosswalks of North river blue stone at the intersecting and abutting streets where deemed necessary, except where the intersecting and abutting streets are also paved with asphalt.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

POLICE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 13, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller, New York City :

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day the following proceedings were had :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of twenty-two hundred and eighty-five dollars and forty-eight cents from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1893, entitled "Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house, Prison and Stable for the Twelfth Precinct," which is in excess of the amount required for the purpose and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the years 1894 and 1895, entitled "Contingent Expenses of the Central Department, etc.," which is insufficient to enable the Treasurer of said Department to pay bills rendered for payment for expenses incurred by the Police officers and others in investigation and securing evidence against disreputable houses.

1894, Contingent Expenses, etc. \$171 50  
1895, Contingent Expenses, etc. 2,113 98

Total \$2,285 48

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

Approved by THEODORE ROOSEVELT, A. D. ANDREWS, FREDERICK D. GRANT, Police Commissioners.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand two hundred and eighty-five dollars and forty-eight cents (\$2,285.48) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1893, entitled "For the Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison and Stable for Patrol-wagons for the Twelfth Precinct," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the following appropriations made to said Department and as follows :

"Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, etc.," for 1894 .. \$171 50  
"Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, etc.," for 1895 .. 2,113 98

\$2,285 48

—the amount of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following :

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 25, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller, New York City :

SIR—Inclosed please find the following pay-rolls for audit and payment on account of Revenue Bond Fund, pursuant to chapter 535, Laws of 1893, and as per resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated as follows :

June 25, 1895, 11 Disinfectors, \$637 ; August 22, 1895, 22 Sanitary Inspectors, \$2,073.32 ; August 22, 1895, 15 Medical Inspectors, \$1,500 ; August 30, 1895, 6 Milk Inspectors, \$333.34 ; total, \$4,543.66.

Very respectfully,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 535 of the Laws of 1893, the following pay-rolls of the Health Department for the month of September, 1895, for expenses incurred under resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated as follows, viz. :

June 25, 1895, 11 Disinfectors, \$637 ; August 22, 1895, 22 Sanitary Inspectors, \$2,073.32 ; August 22, 1895, 15 Medical Inspectors, \$1,500 ; August 30, 1895, 6 Milk Inspectors, \$333.34—Total, \$4,543.66.

—be and the same are hereby approved, and the Comptroller is authorized to pay the amounts thereon approved and certified to be due to the persons entitled thereto, and to issue Revenue Bonds of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to the amount of four thousand five hundred and forty-three dollars and sixty-six cents (\$4,543.66) for the payment thereof, on account of the aforesaid appropriations made by this Board ; said bonds to bear interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and the amount required for the redemption thereof to be included in the Final Estimate for 1896.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The President of the Department of Taxes was excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

The Comptroller presented the following :

FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, September 25, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, City :

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith bill of T. P. Galligan & Son, for \$3,414, under the provisions of section 502 as amended of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the same being for work done from August 8 to August 20, 1895, in searching ruins at the Ireland building, northeast corner of Third street and West Broadway, with the request that the matter receive your attention.

Very respectfully,

O. H. LAGRANGE, President.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That an opinion be requested of the Counsel to the Corporation as to whether or not, in case it is discovered that the fall of the building is due to false construction for which the owners, contractors or others are fairly chargeable, the City should not take steps to recover such expenses as these.

Which was adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following :

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, June 5, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller :

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith bill of T. P. Galligan & Son for \$90, under the provisions of section 502, as amended, of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the same being for work done on April 12, 1895, in searching ruins of fire at Nos. 697 and 699 Columbus avenue, with the request that the matter receive your attention.

Very respectfully,

O. H. LAGRANGE, President.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 502 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to the amount of ninety dollars (\$90), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and the amount required for the redemption thereof to be included in the Final Estimate for the year 1896 ; and that out of the proceeds of said bonds the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay the bill of T. P. Galligan & Son for searching ruins at Nos. 697 and 699 Columbus avenue.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller presented the following :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 19, 1895.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :  
GENTLEMEN—The amount of the appropriation for "Advertising" included in the Final Estimate for 1895 was \$20,000. In addition to the usual and ordinary charges against this account, however, the Legislature, by chapter 9 of the Laws of 1895, relating to the publication of notices of public hearings by the Mayor on city bills, created a new charge against said appropriation, which could not have been foreseen at the time of making the Final Estimate for 1895. The amount paid for advertising ordered by the Mayor up to September 6, 1895, from the "Advertising" account is \$3,255. There is an unexpended balance remaining of the appropriation made in the Final Estimate for 1895, entitled, "Claim of Henry H. Brown for Value of Land Taken for Opening One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street, etc.," of \$3,742.

I offer the following resolution to transfer the last-mentioned amount to the "Advertising" account, for which it will be needed.

Respectfully,

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand seven hundred and forty-two dollars (\$3,742) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made in the Final Estimate for 1895, entitled "Claim of Henry H. Brown for Value of Land Taken for Opening One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street, etc.," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation included in said Final Estimate entitled "Advertising," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That, in pursuance of chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue Assessment Bonds of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and payable on or after November 1, 1896, for the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500), the proceeds of which shall be applied to the payment of the bill of Thomas C. O'Sullivan, for professional services rendered as special counsel in the proceedings before the Commissioners appointed under chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892, as taxed before Hon. Henry R. Beekman, a Justice of the Supreme Court, on the 18th day of September, 1895.

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller presented the following :

AMERICAN SANITATION COMPANY, NEW YORK, September 17, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller of the City of New York :

DEAR SIR—I desire to respectfully request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in case of their action to-day as suggested in the Daily Press, on the question of final disposition of the ashes and garbage of the city, that they at their own time and convenience will appoint a day for a public hearing of those persons or corporations desiring to make a bid for such disposition, in order that they may clearly demonstrate and explain in person or by attorney the methods they are desirous of using, and such other information as may be pertinent in enabling your Honorable Board to arrive at a decision with benefit to the city's interests.

Yours respectfully, P. P. QUACKENBOSCH.

Referred to the Special Committee on Final Disposition of Garbage, Ashes, etc., appointed August 1, and consisting of the Mayor and President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the "Excise Fund," under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children, in the month of August, 1895, committed by Magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law.

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE PER WEEK.	AMOUNT.
Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.....	1,076	32,776	\$2 00	\$9,304 57
Institution of Mercy .....	1,058	32,323	2 00	9,233 14
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	943	29,107	2 00	8,310 29
Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	642	19,715	2 00	5,632 86
Asylum Sisters of St. Dominic.....	432	13,210	2 00	3,774 20
St. Joseph's Asylum.....	408	12,407	2 00	6,087 71
Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory.....	369	12,430	2 00	3,553 14
St. Agatha Home for Children.....	369	12,353	2 00	3,443 71
St. James' Home .....	104	3,217	2 00	91 14
Association for the Benefit of Colored Orphans.....	192	5,823	2 00	1,663 71
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.....	185	5,244	2 00	1,408 28
Five Points House of Industry.....	258	7,834	2 00	2,238 29
Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul .....	113	3,432		
		Less over-charge, 61	2 00	963 16
		Net, 3,371		
St. Michael's Home.....	69	2,139	2 00	611 14
St. Ann's Home.....	387	12,433	2 00	3,266 57
Association for Benefiting Children and Young Girls.....	237	7,219	2 00	2,062 57
St. Elizabeth's Industrial School.....	68	1,992	2 00	563 14
Hebrew Infant Asylum.....	7	171	2 00	48 86
Total.....				\$63,640 57

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the "Excise Fund," under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children, in the month of July, 1895, committed by Magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law :

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE.	AMOUNT.
Ladies' Deborah Nursery and Child's Protectory.....	414	12,554	\$2 per week	\$3,586 86
Hebrew Infant Asylum .....	5	131	"	37 41
Total.....				\$3,624 27

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the amounts following be and hereby are appropriated from the "Excise Fund," under the provisions of section 210, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), for the support of children, in the month of June, 1895, committed by Magistrates to the institutions named, pursuant to law :

NAME.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.	NUMBER OF DAYS.	RATE.	AMOUNT.
Hebrew Infant Asylum.....	5	67	\$2 per week.	\$19 14

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred and seventy-one dollars and ninety-two cents (\$671.92) be and hereby is appropriated from the "Excise Fund" to the "Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls," for the support of seventy-six (76) inmates in the month of August, 1895, aggregating one thousand six hundred and thirty-five days, at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, pursuant to section 208, chapter 410, Laws of 1882 (New York City Consolidation Act of 1882).

Which was adopted by the following vote : Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen—3.

The Comptroller presented the following :

HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, NEW YORK, September 26, 1895. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller :

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith three reports and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education September 18, viz. :

1. Appropriating \$40 for surveys at No. 365 West Thirty-fifth street and Nos. 108 and 110 East Eighty-eighth street.
2. Appropriating \$65 for surveys at Anthony and Tremont avenues and Mount Hope place.
3. Appropriating \$6,900 for repairs to schools in annexed district.

Respectfully yours, ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS, NEW YORK. The repairs necessary to be made to place the premises in safe condition, it is estimated will cost as follows : Wakefield School, \$3,900 ; Westchester School No. 1, \$3,000.

The Board has no fund at its disposal to permit of the repairs being made, and it is recommended that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to provide the necessary funds.

The following resolution is recommended for adoption :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to provide the sum of \$6,900, for the purpose of repairing school buildings in the newly annexed district, known as the Wakefield School and the Westchester School No. 1, the same being an emergency, the Board of Education not having the funds at its disposal to permit of the repairs being made.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. VAN ARSDALE, CHARLES C. WEHRUM, WM. H. HURLBUT, EDWD. H. PEASLEE, Committee on Buildings.

Commissioner Van Arsdale asked and obtained unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of said report.

The President put the question whether the Board would adopt the resolution attached to the report of the Committee, and it was decided in the affirmative.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education September 18, 1895.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk, Board of Education.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS, NEW YORK. Commissioner Little presented a report from the Committee on Buildings, stating that the Superintendent of School Buildings incurred a bill of \$65, dated July 26, for a building survey of property on Anthony and Tremont avenues and Mount Hope place, by Francis W. Ford.

The bill was necessarily incurred to enable the Superintendent to prepare his plans for a new school building which is to be erected on the property referred to, title to which has recently been transferred to the City.

Your Committee recommends that the bill be paid, and submits the following resolution for adoption :



Resolved, That the sum of sixty-five dollars (\$65) be and the same is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of bonds to be issued by the Comptroller of the City of New York, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 88 of the Laws of 1895, application for the issue of which is hereby made, said sum to be applied in payment of the bills of Francis W. Ford, dated July 26, 1895, for a building survey of property on Anthony and Tremont avenues and Mount Hope place, requisition for which sum is hereby made upon the Comptroller.

JOSEPH J. LITTLE, W. J. VAN ARSDALE, CHARLES C. WEHRUM, CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, EDWD. H. PEASLEE, WM. H. HURLBUT, Committee on Buildings.

The Finance Committee respectfully reports that the Board will have the financial ability to pay the bill as named in the foregoing resolution, when the bonds shall be issued.

CHARLES C. WEHRUM, W. J. VAN ARSDALE, PHILIP MEIROWITZ, EDWD. H. PEASLEE, Finance Committee.

A true copy of resolution adopted by Board of Education September 18, 1895.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk, Board of Education.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, NEW YORK.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Commissioner Little presented a report from the Committee on Buildings, stating that they have received two bills of Francis W. Ford, dated May 31, 1895, for building surveys, incurred by the Superintendent of School Buildings, viz.:

Survey of Nos. 108 and 110 East Eighty-eighth street..... \$25 00  
Survey of No. 365 West Thirty-fifth street..... 15 00

These bills were necessarily incurred to enable the Superintendent to prepare plans for altering and improving, etc., property acquired for school purposes.

The following resolution is recommended for adoption:

Resolved, That the sum of forty dollars (\$40) be and the same is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of bonds to be issued by the Comptroller of the City of New York, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 88 of the Laws of 1895, application for issue of which is hereby made, said sum to be applied in payment of the following-named bills, dated May 31, 1895, for building surveys:

Property No. 365 West Thirty-fifth street..... \$15 00  
Property Nos. 108 and 110 East Eighty-eighth street..... 25 00

requisition for which sum is hereby made upon the Comptroller.

JOSEPH J. LITTLE, W. J. VAN ARSDALE, CHARLES C. WEHRUM, CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, EDWD. H. PEASLEE, WM. H. HURLBUT, Committee on Buildings.

The Finance Committee respectfully reports that the Board has the financial ability to pay the bills as named in the foregoing resolution, when the bonds shall be issued.

CHARLES C. WEHRUM, W. J. VAN ARSDALE, PHILIP MEIROWITZ, EDWD. H. PEASLEE, Finance Committee.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education September 18, 1895.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk, Board of Education.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The following communication was received:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NEW YORK, September 19, 1895. *The Honorable*  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith, for approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, a new map of lands required for the Willis Avenue Bridge, said map having been amended from the original map to meet the views of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Please return the map to me as early as possible, and oblige,

Yours, respectfully, WM. BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

(Inclosure.)

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING. Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1895.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK, September 19, 1895. *Hon. W. L. STRONG, Mayor:* SIR—

I transmit herewith a report of the operations of the Department of Street Cleaning, as required by law, for the quarter ending June 30, 1895. Respectfully,

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

A REPORT OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1895.

*Area of Streets Swept.*

Number of miles of streets cleaned..... 393

*Cart-loads of Refuse Material Collected.*

NOTE—The proportion of ashes and garbage to street sweepings is approximate, being partially estimated.

MONTHS.	ASHES AND GARBAGE.	STREET SWEEPINGS.	TOTAL CART-LOADS OF MATERIAL COLLECTED.
April.....	107,282	34,517	.....
May.....	102,960	33,425	.....
June.....	92,798	39,459	.....
Total.....	303,040	98,401	401,441

*Final Disposition of Refuse Material.*

MONTHS.	ON BOATS.		FOR FILLING IN LOTS, ETC., DELIVERED BY CARTS.
	Boat-loads.	Cart-loads.	Cart-loads.
April.....	419	132,166	3,236
May.....	445	141,345	2,159
June.....	378	120,054	2,426
Total.....	1,242	393,565	7,821

Cart-loads delivered and disposed of..... 401,386

Cart-loads remaining on scows at dumps, March 31, 1895..... 3,119

Cart-loads remaining on scows at dumps, June 30, 1895..... 3,174

Difference..... 55

Cart-loads collected..... 401,441

*Expenditures in Detail.*

	ADMINISTRATION.	SWEEPING.	CARTING.
April.....	\$17,031 81	\$105,098 93	\$72,784 80
May.....	17,000 52	107,578 76	70,407 33
June.....	17,055 23	95,324 67	67,374 53
Total.....	\$51,087 56	\$308,002 36	\$210,566 66

	FINAL DISPOSITION.	NEW STOCK AND BOND ACCOUNT.	RENTALS AND CONTINGENCIES.	GRAND TOTAL.
April.....	\$40,429 04	\$33,496 50	\$6,450 76	\$74,376 30
May.....	38,433 42	9,675 00	6,374 79	54,483 21
June.....	33,736 52	5,162 50	6,313 17	44,212 19
Total.....	\$112,598 98	\$48,334 00	\$19,138 72	\$180,071 70

Number of articles at Corporation Yard, March 31, 1895..... 420

Number of articles seized as incumbrances during the three months ending June 30, 1895..... 3,301

Number of such articles redeemed by owners..... 3,721

Number of articles sold at auction..... 2,873

Number of articles remaining to be redeemed or sold June 30, 1895..... 281

Number of articles remaining to be redeemed or sold June 30, 1895..... 567

Amount received for redemption of incumbrances and transmitted to City Chamberlain for quarter ending June 30, 1895..... \$13,318 07

*Moneys Collected and Paid to City Chamberlain for Trimming Scows, Proceeds of Public Sales and Fines.*

April..... \$7,729 25  
May..... 5,894 82  
June..... 6,478 50

Total..... \$20,102 57

Respectfully, GEO. E. WARING, JR., Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

### 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 September 28, 1895.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
					Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 22	30.040	30.000	29.982	30.007	30.052	9 A. M.	29.972	12 P. M.
Monday, 23	29.988	29.900	29.910	29.933	29.988	7 A. M.	29.886	3 P. M.
Tuesday, 24	30.088	30.042	30.038	30.056	30.106	9 A. M.	29.948	0 A. M.
Wednesday, 25	30.100	30.030	30.000	30.043	30.110	9 A. M.	29.970	12 P. M.
Thursday, 26	29.896	29.744	29.774	29.805	29.970	0 A. M.	29.730	5 P. M.
Friday, 27	29.842	29.848	30.000	29.897	30.004	12 P. M.	29.770	0 A. M.
Saturday, 28	30.100	30.056	30.030	30.062	30.114	12 A. M.	30.004	0 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.972 inches.

Maximum " at 10 A. M., Sept. 28th..... 30.114 "

Minimum " at 5 P. M., Sept. 26th..... 29.730 "

Range "..... .384 "

Thermometers.

DATE. — SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM.				
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.		Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.		Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday, 22	77	70	93	77	83	73	84.5	73.3	95	4 P. M.	80	5 P. M.	75	6 A. M.	70	6 A. M.	143.	1 P. M.	
Monday, 23	77	70	95	76	85	72	85.6	73.3	97	4 P. M.	77	3 P. M.	76	6 A. M.	70	6 A. M.	140.	1 P. M.	
Tuesday, 24	63	56	70	61	69	64	67.3	59.6	80	4 A. M.	72	0 A. M.	63	9 A. M.	56	9 A. M.	180.	1 P. M.	
Wednesday, 25	63	58	74	66	72	69	69.0	64.3	77	3 P. M.	70	12 P. M.	68	4 A. M.	55	4 A. M.	122.	1 P. M.	
Thursday, 26	75	71	90	77	78	71	81.0	73.0	90	2 P. M.	77	2 P. M.	73	0 A. M.	70	0 A. M.	130.	12 M.	
Friday, 27	65	57	71	57	60	53	61.0	55.6	74	0 A. M.	70	0 A. M.	58	12 P. M.	51	12 P. M.	122.	12 M.	
Saturday, 28	56	51	66	59	61	53	61.0	55.6	68	4 P. M.	60	4 P. M.	54	5 A. M.	49	5 A. M.	126.	12 M.	

Mean for the week..... 73.4 degrees.

Maximum " at 4 P. M., 23d..... 97 " at 5 P. M., 22d..... 80 "

Minimum " at 5 A. M., 28th..... 54 " at 5 A. M., 28th..... 49 "

Range "..... 43 "..... 31 "

Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M. 9 P. M.	2 P. M. 9 P. M.	2 P. M. 9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.													
Sunday,	22...	WNW	NW	SSW	10	21	23	54	0	0	0	¾	2.30 P.M.
Monday,	23...	WSW	WSW	W	18	44	49	111	0	1	0	2½	1.30 P.M.
Tuesday,	24...	N	W	SSW	64	30	14	108	0	0	0	2	2.40 A.M.
Wednesday,	25...	NE	SE	SSE	21	32	37	60	0	0	¾	¾	1.30 P.M.
Thursday,	26...	SSW	SSW	W	51	76	74	201	0	1¾	1¾	19	5.15 P.M.
Friday,	27...	NW	NNW	NNW	35	68	58	161	0	1½	0	3¾	3.10 P.M.
Saturday,	28...	N	ESE	ESE	51	32	35	118	¼	0	0	3	4 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 843 miles.

Maximum force..... 19 pounds.

DATE.	HYGROMETER.				CLOUDS.			RAIN AND SNOW. OZONE.			
	FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.		O.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.		O.	O.
SEPTEMBER.	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.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 22	.639	.711	.677	.675	0	3 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monday, 23	.639	.640	.601	.626	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuesday, 24	.356	.416	.462	.411	3 Cir. Cu	2 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wednesday, 25	.416	.532	.668	.538	8 Cu.	4 Cir.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thursday, 26	.704	.752	.664	.706	8 Cu.	3 Cu.	10	4:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.	1.15	0.16
Friday, 27	.359	.280	.310	.316	4 Cir.	0	0	9:30 P. M.	11 P. M.	1.30	0.05
Saturday, 28	.308	.407	.383	.366	0	3 Cir. Cu	0	.....	.....	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... .21 inch.

Duration for the week..... 2 hours 45 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.		
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, Sept. 22	Hot, close	.....	.....	Hot, sultry.	.....	.....
Monday, " 23	Hot, hazy	.....	.....	Hot, sultry.	.....	.....
Tuesday, " 24	Mild, pleasant	.....	.....	Mild, pleasant.	.....	.....
Wednesday, " 25	Mild, pleasant, cloudy	.....	.....	Warm, pleasant.	.....	.....
Thursday, " 26	Close, hazy	.....	.....	Warm, pleasant; lightning and thunder 8 P. M.	.....	.....
Friday, " 27	Mild, pleasant	.....	.....	Warm, hazy.	.....	.....
Saturday, " 28	Mild, pleasant	.....	.....	Mild, pleasant.	.....	.....

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, September 2, 1895.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending August 24, 1895:

*Public Moneys Received during the Week.*—For Croton water rents, \$45,948.24; for penalties, water rents, \$279.65; for tapping Croton pipes, \$161.50; for sewer permits, \$406.56; for restoring and repaving—Special Fund, \$2,664.40; for redemption of obstructions seized, \$26.50; for vault permits, \$4,289.42; total, \$53,776.27.

*Public Lamps.*—6 new lamps lighted, 7 new lamps erected, 3 old lamps discontinued, 14 lamp-posts removed, 4 lamp-posts reset, 9 lamp-posts straightened, 12 columns relined, 2 columns refitted, 11 service pipes refitted, 5 stand-pipes refitted.

*Permits Issued.*—34 permits to tap Croton pipes, 39 permits to open streets, 16 permits to make sewer connections, 26 permits to repair sewer connections, 136 permits to place building material on streets, 23 permits, special, 6 permits to construct street vaults.

*Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.*—21 receiving-basins relieved, 119 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 5,872 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 2,000 lineal feet of sewer relieved, 6,530 lineal feet of sewer examined, 26 lineal feet new pipe sewer laid, 9 lineal feet new pipe culvert laid, 4 lineal feet curb reset, 5 manhole heads reset, 4 basin-heads repaired, 3 new manhole heads and covers put on, 4 new basin hoods put in, 1 new basin grate put in, 1 new basin-head and cover put on, 2 new manhole covers put on, 1 new basin cover put on, 94 cubic feet of brickwork built, 46 square yards



of pavement relaid, 30 square feet of flagging relaid, 158 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 2 cart-loads of earth filling, 298 cart-loads of dirt removed.

**Obstructions Removed.**—49 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

**Repairs to Pavement.**—7,129 square yards of pavement repaired.

**Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending August 24, 1895.**

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TRAMS.	CARTS
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	36	118	7	10
Laying Croton Pipes.....	3	14	1	2
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	57	115	1	23
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	..	21	3	1
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	5	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	22	49	..	27
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements .....	172	102	2	61
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	20	61	17	4
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	14	42	10	4
Total.....	329	612	41	132

#### Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Sewer in 114th st., bet. Amsterdam ave. and Morningside ave., West ..	Twomey & Devlin.....	\$4,224 07
Crosswalk across Western Boulevard, north and south sides 99th st....	W. J. Ford.....	168 22

#### Assessment Work Completed.

NATURE OF WORK.	LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
Paving.....	136th st., from 5th to Madison ave.....	\$4,550 73
"	132d st., from 12th ave. to New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks.....	773 51
"	Convent ave., from 146th to 149th st.....	9,623 30
Sewer.....	98th st., bet. Riverside and West End aves.....	3,088 70
Paving.....	Broad st., from Pearl to South st.....	8,049 28

**Requisitions on the Comptroller.**—The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$162,109.96.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, No. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, October 3, 1895.

##### Supervisor of the City Record:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 51 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, I hereby notify you that on October 1, 1895, I appointed Charles R. Shopland, of No. 318 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, as an Engraving Clerk in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, for the balance of the year 1895, in the place of Henry I. Weinberg, removed.

Yours respectfully,  
WM. H. TEN EYCK,  
Clerk of the Common Council.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, October 2, 1895.

The Counsel to the Corporation has this day appointed George H. Cowie, No. 772 West End avenue, to be Junior Law Clerk, at the yearly salary of nine hundred dollars.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

Law Department. Street Pavement.

County Affairs.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.**—The Committee on Law Department will meet at Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street, on Thursday, October 3, 1895, at 3 P. M., to confer with the Commissioners regarding permits for stands.

**STREET PAVEMENT.**—The Committee on Street Pavement will hold a meeting on Friday, October 4, 1895, at 12 o'clock M., in Room 13, City Hall.

**COUNTY AFFAIRS.**—The Committee on County Affairs will hold a meeting on Friday, October 4, 1895, at 1 P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

WM. H. TEN EYCK,  
Clerk Common Council.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

**Mayor's Office.**—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Mayor's Marshal's Office.**—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Commissioners of Accounts.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Aqueduct Commissioners.**—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Armory Commissioners.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Clerk of Common Council.**—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Public Works.**—No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.**—No. 2622 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
**Department of Buildings.**—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Comptroller's Office.**—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Auditing Bureau.**—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.**—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.**—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
**City Chamberlain.**—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**City Paymaster.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Counsel to the Corporation.**—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**Public Administrator.**—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Corporation Attorney.**—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Bureau of Street Openings.**—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Police Department.**—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**Board of Education.**—No. 146 Grand street.  
**Department of Charities and Correction.**—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**First Department.**—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.

**Health Department.**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Department of Public Parks.**—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

**Department of Docks.**—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Department of Taxes and Assessments.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

**Board of Electrical Control.**—No. 1262 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Department of Street Cleaning.**—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Civil Service Board.**—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment.**—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Board of Assessors.**—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Board of Excise.**—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Sheriff's Office.**—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Register's Office.**—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Commissioner of Jurors.**—Room 127, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**County Clerk's Office.**—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**District Attorney's Office.**—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**The City Record Office.**—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**Governor's Room.**—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.

**Coroners' Office.**—New Criminal Court Building, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

**Surrogate's Court.**—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Supreme Court.**—Second floor, New County Court-house, 9.30 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10. Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18. Chambers, Room No. 17. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 23. Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15.

**Superior Court.**—Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 33. Equity Term, Room No. 26. Chambers, Room No. 33. Part I., Room No. 34. Part II., Room No. 35. Part III., Room No. 36. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 31. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Court of Common Pleas.**—Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 A. M. to adjournment. Part I., Room No. 26, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Part II., Room No. 24, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Court of General Sessions.**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

**City Court.**—City Hall. General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20; Part II., Room No. 21; Part III., Room No. 15; Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Over and Terminer Court.**—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.15 o'clock A. M.

**Court of Special Sessions.**—New Criminal Court Building, 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.

**District Civil Courts.**—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 910 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**City Magistrates Courts.**—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District

—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

#### ST. OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE** will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's office on Friday next, October 4, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business, and such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated New York, October 1, 1895.  
V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 3, 1895.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, October 16, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

**No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE PRESENT STONE BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, between First avenue and Avenue A.**

**No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE PRESENT TELLFORD FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THE BOULEVARD, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street (east side).**

**No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND BUILDING GUARD-RAIL ON BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Dyckman street.**

**No. 4. FOR SEWER IN BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE, between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and summit north.**

**No. 5. FOR SEWER IN CONVENT AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, with curves in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, and branch in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues.**

**No. 6. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN FIFTEENTH STREET, between First and Second avenues.**

**No. 7. FOR SEWERS IN NAEGLE AND ELEVENTH AVENUES, between Academy and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets, with curves for connecting sewers.**

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms Nos. 1, 5 and 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 27, 1895.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, October 9, 1895, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

**No. 1. FOR MAKING ALTERATIONS ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF THE CONSTABLE BUILDING FOR USE OF THE APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.**

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room No. 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-third Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, October 15, 1895, for Work, Materials, Fixtures, etc., for fitting-up the new manual training rooms at Grammer School No. 85.

JAMES A. FERGUSON, Chairman, J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, October 2, 1895.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, October 11, 1895, for supplying the Furniture required for the new school building, corner of Eighty-second street and West End avenue.

JACQUES H. HERTS, Chairman, R. S. TREACY, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, September 28, 1895.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS** of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards will sell at Public Auction, by James McCauley, Auctioneer, Buildings and parts of Buildings, Fences, etc., now standing within the lines of—

Courtlandt avenue, widening at its junction with Third avenue.

Longwood avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Tiffany street.

East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from the Southern Boulevard to West Farms road.

Union avenue, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Boston road.

East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, extending from Brook avenue to Courtlandt avenue.

East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Jerome to Sheridan avenue.

Nelson avenue, from Kemp place to Boscobel avenue.

Camman street, extending from Harlem River terrace to Fordham road.

Bailey avenue, from Boston avenue to Fort Independence street.

Vanderbilt avenue, West, from Pelham avenue to Webster avenue.

Decatur avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Webster avenue.

Wednesday, October 16, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., and following day if necessary.



The sale will begin on October 16, with and in front of premises numbered one on the catalogue.

#### TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-moneys to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale. The purchasers will be required to remove their property on or before the expiration of thirty days from the date of sale, and failing to do so they will forfeit the purchase money, and the Commissioner, at the expiration of that time, may enter and remove the buildings and structures, or cause a resale thereof. Purchasers will be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals or property by reason of the removal of said buildings, etc.

For further information and for catalogues apply at the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, No. 2622 Third Avenue.

By order of the Commissioner.  
JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Room No. 9, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, October 1, 1895.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the 32d auction sale of unclaimed property and condemned Police property of this Department will be sold at Public Auction, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, October 23, 1895, at 11 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, of the following property, viz.:

Revolvers, Pistols, Knives, Razors, Tools, Pocket-books, Horse-blankets, Robes, Mats, Male and Female Clothing, Hats, Valises, Shoes, Picture-frames, Pipes, Overcoats, Sewing-machine, Jelly, Herring, Peaches, Yeast, Liquor, Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Matting, Sample Cases, Cans Cotton Rope, 100 dozen Handkerchiefs, Signs, Cases Mustard, Prunes, Corn, Sponges and Toilet Articles, Furniture, Paper, and a lot of miscellaneous articles. For particulars see catalogues on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, New York, October 2, 1895.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold on Tuesday, October 15, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth Street.

By order of the Board.  
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1895.  
**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.

#### CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, September 23, 1895.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** open competitive examinations for the positions below mentioned will be held on the dates specified:  
October 5, BUILDING INSPECTOR.  
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 5023, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Convent Avenue and Summit East.

List 5024, No. 2. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between Riverside and West End Avenues.

List 5043, No. 3. Receiving-basins on the southeast corner of Vesey and Greenwich streets and on the northwest corner of Fulton and Greenwich streets.

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 One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Convent Avenue to east side of St. Nicholas terrace.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, from Riverside to West End Avenue.

No. 3. Block bounded by Fulton and Vesey streets, and Church and Greenwich streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, for confirmation on the 4th day of November, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, October 3, 1895.

**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 5022, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Elm Street, between Catharine Lane and Leonard Street, and in Leonard Street, between Elm Street and Broadway.

List 5038, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first Street and Twelfth Avenue.

List 5039, No. 3. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Seventy-fifth Street and Columbus 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. East side of Elm Street, from a point 50 feet south of Leonard Street to Franklin Street; both sides of Benson Place, from Leonard to Franklin Street; east side of Broadway, from Worth to Leonard Street; north side of Worth Street, from Broadway to Elm Street; both sides of Catharine Lane and Leonard Street, from Broadway to Elm Street, and west side of Elm Street, from Worth to Franklin Street.

No. 2. West side of Twelfth Avenue, extending northward from One Hundred and Thirty-first Street about 100 feet.

No. 3. North side of Seventy-fifth Street, from Central Park, West, to Columbus Avenue, and west side of Central Park, West, extending about 100 feet north of Seventy-fifth 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 24th day of November, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, October 2, 1895.

**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 4524, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Tinton Avenue, between Kelly Street and Home Street; Prospect Avenue, between Kelly Street and Westchester Avenue; Westchester Avenue, between Tinton Avenue and Prospect Avenue; Clifton Street, between Forest Avenue and Union Avenue; Forest Avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third Street and Home Street, and in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street, between Trinity and Union Avenues.

List 4947, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Cedar Place, from Cauldwell Avenue to Union Avenue.

List 4948, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in George Street, between Forest Avenue and Boston Road.

List 4950, No. 4. Branch sewers and appurtenances in Melrose Avenue, from Third Avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Street.

List 4951, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in Home Street, between Boston Road and Tinton Avenue.

List 4952, No. 6. Sewer and appurtenances in Melrose Avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-third Streets, with branches in One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, between Port Morris Branch Railroad and Courtland Avenue, and in Courtland Avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-third Streets.

List 4954, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Union Avenue, from existing sewer in Westchester Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street.

List 4958, No. 8. Sewers in Avenue D, between Tenth and Thirteenth Streets, and in Twelfth Street, between Avenue D and Dry Dock Street.

List 4962, No. 9. Sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas (west side), between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth Streets, with alteration and improvement to curve at One Hundred and Forty-first Street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

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 Tinton Avenue, from Kelly Street to Home Street; both sides of Prospect Avenue, from Kelly Street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street; both sides of Union Avenue, from Westchester Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street; both sides of Forest Avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street; both sides of Jackson Avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street; both sides of Trinity Avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street to George Street; both sides of Dawson Street, from Tinton Avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street; both sides of Kelly Street, from Prospect Avenue to a point distant about 175 feet east of Legget Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street and Legget Avenue, from Westchester Avenue to Kelly Street; both sides of Westchester Avenue, from Tinton to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Hewitt Place, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to Denman Place; both sides of Cedar Street and Denman Place, from Forest to Westchester Avenue; both sides of Clifton Street, from Forest to Union Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, from Forest to Prospect Avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street, from Trinity to Prospect Avenue; both sides of George Street, from Boston Road to Tinton Avenue, and both sides of Home Street, from Boston Road to Tinton Avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Cedar Place, from Cauldwell Avenue to Union Avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of George Street, from Forest Avenue to Boston Road, and both sides of Jackson Avenue, from George Street to Home Street.

No. 4. Both sides of Melrose Avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Street.

No. 5. Both sides of Home Street, from Boston Road to Tinton Avenue; east side of Boston Road, from a point distant about 318 feet south of Home Street to Jackson Avenue; both sides of Jackson Avenue, from Home Street to Boston Road, and both sides of Forest Avenue, from Home Street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street.

No. 6. Both sides of Melrose Avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-second Street to the New York and Harlem Railroad; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, from Brook to Courtland Avenue, and both sides of Courtland Avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-third Street.

No. 7. Both sides of Union Avenue, from Westchester Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street; both sides of Denman Place, from Union to Prospect Avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, from Union to Prospect Avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Avenue D, from Tenth to Thirteenth Street, and both sides of Twelfth and Thirteenth Streets, from Avenue D to a point distant about 300 feet westward.

No. 9. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth Streets, Hamilton Terrace and St. Nicholas Avenue.

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 28th day of October, 1895.

CHARLES E. WENDT, Chairman, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, EDWARD CAHILL, HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assessors.

NEW YORK, September 28, 1895.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

#### AUCTION SALE.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL** sell at Public Auction, on Tuesday, October 8, 1895, in Central Park, at 10 o'clock A. M., a quantity of stone and a quantity of bitumen or paving cement, consisting of—

633 blocks of granite, of varying dimensions (about 2,600 running feet).

About 140,000 trap-block paving-stones, now in gutters of Fifth Avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.

About 400 barrels of bitumen.

The stone will be sold at Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Tenth Street at the hour named, and the bitumen at Fifth Avenue and One Hundred and Sixth Street immediately thereafter.

The purchase-money must be paid at the time of sale, and the articles sold will be required to be removed from the park within ten days thereafter.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.  
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, September 27, 1895.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, the Arsenal, Central Park, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, October 9, 1895:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TELFORD PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF THE CITY ISLAND ROAD, between Bartow Station of the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and the westerly end of the approach to the City Island Bridge, over Pelham Bay in Pelham Bay Park.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TELFORD PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF THE PELHAM BRIDGE ROAD, from Eastchester

Bay to the northerly line of Pelham Bay Park, in Pelham Bay Park.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TELFORD PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF THE EASTERN BOULEVARD, from southerly line of Pelham Bay Park to Eastchester Bay, and the branch road from the Boulevard to the Baychester Station of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, in Pelham Bay Park.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH AVENUE, from Fifty-ninth Street to a point north of Sixtieth Street.

No. 5. PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALK ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET, from Seventh Avenue to the Fifth Avenue Plaza.

No. 6. PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALK ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, WHERE REQUIRED, between Sixtieth and Seventy-second Streets.

No. 7. PAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALK ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF CENTRAL PARK, WEST, WHERE REQUIRED, between Fifty-ninth and One Hundredth Streets.

No. 8. REPAIRING AND REPAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT THE WALKS IN AND AROUND THE CITY PARKS OTHER THAN CENTRAL PARK.

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

No. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
13,600 square yards of Telford pavement.

20 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.

6,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.

200 square yards rubble or cobble-stone pavement in gutters.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the 1st day of April, 1896, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
19,100 square yards of Telford pavement.

30 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.

1,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.

300 square yards rubble or cobble-stone pavement in gutters.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the 1st day of April, 1896, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is ELEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
26,550 square yards of Telford pavement.

50 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in culverts.

5,000 pounds of vitrified stoneware pipe in place.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed in accordance with the terms of this agreement on or before the 1st day of April, 1896, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
1,850 square yards of pavement of asphalt.

60 linear feet new blue-stone curb, five inches thick, to furnish and set.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS after the execution of the contract, and to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of December, 1895, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is FIFTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS.

No. 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
16,650 square feet of asphalt laid upon base prepared by Department.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS from execution of contract, and to be completed on or before December 1, 1895.

The penalty for non-completion within specified time will be TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS.

No. 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
23,000 square feet of asphalt laid upon base prepared by Department.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS from date of contract and be completed on or before December 1, 1895.

The penalty for non-completion within time specified will be TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS.

No. 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
84,000 square feet of asphalt laid upon base prepared by Department.

The work to be commenced within TEN DAYS from date of contract and be completed on or before December 1, 1895.

The penalty for non-completion within time specified will be TWENTY DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS.

No. 8, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
13,250 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, with concrete base.

12,000 square feet of pavement of rock asphalt, without concrete base.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be TWENTY CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS; the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are fixed at FOUR DOLLARS PER DAY.

The amount of security required is TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

On Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7, bidders must deposit with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks at least two days before making his bid, samples of materials he intends to use, as follows:

1st. Specimens of asphaltum, with a certificate stating where the asphaltum was mined.

2d. A specimen of asphaltic cement, with a statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface.

3d. Specimens of sand intended to be used.

4th. Specimens of pulverized carbonate of lime intended to be used.

5th. Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric, and a product of the first quality, and from the mines herein-after designated.

6th. A statement of the location and the capacity (in square yards per day) of the works or factory where the paving material is prepared.

Specimens must be furnished to the Department of Public Parks as often as may be required during the progress of the work.

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

Parks. Any bid accompanied by a sample of asphaltum which does not come up to the standard required by these specifications will be regarded as informal.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DAVID H. KING, JR., GEO. G. HAVEN, JAMES A. ROOSEVELT, A. D. JULLIARD, Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, October 1, 1895.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Assessment Rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1895, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment rolls are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment on or before the 1st day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 842 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz.: a reduction of interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the 1st day of December next.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

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

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

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO BROOK AVENUE; confirmed August 16, 1895; entered September 25, 1895. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Street, from Third Avenue to Brook Avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected there



**ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE PIER**  
and Approach at the foot of West Thirty-fourth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks,

estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no

NOTE.—The contractor will be required to furnish all the yellow pine timber of the above dimensions that may be required to do the work under these specifications.

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 the amount of *five per centum* of the







ter 189 of the Laws of 1893," which said map was filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 13th day of August, 1895, and a copy or duplicate thereof is on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at No. 31 Chambers street, in said City.

The following is a description of the real estate sought to be taken, or affected:

All that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the village of Mount Kisco, Town of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 3 and 7, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said northwesterly corner is formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Main street with the southerly line of Carpenter avenue, so called, and running north 38 degrees 26 minutes 10 seconds east along the southerly line of said Carpenter avenue 242.08 feet; thence south 54 degrees 31 minutes 30 seconds east 125 feet; thence north 59 degrees 0 minutes 50 seconds east 259.38 feet; thence south 32 degrees 03 minutes 50 seconds east 133.31 feet to the northerly line of Water street, so called; thence south 59 degrees 23 minutes west along said Water street 203.60 feet; thence south 62 degrees 44 minutes 10 seconds west still along said Water street 225.95 feet; thence south 73 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds west still along said Water street 52.36 feet; thence south 82 degrees 59 minutes west still along said Water street 19 feet; thence north 63 degrees 26 minutes 20 seconds west along the easterly side of Main street 25.43 feet; thence north 46 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds west along the easterly side of said Main street 107.77 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 14 to 18 inclusive, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said northeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Moger avenue, so called, with the westerly line of Main street and running south 50 degrees 47 minutes 20 seconds west along said Moger avenue 67.35 feet; thence south 43 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds west still along said Moger avenue 134.28 feet; thence south 41 degrees 4 minutes 10 seconds west still along said Moger avenue 0.5 feet; thence south 47 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds east 153.65 feet; thence north 48 degrees 3 minutes 20 seconds east 48.55 feet; thence north 47 degrees 12 minutes east 123.53 feet to the westerly line of Main street; thence along the westerly line of said Main street the following courses and distances: north 39 degrees 1 minute 40 seconds west 44.30 feet; north 35 degrees 3 minutes 50 seconds west 34.68 feet; north 35 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds west 39.25 feet; north 39 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds west 15.99 feet; north 34 degrees 22 minutes 20 seconds west 24.68 feet to the southerly line of said Moger avenue and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 19 to 26, inclusive, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Moger avenue, so called, with the westerly line of Main street, and running south 46 degrees 15 minutes 20 seconds west along said Moger avenue 75.26 feet; thence south 45 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds west still along said Moger avenue 222.52 feet; thence north 45 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds west 101.07 feet to the southerly line of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; thence north 47 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds east along the southerly line of said Railroad Company 241.91 feet; thence by a curved line to the left whose radius is 1,938 feet and still along the southerly line of said Railroad Company 85.7 feet to the westerly line of Main street; thence along the westerly line of said Main street the following courses and distances: south 33 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds east 58.42 feet; south 33 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds east 130.56 feet to the northerly line of said Moger avenue and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Towns of New Castle and Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 58, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Main street with the southerly line of Greene street, so called, and running south 12 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east along the westerly line of said Main street 41.23 feet; thence south 19 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds east still along the westerly line of said Main street 62.62 feet; thence south 26 degrees 58 minutes 30 seconds east still along the westerly line of said Main street 83.41 feet; thence north 66 degrees 6 minutes west 55.4 feet; thence north 32 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 182.67 feet to the southerly line of said Greene street; thence south 58 degrees 33 minutes 50 seconds east along the southerly line of said Greene street 287.13 feet; thence south 68 degrees 26 minutes 30 seconds east still along the southerly line of said Greene street 88.83 feet to the westerly line of said Main street and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the village of Mount Kisco, town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 83 to 87, inclusive, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the northerly line of the highway leading from Pleasantville to New Castle Corners with the division-line between the lands now or formerly of Anna L. Osgood and the parcel hereby described, and running along the northerly line of the above mentioned highway the following courses and distances: south 53 degrees 26 minutes 50 seconds west 88.24 feet; south 53 degrees 26 minutes west 104.87 feet; south 57 degrees 1 minute 30 seconds west 37.76 feet; south 59 degrees 1 minute 20 seconds west 25.08 feet; south 64 degrees 6 minutes 30 seconds west 39.78 feet; south 69 degrees 23 minutes 50 seconds west 44.10 feet; south 73 degrees 55 minutes west 78.55 feet; south 84 degrees 40 minutes 50 seconds west 60.04 feet; north 79 degrees 44 minutes west 30.17 feet; thence leaving said highway and running north 33 degrees 56 minutes 10 seconds west 18.45 feet; thence north 9 degrees 0 minutes 30 seconds west 292 feet; thence north 9 degrees 54 minutes west 630.74 feet; thence south 83 degrees 44 minutes east 366.91 feet; thence south 20 degrees 57 minutes 50 seconds east 299.53 feet; thence south 52 degrees 41 minutes 40 seconds east 219.81 feet to lands now or formerly of said Anna L. Osgood; thence along the lands now or formerly of said Anna L. Osgood the following courses and distances: south 33 degrees 23 minutes 50 seconds west 16.13 feet; south 33 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 21.55 feet; south 4 degrees 49 minutes 30 seconds west 55.33 feet; south 51 degrees 58 minutes 30 seconds east 65.09 feet; south 39 degrees 25 minutes 50 seconds east 64.28 feet to the northerly line of the above mentioned highway and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the village of Mount Kisco, town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 90, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southeast corner is formed by the intersection of the northerly line of the highway leading from Pleasantville to New Castle Corners with the division-line between lands now or formerly of George Van Kleeck and the parcel hereby described and running thence north 34 degrees 5 minutes 40 seconds west along lands now or formerly of said George Van Kleeck 66.16 feet; thence south 81 degrees 38 minutes west still along lands now or formerly of said George Van Kleeck 212.25 feet; thence south 66

degrees 50 minutes 20 seconds west still along lands now or formerly of said George Van Kleeck 99.17 feet; thence south 26 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds east 195.62 feet to the northerly line of the above mentioned highway; thence north 52 degrees 48 minutes east along the northerly line of said above mentioned highway 313.45 feet to lands now or formerly of said George Van Kleeck and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated as Parcel 92 on said map, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said northwesterly corner is formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Main street, so called, with the division-line between lands now or late of R. W. Leonard and the parcel hereby described and running north 22 degrees 19 minutes 40 seconds east along the easterly line of said Main street 71.67 feet; thence leaving said Main street and running south 70 degrees 31 minutes 10 seconds east 100 feet; thence south 22 degrees 43 minutes 10 seconds west 66.01 feet to the lands now or late of R. W. Leonard; thence north 73 degrees 46 minutes west along lands now or late of said R. W. Leonard 100 feet to the easterly line of said Main street and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated as Parcel 93 to 101, inclusive, on said map, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southwesterly corner is formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Main street with the northerly line of South Bedford avenue, so called, and running thence north 7 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds west along the easterly line of said Main street 184.37 feet; thence north 9 degrees 9 minutes 30 seconds west still along the easterly line of said Main street 124.57 feet; thence leaving said Main street and running south 72 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds east 478.34 feet; thence south 26 degrees 16 minutes west 300 feet to the northerly line of said South Bedford avenue; thence along the northerly line of said South Bedford avenue the following courses and distances: north 67 degrees 25 minutes 20 seconds west 82.20 feet; north 68 degrees 29 minutes west 68.16 feet; north 69 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds west 150.13 feet to the easterly side of said Main street and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 102, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said northeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Main street with the northerly line of Moger avenue, so called, and running south 46 degrees 15 minutes 20 seconds west along the northerly line of said Moger avenue 75.26 feet; thence south 45 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds west still along the northerly line of said Moger avenue 222.52 feet; thence north 45 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds west 101.07 feet to the southerly line thereof; thence north 41 degrees 4 minutes 10 seconds east along the southerly line of said avenue 0.5 feet; thence north 43 degrees 34 minutes 30 seconds east still along the southerly line of said avenue 134.28 feet; thence north 50 degrees 47 minutes 20 seconds east still along the southerly line of said avenue 67.35 feet to the westerly line of Main street; thence north 26 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds west along the westerly line of said Main street 42.51 feet to the northerly line of said Moger avenue and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 103, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Moger avenue, distant 151.37 feet southerly from the southerly line of School street, so called, and running along said Moger avenue and along Lexington avenue, the following courses and distances: south 39 degrees 51 minutes 20 seconds west 117.45 feet; south 28 degrees 52 minutes 20 seconds west 18.24 feet; south 9 degrees 43 minutes 10 seconds east 44.85 feet; south 6 degrees 41 minutes west 253.68 feet; thence leaving said Lexington avenue and running north 37 degrees 54 minutes east 348.36 feet; thence north 40 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 167.28 feet to the easterly line of said Moger avenue and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in the Village of Mount Kisco, Town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 110, 111, 112, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the parcel hereby described, which said southeasterly corner is formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Moger avenue with the northerly line of Lexington avenue and running north 40 degrees 10 minutes 40 seconds east along the westerly line of said Moger avenue 153.52 feet; thence leaving said avenue and running north 40 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds west 240.25 feet to the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; thence south 47 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds west along the lands of said Railroad Company 183.08 feet to the northerly line of said Lexington avenue; thence along the northerly line of said Lexington avenue the following courses and distances: south 46 degrees 27 minutes 10 seconds east 81.67 feet; south 47 degrees 36 minutes 40 seconds east 95.97 feet; south 47 degrees 10 minutes 20 seconds east 90.64 feet to the westerly line of said Moger avenue and the point or place of beginning.

Also, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying in Town of New Castle, Westchester County, N. Y., designated on said map as Parcel 113 and 114, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the centre of the highway leading from Kirby's to Sand's Mills about 220 feet southerly from a small burying ground situate on the easterly side of the above mentioned highway and running along the centre of the above mentioned highway the following courses and distances: north 16 degrees 42 minutes east 89.43 feet; north 9 degrees 2 minutes east 128.12 feet; north 1 degree 32 minutes east 151.27 feet; thence leaving said highway and running north 83 degrees 3 minutes west 491.6 feet; thence north 22 degrees 14 minutes east 362.37 feet; thence north 16 degrees 57 minutes east 256 feet to the centre line of the above mentioned highway; thence running along the centre of the above mentioned highway the following courses and distances: north 0 degrees 47 minutes west 152.30 feet; north 12 degrees 36 minutes west 126.30 feet; north 17 degrees 9 minutes west 252.27 feet; north 1 degree 22 minutes east 184.84 feet; north 3 degrees 22 minutes east 168.8 feet; north 11 degrees 31 minutes east 282 feet; north 16 degrees 35 minutes east 80.77 feet; thence leaving said highway and running south 62 degrees 27 minutes east 540.7 feet; thence south 4 degrees 48 minutes west 1,830.78 feet; thence south 4 degrees 44 minutes west 383.4 feet; thence north 86 degrees 5 minutes west 123.0 feet to the centre of the above mentioned highway and the point or place of beginning.

Intending to include in the preceding description the parcels of land designated on said map as Nos. 3, 7, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 58, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 90, 92, 99, 100, 101, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114.

Each of the above mentioned parcels is to be acquired in fee, except Parcels Nos. 110, 111 and 112, inclosed within the green lines on said map in which Parcels Nos. 110, 111, 112, the interest or estate set forth in the statement attached to the map is to be acquired, viz: Each of the said Parcels Nos. 110, 111, 112 shall be subjected to and made to comply with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health of the State of New York as adopted March 15, 1889, and amended August 25, 1893, a copy of which said rules and regulations is attached to said map.

The compliance with such rules and regulations will be made a condition running with the title to the said

property, and such rules and regulations shall be carried out and maintained under the direction, inspection and supervision and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York.

In all cases where streets or highways are acquired they will be left open for public travel forever, and no change be made in length, width or grade of same.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid in the office of the Register of said County, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken or affected.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, August 13, 1895.  
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 WEBSTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Moshulu Parkway to Bronx River road, 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 26th day of August, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of August, 1895, 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, second floor, No. 51 Chambers street, 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 October, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, October 2, 1895.  
JOHN DE WITT WARNER, WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY, ROBERT KELLY PRENTICE, 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 CAMMANN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Harlem river terrace to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated NEW YORK, September 23, 1895.  
GEORGE E. MOTT, THOMAS J. CREAMER, JULIUS WEIL, 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 and extending EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, 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 16th day of August, 1895, 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 19th day of September, 1895, 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, Room No. 1 (second floor), No. 51 Chambers street, 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 23d day of October, 1895, at 4 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, September 30, 1895.  
CHARLES V. GABRIEL, EDWARD MCCUE, PATRICK A. McMANUS, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Westchester avenue, 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 16th day of August, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of August, 1895, 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, Room No. 1, fourth floor, No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 10th day of October, 1895, at two 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, September 13, 1895.  
CHARLES L. GUY, JOHN FENNEL, EDWARD D. FARRELL, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 21st day of October, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 21st day of October, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at its office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of October, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: On the north by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets; on the south by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets; on the east by the United States bulkhead-line, and on the west by the easterly side of Edgecombe avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out as such area is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of November, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, September 6, 1895.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Chairman, WM. H. KLINKER, 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 to certain pieces or parcels of land for a PUBLIC PARK at AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, SEVENTH AVENUE and ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 30th day of June, 1895, 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 respect-



ively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned public 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 27th day of June, 1895; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said public park so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof, and by the act entitled "An act to provide for the location, acquisition, construction and improvement of additional public parks in the City of New York," passed May 13, 1887.

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, Room No. 1 (fourth floor), No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 4th day of October, 1895, 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 claimants and 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, September 9, 1895.  
GEO. C. HOLT, EDWARD MCCUE, WM. F. HULL, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of MADISON STREET, and the southerly side of HENRY STREET, between Pike and Rutgers streets, in the Seventh Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, 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 Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1895, 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 in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the northerly side of Madison street and the southerly side of Henry street, between Pike and Rutgers streets, in the Seventh Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: First—Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Madison street distant easterly 174 feet 7 inches from the intersection of the northerly line of Madison street with the easterly line of Pike street; running thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pike street 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly line of Madison street and part of the way along the present site of Grammar School No. 2, 75 feet 4 inches; thence southerly and parallel, or nearly so, with the easterly line of Pike street 100 feet to the northerly line of Madison street; thence westerly along said northerly line of Madison street 75 feet 11 inches to the point or place of beginning. Second—Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Henry street distant easterly 261 feet 5 inches from the intersection of the southerly line of Henry street with the easterly line of Pike street, which point is also the intersection of the southerly line of Henry street with the easterly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 2; running thence southerly along said easterly site of Grammar School No. 2 and parallel, or nearly so, with the easterly line of Pike street 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with Henry street 25 feet; thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Pike street 100 feet to the southerly line of Henry street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Henry street 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands at the northwesterly corner of SHERIFF and BROOME STREETS, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, 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 Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1895, 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 in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, at the northwesterly corner of Sheriff and Broome streets, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

visions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Broome street with the westerly side of Sheriff street; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Broome street 46 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Sheriff street 62 feet 5 inches; thence westerly and parallel with Broome street 3 feet 3 inches; thence northerly and nearly parallel with the westerly side of Sheriff street 25 feet 1 inch; thence easterly and parallel with Broome street 50 feet 1 1/2 inches to the westerly side of Sheriff street; thence southerly and along the westerly side of Sheriff street 87 feet 6 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 28th day of October, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of October, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, at the office, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of October, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly line of Moshulu Parkway; on the south by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Webster avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from Kingsbridge road to Brookline street, and thence by the westerly line of Webster avenue, from Brookline street midway to Cole street, and thence by the middle of the block between Decatur avenue and Webster avenue; and on the west by the easterly side of Marion avenue, from Kingsbridge road to the middle of the block between Brookline street and Cole street, and thence by the middle of the block between Decatur avenue and Marion avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened or laid out, as such area is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of November, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 16, 1895.  
WILLIS HOLLY, Chairman, JOHN T. FARLEY, 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 EDGEWATER ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to West Farms road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 16th day of August, 1895, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of August, 1895, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office (first floor), No. 51 Chambers street, 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 17th day of October, 1895, 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 claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 23, 1895.  
J. C. O'CONNOR, FREDERICK FOLZ, F. M. LORD, 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 and extending WILKINS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Boston road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 14th day of August, 1895, 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 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 19th day of August, 1895, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Room No. 1 (fourth floor), No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 9th day of October, 1895, 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 claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 16, 1895.  
RIGUAL D. WOODWARD, JOSEPH RILEY, EUGENE S. WILLARD, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on ORCHARD, HESTER and LUDLOW STREETS, in the Tenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, 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 Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1895, 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 in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on Orchard, Hester and Ludlow streets, in the Tenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Hester street with the westerly line of Ludlow street; running thence westerly along the said northerly line of Hester street 175 feet to the easterly line of Orchard street; thence northerly along said easterly line of Orchard street 125 feet 1 inch; thence easterly and parallel, or nearly so, with the northerly line of Hester street 175 feet to a point in the westerly line of Ludlow street distant northerly 125 feet 5 inches from the northerly line of Hester street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Ludlow street 125 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1895.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the southerly side of FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, 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 Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1895, 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 in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Forty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Forty-seventh street distant easterly 191 feet 6 inches from the intersection of the southerly line of Forty-seventh street with the easterly line of Third avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly line of Forty-seventh street 43 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of Third avenue 100 feet 5 inches to the centre line of the block between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets, which is also the northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 73; thence westerly along said centre line of the block and along the present site of Grammar School No. 73, 60 feet 5 inches; thence northeasterly 103 feet 8 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 20, 1895.  
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 LAFAYETTE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-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 23d day of August, 1895, 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 27th day of August, 1895; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, Room No. 1 (fourth floor), No. 2 Tryon Row, 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 10th day of October, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, September 16, 1895.  
ARTHUR H. MASTEN, WILLIAM C. HILL, JULIAN B. SHOPE, Commissioners.  
HENRY DE FOREST BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 2 Tryon Row, Room 1 (fourth floor), in said city, on or before the 21st day of October, 1895, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 21st day of October, 1895, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock a.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 21st day of October, 1895.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets; on the south by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, on the east by the United States bulkhead-line and on the west by the easterly side of Edgecombe avenue, excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened or laid out as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of November, 1895, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, September 7, 1895.  
G. M. SPIER, Chairman, JAMES F. C. BLACK-HURST, PAUL C. GRENING, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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