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Very respectfully, ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain.

1897. Oct. 9	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$13,964 44	1897. Sept. 30 Oct. 9	By Balance.....		\$9,189,415 08
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	5,028 00		Taxes.....	Austen.....	\$12,393,277 09
	Antitoxine Fund.....	1,330 33		Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	Gilon.....	31 10
	Armory Fund.....	250 00		Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	71,807 11
	Bridge over Harlem River—3d Ave.....	54,796 12		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	8,474 75
	Bridge over New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, etc.....	209 07		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	".....	73,524 85
	Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	330 38		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	".....	6,472 25
	Cathedral Parkway—Improvement and Construction.....	1,770 24		Interest on Assessments.....	".....	6,472 98
	Change of Grade, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	41,654 69		Towns of Westchester.....	".....	497 35
	Construction of New Bridge, Pelham Bay Park, etc.....	132 73		Interest—Towns of Westchester.....	".....	124 86
	Croton Water Fund.....	5,083 23		Fees—Towns of Westchester.....	".....	5 00
	Croton Water Rent Refunding Account.....	324 15		Water-meter Fund No. 2.....	".....	50 00
	Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	236 00		Interest on Setting Meters.....	".....	7 78
	Department of Public Charities—Building Fund.....	8,370 31		Additional Public Park Fund.....	".....	28 01
	Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock, etc.....	600 00		Harlem River Improvement Fund.....	".....	65 83
	Dock Fund.....	48,803 07		Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	".....	3 00
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension.....	80 79		Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—23d and 24th Wards.....	".....	21 11
	Excise Taxes.....	49,078 13		Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—23d and 24th Wards.....	".....	34 29
	Fire Department Fund—For Sites, etc.....	2,514 02		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	6 00
	Fire Hydrant Fund.....	1,248 32		Sundry Licenses.....	Healy.....	2,780 00
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	100 00		Restoring and Repaving—23d and 24th Wards.....	Haffen.....	342 02
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	43,614 51		Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	Collis.....	913 30
	Gouverneur Slip Hospital—Building Fund.....	24 00		Tapping Pipes.....	Johnson.....	317 00
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 194, Laws of 1896.....	29,377 59		Water-meter Fund, No. 2.....	".....	186 60
	Jerome Avenue Paving, etc.....	657 82		Intestate Estates.....	Comptroller.....	7 00
	Morningside Park—Construction of.....	32 32		Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	Golderman.....	466 88
	New East River Bridge Fund.....	7,316 05		Antitoxine Fund.....	".....	2,574 75
	Pelham Bay Park, etc.....	55 97		Hospital Fund.....	".....	200 00
	Police Pension Fund.....	75,000 00		Theatre and Concert Licenses.....	Mayor.....	600 00
	Public Buildings—7th and 12th District Courts.....	675 00		Register's Fees.....	Sohmer.....	7,245 39
	Public Driveway, Construction of.....	51,274 92		Reimbursement acc. Committed Children	S. P. C. C.....	1,975 00
	Public Park, 12th Ward, 14th to 15th St.....	400 00		Coroners' Fees.....	Fitzpatrick.....	108 50
	Public School Library Fund.....	400 00		County Clerk's Fees.....	Purroy.....	2,906 23
	Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund.....	5,784 30		Street Incumbrance Fund.....	Waring.....	56 30
	Rapid Transit Fund No. 2.....	4,754 45		Public Instruction.....	Timmerman.....	193 70
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	68 15		Excise Taxes.....	Hilliard.....	8,081 16
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	147 64		Additional Water Fund.....	Allan.....	3,800 00
	Repaving.....	28,436 60		Sheriff's Fees.....	Tamsen.....	6,163 22
	Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues—23d and 24th Wards.....	672 98		General Fund.....	Comptroller.....	\$13 67
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	4,168 48		".....	O'Brien.....	516 07
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—23d and 24th Wards.....	38 68		".....	Faure.....	1,072 47
	Revenue Bond Fund—Burnside Avenue Archway.....	445 91		".....	Scott.....	79 18
	Revenue Bond Fund—Claim and Demand, Parker, etc.....	5,416 45		".....	Haffen.....	925 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Compilation Arrears Taxes and Assessments.....	1,235 24		".....	Waring.....	852 90
	Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Fees.....	866 64		".....	Collis.....	1,767 88
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expert Accountants.....	3,885 00		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—College of the City of New York, New Sites, etc.....	Comr's Sinking Fund.....	350,000 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses Bridge, Harlem River, etc.....	5 00		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Construction of Viaduct, etc., New York and Hudson River Railroad, etc.....	".....	25,000 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	17,267 03		3 per cent. Consolidated Stock—Construction of Bridges, New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Tracks, etc.....	".....	15,000 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Readjustment of Water-pipes, 42d St. Reservoir.....	618 07		3 per cent. High School Bonds.....	".....	5,000 00
	Revenue Bonds, 1897.....	2,650,000 00		3 per cent. Revenue Bonds—Special—(Board of Health).....	".....	1,236 70
	Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction.....	5,774 98				13,054,977 7
	Sanitary Improvement—School-house Fund.....	1,800 00				\$22,244,392 8
	School-house Fund.....	105,828 38				
	Steel Beam Structure, Port Morris Branch, etc.....	454 15				
	Street Incumbrance Fund.....	22 50				
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	95,132 45				
	Temporary Bridge, etc., Bronx River.....	113 14				
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	83 28				
	Water-main Fund No. 2.....	2,648 02				
	Williamsbridge Sewer Fund.....	7,535 49				
	Advertising.....	\$2,963 72				



Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	\$60 00
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	156 66
Salaries—Consulting Engineer, etc.....	416 66
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	21,568 84
Salaries—Finance Department.....	3,945 29
Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	450 00
Salaries—Judiciary.....	29,449 70
Salaries—Law Department.....	2,816 64
Salaries—Medical School Inspection.....	4,632 33
Salaries—Register's Office.....	10,677 42
Salaries—Sheriff's Office.....	1,000 00
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	831 33
Sewers and Drains—23d and 24th Wards.....	1,385 28
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,018 12
Standard Bench Marks.....	17 41
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Sts.....	24 00
Supplies for Armories.....	813 16
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	2,283 12
Supplies for Police.....	10,687 60
Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail.....	260 61
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	6,229 86
Surveying, Laying-out and Making Topographical Surveys, etc.....	2,190 44
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	28 76
	\$1,763,582 46
Balance.....	\$5,204,179 17
	17,040,213 68
	\$22,244,392 85

THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with  
DR. ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain, during the week ending October 9, 1897. CR.

1897. Oct. 9	To Witness Fees.....	\$63 58	1897. Sept. 30	By Balance.....	\$762 46
	Balance.....	698 88			
		\$762 46			\$762 46

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1897. Oct. 9	To Jury Fees.....	\$908 00	1897. Sept. 30	By Balance.....	\$31,729 00
	Balance.....	30,821 00			
		\$31,729 00			\$31,729 00

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1897. Oct. 9	To Interest Registered.....	\$447,312 00	1897. Sept. 30	By Balance.....	\$20,106 78
	Balance.....	61,693 53		Interest Registered.....	488,808 75
		\$509,005 53			\$509,005 53

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ANSON G. MCCOOK, City Chamberlain.

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, October 5, 1897.  
The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, George B. Fowler, M. D., the Health Officer of the Port, the President of the Board of Police. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

M. O'Brien, \$63.26; T. P. Huffmann, \$68.85; Manhattan Ice Company, \$220.74; C. Golderman, \$300; Frank C. Langley, \$166.66; Thomas F. White, \$2,083.33; Thomas F. White, \$416.66; Jacob Fleischhauer, \$150; Dr. H. D. Gill, \$106.50; New York Veterinary College, \$859.43; P. Burns, \$32; Manhattan Ice Company, \$13.55.

The Attorney and Counsel presented the following Reports:

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

Orders received for prosecution, 455; attorneys' notices issued, 503; nuisances abated before suit, 270; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes (26 being for violation of chapter 415, Laws of 1897), 59; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 18; suits discontinued—by Board, 47; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 13; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; judgments opened by the Court, 1; transcripts filed, 0; executions issued, 0; judgments for the people—criminal suits, 12; judgments for defendant—criminal suits, 1; civil suits now pending, 445; criminal suits now pending, 26; money collected and paid to Cashier—civil suits, 0; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, \$240.

Orders received for prosecution, 210; attorneys' notices issued, 394; nuisances abated before suit, 264; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes (23 being for violation of chapter 415, Laws of 1897), 72; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 47; suits discontinued—by Board, 46; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 3; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; judgments opened by the Court, 1; transcripts filed, 0; executions issued, 0; judgments for the people—criminal suits, 15; judgments for defendant—criminal suits, 0; civil suits now pending, 445; criminal suits now pending, 35; money collected and paid to Cashier—civil suits, 0; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, \$135.

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

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

James D. McClelland, 2822; Clarence Gibbons, 2998; Edgar Ketcham, 3138; Sarah E. Taylor, 3142; Alice Freed, 3208; Caroline and Moses Barnett, 3209; Henry and Adrian Jackson, 3222; Ester Wolf, 3265; Kate Westerfield, 3288; Charles Lay, 3334; Solomon Ledenski, 3340; Caroline and Moses Barnett, 3353; Marion Conner, 3354; William F. White, 3362; Sarah E. Taylor, 3375; Sigmund Benkowitz, 3394; Charles E. Sonnerly, 3396; Kate Westerfield, 3408; Frederick Biehl, 3416; Edward Bertine, 3441; Michael Antonozzi, 3453; William Graham, 3455; Isaac J. Brown, 3464; Annie C. Wessell, 3470; Elizabeth Donovan, 3473; Louis Cavinato, 3484; Sigmund Levy, 3488; Abraham Rosen, 3490; Julius and Max Cohen, 3492; Samuel S. Hirschberg, 3493; Ernest Davis, 3494; American Label Company, 3497; Daniel Rothstein, 3502; Michael Spero, 3510; Audon Adler, 3518; Julius and Freund Goldstein and John Bonevit, 3520; Thomas Rutherford and Edwin Young, 3521; New York Feather Company 3523; Ferdinand T. Hopkins, 3524; Samuel and Isaac Sivin, 3527; Victor M. and Levison Louis Oppen, 3529; Peter J. Schneider, 3531; John J. Clancy, 3535; Robert Hayward, 3107; James Lynch, 3190; Frederick Mahoney, 3212; Simon Feist, 3237; Francis Conlin, 3244; James Lynch, 3380; Meyer Sire, 3388; Morris Jacoby, 3390; William Diaz, 3395; Samuel B. Goodale, 3403; Solomon Bachrach, 3452; Mitchell A. C. Levy, 3456; Mary Bullowa, 3459; August Bruns, 3474; William S. McCotter, 3505; Isaac J. Brown, 3517; Eugene Kahn, 3525; George and Weicker Theodore Merck, 3530; Godel Kurasch, 3592.

Report on application to record the birth of Jesse Fatman Rosenfeld.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the birth of Jesse Fatman Rosenfeld, born November 15, 1879, pursuant to section 607, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Report in respect to drainage on boundary line between Mount Vernon and New York City.

On motion, it was Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Superintendent Roberts and papers attached thereto in respect to the drainage of property situated on the northern boundary line of the City of New York, adjacent to the City of Mount Vernon, and a copy of the opinion of the Attorney and Counsel of this Department in respect thereto, be forwarded to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

Opinion as to the powers of the Board in the matter of a four track railroad on Amsterdam avenue. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly report of Sanitary Superintendent; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report from Reception Hospital; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital; ordered on file. 5th. Report on changes in the hospital service.

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

Riverside Hospital—W. B. Haughwout, Engineer, salary, \$720, resigned September 26, 1897. Reception Hospital—Annie Weir, Helper, salary, \$144, resigned September 30, 1897; Lizzie Crawley, Helper, salary, \$144, appointed October 1, 1897; John Smith, Orderly, salary, \$240, resigned August 31, 1897.

Willard Parker Hospital—Louise Gumph, Nurse, salary, \$360, appointed September 29, 1897; Grace Gable, Nurse, salary, \$360, resigned September 30, 1897; Nonette Cleary, Nurse, salary \$360, appointed October 1, 1897.

Arrears on C. W. R. Gilon.....	\$3,361 52
Interest on C. W. R. ".....	590 86
Croton Water R. & P. Johnson.....	120,331 43
House Rent.....	1,069 33
Ferry Rent.....	14,725 47
Water Lot Rent.....	59 40
Ground Rent.....	287 50

Court Fees & Fines—	
Bernard.....	\$305 00
Lynch.....	434 76
McGoldrick.....	2,232 33
Germaine.....	212 00
Demarest.....	1,839 00
Stewart.....	19 56
Murphy.....	479 50
Carroll.....	50 00
Williams.....	143 25
Costigan.....	160 50
Bloch.....	1,498 00
Mangin.....	358 00
Fuller.....	2,448 00
McCabe.....	167 00
Wagstaff.....	2 15
Kennedy.....	356 50
Galligan.....	323 50
Du Mahaut.....	187 15
Doremus.....	1,127 50
McDavitt.....	455 50
T. Libbits.....	1,919 50
Hayes.....	397 52
Thoma.....	1,692 50
	16,517 72

Fines and Penalties—	
O'Shea.....	\$511 00
Lyon.....	256 64
Kerr.....	3,310 00

Stenographers' Fees.....	4,077 54
Purroy.....	2,874 00

To Sinking Fund—Redemption.....	\$389,136 70
To Sinking Fund—Interest.....	\$153,227 50
To Balances.....	1,749,630 28
	\$2,138,766 98

October 9, 1897. By Balances..... \$1,749,630 28 \$601,487 23

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THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with  
ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending October 9, 1897.

1897. Oct. 9	To Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt—No. 2.....	\$156,940 26
	Revenue from Investments.....	129,192 50
	To Sinking Fund Redemption No. 2.....	\$286,132 76
		\$286,132 76

October 9, 1897. By Balance..... \$286,132 76

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Riverside Hospital—Mary Boyle, Ward Helper, salary, \$168, resigned September 30, 1897; Albert Winkler, Orderly, salary, \$360, resigned September 30, 1897; Nellie Bragat, Ward Helper, salary, \$168, discharged September 30, 1897; Fannie Quinn, Ward Helper, salary, \$168, discharged September 30, 1897.

Reports on open cable cars and on time passing around curves. Ordered on file. Report in respect to complaints made by lepers. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Report in respect to character of work performed by Roundsman Francis B. Fabri. Referred to the Police Department.

Report on premises 214½, 216, 218 and 218½ Broome street (proposed to be used as a school house). Ordered on file.

Report on probationary service of Daniel W. Poor.

Resolved, That Daniel W. Poor, Jr., provisionally employed as an Assistant Resident Physician in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed an Assistant Resident Physician in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Report in respect to absence without leave and conduct of Clerk Joseph F. Wilson.

The Secretary was directed to notify Clerk Joseph F. Wilson of his proposed removal, and that he will be allowed an opportunity of making an explanation in relation to the causes for such removal before this Board at its next meeting, to be held on Tuesday, October 12, at 12.30 o'clock, P. M.

6th. Report on application for leave of absence: On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted, as follows: Sanitary Superintendent Roberts, October 1 and 2; Assistant Resident Physician Bradley, from October 1 to 21, on account of illness; Assistant Resident Physician Poor, Jr., from October 1 to 31, on account of illness.

7th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses: On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than four hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses, it is Ordered, that the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

Order No. 948, No. 45 Mott street, rear house, first floor, south, Luigi Petro, adults, 2, children, 1; Order No. 949, No. 319 East Fifty-fourth street, third floor, rear, east, Nicolo Latituda, adults, 3, children, 7; Order No. 950, No. 215 Hester street, third floor, rear, Marie Sandoger, adults, 3, children, 2; Order No. 951, No. 215 Hester street, rear house, third floor, east, Palich Guna, adults, 2, children, 4; Order No. 952, No. 215 Hester street, rear house, fifth floor, west, James Delarda, adults, 3, children, 3; Order No. 953, No. 215 Hester street, rear house, fourth floor, east, James Cumenta, adults, 2, children, 4; Order No. 954, No. 211 Spring street, second floor, front, Fred. Cacale, adults, 3, children, 6.

8th. Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 68½ Carmine street and No. 157 Waverly place, front and rear.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 68½ Carmine street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 68½ Carmine street be required to vacate said building on or before October 11, 1897, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, That this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon lot No. 157 Waverly place (front and rear) have become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants, Ordered, That all persons in said buildings situated on lot No. 157 Waverly place (front and rear) be required to vacate said buildings on or before October 11, 1897, for the reason that said buildings are dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and further, That this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said buildings and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, That said buildings be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

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

Vacations.

Order No. 23244, No. 143 Suffolk street; Order No. 22950, No. 3999 Third avenue; No. 11 Canal street; No. 114 Hester street; Order No. 29681, No. 6 Pitt street; Order No. 28422, No. 226 East Thirty-fourth street; Order No. 29500, No. 262 Stanton street; Order No. 16908, No. 415 West One Hundred and Forty-first street.

10th. Reports on application for permits.

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

No. 141, to keep 12 cows at Throgs Neck Road and Eastern Boulevard; No. 9554, to keep a school for 10 scholars at No. 240 Division street; No. 9555, to occupy the basement at No. 157½ Stanton street as a place of living and sleeping; No. 9556, to keep a school for 15 scholars at No. 424 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; No. 9557, to board and care for 1 child at No. 225



West Sixteenth street; No. 9558, to use a smoke-house at No. 842 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; No. 9559, to occupy the basement at No. 101 West Fifty-third street as a place of living and sleeping; No. 9560, to board and care for one (1) child at No. 233 East Sixty-seventh street; No. 9561, to board and care for one (1) child at No. 212 East Sixty-third street; No. 9562, to occupy the basement at No. 97 Perry street as a place of living and sleeping; No. 142, to keep 16 cows at corner Eleventh avenue and Boston road, Williamsbridge; No. 143, to keep 6 cows at No. 1687 Morris avenue; No. 144, to keep 1 cow at Cambrelin avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-ninth and One Hundred and Ninetieth streets.

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby granted, pursuant to chapter 384 of the Laws of 1896, to occupy basements for mercantile purposes.

No. 140, No. 471 Broadway; No. 141, Nos. 495-497 Broadway.

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

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

Stores—No. 43, No. 243 Avenue B; No. 51, No. 1171 Second avenue; No. 75, No. 89 Essex street; No. 186, No. 138 East Seventh street; No. 301, No. 703 East Ninth street; No. 391, No. 2219 Eighth avenue; No. 670, No. 1645 Second avenue; No. 908, No. 554 Courtlandt avenue; No. 1205, No. 310 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; No. 1254, No. 603 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; No. 1359, No. 2105 Arthur avenue; No. 1753, No. 1814 Second avenue; No. 1820, No. 370 Amsterdam avenue; No. 2317, No. 423 East Sixty-third street; No. 2448, No. 473 Willis avenue; No. 2967, No. 137 West Twenty-ninth street; No. 3107, No. 1186 Second avenue; No. 3231, No. 721 Tenth avenue; No. 3489, No. 320 East Twenty-fifth street; No. 3523, No. 115 West Thirtieth street; No. 3538, No. 248 First avenue; No. 3731, No. 164 East Eighty-eighth street; No. 4025, No. 1621 Avenue A; No. 4472, No. 132 Avenue D; No. 4499, No. 15 West One Hundredth street; No. 4721, No. 427 Amsterdam avenue (duplicate); No. 5107, No. 1641 Avenue A; No. 5288, No. 270 Broome street; No. 5990, No. 3387 Third avenue; No. 6013, No. 400 East Seventy-third street; No. 6058, No. 518 West Fifty-third street; No. 6228, No. 2351 Second avenue; No. 6363, No. 993 First avenue; No. 6605, No. 100 East One Hundred and Seventh street; No. 7000, Catherine street near Twenty-first street, Wakefield; No. 7112, No. 1104 Stebbins avenue; No. 7178, No. 620 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street; No. 7246, No. 952 Columbus avenue; No. 7274, No. 518 East Eighty-fifth street; No. 7294, No. 1665 Avenue A; No. 7466, No. 34 Orchard street; No. 7498, No. 217 West Sixty-second street; No. 7513, No. 1 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; No. 7517, No. 866 Second avenue; No. 7519 (duplicate), No. 244 West Sixty-second street; No. 7734, No. 1453 First avenue; No. 7904, No. 453 East Eighty-sixth street; No. 7978, No. 169 Norfolk street; No. 8073, No. 1620 Madison avenue; No. 8432, No. 80 Grove street; No. 8436, No. 194 Mulberry street; No. 8437, No. 575 First avenue; No. 8438, No. 734 Second avenue; No. 8439, No. 128 Eldridge street; No. 8440, No. 216 East Eighty-eighth street; No. 8441, No. 1339 Avenue A; No. 8442, No. 516 East Eighty-fifth street; No. 8443, No. 1171 Madison avenue; No. 8444, No. 135 West Twenty-seventh street; No. 8445, No. 758 Second avenue; No. 8446, No. 957 Amsterdam avenue; No. 8447, White Plains road, between Baker and Demilt avenues; No. 8448, Bailey avenue, 300 feet north of Albany avenue; No. 8449, No. 1573 First avenue; No. 8450, No. 30 Division street; No. 8451, No. 1821 Second avenue; No. 8452, No. 167 St. Ann's avenue; No. 8453, No. 175 Orchard street; No. 8454, No. 142 West Twenty-sixth street; No. 8455, No. 1464 Oakland place, Tremont; No. 8456, No. 472 Willis avenue; No. 8457, No. 338 East Forty-ninth street; No. 8458, No. 537 Ninth avenue; No. 8459, No. 319 East Ninety-third street; No. 8460, No. 34 Henry street; No. 8461, No. 367 Ninth avenue; No. 8462, No. 113 Avenue D; No. 8463, No. 71 Cannon street; No. 8464, No. 1689 Second avenue; No. 8465, No. 322 East Thirty-second street; No. 8466, No. 1330 First avenue; No. 8467, No. 113 Avenue A; No. 8468, No. 394 East Houston street; No. 8469, No. 226 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street; No. 8470, No. 280 Bleeker street; No. 8471, No. 1506 Lexington avenue; No. 8472, No. 543 West Fifty-ninth street; No. 8473, No. 588 Columbus avenue; No. 8474, No. 188 Amsterdam avenue; No. 8475, No. 561 Western Boulevard; No. 8476, No. 1411 Fifth avenue; No. 8477, No. 456 Brook avenue; No. 8478, No. 86 Eighth avenue; No. 8479, No. 324 East Sixty-first street; No. 8480, No. 505 West Twenty-sixth street; No. 8481, No. 939 First avenue; No. 8482, No. 1553 Avenue A.

Wagons—Nos. 306 and 307, No. 89 Essex street; No. 651, No. 138 East Seventh street; No. 652, No. 138 East Seventh street; No. 1661, No. 646 Robbins avenue; No. 2087, No. 516 East Eighty-fifth street; No. 2088, No. 394 East Houston street; No. 2089, No. 141 Sullivan street; No. 1494, No. 1439 Madison avenue; No. 793, No. 175 Third avenue; No. 991, No. 437 West Forty-ninth street; No. 1020, No. 535 West Fortieth street; No. 1021, No. 535 West Fortieth street; Nos. 1634 and 1635, No. 518 East Eighty-fifth street; Nos. 2090 to 2107, inclusive, Nos. 700 to 710 East One Hundred and Eightieth street; No. 2108, No. 1382 Avenue A; Nos. 2109, 2110 and 2111, No. 924 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; No. 2112, No. 1411 Amsterdam avenue; No. 2113, No. 114 West One Hundredth street; No. 2114, No. 542 West Thirty-eighth street; No. 8360, No. 124 Mott street; No. 254, No. 502 East Eighty-eighth street; No. 286, No. 175 Third avenue; No. 587, No. 240 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street; No. 808, No. 436 West Fifty-second street; No. 1190, No. 422 Eleventh avenue; No. 1331, No. 437 West Forty-ninth street; No. 1498, No. 2105 Eighth avenue; No. 1608, No. 99 East Eighth street; No. 1719, No. 642 Tenth avenue; No. 1816, No. 535 West Fortieth street; No. 1826, No. 541 West Forty-fourth street; No. 1882, No. 1654 Avenue A; No. 2892, No. 551 West Fifty-first street; No. 2988, No. 651 Elton avenue; No. 3993, No. 716 Eleventh avenue; No. 4479, No. 1590 Third avenue; No. 5005, No. 1488 Lexington avenue; No. 5270, No. 1 Gouverneur street; No. 5748, No. 1008 Westchester avenue; No. 5749, No. 3065 Third avenue; No. 5761, No. 584 Robbins avenue; No. 5822, No. 605 Amsterdam avenue; No. 6206, No. 63½ First street; No. 6237, No. 217 West Sixty-sixth street; No. 6573, No. 83 Delancey street; No. 6671, No. 166 Seventh street; No. 6889, No. 548 Second avenue; No. 6903, No. 546 West Fortieth street; No. 7128, No. 538 East Sixteenth street; No. 7152, No. 218 West Seventeenth street; No. 7882, No. 427 East Fifty-second street; No. 7987, No. 169 Willis avenue; No. 8094, No. 86 Essex street; No. 8133, No. 302 West Forty-seventh street; No. 8138, No. 300 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; No. 8483, No. 296 West Tenth street; No. 8484, No. 4258 Third avenue; No. 8485, No. 1848 Second avenue; No. 8486, No. 1831 Second avenue; No. 8487, No. 16 Clinton street; No. 8488, No. 288 Willis avenue; No. 8489, No. 1734 Second avenue; No. 8490, No. 1431 Avenue A; No. 8491, No. 210 East Ninety-fifth street; No. 8492, No. 300 East Ninety-fifth street; No. 8493, No. 57 Lewis street; No. 8494, No. 650 Second avenue; No. 8495, No. 5 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; No. 8496, No. 2516 Eighth avenue; No. 8497, No. 115 Mott street; No. 8498, No. 1439 Madison avenue; No. 8499, No. 1517 Lexington avenue; No. 8500, No. 222 Seventh street; No. 8501, No. 125 Elizabeth street; No. 8502, No. 147 Elizabeth street; No. 8503, No. 434 West Forty-sixth street; No. 8504, No. 439 West Forty-first street; No. 8505, No. 15 Monroe street; No. 8506, No. 144 Clinton street; No. 8507, No. 60 Ann street; No. 8508, No. 691 Morris avenue; No. 8509, No. 1279 Third avenue; No. 8510, No. 1515 Lexington avenue; No. 8511, No. 219 Avenue B; No. 8512, No. 10 Monroe street; No. 8513, No. 1061 First avenue; No. 8514, No. 12 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street; No. 8515, No. 1614 Third avenue.

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

No. 491, to keep chickens at No. 524 West Twenty-ninth street; No. 492, to keep ducks at No. 2168 Washington avenue; No. 493, to board and care for 2 children at No. 305 West Sixty-ninth street.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:

No. 6363, to sell and deliver milk at No. 993 First avenue; No. 5990, to sell and deliver milk at No. 3387 Third avenue; No. 4472, to sell and deliver milk at No. 132 Avenue D; No. 5288, to sell and deliver milk at No. 270 Broome street; No. 7294, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1665 Avenue A; No. 6058, to sell and deliver milk at No. 518 West Fifty-third street; No. 6228, to sell and deliver milk at No. 2351 Second avenue; No. 5107, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1641 Avenue A; No. 1205, to sell and deliver milk at No. 310 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; No. 7112, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1105 Stebbins avenue; No. 1753, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1814 Second avenue; No. 1661, to sell and deliver milk at No. 646 Robbins avenue; No. 75, to sell and deliver milk at No. 91 Essex street; No. 3231, to sell and deliver milk at No. 721 Tenth avenue; No. 1254, to sell and deliver milk at No. 803 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; No. 8073, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1620 Madison avenue; No. 4025, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1621 Avenue A; No. 3731, to sell and deliver milk at No. 164 East Eighty-eighth street; No. 391, to sell and deliver milk at No. 2219 Eighth avenue; No. 7178, to sell and deliver milk at No. 620 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street; No. 2317, to sell and deliver milk at No. 423 East Sixty-third street; No. 7904, to sell and deliver milk at No. 453 East Eighty-sixth street; No. 6605, to sell and deliver milk at No. 100 East One Hundred and Seventh street; No. 7734, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1453 First avenue; No. 6013, to sell and deliver milk at No. 400 East Seventy-third street; No. 2448, to sell and deliver milk at No. 473 Willis avenue; No. 7513, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1 East One Hundred and Twelfth street; No. 670, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1645 Second avenue; No. 3523, to sell and deliver milk at No. 115 West Thirtieth street; No. 908, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1867 Lexington avenue; No. 301, to sell and deliver milk at No. 703 East Ninth street; No. 2967, to sell and deliver milk at No. 938 West Thirty-first street; No. 1820, to sell and deliver milk at No. 424 Amsterdam avenue; No. 186, to sell and deliver milk at No. 376 East Eighth street; No. 3489, to sell and deliver milk at No. 314 East Twenty-fifth street; No. 3538, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1377 Avenue A; No. 651, to sell and deliver milk at No. 376 East Eighth street; No. 652, to sell and deliver milk at No. 376 East Eighth street; No. 7978, to sell and deliver milk at No. 624 East Ninth street; No. 3107, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1629 First avenue; No. 4499, to sell and deliver milk at No. 17 West One Hundredth street; No. 43, to sell and deliver milk at No. 145 Avenue C; No. 51, to sell and deliver milk at No. 956 Second avenue; No. 7517, to sell and deliver milk at No. 916 Second avenue; No. 1359, to sell and deliver milk at No. 551 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street; No. 7246, to sell and deliver milk at No. 952 Columbus avenue; No. 7274, to sell and deliver milk at No. 516 East Eighty-fifth street; No. 8432, to sell and deliver milk at No. 192 West Fourth street; No. 7466, to sell and deliver milk at No. 55 Cannon street; No. 306, to sell and deliver milk at No. 91 Essex street;

No. 307, to sell and deliver milk at No. 91 Essex street; No. 7000, to sell and deliver milk at Fulson street near Westchester avenue; No. 7498, to sell and deliver milk at No. 247 West Sixtieth street; No. 808, to sell and deliver milk at No. 436 West Fifty-second street; No. 5822, to sell and deliver milk at No. 605 Amsterdam avenue; No. 8133, to sell and deliver milk at No. 302 West Forty-seventh street; No. 254, to sell and deliver milk at No. 502 East Eighty-eighth street; No. 6206, to sell and deliver milk at No. 63 First street; No. 6575, to sell and deliver milk at No. 83 Delancey street; No. 8094, to sell and deliver milk at No. 86 Essex street; No. 587, to sell and deliver milk at No. 240 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street; No. 1882, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1654 Avenue A; No. 5749, to sell and deliver milk at No. 3065 Third avenue; No. 1826, to sell and deliver milk at No. 541 West Forty-fourth street; No. 1498, to sell and deliver milk at No. 2195 Eighth avenue; No. 7882, to sell and deliver milk at No. 427 East Fifty-second street; No. 7987, to sell and deliver milk at No. 619 Willis avenue; No. 6889, to sell and deliver milk at No. 548 Second avenue; No. 1719, to sell and deliver milk at No. 642 Tenth avenue; No. 7152, to sell and deliver milk at No. 218 West Seventeenth street; No. 6671, to sell and deliver milk at No. 166 East Seventh street; No. 2892, to sell and deliver milk at No. 551 West Fifty-first street; No. 2988, to sell and deliver milk at No. 651 Elton avenue; No. 5748, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1008 Westchester avenue; No. 1608, to sell and deliver milk at No. 99 East Eighth avenue; No. 6237, to sell and deliver milk at No. 438 West Twenty-eighth street; No. 4479, to sell and deliver milk at No. 1634 Second avenue; No. 1634-1635, to sell and deliver milk at No. 516 East Eighty-fifth street; No. 1190, to sell and deliver milk at No. 434 Eleventh avenue; No. 7128, to sell and deliver milk at No. 113 Avenue D; No. 5270, to sell and deliver milk at No. 17 Canal street; No. 1331, to sell and deliver milk at No. 152 West Fifty-second street; No. 991, to sell and deliver milk at No. 152 West Fifty-second street; No. 5761, to sell and deliver milk at No. 566 Robbins avenue; No. 1816, to sell and deliver milk at No. 437 West Fortieth street; No. 1020-1021, to sell and deliver milk at No. 437 West Fortieth street; No. 286, to sell and deliver milk at No. 210 Third avenue; No. 793, to sell and deliver milk at No. 210 Third avenue; No. 8138, to sell and deliver milk at No. 404 Ninth avenue; No. 6903, to sell and deliver milk at No. 548 West Thirty-seventh street; No. 3993, to sell and deliver milk at No. 731 Eleventh avenue; No. 1494, to sell and deliver milk at No. 508 E. Eighty-second street; No. 5005, to sell and deliver milk at No. 736 Second avenue.

#### 11th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.

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

Order No. 19789, No. 107 West Seventeenth street, modified so as not to require the floor space under stalls to be cemented, provided all offensive and saturated earth be removed and a water-tight floor graded to sewer, connected valley drains, be substituted for the present floor; Orders Nos. 21572 and 31736, Nos. 34 and 36 West Houston street, modified so as not to require the yard to be flagged, provided it be so graded as to discharge all surface water into a properly trapped sewer-connected drain; Order No. 25295, No. 244 Monroe street, extended to October 23, 1897; Order No. 25609, No. 270 West One Hundred Seventeenth street, extended to October 1, 1897; Order No. 29299, No. 23 First street, extended to October 15, 1897; Order No. 30139, No. 220 Christie street, modified so as not to require the provision of a new iron house-drain, provided the present earthen house-drain be properly repaired so as to be gas-tight; Order No. 30796, No. 106 Canal street, modified so as not to require whitewashing of ceilings; Order No. 31298, No. 275 Fifth avenue, modified so as not to require the provision of separate approaches to the water-closet apartments; Order No. 31663, northwest corner of One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Third avenue, extended to October 1, 1897; Order No. 32660, No. 407 Bleeker street, extended to October 10, 1897; Order No. 32887, No. 60 First street, extended to October 20, 1897; Order No. 33511, No. 518 Sixth street, extended to October 1, 1897; Order No. 33660, No. 528 West Thirty-seventh street, extended to October 4, 1897; Order No. 32395, No. 1071 Washington avenue, extended to October 10, 1897; Order No. 27455, No. 1544 Second avenue, modified so as not to require drip-trays for water-closets, providing that metal safes are placed on floor beneath said closets; Order No. 30301, No. 34 Pitt street, extended to October 15, 1897; Order No. 30573, No. 11 Beach street, extended to November 1, 1897; Order No. 30602, No. 1175 Tinton avenue, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 32078, No. 514 West Thirty-ninth street, modified so as not to require a ventilator in roof, providing the bulkhead door is lowered; Order No. 32313, No. 92 Columbia street, modified so as not to require the ventilators in roof over halls; Order No. 32323, No. 9 First street, extended to October 20, 1897, on uncompleted with portion of order; Order No. 33090, No. 223 Hudson street, extended to October 5, 1897; Order No. 33117, No. 107 Rivington street, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 33137, No. 53 Cannon street, modified so as not to require additional ventilation for cellar; Order No. 30337, No. 213 West Thirty-fourth street, extended to October 1, 1897, provided the pans of third and fifth floor water-closets are properly adjusted and the opening in the waste-pipe of tray in the cellar connecting with tank tell-tale pipe be soldered gas-tight; Order No. 26116, No. 431½ Grand street, was modified so as not to require the removal of loose plaster and so as not to require the first floor hall water-closet apartment to be ventilated to the external air and the closing of opening from water-closet apartment to hall, provided the water-closets are kept clean and in good condition and the remaining portions of order complied with at once; Order No. 32792, No. 453 Hudson street, extended to October 1, 1897; Order No. 33482, No. 529 Sixth avenue, extended to October 6, 1897; Order No. 33603, No. 208 East Broadway, extended to October 10, 1897; Orders Nos. 13912, 13913 and 13704, Nos. 1603, 1609 and 1611 Second avenue, extended to October 22, 1897; Order No. 28414, Nos. 20 and 22 Bethune street, modified so as not to require a ventilator over the hall, the application to be relieved from flagging the yard was denied; Order No. 29583, Nos. 357 and 359 Grand street, modified so as not to require the replacing of the 2-inch lead waste-pipe by a new one; Order No. 31350, No. 241 West Forty-first street, extended to October 15, 1897; Order No. 31522, No. 388 Third avenue, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 32649, No. 32 Great Jones street, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 33146, No. 31 Courtlandt street, extended to October 29, 1897; Order No. 33352, No. 1325 Third avenue, extended to October 15, 1897; Order No. 33709, east side Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 33710, east side Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 33799, No. 338 East Thirteenth street, extended to October 30, 1897; Order No. 34699, No. 207 East Fifteenth street, extended to November 1, 1897; Order No. 31367, Jerome street, east of White Plains road, extended to October 15, 1897; Order No. 31632, No. 654 East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, modified so as not to require the alley to be sewer connected, provided the flagging be so graded as to discharge all surface water therefrom into street gutter; Order No. 33952, No. 9 East Fourteenth street, modified so as not to require the water-closet apartments on the first floor to be ventilated by a special shaft, provided the doors of said apartments be cut away at the bottom at least 3 inches and an opening in the partition near the ceiling at least 3 square feet in area be made, and the transom over the front hall door so adjusted that it can be opened for ventilation; Order No. 34419, No. 212 East Sixty-third street, modified so as not to require the cleaning and whitewashing of the walls and ceilings of the first floor halls and the rest of the order must be complied with; Order No. 28600, No. 62 Market street, modified so as not to require repairs to the yard, balance of order must be complied with; Order No. 30035, southwest corner One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Edgecombe avenue, extended to October 25, 1897; Order No. 30626, No. 1413 Franklin avenue, extended to October 15, 1897; Orders Nos. 31410 and 32116, Nos. 1703 and 1705 Third avenue, modified so as not to require yards to be sewer connected; Orders Nos. 32958, 32959, 32960, 32961 and 32962, Nos. 80, 82, 84, 86 and 88 Ridge street, modified so as not to require the areas to be sewer connected, provided said areas be made to drain into properly constructed dry cesspools; Order No. 34609, Nos. 114 and 116 East Fifty-fourth street, extended to November 1, 1897.

Order No. 14945, No. 343 East Fifty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 20668, No. 7 East Eighty-eighth street, rescinded; Order No. 25639, No. 98 Cannon street, rescinded; Order No. 25652, No. 179 Delancey street, rescinded; Order No. 25798, No. 36 Willett street, rescinded; Order No. 26971, No. 115 Stanton street, rescinded; Order No. 30911, No. 135 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, rescinded; Order No. 31552, No. 182 East One Hundred and Second street, rescinded; Order No. 31570, No. 1963 Third avenue, rescinded; Order No. 31583, Nos. 511 and 513 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, rescinded; Order No. 32086, No. 1337 Avenue A, rescinded; Order No. 32115, No. 2432 Second avenue, rescinded; Order No. 32448, No. 124 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, rescinded; Order No. 32738, No. 241 Madison street, rescinded; Order No. 31203, No. 311 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, rescinded; Order No. 31509, No. 151 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 16038, No. 218 East Seventy-third street, rescinded; Order No. 19751, No. 52 Oliver street, rescinded; Order No. 20696, No. 93 Madison street, rescinded; Order No. 27333, No. 314 West Forty-eighth street, rescinded; Order No. 27987, No. 228 West Eleventh street, rescinded; Order No. 28615, No. 236 West Forty-first street, rescinded; Order No. 29521, No. 211 West Sixty-second street, rescinded; Order No. 29637, No. 362 Madison street, rescinded; Order No. 30660, No. 629 Hudson street, rescinded; Order No. 31611, No. 362 Madison street, rescinded; Order No. 31717, No. 540 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, rescinded; Order No. 31789, No. 326 Stanton street, rescinded; Order No. 31879, No. 122 Goerck street, rescinded; Order No. 32326, southeast corner Nelson avenue and Orchard street, rescinded; Order No. 32599, No. 362 Madison street, rescinded; Order No. 32600, No. 52 Oliver street, rescinded; Order No. 32682, No. 584 Robbins avenue, rescinded; Order No. 33582, East One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Fifth avenue, rescinded; Order No. 33863, No. 329 East Sixteenth street, rescinded; Order No. 34582, No. 120 Suffolk street, rescinded; Order No. 27188, Bathgate and Third avenues, rescinded; Order No. 33533, No. 64 East Eighty-eighth street, rescinded; Order No. 14950, No. 445 West Fortieth street, rescinded; Order No. 20322, No. 402 West Fortieth street, rescinded; Order No. 21883, No. 44 Baxter street, rescinded; Order No. 25539, No. 445 West Fortieth street, rescinded; Order No. 33738, No. 256 West Thirtieth street, rescinded; Order No. 34376, No. 52 Oliver street, rescinded.

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



Order No. 25231, No. 42 Lorillard street; Orders Nos. 27165 and 27162, Bathgate and Third avenues; Order No. 30056, No. 295 Henry street; Order No. 30341, Nos. 270 and 272 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street; Order No. 31170, No. 1501 Hoe street; Order No. 31978, No. 67 Vandam street; Order No. 32344, No. 1643 Lexington avenue; Order No. 32508, Nos. 106 and 108 Ridge street; Order No. 32839, Nos. 1322 to 1326 Third avenue; Order No. 33014, northeast corner Bathgate avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-second street; Order No. 33021, No. 294 Hudson street; Order No. 33198, No. 269 Tenth avenue; Order No. 31038, No. 513 West Forty-fifth street; Order No. 31463, No. 33 Mangin street; Order No. 31578, No. 226 West Sixty-second street; Order No. 32465, No. 328 Avenue A; Order No. 33009, Nos. 19 and 21 Crosby street; Order No. 32173, No. 64 Varick street; Order No. 32596, No. 571 First avenue; Order No. 33026, No. 288 Spring street; Order No. 23551, No. 1673 Third avenue; Order No. 28941, No. 363 First avenue; Order No. 29733, No. 213 East Ninety-fifth street; Order No. 30538, No. 224 West Thirteenth street; Order No. 30797, No. 354 Cherry street; Order No. 32289, No. 103 Broome street; Order No. 32588, No. 147 East Broadway; Order No. 33845, No. 211 Delancey street; Order No. 34103, No. 2403 Eighth avenue; Order No. 34109, Nos. 203 and 205 West One Hundred and First street; Order No. 34238, No. 962 First avenue; Orders Nos. 34227 and 33749, No. 28 Canal street; Order No. 30780, No. 55 Willett street; Order No. 34029, No. 59 Division street.

First Division—Division of General and Special Sanitary Inspection—1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night soil docks; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter houses; ordered on file. 6th. Monthly report on condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage; ordered on file. 7. Report on application for leave of absence.

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

Medical Sanitary Inspector Bronner, from September 17 to 30, on account of illness. Report on rear tenement houses Nos. 308, 310, 312, 314 and 316 Mott street. The Sanitary Superintendent reports that the rear tenements at Nos. 308, 310, 312, 314 and 316 Mott street have been demolished.

Report on sewers of the Museum of Art, Central Park.

On motion, it was Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Spoengers of an inspection of the drainage system of the Museum of Art, Central Park, be forwarded to the Park Department for the necessary action.

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases and Medical Sanitary Inspection—1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector; ordered on file. 2d. Monthly report of Charitable Institutions; ordered on file. 3d. Report of Inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital; ordered on file. 4th. Report on application for leave of absence.

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

Vaccinator Peddie, from September 27 to 29, on account of sickness in family.

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection, Offensive Trades and Mercantile Establishments—1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector; ordered on file. 2d. Report on application for leave of absence.

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

Inspector Kilbourne, from October 12 to 16, on account of private business.

Reports in respect to violations of section 186 of the Sanitary Code. The secretary was directed to notify the persons named in said reports that a repetition of this offense will cause a revocation of permits.

Reports relating to the seizure of a cow beef affected with tuberculosis. The Secretary was directed to forward copies of the reports to the State Board of Health.

Fourth Division—Division of Pathology and Bacteriology—1st. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories; ordered on file. 2d. Reports on probationary services of Conrad M. Meyer and Isabel K. Kelly.

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

Resolved, That Isabel K. Kelly, provisionally employed as a Junior Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and her conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Junior Clerk in this Department, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Boards, with salary at the rate of four hundred and eighty dollars per annum.

Fifth Division—Division of Medical School Inspection—1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector; ordered on file. 2d. Report on application for leave of absence.

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

Medical Inspector Dellett, from September 27 to 28, on account of illness. Medical Inspector Noyes, September 23, 27, 28 to October 1, on account of illness in family. Medical Inspector Huber, from September 25 to October 2. Medical Inspector Thomas, from September 13 to October 4, on account of illness and death in family.

Report in respect to article 2 of section 95, Manual of the Board of Education. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

The following Communications were received from the Register of Records:

1st. Weekly report; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of work performed by Clerks; ordered on file. 3d. Report on application for leave of absence.

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

Register R. S. Tracy, from October 4 to 9.

4th. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the delayed birth and marriage certificates, named in his report dated September 28, 1897, and October 5, 1897.

5th. Report on application to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to

John Mulcare, died August 12, 1897; Edward Crawford, died September 10, 1897; Peter Sweeney, died September 22, 1897; Frank Monahan, died August 12, 1897; Auguste Lempke, died August 28, 1897; Henry Beck, died September 20, 1897; Mathew Morgan, died March 8, 1896; Moritz Von Entress, died May 28, 1897; Katie Meyers, died September 10, 1897; Adolph Niman, died September 17, 1897; Annie Dunlavy, died August 30, 1897; Leopold Bennett, died September 23, 1897; Paseka Schomberg, died September 29, 1897; Jacob Gerken, died September 20, 1897; Milton Levi, born August 24, 1897; Marie Helene Waber, born November 11, 1882; John William Barry, born September 5, 1897.

7th. Report on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

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

Frederick Buss, married November 28, 1894; Carl Schopper, born September 15, 1896; Edward Fornheim, born February 9, 1895; Lucy Lovesso, born August, 1897; Nellie Park, born October 28, 1886; Rose Molchatsky, born December 30, 1891; Michael Molchatsky, born February 17, 1894.

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

A communication from the Department of Docks in respect to repairs to Dock at North Brother Island was received and ordered on file.

A communication from St. John's Guild thanking the Board for its co-operation during the season of 1897 was received and ordered on file.

A communication from Charles I. Berg, Architect, in respect to delay in the completion of the Ambulance Station and Vaccine Laboratory was received and referred to the Attorney and Counsel.

The resignation of Junior Clerk James J. McCormack, to take effect September 22, 1897, was received and accepted.

An eligible list from the New York City Civil Service Commission from which to appoint one Junior Clerk (male) was received.

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

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salary of Frederic D. Bell, a Clerk in this Department, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

The President presented plans and specifications for an ambulance station and vaccine laboratory extension, as prepared by Charles I. Berg, Architect.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the plans and specifications for building an ambulance station and vaccine laboratory extension on Seventeenth street, three hundred and fifty-five feet east of avenue C, authorized and provided for by chapter 721, Laws of 1896, be and are hereby approved, and the Secretary is directed to advertise in the City Record, New York Tribune, New York Times, Mail and Express and Commercial Advertiser, for proposals for the erection of said building, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 721, Laws of 1896.

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 567 of the Laws of 1895, this Board has resolved that a portion of the rear tenement house building on the premises known as No. 56 Roosevelt street, in the City of New York, being 31 feet 7½ inches deep, by 21 feet and 5½ inches in width, which portion is more specifically described in said resolution, should be and is condemned, and that the owner or owners of said building should be required to remove the same; and

Whereas, For the purpose of saving the expense of proceedings in the Supreme Court to

acquire title to the said portion of the said rear building, this Board desires to agree with the owner or owners of said building for the purchase of the same by payment to him or them of the true value thereof; and

Whereas, The said portion of the value of said rear building has been assessed at the sum of seventy-four (74) dollars by a competent expert employed by this Board for such purpose; and

Whereas, In the opinion of this Board, said sum of seventy-four (74) dollars is the value of the said portion of said rear building; it is now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board pay, and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase the said portion of the said rear building for the sum of seventy-four (74) dollars, and to offer the owner or owners thereof the sum of seventy-four (74) dollars in return for a conveyance of the said portion of the said rear building.

On motion, this Board adjourned.

C. GOLDEMAN, Secretary pro tem.

# HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., OCTOBER 23, 1897.

Estimated Population, 1,200,872.

Death-rate, 17.56.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

WEEK ENDING—													
	July 24.	July 31.	Aug. 7.	Aug. 14.	Aug. 21.	Aug. 28.	Sept. 4.	Sept. 11.	Sept. 18.	Sept. 25.	Oct. 2.	Oct. 9.	Oct. 16.
Phthisis.....	168	232	242	143	156	198	155	155	261	177	141	213	190
Diphtheria.....	166	133	131	136	106	103	101	118	97	99	111	131	116
Croup.....	5	4	4	2	4	3	1	6	2	2	4	8	4
Measles.....	145	135	85	78	70	4	37	40	28	25	5	63	104
Scarlet Fever.....	80	71	66	75	78	64	61	74	62	67	83	109	95
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	23	34	48	63	33	29	50	28	38	40	39	54	40
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	587	609	576	497	453	439	405	419	488	410	430	552	544

Marriages reported.....	311	Burial permits issued.....	676
Births.....	968	Transit permits issued.....	13
Deaths.....	676	Searches made.....	291
Still-births.....	73	Transcripts issued.....	250

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total.	Total last year.	Average 10 years.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes.....	676	679	783.2	349	327	45	108	51	21	225	19	47	155	145	85
Diphtheria.....	16	16	28.0	8	8	..	1	6	5	12	4	..	..	..	..
Croup.....	1	2	12.6	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	3	7	5.3	2	1	..	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	4	2	4.6	1	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever.....	8	6	7.7	3	5	..	4	3	7	1	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	17	10	13.2	12	5	..	..	..	..	1	4	7	5	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	3	9	9.1	2	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrheal Diseases.....	35	25	35.5	14	21	1	10	8	..	28	1	..	..	5	1
Phthisis.....	107	95	107.6	61	46	..	1	..	..	1	20	49	33	3	..
Other Tuberculous Diseases.....	14	12	..	5	0	..	5	3	1	9	2	1	..	2	..
Diseases of Nervous System.....	50	62	65.8	26	30	1	6	3	1	11	2	..	11	15	17
Heart Diseases.....	35	53	47.0	10	19	..	..	..	..	..	3	10	12	10	..
Bronchitis.....	24	19	30.5	14	10	4	10	4	1	19	..	..	1	2	2
Pneumonia.....	78	89	83.4	48	30	0	18	12	5	41	1	2	16	8	10
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	7	12	..	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	2	..
Diseases of Digestive System.....	51	54	..	20	22	5	14	1	..	20	1	2	9	15	4
Diseases of Urinary System.....	44	50	..	20	18	..	2	1	..	3	..	5	14	15	7
Congenital Debility.....	47	50	..	23	24	20	20	1	..	47	..	..	..	..	..
Old Age.....	12	9	..	3	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suicides.....	6	9	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other violent deaths.....	26	38	36.5	15	11	..	1	3	4	2	3	7	9	1	..
All other causes.....	82	50	..	36	46	2	6	2	2	12	3	5	26	20	16

\* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population.

† This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year.

‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and pre-natal deaths.

§ Police Census, April 15, 1895, 1,851,060. Population of Annexed District estimated at 17,000 on July 1.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic.—Erysipelas, 3; Syphilis, 4; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 4; Influenza, 2; Puerperal Fever, 1.  
 Dietetic.—Alcoholism, 7.  
 Constitutional.—Cancer, 31; Tubercular Meningitis, 7; Tuberculosis, etc., 7; Anæmia, 2; Rheumatism, 2; Diabetes, 2; Rickets, 1.  
 Nervous.—Convulsions, 3; Meningitis and Encephalitis, 11; Apoplexy, 27; Paralysis, 4; Insanity, 3; Softening of Brain, 1; Epilepsy, 1; Myelitis, 1; Congestion of Brain, 3; Locomotor Ataxia, 1; Neuritis, 1.  
 Circulatory.—Embolism, 2; Senile Gangrene, 1.  
 Respiratory.—Congestion of Lungs, 1; Emphysema, 1; Pleurisy, 2; Chronic Bronchitis, 2; Gangrene of Lungs, 1.  
 Digestive.—Gastro-enteritis, 14; Gastritis, 8; Enteritis, 5; Cirrhosis, 9; Obstruction of Intestines, 6; Typhilitis, 2; Hernia, 1; Jaundice, 2; Ulceration of Intestines, 2; Stomatitis, 1; Abscessus Peri-rectalis, 1.  
 Genito-urinary.—Bright's Disease, 35; Nephritis, 4; Diseases of Bladder and Prostate Gland, 3; Uræmia, 2; Diseases of Uterus and Vagina, 2.  
 Locomotory.—Spinal Disease, 4; Arthritis, 2.  
 Integumentary.—Eczema, 1; Phlegmonous Cellulitis, 1.  
 Accidental.—Poison, 2; Fractures and Contusions, 6; Burns and Scalds, 7; Surgical Operations, 7; Railroad, 3.  
 Other Causes.—Otitis, 3; Miscarriage, 2; Puerperal Convulsions, 1; Placenta Prævia, 1; Post-partum Hemorrhage, 1; Extra Uterine Pregnancy, 1; Foramen Ovale Open, 1.  
 Homicide, 1.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	July 31.	Aug. 7.	Aug. 14.	Aug. 21.	Aug. 28.	Sept. 4.	Sept. 11.	Sept. 18.	Sept. 25.	Oct. 2.	Oct. 9.	Oct. 16.	Oct. 23.	
Total deaths.....	804	795	769	750	716	732	746	756	664	710	*716	721	676	
Annual death-rate .....	21.02	20.78	20.09	19.58	18.68	19.09	19.44	19.69	17.29	18.47	18.62	18.74	17.56	
Diphtheria.....	21	22	27	16	18	23	11	21	20	17	24	15	16	
Croup.....	2	..	..	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	4	1	1	
Malarial Fevers.....	4	4	1	2	1	3	1	4	1	1	6	7	3	
Measles.....	10	6	5	5	4	5	3	2	2	1	2	5	4	
Scarlet Fever.....	8	5	3	2	3	2	7	5	3	5	3	7	8	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Typhoid Fever.....	8	11	9	9	12	7	7	6	9	4	8	7	17	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Whooping-cough.....	5	6	5	10	4	9	1	7	7	5	9	7	3	
Diarrheal Diseases.....	165	134	119	118	107	89	94	99	67	54	42	35	35	
Diarrheal Diseases under 5 years.....	154	123	107	102	90	76	89	92	59	53	38	32	28	
Phthisis.....	83	98	90	86	103	90	98	75	82	107	97	91	107	
Bronchitis.....	13	11	8	10	19	11	19	15	15	20	18	22	24	
Pneumonia.....	50	41	65	57	50	57	66	64	50	57	83	81	78	
Other Diseases of Re- spiratory Organs.....	8	5	8	9	6	9	12	16	7	8	12	15	7	
Violent Deaths.....	65	52	55	60	37	43	55	61	43	61	56	43	32	
Under one year.....	314	288	255	250	198	236	240	241	196	207	176	182	153	
Under five years.....	422	382	363	335	293	335	341	345	292	282	274	269	225	
Five to sixty-five.....	312	341	339	336	344	325	328	319	308	351	372	348	366	
Sixty-five years and over	70	72	67	79	79	72	77	92	64	77	70	104	85	
In Public and Private Institutions.....	185	220	215	203	192	224	186	200	176	190	207	206	203	
Inquest Cases.....	103	87	95	88	93	72	92	111	84	111	84	91	71	
Mean barometer.....	29.836	29.994	29.841	29.874	29.842	30.031	30.090	29.974	29.969	30.108	30.054	30.105	30.079	
Mean humidity.....	72	69	67	70	72	65	65	68	67	61	67	69	62	
Inches of rain and snow.	2.44	.54	.24	.37	2.62	1.02	..	.02	.71	.07	.02	.32	.02	
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	71.5°	74.7°	74.6°	73.3°	72.2°	69.4°	76.9°	68.4°	59.6°	61.6°	56.4°	64.1°	52.5°	
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	85°	86°	86°	89°	89°	82°	93°	82°	76°	84°	73°	87°	72°	
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	64°	63°	63°	61°	62°	57°	61°	51°	48°	45°	44°	41°	41°	



## Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospitals.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.									
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Measles with Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever with Measles.	Scarlet Fever with Diphtheria.	Measles with Pertussis.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever with Varicella.	Measles.	Whooping-cough.	Scarlet Fever.	Leprosy.
Remaining Oct. 16.	..	23	23	..	..	11	1	1	..	12	..	36	68
Admitted .....	..	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10
Discharged .....	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	6
Died .....	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Remaining Oct. 23.	..	22	22	..	..	13	1	1	..	12	..	34	68
Total treated..	..	28	28	5	2	14	1	1	2	12	..	41	78

## Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported, and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

WARDS.	Population by Census, April, 1895.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.						
		Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Phthisis.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Phthisis.
First.....	12,508	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Second.....	1,038	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third.....	4,014	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Fourth.....	18,405	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Fifth.....	10,603	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Sixth.....	22,897	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
Seventh.....	74,227	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Eighth.....	31,374	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
Ninth.....	60,987	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36
Tenth.....	70,168	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
Eleventh.....	86,722	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
Twelfth.....	364,412	26	1	12	21	..	33	31	2	1	1	3	19	128
Thirteenth.....	58,802	1	..	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
Fourteenth.....	31,904	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Fifteenth.....	26,216	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Sixteenth.....	57,430	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
Seventeenth.....	114,727	6	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36
Eighteenth.....	67,469	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31
Nineteenth.....	267,076	15	..	18	17	..	22	..	1	1	..	4	..	113
Twentieth.....	94,969	6	..	10	3	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	34
Twenty-first.....	72,144	5	..	..	5	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Twenty-second.....	194,893	20	..	28	6	..	27	4	..	..	..	..	..	67
Twenty-third.....	81,567	11	..	1	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
Twenty-fourth.....	26,508	..	..	..	4	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	9
Total.....	1,851,060	112	2	104	95	..	40	191	16	4	8	..	17	107

## Medical Inspection of Schools.

	No. of School Days.	Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Schools Visited.	No. of Visits to Schools.	CAUSE OF EXCLUSION.									
					No. Examined.	No. Excluded.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Croup.	Whooping-cough.	Mumps.	Contagious Eye Diseases.	PARASITIC DISEASES OF
Grammar Schools—														
Grammar Department..	70,292	107	496	164	17	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	17	1
Primary Department..	84,622	..	..	1,789	173	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	125	1
Primary.....	20,946	48	274	437	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	1
Parochial.....	31,779	53	265	222	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1
Industrial Schools—														
American Female	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Guardian Society....	2,449	12	60	59	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..
Children's Aid Society.	6,025	20	100	103	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Schools in Tenement-houses .....	982	32	32	370	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	235,094	272	1,177	3,144	266	2	5	..	2	1	6	33	189	4

## Inspections under Law Regulating Employment of Women and Children in Mercantile and Manufacturing Establishments.

## CHILDREN'S EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.																						
			FOREIGN.										AMERICAN.												
	White.	Black.	Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	England.	Ireland.	Italy.	Hungary.	Bohemia.	Poland.	France.	Roumania.	Others.	N. Y. City.	N. Y. State.	New Jersey.	Pennsylvania.	Virginia.	Massachusetts.	Ohio.	Missouri.	Others.	Total.	
Mercantile, Male . . . . .	64	1	3	1	7	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	40	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65
" Female . . . . .	67	..	7	2	3	3	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	38	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	67
Manufacturing, Male . . . . .	21	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
" Female . . . . .	27	..	6	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	16	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
Total . . . . .	179	1	18	5	10	7	..	4	5	..	1	1	1	..	106	12	4	1	4	..	4	..	1	..	180

## CHILDREN'S EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES REFUSED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.													CAUSE.						
			FOREIGN.										AMERICAN.									
	White.	Black.	Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	Italy.	Hungary.	Ireland.	England.	Roumania.	Others.	N. Y. City.	N. Y. State.	New Jersey.	Pennsylvania.	Others.	Under Age.	Over Age.	Insufficient Tuition.	Insufficient Education.	Physical Incapacity.	Total.
Mercantile, Male.....	9	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	1	..	..	4	2	3	..	..	9
“ Female.....	18	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	6	10	6	..	..	18
Manufacturing, Male.....	15	..	3	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	2	2	6	7	..	15
“ Female	27	..	2	3	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	6	2	..	..	2	4	3	9	11	..	27
Total. ....	69	..	15	5	3	3	4	..	1	2	..	29	3	1	..	2	16	7	28	18	..	69

## Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made.....	8,853
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses.....	5,630
“ tenement apartments (at night), to prevent overcrowding.....	843
“ mercantile establishments.....	408
“ private dwellings.....	300
“ lodging-houses.....	184
“ stables.....	179
“ slaughter-houses.....	204
“ other premises.....	1,105
Total number of citizens' complaints attended to.....	444
“ verified.....	206
“ found baseless, or nuisance already abated.....	238
“ original complaints by Inspectors.....	527

## Inspection of Foods, Milk Cows, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk.....	945
“ specimens examined.....	822
“ quarts of milk destroyed.....	10
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods.....	3,522
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	27,450

Total number of inspections of meat.....	471
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	17,896
“ inspections of fish.....	2,761
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed.....	27,600
“ milch cows examined (for tuberculin test).....	8
“ milch cows found diseased.....	..
“ autopsy.....	..

## Chemical Laboratory.

Milk—Adulterated.....	3
“ Unadulterated.....	3
Croton water—Partial sanitary analysis.....	1
“ Complete sanitary analysis (see below).....	1
Water, Kensico supply—Complete sanitary analysis.....	1
“ Westchester supply—Complete sanitary analysis.....	1
“ well—Suspicious quality.....	2
“ cellar—Character.....	2
Candy—Contains 1.60 per cent. alcohol by weight.....	1
Crackers—Injurious ingredients, negative.....	1

## Experimental Analyses.

Estimation of suspended matter in Croton water.....	1
Analysis of Croton Water, October 22, 1897.	
Appearance, slightly turbid; color, light yellowish brown; odor, marshy.	

	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.165	0.282
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.279	0.464
Phosphates, Phosphoric Acid (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) in.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates (Method of Martin and Berry).....	0.0161	0.0276
Free Ammonia.....	0.0009	0.0015
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0082	0.0140
Total Nitrogen.....	0.0235	0.0403
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	2.79	4.79
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition) { After boiling.....	2.79	4.79
Mineral matter (non-volatile)—Lost Carbonic Acid not restored.....	1.283	2.20
Total solids (by evaporation, at 230° Fahr.).....	4.310	7.40
	5.599	9.60

## Temperature at hydrant, 58° Fahr.

## Pathology and Bacteriology.

Total number of premises visited by Inspectors.....	394
“ autopsies (human 0, animal 2).....	2
“ new cases treated with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors.....	23
“ curative injections of diphtheria anti-toxin given by Medical Inspectors.....	32
“ persons immunized with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors.....	39
“ inoculations of animals with toxins.....	20
“ animals bled for anti-toxic serums.....	7
“ samples of toxins tested.....	7
“ samples of anti-toxic serums tested.....	17
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected diphtheria, viz.: True, 72, not diphtheria, 52; indecisive 28, viz.: Culture made too late in disease 20, insufficient growth on culture medium 0, culture medium contaminated 2, culture medium dried up 0, suspicious bacilli only found 3, no diphtheria bacilli found, laryngeal case, 3.....	152
“ bacteriological examinations of convalescent cases of diphtheria, preceding disinfection.....	140
“ bacteriological examinations of healthy throats in infected families.....	9
“ cultures in cases of suspected diphtheria taken by Medical School Inspectors in schools, viz.: Diphtheria bacilli found 1, diphtheria bacilli not found 7, indecisive 4.....	12
“ examinations of blood from cases of suspected typhoid fever (positive reaction 12, negative reaction 18).....	30
“ bacteriological examinations of suspected tuberculosis (tubercle bacilli found 30, not found 27).....	57
“ microscopical preparations made and examined (tuberculosis).....	82
“ animals vaccinated.....	2
“ animals collected from.....	2
“ grammes of vaccine virus collected.....	9.79
“ cub. cent. of liquid vaccine virus prepared.....	24.23
“ clinical tests of vaccine virus made.....	24
“ quills of humanized virus collected.....	400
“ capillary tubes prepared.....	595
“ small vials prepared.....	60
“ large vials prepared.....	21
“ samples of vaccine virus tested bacteriologically.....	4
“ other substances tested bacteriologically.....	39.50
Amount of diphtheria anti-toxic serum produced in c. c.....	39.50
“ tetanus anti-toxic serum produced in c. c.....	..
“ anti-streptococcus serum produced in c. c.....	..
“ tuberculin produced in c. c.....	..
Number of visits to Department Stations (collection of cultures, etc.).....	204

## Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of cases visited by Inspectors.....	1,175
“ premises visited by Disinfectors.....	180
“ rooms disinfected.....	368
“ pieces of infected goods destroyed.....	61
“ pieces of infected goods disinfected and returned.....	442
“ persons removed to hospital.....	14
“ primary vaccinations.....	599
“ revaccinations.....	1,055
“ certificates of vaccination issued.....	654
“ cattle examined by Veterinarian.....	256
“ glandered horses destroyed.....	7
“ institutions inspected.....	43

Total number of dead animals removed from streets..... 1,254

## Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....	629
“ Attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders.....	466
“ civil actions begun.....	46
“ arrests made.....	5
“ judgments obtained in civil courts.....	1
“ criminal courts.....	..
“ permits issued.....	195
“ persons removed from overcrowded apartments.....	8

The 676 deaths represent a death-rate of 17.56, against 18.74 for the previous week and 18.15 for the corresponding week of 1896.

Contagious and infectious diseases show little change, the number of cases reported of diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and small-pox being respectively 112, 104, 95, 40 and 0, against 116, 90, 109, 50 and 0 for the previous week—a total of 351 against 365. The increase of diphtheria was mainly in the Twelfth and Twenty-second Wards, and the decrease in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Wards. The increase of measles was most marked in the Twelfth and Twenty-second Wards, and the decrease in the Nineteenth Ward. The increase of scarlet fever was chiefly in the Seventeenth Ward, and the decrease in the Twelfth and Twenty-third Wards. Twenty-three of the 40 cases of typhoid fever were above Fortieth street, and 7 were below Fourteenth street. No case of small-pox was reported.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, September 25, 1897.

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 September 18, 1897:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.—For Croton water rents—Regular rates, \$15,250.50; meter rates, \$37,497.40; for penalties, water rents, \$316.40; for tapping Croton pipes, \$552.50;



for redemption of obstructions seized, \$35; for vault permits, \$4,670; for shed permits over sidewalks, \$45—total, \$61,140.87.

**Public Lamps.**—9 new lamps lighted, 7 new lamps erected, 10 old lamps relighted, 71 old lamps discontinued, 145 lamp-posts removed, 6 lamp-posts reset, 20 lamp-posts straightened, 15 columns relaid, 1 column refitted, 7 service pipes refitted, 1 stand-pipe refitted.

**Permits Issued.**—123 permits to tap Croton pipes, 48 permits to open streets, 37 permits to make sewer connections, 22 permits to repair sewer connections, 104 permits to place building material on streets, 22 permits, special; 3 permits to construct street vaults; 9 permits to construct sheds over sidewalks; 35 permits to use water for building purposes.

**Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.**—102 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned, 1,420 lineal feet of sewer cleaned, 5,900 lineal feet of sewer relieved, 15,374 lineal feet of sewer examined, 6 lineal feet pipe culvert laid, 4 lineal feet new curb set, 7 basin heads reset, 2 grate bars reset, 1 basin hood reset, 1 new manhole head and cover put on, 10 new manhole covers put on, 5 new basin grates put in, 2 new basin covers put on, 244 cubic feet of brick-work built, 12 square yards of pavement relaid, 148 cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled, 5 cart-load of dirt removed, 26 square feet of flagging relaid.

**Obstructions Removed.**—24 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

**Repairs to Pavement.**—6,466 square yards of pavement repaired.

**Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending September 18, 1897.**

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	50	132	9	13
Laying Croton Pipes	..	..	..	..
Repairs and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	61	125	4	22
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	1	10	3	..
Supplying Water to Shipping	3	..	..	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers	188	32	..	9
Repairing and Renewals of Pavements	20	44	13	5
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	16	46	17	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>138</b>

#### Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Paving 7th ave., from 58th to 59th st.	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	\$3,598 06
Paving 31st st., from Broadway to 10th ave.	"	38,522 58
Paving 35th st., from 6th to 9th ave.	"	25,112 00
Paving 56th st., from Park to Lexington ave., etc.	"	9,773 55
Paving 57th st., from Park to Lexington ave., etc.	"	27,473 81
Paving 74th st., from Boulevard to West End ave.	"	5,663 25
Paving 79th st., from Boulevard to West End ave.	"	6,170 75
Paving 108th st., from Central Park, West, to Columbus ave.	Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	7,111 20
Paving 114th st., from Lenox to St. Nicholas ave.	"	5,038 23
Paving Lewis st., from Houston to 8th st.	"	3,814 00
Paving 86th st., from 1st to Madison ave.	"	47,381 90
Paving 90th st., from 1st to 2d ave.	"	7,435 79
Paving 124th st., from Madison to 5th ave.	"	4,957 89
Paving 130th st., from Boulevard to 12th ave.	"	4,540 21
Laying Croton mains in Amsterdam, Jackson, etc., aves., etc.	Martin Lipps	6,304 03
Completing sewer in 64th st., between Madison and 5th aves., etc.	Clapp & Shipman	8,950 00
Regulating and grading Ngle ave., from Kingsbridge rd. to 10th ave.	C. W. Collins	22,188 00

**Requisitions on the Comptroller.**—The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$269,592.61.

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

#### CORPORATION ATTORNEY'S REPORT.

**Statement and Return of Moneys received by GEORGE W. LYON, Corporation Attorney, for the month of October, 1897, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 14, Article II., Chapter IV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1880; and of Sections 56 and 216 of Chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882.**

OCT.	WHAT FOR.	JUDGMENTS.	PENALTIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
4.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	\$40 00	.....	\$40 00
5.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	5 00	\$5 00	10 00
6.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. William Wach.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
7.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	.....	5 00	5 00
8.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
9.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	\$17 26	5 00	22 26
13.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Albert W. McKenna.....	.....	150 00	.....	150 00
13.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	10 00	5 00	15 00
14.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Harry D.S. Monroe and Mary F. Crandall.....	.....	16 00	.....	16 00
14.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	20 00	7 50	27 50
14.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
14.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Clarence Hadley.....	.....	8 00	.....	8 00
15.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Henry Rosenberg and Jacob Greenberg.....	.....	42 00	2 00	44 00
19.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Minnie Freedman, Sigmund Feuchtwanger, Jacob Feuchtwanger and Ella Coelho.....	.....	25 00	.....	25 00
19.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	15 00	5 00	20 00
19.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Richard Fell.....	.....	200 00	.....	200 00
20.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00
20.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00
22.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Leopold R. Treu, Josiah S. Lindsay and Amund Johnson.....	.....	100 00	2 00	102 00
23.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	5 00	2 50	7 50
25.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Charles C. Schildwacher, Jr.....	.....	10 00	5 00	15 00
26.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	12 00	.....	12 00
26.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
27.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Sidney Rose.....	.....	15 00	5 00	20 00
27.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	25 00	.....	25 00
28.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
29.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	5 00	5 00	10 00
29.....	In the matter of The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00

Total amount collected.....\$976 75

Amount paid over to John P. Faure, Trustee, in the case of The People ex rel. The Comms. of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	40 00
The same in the case of William Wach.....	20 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....	40 00
The same in the case of Albert W. McKenna.....	150 00
The same in the case of Harry D.S. Monroe and Mary F. Crandall.....	16 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....	40 00
The same in the case of Clarence Hadley.....	8 00
The same in the case of Henry Rosenberg and Jacob Greenberg.....	42 00
The same in the case of Minnie Freedman, Sigmund Feuchtwanger, Jacob Feuchtwanger and Ella Coelho.....	25 00
The same in the case of Richard Fell.....	200 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....	40 00
The same in the case of Leopold R. Treu, Josiah S. Lindsay and Amund Johnson.....	102 00
The same in the case of Charles C. Schildwacher, Jr.....	15 00
The same in the case of Sidney Rose.....	20 00
The same in the case of Isaac Cahn.....	40 00
Disbursements.....	51 15

Balance due the City.....\$849 15

G. W. LYON, Corporation Attorney.

#### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S STATEMENT.

**Statement and Return of Moneys received by WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator, in the City of New York, for the month of October, 1897, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Sections 56 and 216 of New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.**

DATE OF FINAL DECREE.	ESTATE OF—	INTEREST ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
.....	Lucius McAdam.....	\$2 07	.....	\$2 07
.....	Besch & Co.....	1 08	.....	1 08
.....	L. G. Garrettsen.....	6 20	.....	6 20
Sept. 29, 1897	Rosalie Baumann.....	35 49	.....	35 49
Oct. 5, "	Paul Mares.....	3 82	.....	3 82
" 2, "	Annie Flanagan.....	28 80	.....	28 80
" 6, "	Ellen Nelson.....	239 61	.....	239 61
" 6, "	John Wamsler.....	10 82	.....	10 82
" 6, "	Angela Gotika.....	11 86	.....	11 86
Oct. 13, 1897	Albert Harit.....	22 13	.....	22 13
	Hamilton Martin.....	28 69	.....	28 69

Robustiano Hergues.....	\$27 26	\$27 26
Cath. Burke.....	4 87	4 87
Rudolph Puhler.....	12 30	12 30
Cath. Herrick.....	3 20	3 20
Oct. 20, 1897	Brigitte Murphy.....	4 76
" 22, "	David B. Loudon.....	32 58
" 22, "	Patrick Flanagan.....	64 88
" 20, "	Elizabeth J. Watson.....	92 55
	Estates closed pursuant to chapter 573, Laws of 1887 (Made line E. Kendall), as per list attached.....	\$990 85 159 17 1,150 02
		\$994 00 \$788 99 \$1,782 99

#### Estates Closed, Pursuant to Chapter 573, Laws of 1887.

ESTATE OF—	INTEREST ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	LOUISE CHAMPION.....	\$26 19	\$19 62
Madeline E. Kendal.....	\$163 36	\$15 82	Bridget McCue.....	3 72	3 72
Ann Bohie.....	10 65	7 25	William Junghaus.....	1 03	97
Julia Hogan.....	150 03	23 12	Betty Brown.....	21 64	1 43
Jennie Kummel.....	20 65	1 33	Mary Dinan.....	66 49	8 74
August R. Ernst.....	98 10	10 76	Lizzie Higginson.....	13 29	1 35
Antonio Casani.....	18 69	1 82	Ellen Sheridan.....	4 76	5 41
Elizabeth Harper.....	82 05	10 29	Paul Pishkall.....	78 53	4 25
Charles Ellison.....	23 33	1 55	Ann Reardon.....	2 39	13
Anny Wollman.....	23 43	9 08	Roger De Sillier.....	84	04
James J. O'Mahoney.....	27 02	6 99	Kate Healy.....	25	25
Christine Weltner.....	28 08	4 08	Nincenzo Spagno.....	42	08
Unknown man.....	31 65	2 00	Charles Paulo.....	11	.....
Jacob Heinrich.....	76 46	9 75	Patrick Roach.....	56	06
Martha Ferris.....	10 41	55	Charles Wanninger.....	40	.....
Maria Hodney.....	0 44	5 51	Edward Hirsch.....	15	.....
			Mary Caravan.....	.....	.....
			Christine Armond.....	.....	.....
				\$990 85	\$150 17

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That John C. Hume, of No. 1998 Valentine avenue, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1897. Approved by the Mayor, October 26, 1897.

#### ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

**RAILROADS.**—The Railroad Committee will hold a meeting on every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

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

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Bureau of Licenses—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and 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. 13, 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 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.

Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.

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

Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Examining Board of Plumbers—Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.

Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

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

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

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

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

Board of Electrical Control—No. 1262 Broadway.

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

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.

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

Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.

Sheriff's Office—Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 9 Chambers street, 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, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.

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

Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.

Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.

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

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

Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M.

District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Magistrates' Courts—Office of Secretary, Second District Police Court, Jefferson Market, No. 125 Sixth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. 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.

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day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are fixed at Five Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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 interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received, but the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidders.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had, at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, and also, in the case of No. 1 above mentioned, at the office of the architect, Richard H. Hunt, No. 28 East Twenty-first street.

SAMUEL McMILLAN, S. V. CRUGER, SMITH ELY, EDWARD MITCHELL, Commissioners of Public Parks.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, October 21, 1897.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the 37th auction sale of Police Unclaimed and Cartage Property will be sold at Public Auction Wednesday, November 10, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., of the following property, viz: Men's and Women's Clothing, Tools, Machinery, Musical Instruments, Revolvers, Knives, Case Goods, Iron, Lead, Brass, etc., Iron Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Desks, Pigton Holes, Tables, Chairs, Folding Beds, Water Coolers and a lot of Miscellaneous Articles. For particulars see catalogue on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.**  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.  
JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

#### CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, November 1, 1897.

**EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:**

Friday, November 5, 10 A. M., NIGHT OFFICER, LODGING-HOUSE FOR HOMELESS MEN. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, spelling, duties, records, test of memory and experience.

Monday, November 8, 10 A. M., POLICE CLERKS. The examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, English spelling, dictation and letter-writing, and in addition thereto a special paper on the Penal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure; also knowledge of keeping law register. Applicants for this position must be residents of the City of New York.

Tuesday, November 9, 10 A. M., INSPECTORS TO SUPERVISE ELEVATORS IN BUILDING DEPARTMENT. Candidates must be competent machinists. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic,

technical knowledge (with special reference to construction of elevators) and experience; also in plans, etc.

Wednesday, November 10, 10 A. M., ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMEN. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Friday, November 12, 10 A. M., DYNAMO ENGINEERS. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge (with special reference to dynamos and care and use of electric-light plant) and experience.

Monday, November 15, 10 A. M., GARDENERS. Examination will consist of arithmetic, reading, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, November 16, 10 A. M., INSPECTORS OF ELECTRICAL WIRES AND APPLIANCES. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Thursday, November 18, 10 A. M., INSPECTORS OF WATER METERS, WASTE WATER AND SUPPLY TO SHIPPING. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Monday, November 22, 10 A. M., INSPECTORS OF PIPES AND PIPE-LAYING. Examination will consist of writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Applications are desired for the position of House-keeper and Engineers who have had experience in running dynamos.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

NEW YORK, November 1, 1897.  
**NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION** day in the Labor Bureau will be Friday, and that examinations will take place on that day at 1 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

#### STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING, No. 346 BROADWAY, CITY.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

**CONTRACT FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM THE STREETS AND AVENUES AND PUBLIC PLACES, OR PARTS THEREOF, OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THE UNLOADING AND FINAL DISCHARGE OF THE SAME AT THE SEVERAL DUMPS, OR OTHER PLACES OF FINAL DISPOSITION AND DISCHARGE DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET CLEANING, FOR AND DURING THE PERIOD ENDING APRIL 15, 1898.**

**ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE CONTRACT,** inclosed in sealed envelopes and indorsed with the name and address of person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, until 12 M., of Monday, the 22d day of November, 1897, at which time and place the said estimates will be publicly opened and read.

The person or persons to whom the said contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five (5) days from the receipt of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may readvertise and relet the work, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state, under oath, in their estimates, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state that fact; also, that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested it is required that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion and that which the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. A like affidavit as to sufficiency shall be required of an officer of any company so consenting. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

A special deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) in lawful money of the United States will be required to be made with the Comptroller of the City of New York on or before the execution of the said contract, said deposit to be retained by said Comptroller, as provided in the said contract, as an additional security for the proper and complete performance of the work under the said contract.

The price in the bid or estimate must be written and must also be given in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all of the bids should he deem it best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from nor will the contract be awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said city, for Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500), or money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will likewise be returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or if not so made they will be rejected.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 29, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, October 19, 1897.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

**AS PROVIDED BY CHAPTER 368 OF THE** Laws of 1894, notice is hereby given that I will, on Thursday, the 4th day of November, 1897, at 10.30 A. M., in Stable "A" of this Department, Seventeenth Street

and Avenue C, in the City of New York, sell at public auction the following personal property of this Department, to wit:

One (1) Dark Chestnut Mare, six (6) years of age, weighing 1,250 pounds, 15-2½ hands high, and bearing as special marks a white star on the forehead (all other points dark).

One (1) Light Gray Gelding, seven (7) years of age, weighing 1,520 pounds, 16 2½ hands high, bearing as special marks a white patch between the nostrils, having a white underlip (all other points light).

N. B.—Both the above horses will be sold as vicious animals.

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

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

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

#### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, October 19, 1897.

**PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR PRINTING, folding, binding and distributing the CITY RECORD** (a publication provided for by section 111 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, section 1 of chapter 637, Laws of 1875, and sections 66, 67 and 68 of chapter 470, Laws of 1876, otherwise known as the New York City Consolidation Act), for one year from January 3, 1898, in accordance with specifications filed in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York, will be received in the office of the Supervisor until 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, November 10, 1897, at or about which time they will be publicly opened and read in the office of the Mayor of the City of New York. The award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and his place of business, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other 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 without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be made in strict conformity to the ordinances of the City and the specifications; it must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, accompanied by the consent and oath or affirmation of two sureties, householders or freeholders of the City of New York and placed in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be indorsed "Estimate for Printing and Distributing the CITY RECORD," together with the name and place of business of the party making the estimate, and the date of its presentation. The security required on the contract will be Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty (\$1,250) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record or clerk who has charge of the estimate-box, at the office of the CITY RECORD, No. 2 City Hall, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

The RECORD to be a paper in size and general form like the publication of 1897, and to contain such matter only as is authorized and required by law to be published therein, and at the times and in the manner required by the present laws, and matter that may be required during the year by any new or amended laws.

#### BIDS ARE INVITED AS FOLLOWS:

First.—A price per thousand ems of plain or ordinary composition (which shall include the compiling, correcting, arranging and classifying of and type-setting on the galley, and the binding of the paper) of the ems of rule and figure work, which prices shall include the entire cost of printing, furnishing, folding, binding and distributing during the year 1898, commencing on the third day of January, 2,000 copies of each issue and supplements, and such number of the registry lists and indices as may be required (not exceeding 2,000 of each), of the paper known as the CITY RECORD, in conformity with the specifications given, and in conformity with the laws as they now exist or as they may exist during 1898, except what may be paid under the terms of the contract for changes and alterations.

Second.—For changes and alterations per hour.

Third.—The total price per token of four pages for all additional expense incurred in printing, furnishing, folding, binding and distributing any additional number of copies of the CITY RECORD and supplements that may be required beyond the stipulated number of 2,000, said additional copies to conform in every respect to the specifications of the regular authorized edition.

Fourth.—The price per volume for binding, in quarterly or bi-monthly volumes, two hundred, or less, of the copies of the CITY RECORD and indices, for which the contractor is to set aside and preserve for each quarter or for each two months during the year, said binding to be similar and equal in kind and quality to the binding of the CITY RECORD volumes during the present year. The bound volumes of each quarterly or bi-monthly period are to be delivered within six weeks after the copy or the index for that period has been given to the contractor.

The undersigned officers reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if in their judgment the same may be for the best interests of the City.

Copies of the specifications and the form of contract to be entered into may be had at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall.

By order of  
WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation; C. H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner of Public Works.

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor of the City Record.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

**TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 618.)**  
**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 700 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.**

**ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING** about 700 tons of Anthracite Coal will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, in the City of New York, until 11.30 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1897,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named,

which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 700 tons.

It is expected that about 600 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,240 pounds avoirdupois.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 230 tons at such times and places and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 1st day of March, 1898, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 28, 1897.

**TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 617.)**  
**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED SPRUCE TIMBER.**

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED Spruce Timber will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 11:30 o'clock A.M. of

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials to be furnished is as follows:

**SPRUCE PLANK FOR REPAIRS.**  
Three-inch and 4-inch plank, as ordered, in pieces varying in length from 11 feet to 26 feet 9 inches wide and upward, about 150,000 feet, B.M.

The 3-inch and 4-inch plank called for shall be delivered in lots of not less than 500 feet, board measure, within six hours after receipt of an order that said delivery is to commence.

Where the City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

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

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

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

The contractor shall be ready to commence the delivery of the materials called for under this contract within five days after the date of this contract, and the delivery shall be commenced and shall be continued in such manner and quantities and at such times and places as may from time to time be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of April, 1898, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

of the contract over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, October 28, 1897.

## PARK AVENUE IMPROVEMENT.

**TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.**  
**THE BOARD FOR THE PARK AVENUE IMPROVEMENT** above One Hundred and Sixth street, will receive sealed proposals up to 3 o'clock P.M., of Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1897, at its offices, No. 501 Fifth avenue, New York City, for painting the metal viaduct structure on Park avenue, between the south side of One Hundred and Tenth street and the south side of Harlem river, at about One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in accordance with specifications and form of contract and proposal, which may now be inspected, and further information, if desired, obtained at the offices of the Board.

NEW YORK, October 27, 1897.

FRANK BULKLEY, President.  
HENRY L. STODDARD, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Nos. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P.M., on Monday, November 15, 1897, for Erecting a Public School Building on the block bounded by Mott and Walton avenues and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets; also for Supplying a Safety Appliance for the protection of Janitors of the Public Schools while cleaning windows.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties pro-

posing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

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

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

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.

Dated NEW YORK, November 4, 1897.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P.M. on Monday, November 8, 1897, for Supplying Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric-lighting Plant for New Public School No. 20, on south side of Rivington street, between Forsyth and Eldridge streets; also for Old Iron, etc., now in Storehouse, No. 322 East Twentieth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

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

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EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings.

Dated NEW YORK, September 27, 1897.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**PROPOSALS FOR \$314,000.00 THREE PER CENT. BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

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

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, until**

**TUESDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1897,** at 2 o'clock P.M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Bonds of the City of New York, bearing interest at three per cent. per annum, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE.
\$300,000.00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as "Fire Department Bonds" .....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 76, Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751, Laws of 1896, and resolution, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, August 17, 1897.....	Nov. 1, 1916	May 1 and Nov. 1
14,000.00	Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as "Police Department Bonds" .....	Sections 132 and 134, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; chapter 76, Laws of 1894; chapter 495, Laws of 1895, and resolution Board of Estimate and Apportionment, October 12, 1897.....	Nov. 1, 1918	May 1, and Nov. 1

This stock is exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted July 2, 1897.

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provided by section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 103 of the Laws of 1897:

No proposal for bonds or stock will be accepted for less than the par value of the same.

Each bidder must deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of the said Comptroller upon a State or National Bank of the City of New York, two per cent. of the amount of the proposal, including premium. No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit. All such deposits will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after decision as to the highest bidder or bidders has been made, except the deposit or deposits made by

such highest bidder or bidders. If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after the service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the Chamberlain of the City of New York the amount of the stock or bonds awarded to him or them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, if any, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount of such deposit or deposits shall be forfeited and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such refusal or neglect.

The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law.

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

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 27, 1897.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT—BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING), NEW YORK, November 1, 1897.**

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK** to all persons whose taxes for the year 1897 remain unpaid on the first day of November of said year that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per centum of the amount thereof, and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 1, 1897, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

**AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, October 22, 1897.**

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE** work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved forms of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for constructing a keeper's house and storage room extension, janitor's cottage and stable at the Jerome Park Reservoir, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, will be received at this office until Wednesday, November 10, 1897, at 3 o'clock, P.M., and they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their inclosure, form of bonds and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. DUANE, President.

EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

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

October 28, 1897.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, until 11 o'clock A.M., on Friday, November 12, 1897, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened.

**FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ROSE HILL PLACE, IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A VIADUCT OVER THE TRACKS OF THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD AND THE PORT MORRIS BRANCH OF THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD, CONNECTING MELROSE AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET TO THE JUNCTION OF WEBSTER AVENUE AND BROOK AVENUE AT EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**FOR CONSTRUCTING BRIDGES AND ABUTMENTS AT THE CROSSINGS OF GERARD AVENUE, WALTON AVENUE AND RIVER AVENUE, AND THE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD, AND OF FORT INDEPENDENCE STREET AND THE NEW YORK AND PUTNAM RAILROAD.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

OCTOBER 28, 1897.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF** the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improve-



ments of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, November 4, 1897, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from College avenue to Third avenue, and from Willis avenue to Brook avenue.

No. 2. REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

No. 3. REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Elton avenue to Courtlandt avenue.

No. 4. REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WEBSTER AVENUE, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street.

No. 5. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN MORRIS AVENUE, from the east side of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Grand Boulevard or Concourse.

No. 6. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN AND PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BROWN PLACE, from the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

No. 7. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Brook avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

No. 8. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS IN BATHGATE AVENUE, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

No. 9. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN BATHGATE AVENUE, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

No. 10. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from the existing sewer in Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

No. 11. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (Charles place), from the existing sewer in River avenue to the Concourse.

No. 12. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Southern Boulevard to Lorillard place, AND IN CROTONA AVENUE, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, AND IN BELMONT AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to St. John's College, AND IN ARTHUR AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to the summit south, AND IN HOFFMAN STREET, from Pelham avenue to the summit south of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

No. 13. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BAINBRIDGE AVENUE, from Kingsbridge road to summit north of East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street; IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Kingsbridge road; IN BRIGGS AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street.

No. 14. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN CRESCENT AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Arthur avenue, AND IN ARTHUR AVENUE, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, AND IN ADAMS PLACE, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, AND IN HUGHES AVENUE, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, AND IN BELMONT AVENUE, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, AND IN CAMBRELING AVENUE, between Crescent avenue and Grote street, AND IN BEAUMONT AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

No. 15. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN ANTHONY AVENUE, from the existing sewer in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

No. 16. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, between Washington avenue and Fulton avenue, AND IN FULTON AVENUE, between St. Paul's place and Wendover avenue.

No. 17. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from the existing sewer in Walnut avenue, to Cypress avenue, AND IN WALES AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, AND IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Wales avenue to Powers avenue, AND IN CONCORD AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, AND IN ROBINS AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to St. Mary's street, AND IN POWERS AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to St. Mary's street, AND IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD (west side), from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, AND IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD (east side), from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Whitlock avenue.

No. 18. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, between Webster avenue and Park avenue, AND IN PARK AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

No. 19. CONSTRUCTING, ALTERING AND IMPROVING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES, IN ROSE STREET, from the existing sewer in Brook avenue to Third avenue; IN THIRD AVENUE, between Rose street and Elton avenue; IN ELTON AVENUE, between Third avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street; IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from Elton avenue to a point about 70 feet west (to Manhole No. 11); IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, between Third avenue and Melrose avenue, AND IN MELROSE AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 20. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TIEBOUT AVENUE, from the existing sewer in East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to the summit south.

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

Each bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accom-

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Sixty (60) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

#### ST. OPENING AND IMPROVEM'T.

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, November 5, 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, November 1, 1897.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, November 1, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE amendments to the rules of this Department, dated August 7, 1897, governing electrical installations, etc., and published in the CITY RECORD, will not be enforced until the fifteenth day of November, 1897.

NEW YORK, October 28, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in making additional repairs, etc., to the fire-boats "Zophar Mills" (Engine Company No. 51) of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, November 10, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be fully completed and delivered within the twentieth (20th) day after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Twenty (20) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Twelve Hundred (1,200) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all

his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Sixty (60) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. LA GRANGE and THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

NEW YORK, October 26, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required for constructing and erecting a building for the Fire Department on the north side of Grand avenue (East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street), between Katonah avenue and East Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, November 10, 1897, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Proposals must be made for all the work contained in the specifications.

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

The building is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and eighty (180) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Twenty (20) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Eight Thousand (8,000) Dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Four Hundred (400) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or

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

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, O. H. LA GRANGE, and THOMAS STURGIS, Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, October 25, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, November 9, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WALL STREET, from the east side of Hanover to the east side of Pearl street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MERCER STREET, from Third to Fourth street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BOULEVARD, WEST SIDE, from One Hundred and Eighth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WEST END AVENUE, from south side of Seventy-sixth to south side of Seventy-ninth street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWELFTH STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue, AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, from Park to Third avenue, AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Lexington to Park avenue.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Central Park, West, to Columbus avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Central Park, West, to West End avenue.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from First to Third avenue.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from First to Park avenue.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Columbus avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Central Park, West, to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Riverside drive.

No. 17. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN WEST END AVENUE, from north side of Ninety-ninth to south side of One Hundred and Fourth street, including the present crosswalks.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Madison to First avenue.

No. 19. FOR OUTLET SEWER FOR SEWERAGE DISTRICT NO. 23, WITH SEWERS IN BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE, between summit south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and summit north of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, between Boulevard Lafayette and Fort Washington avenue.

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

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

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

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



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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor for Nos. 1 to 18, inclusive, and in Room No. 1701 for No. 19.

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

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, October 22, 1897.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Friday, November 5, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, on second floor, at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above mentioned.**

**No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEWIS STREET, from Houston to Eighth street, so far as the same is not within the limits of grants of land under water.**

**No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTH STREET, from Avenue D to Lewis street, AND SEVENTH STREET, from Avenue C to Lewis street.**

**No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET, from Fifth avenue to Avenue A.**

**No. 4. FOR FLAGGING, CURBING, ETC., THE SIDEWALKS ON FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH STREETS, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.**

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor, for Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and in Room 1733 for No. 4.

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

#### TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL ORDINANCES of the Common Council, approved March 30, 1897, and subsequent thereto, in relation to the use and occupancy of sidewalks, must be complied with, and that all hoistways must occupy only such space of the sidewalk as is authorized by special ordinance of the Common Council, passed March 30, 1886, viz.:**

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

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

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

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE practice of placing concrete or other friable curbs on the streets of this city is in contravention of chapter 5, Article XIV, section 251, Revised Ordinances of 1897**

which reads: "All curb-stones \* \* \* shall be of the best hard blue or gray granite." And this Department will find it necessary to prosecute to the full penalty imposed by law persons setting or making such curbs, whether they have broken up or removed the curb-stones provided by the City or not.

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

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

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

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

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March 23, 1897.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PLUMBERS, to whom license has been or may be issued to make and connect service pipes, for conducting water to houses and tenements with the distributing pipes in this city, after said pipes have been tapped, and to make connections with sewers or drains from houses and tenements with the sewers or drains in the streets or avenues of this city, that such license will be revoked in the case of any plumber who permits another to use his license and to do the work of a master plumber without holding a certificate of competency from the Examining Board of Plumbers; or who violates any of the regulations which have been or may hereafter be established by the Department, respecting the introduction and use of the Croton water and connections made with sewers and drains.**

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

#### DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, of 'otherwise,' and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 38, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 3 o'clock P. M., until further notice.**

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.  
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, GEORGE W. STEPHENS, Commissioners.

LANOUST McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 5324, No. 1. Paving Corlears street, from Grand to South street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5416, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Bainbridge avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway.

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 Corlears street, from Grand to South street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Bainbridge avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 29th day of November, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors.

New York, October 27, 1897.

#### SUPREME COURT.

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 TUDOR PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to the Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.**

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.  
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, ROBT. L. WENSLEY, JACOB KATZ, 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 FORTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to Austin place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.**

Dated New York, November 1, 1897.  
NATHAN A. ALEXANDER, JOHN F. CROTTY, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening a PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by Tremont avenue, Burnside avenue, Webster avenue and Rye avenue, in the Twenty-fourth 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 of damage, 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, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 22d day of November, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of November, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate, together with our damage maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said estimate, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 2d day of December, 1897.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Morris avenue to Park avenue, and by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Park avenue to Third avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, and by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue; on the east by Park avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and by the easterly side of Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; on the west by the easterly side of Morris avenue, as such streets are shown upon the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III., of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of December, 1897, 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, October 26, 1897.  
GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN, Chairman; PETER A. WALSH, JAS. O. FARRELL, 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 ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET AND THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Twelfth 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 1885, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1885, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:**

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, October 30, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the State Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon place, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1885, and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 12th day of November, 1897, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, 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, October 29, 1897.  
WILLIAM W. NILES, JR., PETER F. MEYER, ISAAC H. TERRELL, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, 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 PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, 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 12th day of October, 1897, 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 18th day of October, 1897, 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.**

attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 18th day of October, 1897, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of November, 1897, 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 28, 1897.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, JOHN J. QUINLAN, AUGUST MOEBUS, 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 WATTS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sullivan street to West Broadway, at Broome street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Eighth 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 12th day of October, 1897, 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 18th day of October, 1897, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 28, 1897.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, CHARLES P. PUTZEL, 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 STATION PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Gun Hill road to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of October, 1897, 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 18th day of October, 1897, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York.



New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 28, 1897.  
THEODORE E. SMITH, G. O. DRAKE SMITH,  
HENRY K. DAVIS, 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 PLIMPTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 11th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Plimpton avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Boscobel avenue distant 664.30 feet southerly from the intersection of the easterly line of Boscobel avenue with the easterly line of Croton Aqueduct.

1st. Thence southerly along the easterly line of Boscobel avenue for 65.84 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 128 degrees 56 minutes to the left for 1,382.39 feet to the southern line of Featherbed lane.

3d. Thence westerly along the southern line of Featherbed lane for 50.51 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly for 1,332.47 feet to the point of beginning.

Plimpton avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895; and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated NEW YORK, October 29, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening, extending and widening of BURN-SIDE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 11th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening, extending and widening of a certain street or avenue known as Burnside avenue, between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the point of compound curvature between two curves of 40 feet and 360 feet, respectively, in the eastern line of the public place bounded by Ryer avenue, Tremont avenue and Burnside avenue.

1st. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 360 feet radius along the eastern line of said public place for 270.64 feet.

2d. Thence northerly and still along the eastern line of said public place for 198.68 feet to the western line of Burnside avenue (as legally opened May 12, 1887).

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of said Burnside avenue, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 38 feet radius, for 14.01 feet.

4th. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 450 feet radius, for 464.64 feet, to the point of beginning.

Burnside avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 14 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895; and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated NEW YORK, October 29, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 11th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Marion avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York,

being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Morris avenue distant 645.31 feet northerly from the intersection of the western line of Morris avenue with the northern line of Kingsbridge road.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Morris avenue for 60.52 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 97 degrees 30 minutes 13 seconds to the left for 267.90 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 260 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Morris avenue distant 645.81 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Morris avenue with the northern line of Kingsbridge road.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 60.54 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 87 degrees 18 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 304.53 feet to the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60 feet.

4th. Thence westerly for 513.19 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Bainbridge avenue distant 851.05 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Bainbridge avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Bainbridge avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 48 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 436.65 feet.

3d. Thence still westerly deflecting 8 degrees 9 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 60.36 feet.

4th. Thence still westerly deflecting 1 degree 10 minutes 2 seconds to the left for 244.39 feet to the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

5th. Thence northerly along the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60.07 feet.

6th. Thence easterly deflecting 87 degrees 13 minutes 43 seconds to the right for 249.11 feet.

7th. Thence still easterly deflecting 1 degree 36 minutes 53 seconds to the right for 60.31 feet.

8th. Thence still easterly for 438.84 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."  
Beginning at a point on the eastern line of Bainbridge avenue distant 836.21 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Bainbridge avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Bainbridge avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees 11 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 226.90 feet.

3d. Thence still easterly deflecting 14 degrees 39 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 140.59 feet to the western line of Marion avenue.

4th. Thence northerly along the western line of Marion avenue for 60 feet.

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 148.71 feet.

6th. Thence still westerly for 234.41 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 17 and 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, section 17 on December 27, 1895, and section 20 on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, section 17 on December 27, 1895, and section 20 on December 17, 1895; in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, section 17 on December 28, 1895, and section 20 on December 18, 1895.

Dated NEW YORK, October 29, 1897.  
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 COLUMBINE STREET, MONROE AND JACKSON AVENUES, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights will be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, October 26, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 8th day of November, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, 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, October 25, 1897.  
BANKSON T. MORGAN, JAMES S. ALLEN,  
PIERRE V. B. HOES, Commissioners.  
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, 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 SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Twelfth 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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

First—We have completed our estimate of the

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights will be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, October 26, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 8th day of November, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Part III., in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, 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, October 25, 1897.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS, JOHN H. ROGAN,  
HERMAN W. VANDERPOEL, Commissioners.  
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all such real estate, and to any right, title or interest therein not owned by the said The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of the approach and entrance to the GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 57 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 679 of the Laws of 1897.

PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 57 OF THE LAWS of 1896, as amended by chapter 679 of the Laws of 1897, and the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 4th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, and to any right, title or interest therein not owned by the said The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, required for an approach and entrance to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 57 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 679 of the Laws of 1897, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, distant six hundred and fifty-six and fifty-two one-hundredths feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the eastern line of Jerome avenue.

1. Thence easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for one hundred and seventy-six and forty-three one-hundredths feet.

2. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn southerly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of sixty-six degrees nine minutes and fifty-one seconds with the eastern prolongation of said course, and whose radius is one thousand four hundred and twenty and seventy-two one-hundredths feet for eight hundred and eleven and three one-hundredths feet to the eastern line of the land acquired for the Jerome avenue approach to the central bridge over the Harlem river.

3. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of said land for four hundred and forty-nine and forty-three one-hundredths feet.

4. Thence southerly on the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for sixty feet.

5. Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of one thousand five hundred and seventy-two one-hundredths feet radius for two hundred and twenty-seven and twelve one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, distant seven feet easterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the eastern line of Jerome avenue.

1. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for four hundred and thirty-three and sixty-seven one-hundredths feet to an angle point in said line.

2. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for four hundred and sixty and twenty-seven one-hundredths feet to an angle point in said line.

3. Thence easterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for one hundred and fifty-five and fifty-four one-hundredths feet to an angle point in said line.

4. Thence northeasterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for seventy-one and thirty-nine one-hundredths feet to the western line of Walton avenue.

5. Thence northerly along the western line of Walton avenue for seventy-eight and eighty-four one-hundredths feet.

6. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is twenty-five feet, for thirty-eight and sixty-nine one-hundredths feet.

7. Thence westerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for eight hundred and thirty-two and fifty-four one-hundredths feet.

8. Thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course whose radius is one thousand five hundred and seventy-two one-hundredths feet for two hundred and twenty-eight and sixty-eight one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the eastern line of Walton avenue.

1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Walton avenue for two hundred and fifty-seven and seventy-eight one-hundredths feet.

2. Thence northerly deflecting thirty-nine minutes and fifty-five seconds to the right for forty-four and seventy-eight one-hundredths feet.

3. Thence northerly deflecting two degrees fourteen minutes and twenty-nine seconds to the right, for ninety-nine and ninety-six one-hundredths feet.

4. Thence northerly deflecting twelve minutes and thirteen seconds to the left for one hundred and twenty-one and thirty-five one-hundredths feet.

5. Thence northerly deflecting five minutes and twenty-eight seconds to the left for one hundred and fourteen one-hundredths feet.

6. Thence northeasterly deflecting fifteen degrees eighteen minutes and fifty-three seconds to the right for eighty-seven and thirty-five one-hundredths feet.

7. Thence northeasterly deflecting eight degrees

thirty-seven minutes and forty-seven seconds to the right for one hundred and forty-three and ninety-six one-hundredths feet.

8. Thence southeasterly deflecting eighty-four degrees twenty-two minutes and nineteen seconds to the right for thirty-seven and thirty-seven one-hundredths feet.

9. Thence southeasterly deflecting five degrees sixteen minutes and twenty-nine seconds to the right for one hundred and twenty-one and nine one-hundredths feet.

10. Thence southeasterly deflecting thirty-seven degrees fourteen minutes and fifty-eight seconds to the right for twenty-four and thirty-eight one-hundredths feet to the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

11. Thence southerly deflecting twenty-five degrees twenty-two minutes and twenty-three seconds to the right and along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for six hundred and ninety and eighty-one one-hundredths feet.

12. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of fifty feet radius tangent to the preceding course for seventy-eight and forty-one one-hundredths feet along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

13. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for two hundred and twenty-six and ninety-four one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Walton avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

1. Thence northeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for seventy-two and eight one-hundredths feet.

2. Thence easterly and still along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for three hundred and twenty-three and forty-one one-hundredths feet to the western line of Mott avenue.

3. Thence southerly along the western line of Mott avenue for eighty-one and eighteen one-hundredths feet.

4. Thence westerly deflecting eighty-nine degrees fifty-five minutes and forty-six seconds to the right for three hundred and seventy-three and fifty-four one-hundredths feet to the eastern line of Walton avenue.

5. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Walton avenue for twenty and ninety-one one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning.

The approach and entrance to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse is shown on certain maps, plans and profiles made by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and certified by the said Commissioner before a person authorized by law to take acknowledgments of deeds and conveyances, and filed, one copy thereof in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on July 20, 1897, and one copy thereof in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 23, 1897, and one copy thereof in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on July 22, 1897, said copies being similar each to the others.

Dated NEW YORK, October 22, 1897.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of September, 1897, 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 18th day of October, 1897, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, 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 28, 1897.  
JAMES R. ELY, ANDREW RUEHL, CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL, 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 DOMINICK, CLARK AND BROOME STREETS, in the Eighth 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 Dominick, Clark and Broome streets, in the Eighth 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, and the



various statutes amendatory thereof, 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, 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 Eighth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broome street with the westerly line of Clark street; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Broome street 104 feet and 2 inches; thence northerly nearly parallel with Clark street 84 feet and 6 inches; thence westerly parallel or nearly so with Broome street 49 feet and 6 inches; thence northerly nearly parallel with Clark street 84 feet to the southerly line of Dominick street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Dominick street 152 feet and 10 inches to the westerly line of Clark street; thence southerly along said westerly line of Clark street 168 feet and 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 13, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to ascertain the loss and damage and compensation for the lands and premises laid out, taken, set apart and appropriated for a public field, place or park, including interest thereon, pursuant to the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act in relation to St. James place in the city of New York," being chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** case made and provided, and pursuant to chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court House, in the City of New York on the 13th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The above-entitled proceeding is for the purpose of ascertaining the loss and damage and compensation, including interest thereon, for the lands and premises taken for a public field, place or park, pursuant to said chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897. The said lands and premises are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Jerome avenue where the northerly boundary line of the premises now owned, used and occupied by the Episcopal Church of Saint James intersects the same, about two hundred and ninety-six and twenty-five hundredths feet northerly of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, as laid out; thence running northerly along the easterly side of Jerome avenue to a point on the easterly side thereof, which is four hundred and twenty-five feet north of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, as laid out; thence running easterly and parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street to the westerly side of Creston avenue as laid out; thence southerly along the westerly side of Creston avenue to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, as laid out; thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street to the westerly side of Kirkside or Morris avenue as laid out; thence southerly along the westerly side of Kirkside or Morris avenue to the northerly boundary line of premises owned and occupied by the Episcopal Church of Saint James, and thence westerly along said last-mentioned boundary line to the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the point or place of beginning.

And as shown on three similar maps entitled "Map of plan of Saint James place, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, authorized and laid out in pursuance of chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897," and filed, one in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on the 4th day of September, 1897; one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 6th day of September, 1897, and one in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on the 13th day of September, 1897.

Dated New York, October 20, 1897.

FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York, N. Y.

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

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TREMONT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Transverse Road under the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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.

**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 of damage, 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, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 11th day of November, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 11th day of November, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said estimate, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 26th day of November, 1897.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue and by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue, and by the northerly side of Cameron place, from Morris avenue to Jerome avenue; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, and by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Park avenue to Eden avenue, thence on a straight line to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Belmont street, thence along the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and Belmont street to Jerome avenue; on the east by Park avenue, from the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-

second street to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, and by Third avenue, from the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and by Park avenue, from the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and on the west by Jerome avenue, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City and County of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of December, 1897, 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, October 19, 1897.

STEPHEN B. STANTON, Chairman; JOHN J. NEVILLE, FRANK ADAMS ACER, 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 RYER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 4th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Ryer avenue, from Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Tremont avenue distant 212.66 feet easterly from the intersection of the northern line of Tremont avenue with the eastern line of Anthony avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of Tremont avenue for 121.36 feet.

2d. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 40 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course, for 42.45 feet.

3d. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 65.19 feet.

4th. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 35.75 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 37.20 feet to the southern line of Burnside avenue.

5th. Thence southwesterly along the southern line of Burnside avenue on the arc of a circle of 37.62 feet radius for 70.77 feet.

6th. Thence westerly along the southern line of Burnside avenue for 18.53 feet.

7th. Thence southerly deflecting 93 degrees 32 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 66.04 feet.

8th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 40 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 61.48 feet to the point of beginning.

And is shown on section 14 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed as follows: In the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, October 22, 1897.

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

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HOME STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to Intervale avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Tiffany street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 11th day of November, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 11th day of November, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the said city, there to remain until the 26th day of November, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of Freeman street, from Prospect avenue to the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard, and by the middle line of the blocks between Home street and Freeman street, from the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Prospect avenue to the middle line of the block between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard, and by the middle line of the blocks between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street from the middle line of the blocks between Fox street and the Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue; on the east by Westchester avenue and on the west by Prospect avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of December, 1897, 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, October 5, 1897.

J. A. BEALL, Chairman; WINTHROP PARKER, CHAS. SCHWICK, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Union avenue to Prospect 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 THE BILL** of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 8th day of November, 1897, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, October 22, 1897.

J. PHILIP BERG, GEO. CHAPPELL, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEPHENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads, 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 29th day of September, 1897, 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 to 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 18th day of October, 1897, 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 required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of November, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such 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, October 28, 1897.

CLIFFORD W. HARTIDGE, DANIEL F. SHEEHAN, JOHN M. DELMOUR, 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, under chapter 211 of the Laws of 1897 (although not yet named by proper authority), as the same has been laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land:

**PARCEL A.**

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster avenue distant 373.14 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Webster avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 80.3 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 85 degrees 13 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 231.59 feet to the western line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, West).

3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 242.56 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL B.**

Beginning at a point in the western line of Park

avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, East), distant 348.65 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the western line of said Park avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the western line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 86 degrees 9 minutes 41 seconds to the left for 66.15 feet to the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, West).

3d. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.

4th. Thence southeasterly for 66.15 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL C.**

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Vanderbilt avenue, East), distant 357.61 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of said Park avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of said Park avenue for 80.18 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 93 degrees 50 minutes 19 seconds to the right for 165.86 feet to the western line of Third avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Third avenue for 95.62 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 212.87 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on certain maps, entitled "Map or Plan and Profile showing amendment of sections 13 and 17 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, by extending East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, authorized and directed by chapter 211 of the Laws of 1897," filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on June 12, 1897; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on July 13, 1897, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on July 14, 1897.

Dated New York, October 20, 1897.

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 in the block bounded by GANSEVOORT, HUDSON, HORATIO and WEST FOURTH STREETS, in the Ninth 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, October 29, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 12th day of November, 1897, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of November, 1897, 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, October 28, 1897.

BANKSON T. MORGAN, WALTER B. BROWN, MICHAEL J. KELLY, Commissioners. JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, 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 at the SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET AND COLLEGE AVENUE, in the Twenty-third 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER** 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of November, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 southwesterly corner of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and College avenue, in the Twenty-third 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, 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, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, 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 Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southwesterly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street with the northerly line of College avenue; running thence southwesterly along said southwesterly line of College avenue 125 feet; thence northeasterly parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street 125 feet to the southwesterly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street 125 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, October 13, 1897.

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