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## APPROVED PAPERS.

*Approved Papers for the week ending June 20, 1896.*

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect an iron drinking-fountain for man and beast on the open square bounded by Front, South and Roosevelt streets and James Slip, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 15, 1896.  
Resolved, That so much of G. O. 829 as is contained in the application of the following-named persons to keep stands within the stoop-line at the location set opposite their names be and the same is hereby adopted :

Morris Levy, 41 Henry street.  
Isaac Shafkin, 64 Jefferson street.  
Goodman Tetzer, 400 Madison street.  
Theodore Hartman, 42 Jackson street.  
Israel Garfink, 149 Madison street.  
Louis Lieberman, 170 Monroe street.  
Solomon L. Levy, 348 Madison street.  
Angelo Riccinto, 49 Jackson street.  
David Alperen, 97 Monroe street.

*Fourth Assembly District.*  
Jennie Olinsky, 18 Essex street.  
Frank Abelson, 72 East Broadway.  
Sam Cherkassky, 302 Cherry street.  
Louis Levin, 106 Madison street.  
Morris Levine, 23 Monroe street.  
Jacob Rosenthal, 250 Monroe street.  
Mayer Biernback, 332 Henry street.  
Ellen O'Connell, 162 Division street.

Antonio Dalessandro, 87 Greene street.  
Samuel Broder, southeast corner Eighteenth street and Eighth avenue.

*Eighth Assembly District.*  
*Ninth Assembly District.*  
Benet Feigenbaum, northeast corner Thirteenth street and Avenue A.

Salvatore Mairomanee, 161 Avenue A.  
B. Brennan, 215 Avenue B.

Jeremiah Hayes, 724 Second avenue.  
Lent Bros., 732 Second avenue.  
Charles Keenan, 242 East Forty-first street.

*Tenth Assembly District.*  
James Doris, 584 Second avenue.  
John B. Green, 433 Second avenue.

Antonio Marollo, 542 Ninth avenue.  
Max Horowitz, 400 West Thirty-eighth street.

*Fourteenth Assembly District.*  
*Fifteenth Assembly District.*  
Charles G. Izen, 302 West Thirty-ninth street.

Abraham Levy, 864 First avenue.  
Magdalena Roos, 1082 First avenue.  
Wolf Wolkenberg, 1029 Second avenue.  
Phillip Hoffman, 971 Third avenue.  
John Bozzuffi, 202 East Fifty-seventh street.

*Sixteenth Assembly District.*  
M. Feinberg, 218 East Fifty-ninth street.  
George Gridt, 852 Third avenue.  
Abram Meyers, 940 First avenue.  
Benny Joelson, 200 East Fifty-fifth street.

Joseph Abelson, southwest corner First avenue and Sixty-ninth street.  
Fannie Oscar, 1207 First avenue.  
Robert Platt, 1318 First avenue.  
Emanuel Novotny, 1350 First avenue.

*Twentieth Assembly District.*  
Henry C. Meyne, 1354 First avenue.  
Lester E. Haynes, 1318 Second avenue.  
John Belmer, 991 Third avenue.  
Philip Barbaum, 324 East Seventy-fourth street.  
Gustave Baron, 357 East Seventy-second street.

Wolf Brogin, 1034 Sixth avenue.

*Twenty-first Assembly District.*  
*Twenty-sixth Assembly District.*  
Joseph Peyser, 279 Second avenue.

James Flynn, 1675 Lexington avenue.  
Rose James, 2147 Second avenue.

Wilson S. Carey, northwest corner Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

*Twenty-seventh Assembly District.*  
*Twenty-fourth Ward.*  
Max Stein, 257 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

John A. Van Dien, 4217 Third avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.  
Resolved, That so much of G. O. 872 as is contained in the application of the following-named persons to keep and maintain stands for the sale of fruit, soda-water, newspapers or periodicals within the stoop-line at the locations set opposite their names be and the same is hereby adopted :

Sam Levin, 189 Park Row.

*Second Assembly District.*  
*Third Assembly District.*  
Dominico Priscuolo, 130 Elizabeth street.

Michael Rubli, 30 Prince street.

Louis Gunberg, 161 Broome street.  
Herman Uberall, 164 Broome street.  
Abraham Harris, 253 Broome street.  
Herman Fine, 172 Delancey street.  
Hersch Rosenzweig, 190 Delancey street.  
Abraham Greenburg, 191 Rivington street.  
Sam Kopf, 238 Rivington street.  
Jacob Barnhardt, 48 Norfolk street.  
Benjamin Harris, 50 Norfolk street.  
Israel Manzon, 58 Norfolk street.  
Isaac Ruderman, 83 Norfolk street.  
Hyman Friedman, 85 Norfolk street.  
Aaron Epstein, 68 Suffolk street.  
Herman Diamond, 74 Suffolk street.  
Hyman Levy, 75 Suffolk street.

*Fifth Assembly District.*  
William Iiber, 104 Suffolk street.  
Joseph Parker, 105 Suffolk street.  
Noah Rubin, 106 Suffolk street.  
Leopold Hartstein, 60 Attorney street.  
Julius Haber, 62 Attorney street.  
Moritz Rudner, 96 Attorney street.  
Morris Remer, 50 Ridge street.  
Leo Hyman, 58 Ridge street.  
Fanny Jackson, 72 Ridge street.  
Louis Marks, 91 Ridge street.  
Abraham J. Jacobs, 81 Willet street.  
Israel Barasch, 79 Pitt street.  
Solomon Zimmerman, 57 Lewis street.  
Jacob Heidenheim, 261 Delancey street.  
Julius Wolf, 105 Norfolk street.

Nicola M. La Rocca, 18 Sixth avenue.  
Cannine Granato, 351 West street.

*Eighth Assembly District.*  
Domenico Bonoma, 26 West Third street.

Mrs. E. Mariani, northeast corner One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Riverside Drive.  
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Raphael's Y. M. A. to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner of Eighth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, southwest corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-second street, northwest corner of Tenth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, and the northeast corner of Eleventh avenue and Thirty-seventh street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Raphael's Y. M. A. to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner of Ninth avenue and Thirty-ninth street, southwest corner of Tenth avenue and Forty-second street, southwest corner of Tenth avenue and Forty-sixth street and the northwest corner of Eleventh avenue and Forty-third street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for two weeks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That the provisions of the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in the streets of the City of New York be and the same are hereby suspended for one week from June 16, 1896, and the Central Republican Club is hereby permitted to parade and discharge fireworks from No. 101 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, thence through and along One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to Lenox avenue, to One Hundred and Nineteenth street, to Fifth avenue, to One Hundred and Twentieth street, to Madison avenue, to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to Eighth avenue, to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, to Seventh avenue, to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, to Lenox avenue, to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and thence back to No. 101 said street, such parade to be on any fine evening of said week excepting Sunday evening; such permission to continue for one night only.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Loyola Union, of No. 1264 Lexington avenue, to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts, to wit: Northwest corner of Eighty-fourth street and Third avenue, southeast corner of Ninetieth street and Third avenue, northwest corner of Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue, southeast corner of Eighty-fourth street and Park avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for four weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to "The New York Morning Journal" to place, erect and keep a temporary stand or structure of woodwork in the carriageway of Park Row, opposite the Tribune building, for the purpose of supporting a stereopticon for throwing views upon said building, provided that the dimensions of said stand or structure shall not exceed ten feet square at the base nor more than twenty feet in height, and to be freely movable, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for four days from June 16, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Cherokee Club to place, erect and keep two poles from which to swing a banner across First avenue, near the southwest corner of Seventy-ninth street, upon the consent of the property-owners affected hereby, one pole to be erected on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1512 First avenue, and the other on the opposite sidewalk, in front of No. 1507 First avenue, the said Cherokee Club hereby stipulating to restore the sidewalks to its present condition after the removal of said poles, the work to be done

at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until December 1, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 16, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1896.  
Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Amsterdam and Morningside avenues, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Amsterdam and Morningside avenues, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized to purchase in the open market, without competing bids, launches at an expense not to exceed twelve thousand dollars, the amount to be paid out of the appropriation made to the Police Department for such purpose for the years 1895 and 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That Eighty-fourth street, from East End avenue to East river, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the roadway of Park avenue, west side, from Ninety-seventh street to One Hundred and First street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninety-ninth street, from Park avenue to Madison avenue, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment to the said Thomas V. Costello for the additional services performed by him for the Board of Aldermen, and that the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to draw a warrant for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in favor of Thomas V. Costello, for payment in full of his services during the year 1896, the amount to be charged to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, as provided for by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in the Boulevard, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Ryer avenue, from a point about four hundred and fifty feet north of Burnside avenue to a point about six hundred feet north of said avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in section 356 of the Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Lexington avenue, west side, from Ninety-seventh street to Ninety-eighth street, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, between Burnside and Vanderbilt avenues, and in Bathgate avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, in accordance with the provisions of section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the sidewalk on the south side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, commencing at Fifth avenue and extending east about one hundred feet, be flagged eight feet wide where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalk be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321, chapter 410, Laws 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, be flagged eight feet wide where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting or terminating street or avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the carriageway of Hamilton place, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That River avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Jerome avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, crosswalks laid at each intersecting or terminating street and avenue, where not already laid, and fences placed along the sides thereof where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to connect and supply the improved iron drinking-fountain in front of the church of the St. Paul Reformed Church Society of Mott Haven, on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, with Croton water.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, fences placed where necessary, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and

lighted in Ryer avenue, from Burnside avenue to a point about six hundred feet north, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Montgomery avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in St. John's avenue, from Crescent avenue to Pelham avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Crotona Park, North, running westerly from Franklin avenue for a distance of three hundred and fifty feet.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third to Park avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Park avenue, between Ninety-seventh street and One Hundred and Second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-eighth street, from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundredth street, from Madison avenue to Fourth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to One Hundredth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Eighty-third street, between Kingsbridge road and Amsterdam avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Terrace View avenue, from Broadway to Jansen avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Hamilton terrace, from One Hundred and Forty-second street to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of North river blue stone be laid across West Broadway, from the northeast corner of Walker street to the northwest corner of Beach street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Mott avenue to River avenue, be regulated and graded, the curbs set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue where not already laid, and fences placed along the sides thereof where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses, with a row of new specification paving-blocks between the courses, be laid across Columbus avenue, at its intersection with the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, the materials to be used for said work to be bridge-stone of North river blue stone of the dimensions and according to the specifications now used in the Department of Public Works, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That crosswalks of three courses North river blue stone be laid across Sixty-eighth street, within the lines of the easterly sidewalk of Columbus avenue, and across Sixty-seventh street, within the lines of the easterly sidewalk of Columbus avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 637 as is contained in the application of Santo Reda to keep and maintain a stand for the sale of soda-water in front of the premises No. 164 East Fifty-third street be and the same is hereby adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis L. Goldstein to erect, place and keep an iron awning in front of the Murray Hill Lyceum, on the south side of East Thirty-fourth street, about fifty feet west of Third avenue, provided that said awning shall be erected to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance of 1886, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Spaulding Literary Union to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Columbus avenue; northwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Boulevard; northwest corner of Fifty-first street and Ninth avenue; southeast corner of Seventy-first street and Boulevard, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue until June 18, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Paul's Temperance Guild to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner Fifty-ninth street and Columbus avenue, southeast corner of Seventy-first street and the Boulevard, and southwest corner Tenth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only from June 18, 1896, to July 3, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry White, Secretary of the United Garment Workers, to parade with a wagon through the streets of the east side, south of Houston street and east of the Bowery, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 7 o'clock P. M., on each day except Sunday, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until August 1, 1896.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 777 1/2 as is contained in the application of the following-named person to keep stand within the stoop-line at the location set opposite his name be and the same is hereby adopted:

Twentieth Assembly District.

Dennis Fineman, No. 203 East Seventy-fifth street.

Sixteenth Assembly District.

Abraham Netter, No. 754 Third avenue.

Philip Rasovsky, northwest corner Fifty-seventh street and Third avenue.

George Hillard, No. 877 Third avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 605 as is contained in the application of Morris Freund to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of soda-water in front of the premises No. 81 Ridge street, within the stoop-line, be and the same is hereby adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Tremberger to set curb and lay cement sidewalk in front of his premises, on the northwest corner of Jackson avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and running one hundred and forty-nine feet northerly along the westerly side of Jackson avenue, the work to be done and materials supplied at his own expense and under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Sidenberg to erect, place and keep a bay-window on premises No. 157 West Fifty-seventh street, provided said bay-window does not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fritz Landenberger to set curb and lay cement sidewalk in front of his premises on the east side of Union avenue, one hundred and eight feet north of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and running northerly therefrom one hundred and eight feet, the work to be done and materials supplied at his own expense, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adam Weiffenbach to set curb and lay cement sidewalk in front of premises No. 848, on the south side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, beginning fifty feet east of Cauldwell avenue, the work to be done and materials supplied at his own expense and under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the building at the southwest corner of Columbus avenue and West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street be and the same is hereby assigned and appointed as the place at which the District Court shall be held in the Thirteenth Judicial District in the City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from the Boulevard to New York Central Railroad tracks, be paved with granite-block pavement, on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting or terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of North river blue stone be laid across Columbus avenue, within the lines of the northerly and southerly sidewalks of Seventieth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the roadway of Convent avenue, from the south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the north side of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, at its intersection with St. Nicholas avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That Longwood avenue, from Tiffany street to the Southern Boulevard, be regulated and graded, curbs set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, fences placed where necessary, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Westchester avenue, be regulated and graded, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, the crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, and fences built where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Webster avenue, be regulated and paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That Plimpton avenue, from Orchard street to Bosobel avenue, be regulated and graded, the curbs set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, the crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, and fences placed where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Eighty-fourth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, be fenced in with a tight board fence, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, be paved with asphalt pavement, on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Thirteenth avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-seventh street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that new curb and bridge stones be furnished and set along the line of said street where necessary, and that old curbs and bridge stones be reset where not worn or broken so as to be unfit for use, under the provisions of chapter 449 of the Laws of 1889, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 426 as is contained in the application of John Fleming to keep a newspaper stand in front of the premises Nos. 4 and 6 Old Slip, within the stoop-line, be and the same is hereby adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 9, 1896. Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1896.

Resolved, That so much of G. O. 426 as is contained in the application of John Fleming to keep a newspaper stand in front of the premises Nos. 4 and 6 Old Slip, within the stoop-line, be and the same is hereby adopted.

JOHN J. GALLAGHER, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1896, 12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 13, 1896.  
In pursuance of the authority contained in the 187th section of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and chapter 106 of the Laws of 1893, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and Counsel to the Corporation, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor on Monday, June 15, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

INDORSED.

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 15th day of June, 1896.  
W. L. STRONG, Mayor; ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller; JOHN JERLOMAN, President of the Board of Aldermen; E. P. BARKER, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation.

Present—William L. Strong, the Mayor; Ashbel P. Fitch, the Comptroller; Edward P. Barker, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; Francis M. Scott, the Counsel to the Corporation.

Absent—John Jeroloman, the President of the Board of Aldermen.  
The minutes of the meeting held June 9, 1896, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented the following:

POLICE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, May 26, 1896. To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-four cents from the appropriation made for the Bureau of Elections of the Police Department, entitled "Advertising Election Districts, Polling Places and the Official Canvass, Advertising the Election Notices by the Clerk of the Common Council and Advertising Election Notices by Sheriff" for the year 1895, which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for 1896 for the same Bureau entitled "Arrears of 1895" which is insufficient for the purposes and objects thereof, to enable the Comptroller to pay vouchers for election expenses for the year 1895, duly certified by the Board of Police for payment.

Very respectfully,  
WM. DELAMATER, Deputy Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 10, 1896. To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, on reading and filing communication from the Comptroller, dated June 4, 1896,

Resolved, That the resolution of the Board of Police adopted May 26, 1896, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to transfer the sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-four cents, be amended so that the same shall read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-four cents from the appropriation made to the Bureau of Elections for the year 1895, entitled "Advertising Election Districts, etc.," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Bureau for said year, entitled "For Rent of Polling Places, etc.," which is

insufficient, to enable the Comptroller to pay vouchers for certain election expenses for the year 1895, duly certified by the Board of Police for payment.  
 WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

And offered the following:  
 Resolved, That the sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-four cents (\$6,438.84) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Bureau of Elections for the year 1895, entitled "Election Expenses: Advertising Election Districts, Polling Places and the Official Canvass; for Advertising Election Notices by the Clerk of the Common Council, and for Advertising Election Notices by the Sheriff," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Bureau for 1895, entitled "Election Expenses: For Rent of Polling Places, Construction of New Ballot Booths, Fitting Up Polling Places, New Ballot Boxes, Carting Ballot Boxes and Voting Booths, Stationery, Maps and Printing," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.  
 Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and Counsel to the Corporation—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 10, 1896.

Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, *Comptroller*:  
 SIR—The Commissioner of Public Works, in communication of June 3, 1896, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, says: "In order to comply with the provisions of chapter 399 of the Laws of 1896, authorizing the construction of a bridge and approaches over the Harlem river at its junction with Spuyten Duyvil creek on the lines of the Kingsbridge road, it is necessary to make surveys and borings and to prepare maps, plans and specifications to be submitted for the approval of your Board."

He requests, in accordance with section 3 of the act, that the Board authorize the issue of bonds to the amount of \$5,000 to pay the expense of such preliminary work.  
 Section 3 says: "For the purpose of defraying the expenses of constructing said causeway and bridge and the preparatory plans therefor, \* \* \* the Comptroller of the City of New York is hereby authorized to issue consolidated stock \* \* \* in such amounts as may be necessary to provide for the expense of preparing said plans and specifications \* \* \*"  
 This section fully provides for the payment of the necessary expense.  
 It is necessary that such plans and specifications, with all preliminary work, which consists of surveys, borings, etc., be done in advance, and I think the amount of \$5,000 a moderate estimate of the sum which will be required for the purpose.

Respectfully,  
 EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.  
 And offered the following:  
 Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 399 of the Laws of 1896, entitled "an act to provide for the extension of Broadway, or Kingsbridge road, from its present terminus in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, across the Harlem river at its junction with Spuyten Duyvil creek, to the present terminus of Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York," the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three and one-half per cent. per annum, and redeemable within such period as the Comptroller may determine, not less than twenty years after the date of issue; the proceeds of which bonds shall be applied to the payment of the expenses to be incurred by the Commissioner of Public Works in making surveys and borings, and in preparing maps, plans and specifications, to be hereafter submitted for the approval of this Board, as provided by said act.  
 Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and Counsel to the Corporation—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 9, 1896. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, *Comptroller*:

SIR—The Commissioner of Public Works, in communication of May 29, 1896, submits for the consideration and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment "a plan, form of contract and specifications and estimate of cost for an archway tunnel," in accordance with the provisions of chapter 719 of the Laws of 1896, and requests "that the Board, on approval of the plan, contract, and specifications, set apart and appropriate in such manner as it may deem proper, under section 2 of the act, the sum of \$85,000 for the construction of this improvement."  
 I have examined the plan and find it complete, and the specifications are fully descriptive of the work to be done.

The estimate of cost is:

9,500 cubic yards excavation, at \$0.60.....	\$5,700 00	5,000 square feet facing work, at \$0.30.....	\$1,500 00
2,500 cubic yards filling, at \$0.50.....	1,250 00	4,000 square feet asphalt covering, at \$0.25.....	1,000 00
500 cubic yards cut stone masonry, at \$60.....	30,000 00	200 lineal feet tile piping, at \$0.20.....	40 00
3,800 cubic yards stone masonry, at \$8.....	30,400 00	Total.....	\$88,690 00
500 cubic yards brick masonry, at \$12.....	6,000 00	Engineering, inspection and contingencies, 10 per cent.....	8,869 00
350 cubic yards concrete masonry, at \$8.....	2,800 00	Total.....	\$97,559 00
2,500 cubic yards dry stone wall, at \$4.....	10,000 00		

The prices in the estimate are full, and particularly that of the "stone masonry," which might be placed at \$1, at least, less than the estimate. The whole work, however, is to be done by contract at public letting, and the total may be considerably below the estimate. But in arriving at the sum, \$85,000, asked for by the Commissioner, he has evidently left out the item, "Engineering, inspection and contingencies, 10 per cent.," \$8,869, which in all ordinary works should be considered. It may be that he deems the requirement of the law in the words, "The plans for said work shall, under said Commissioner's direction, be prepared by the Engineer and other employees of said Commissioner in the regular and stated employment of his department," means that the engineering and inspection shall be paid for out of the other funds of the Department, but the contingencies, probably a small item, would still come from the appropriation for the work.  
 The law is mandatory. A copy is herewith inclosed, on which I have underlined the above quoted words, also the nature of the bonds and the action of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement in the matter of assessment for the work.  
 Respectfully,  
 EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:  
 Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 719 of the Laws of 1896, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approve of the plans and specifications for the construction of an archway, tunnel, passageway and roadway for carriages and pedestrians under the old Aqueduct in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, on the line of Burnside avenue, as now laid out and opened through said Aqueduct, submitted by the Commissioner of Public Works under date of May 29, 1896, and presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting held June 2, 1896; and

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing funds necessary for carrying out the provisions of said act, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to the amount of eighty-five thousand dollars (\$85,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and the amount required for the redemption thereof to be included in the Final Estimate for the year next succeeding the year of their issue.  
 Which were adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and Counsel to the Corporation—4.

The Comptroller offered the following:  
 Resolved, That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Works for the year 1896, entitled "Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1896, entitled "Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.  
 Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and Counsel to the Corporation—4.

The Comptroller presented the following:  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, June 10, 1896. CHARLES V. ADEE, *Esq., Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City*:  
 SIR—In compliance with your request of the 27th ult., I transmit herewith for the use of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, plans and estimate of the work proposed to be done from the proceeds of bonds to the amount of \$100,000, which this Department has requested to be issued under the provisions of chapter 609, Laws of 1895.  
 Respectfully,  
 WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, June 9, 1896. Hon. S. V. R. CRUGER, *President, Department Public Parks*:  
 SIR—I return herewith communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting plans and estimate of the work proposed to be done from the proceeds of the amount of \$100,000 of bonds requested to be issued for the construction of parkways, etc., pursuant to chapter 609, Laws of 1895, referred to me for report.

In compliance with your instructions, I submit a plan with approximate estimate of cost for the construction of a roadway located on the centre of the Bronx and Pelham Parkway, and continued in the Pelham Bay Park to Bay Chester avenue, a distance of 12,762 feet, or 2 4-10 miles, the width upon embankment to be 40 feet, and through excavation 60 feet, in order to procure material for the filling.

The grade of the roadway as proposed and shown upon the plan has been established, in view that it will become the permanent or established grade of the central portion of the Parkway, except the portion crossing the marsh and railroad (a distance of about 2,000 feet), which cannot be constructed to the full height until a bridge has been constructed over the railroad.  
 The approximate estimate of cost is as follows, viz.:

Regulating and grading, etc.....	\$41,000 00
Culverts and bridge.....	19,700 00
Telford pavement, gutters, etc.....	51,800 00
Total.....	\$112,500 00
Contingencies, etc., 10 per cent.....	11,250 00

Total..... \$123,750 00  
 The above estimated cost exceeds the amount of appropriation requested \$23,750, but as the improvement is to be permanent as to line and grades, so much of the improvement as cannot be executed within the amount appropriated may be omitted until a further appropriation is made.  
 Respectfully (Signed), M. A. KELLOGG, Engineer of Construction.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 11, 1896, Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, *Comptroller*:  
 SIR—The Department of Public Parks transmits plans and estimate of the work to be done on the Bronx and Pelham Parkway, as per resolution of the Board, adopted March 23, 1896, in which a request was made that bonds be issued, from time to time, as may be required, to the amount of \$100,000, as provided by chapter 417, Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 609, Laws of 1895.

In my report of May 22, 1896, I suggested that, for so large a work, I thought plans should be submitted for the information of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.  
 The plans now submitted are complete for a roadway on the centre of the parkway, a distance of 12,762 feet, or 2 4-10 miles, the width upon embankment to be 40 feet, and through excavation 60 feet, in order to procure material for filling. The width between curbs to be uniformly 30 feet.

The grade of the roadway as shown on the profile has been established in the view that it will become the permanent or established grade of the Parkway, except the portion crossing the marsh and railroad (a distance of about 2,000 feet), which cannot be constructed to the full height until a bridge has been erected over the railroad.

The following is the approximate estimate of the work:

Regulating, grading, etc.....	\$41,000 00
Culverts and bridge.....	19,700 00
Telford pavement, gutters, etc.....	51,800 00
Total.....	\$112,500 00
Contingencies, etc.....	11,250 00
Total.....	\$123,750 00

This estimated cost exceeds the amount asked for, in the resolution of March 23, 1896, \$100,000, by the sum of \$23,750, but, as the improvement is to be permanent as to line and grades, so much of it as cannot be executed within the appropriation asked for may be postponed, to await a future appropriation.  
 With the information now before the Board, there is no reason why the bonds, as requested, should not be issued.  
 Respectfully,  
 EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:  
 Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 417, of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 609 of the Laws of 1895, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue bonds in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to be known as "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and redeemable within such period as the Comptroller may determine, not less than ten nor more than twenty years from the date of issue, the proceeds of which bonds shall be applied to the purpose of constructing, improving and maintaining public roadways on the lands acquired for parks and parkways under chapter 522 of the Laws of 1884, as requested in the resolution of the Board of Parks adopted March 23, 1896.  
 Which was adopted by the following vote: Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and Counsel to the Corporation—4.

The Comptroller presented the following communications:  
 From the County Clerk—  
 COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 9, 1896. Hon. ASHBEL P. FITCH, *Comptroller*:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 885 of the Laws of 1896, and the provisions of section 9, Article 5, of the State Constitution, I have appointed James Mitchel and John B. Shea as Assistant Clerks, at a salary of \$2,500 each. I respectfully request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of the act above referred to, may make provision for the payment of the salaries of the said Clerks so appointed as aforesaid.  
 Yours, very respectfully,  
 HENRY D. PURROY, County Clerk.  
 N. B.—Our books show that this office turned over to the Comptroller in 1895 unexpended balances which aggregated \$14,641.91.  
 Referred to the Comptroller.

From the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—  
 CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, April 7, 1896. Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Hon. WM. L. STRONG, *Chairman*:

DEAR SIR—This Department finds it necessary to have a stable, workshop and other accommodation at Williamsbridge. The City owns a piece of property on the west side of White Plains road, 50 by 148 feet, two hundred feet north of Elizabeth street. Fronting on the street now upon this land is the old Court-house, which is used by this Department for office purposes. I propose, with your approval, to build a two-story frame stable to include other accommodations in the rear of this lot.  
 I submit herewith plans of the proposed structure, and I ask for a transfer from the appropriation for "Maintenance," of a sum not to exceed four thousand (4,000) dollars to pay for the entire cost and expense of this work, which, if provided for by your Board, will be, of course, done by contract awarded to the lowest bidder.  
 Respectfully,  
 LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.  
 Referred to the Comptroller.

From New East River Bridge Company—  
 At a meeting of the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, held June 10, 1896, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:  
 Whereas, The East River Bridge Company has complied with its contract entered into with this Commission on the 18th day of December, 1895, and delivered over to the cities of New York and Brooklyn the property therein agreed to be delivered to those cities; it is  
 Resolved, That requisitions be made upon the Mayors and Comptrollers of the two cities, for the issuing of bonds and the payment out of the proceeds thereof of the amount called for by the contract between the East River Bridge Company and this Commission, being the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, with interest at the rate of four per cent., from the 18th day of December, 1895, to June 18, 1896.  
 F. B. THURBER, Secretary.  
 Whereas, Chapter 789, Laws of New York, 1895, authorizes the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the cities of New York and Brooklyn; and  
 Whereas, Section 6 of said act provides as follows: "The cost of constructing said bridge and the approaches and appurtenances thereto, including all expenses of the commissioners and their counsel, salaries of engineers, surveyors and other subordinates, and compensation of the commissioners, and the expenses of any and all condemnation proceedings, shall be borne in equal share by the City of New York and the City of Brooklyn, and in order to meet the same the proper officers of each of said cities are hereby directed to issue, from time to time, upon the requisition of said commissioners, with the approval of the mayors of said cities, bonds of their respective cities, in such series and for such periods as they shall respectively determine. The proceeds from the sales of such bonds of the City of New York shall be paid into the office of the chamberlain of said city and the proceeds from the sales of such bonds of the City of Brooklyn shall be paid into the office of the treasurer of said city, and shall be drawn out therefrom as nearly as may be in equal proportions for the purpose herein authorized, upon itemized vouchers duly certified by the president and treasurer of said commissioners"; and  
 Whereas, The sum of \$204,000 is now required for the purpose aforesaid, as evidenced by a copy of the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of said bridge, at a meeting held June 10, 1896.  
 Resolved, That the Commissioners of said bridge do hereby request the proper officers of each of the cities of Brooklyn and New York to issue a sufficient amount of bonds of their respective

cities to produce one hundred and two thousand dollars each, making a total of two hundred and four thousand dollars, required for the purpose recited in the resolution, dispose of said bonds and place the proceeds with the proper financial officers of said cities, to be drawn out therefrom upon itemized vouchers duly certified by the President and Treasurer of this Board of Commissioners in accordance with the act authorizing the same.

Approved—F. W. WURSTER, Mayor; W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

From the Department of Public Works—  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 10, 1896.

Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Under the provisions of section 6, chapter 413, Laws of 1892, and a resolution passed by your Board June 19, 1893, a lease was made with Moses G. & Gilbert A. Wright for the occupancy of the necessary lands on both sides of the Harlem river for the construction of and approaches to the temporary bridge at Third avenue, for the term of three years from June 19, 1893, at the yearly rental of \$13,000, payable monthly, "with the privilege of two renewals of one year each upon the same terms and conditions" as contained in said lease "at the expiration of said term of three years."

Up to date the City has not obtained possession of the lands for abutments and approaches for the permanent bridge, the effect of which has been to set back the completion of that work for at least two years and to prolong the necessity for the use of the temporary bridge for the same period.

I therefore respectfully request that your Board authorize a renewal or extension of said lease on the same terms for two years from June 19, 1896, in accordance with the privilege of two renewals of one year each therein provided.

Very respectfully,  
HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

Referred to the Comptroller.

From the Department of Public Works—  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 9, 1896.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Under the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to provide for the construction in the City of New York of certain buildings for the promotion of public health and comfort," passed March 25, 1896, I respectfully submit plans and specifications for the erection and construction of one underground public comfort station in the City Hall Park, at the corner of Mail street and Park Row, and ask that you appropriate the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars for that purpose.

Respectfully, your obedient servant,  
CHARLES H. T. COLLIS, Commissioner.

Referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**  
REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, JUNE 1 TO 6, 1896.

*Communications Received.*

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending May 30, 1896: Males, 35; Females, 2. On file.

List of prisoners to be discharged from June 7 to June 13, 1896. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending May 30, 1896, \$89. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending May 30, 1896, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From the Comptroller—Statement of unexpended balances to May 30, 1896. Referred to Bookkeeper.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending May 30, 1896. On file.

From Civil Service Board—Requesting copy of Department pay-roll for May, 1896. Secretary to furnish.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during May, 1896, \$2,098. On file.

From City Prison—Warden states that he has made a full investigation in regard to charges made against Night Warden Asher Harris, and finds that they all originated from one Considine, a prisoner, who had been confined on a charge of murder, and that he has affidavits contradicting each and every allegation made by Considine. Night Warden Harris restored to duty.

*Appointed.*

June 1—Frank T. Betts, Thomas Porter, Orderlies, Workhouse, salary, \$300 per annum each.

June 5—Alexander Van Vliet, Timothy Groden, Benjamin W. Valentine, Orderlies, Workhouse, salary, \$300 per annum each; Catharine McGrath, Nurse, Workhouse, salary, \$240 per annum.

*Appointed Temporarily.*

June 6—Frank Ward, Pilot, Steamboats, salary, \$900 per annum.

*Dismissed.*

June 5—Eleanor Buckley, Nurse, Workhouse. June 6—Frank B. Posey, Pilot, Steamboats; Charles Mellen, Assistant Engineer, Second District Prison.

*Transferred.*

June 3—James T. Lane, Carpenter, Workhouse to Penitentiary, salary increased from \$700 to \$800 per annum; James Steele, Carpenter, Penitentiary to Workhouse, salary increased from \$700 to \$800 per annum; Thomas Connelly, Foreman, Workhouse to District Prisons, salary increased from \$700 to \$800 per annum.

ROBERT J. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.**

Operations for the week ending June 13, 1896:

Plans filed for new buildings, 77; estimated cost, \$1,172,350; plans filed for alterations, 65; estimated cost, \$96,635; buildings reported for additional means of escape, 40; other violations of law reported, 179; buildings reported as unsafe, 75; violation notices issued, 200; fire-escape notices issued, 60; unsafe buildings notices issued, 153; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 78; fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution, 17; complaints lodged with the Department, 77; iron beams, columns, girders, etc., tested, 5,173.

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent of Buildings.  
WILLIAM H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, JUNE 20, 1896.—Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, June 19, 1896.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, June 13, 1896	100	\$716 75
Monday, " 15, "	173	340 25
Tuesday, " 16, "	230	1,053 25
Wednesday, " 17, "	113	692 50
Thursday, " 18, "	119	270 00
Friday, " 19, "	87	162 75
Totals.....	822	\$3,235 50

EDWARD H. HEALY, Mayor's Marshal.

**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

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

Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.  
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.  
Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.  
Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.  
Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
Department of Docks—Battery, Pier 4, 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.  
Board of Excise—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Sheriff's Office—Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Commissioner of Juries—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.  
Surrrogate'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 to 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 6 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. 019 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Magistrates' Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tombs, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—(One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 9, 1896.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday, June 22, 1896. The bids will be opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

- No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER MAINS IN BAILEY BRIGGS, UNDERCLIFF, FOREST, FRANKLIN, WALES AND TWELFTH AVENUES, IN FIFTY-FOURTH, FIFTY-FIFTH, FIFTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDREDDTH, ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, UNION, DAWSON, HOME AND HUDSON STREETS.
- No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET AND PLEASANT AVENUE TO AND UNDER HARLEM RIVER, TO AND ACROSS RANDALL'S ISLAND.
- No. 3. FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN MORRIS STREET, between West and Washington streets.
- No. 4. FOR SEWER IN WATER STREET, between Wall street and Gouverneur lane.
- No. 5. FOR SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.
- No. 6. FOR SEWERS IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, BOTH SIDES, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.
- No. 7. FOR REPAIRS TO OUTLET SEWER FOOT OF VESTRY STREET, PIER 29, NORTH RIVER.

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 included 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 Rooms Nos. 1701 and 1715.

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

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

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

**NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.**

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Normal College Building, at Sixty-ninth street and Park avenue, on Thursday, June 25, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ROBERT MACLAY, Chairman.  
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.  
Dated New York, June 19, 1896.

**QUARANTINE COMMISSION.**

STATE OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF QUARANTINE, NO. 71 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

BY THE POWER CONFERRED UPON THEM by law, the Commissioners of Quarantine will sell the ship "Samuel D. Carleton," lying at Brooklyn Dry Dock Company's wharf, foot of Twenty-sixth street, South Brooklyn, 842 Registered tonnage. Bids will be received at the office of the Commissioners of Quarantine, No. 71 Broadway, Room No. 98, where all particulars can be obtained.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

NOTICE. At a meeting of the Board of Docks held June 11, 1896, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, Section 1 of chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, entitled "An Act to annex to the city and county of New York the territory lying within the incorporated villages of Wakefield, Eastchester and Williamsbridge, the town of Westchester, and portions of the towns of Eastchester and Pelham," provides as follows:

"Section 1. All that territory comprised within the limits of the towns of Westchester, Eastchester and Pelham, which has not been annexed to the city and county of New York at the time of the passage of this act, which lies southerly of a straight line drawn from the point where the northerly line of the city of New York meets the centre line of the Bronx river, to the middle of the channel between Hunter's and Glen Islands, in Long Island Sound, and all that territory lying within the incorporated limits of the village of Wakefield which lies northerly of said line, with the inhabitants and estates therein, is hereby set off from the county of Westchester and annexed to, merged in and made part of the city and county of New York, and of the twenty-fourth ward of said city and county, and shall hereafter constitute a part of the city and county of New York, and of the twenty-fourth ward of said city and county, subject to the same laws, ordinances, regulations, obligations and liabilities, and entitled to the same rights, privileges, franchises and immunities, in every respect, and to the same extent as if such territory had been included within said city and county of New York at the time of the grant and adoption of the first charter and organization thereof, and had so remained up to the passage of this act, and except as may be modified by the provisions herein contained, as if such territory had been included within said twenty-fourth ward by the provisions of chapter six hundred and thirteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled 'An act to provide for the annexation of the towns of Morrisania, West Farms and Kingsbridge, in the county of Westchester, to the city and county of New York,' and the several acts amendatory thereof, and had so remained up to the passage of this act."

Whereas, Section 3 of said act provides as follows: "All the public property of each of said towns and villages, as well as the property now vested in the boards of education of said towns and villages, and lying within the territory hereby annexed to the city and county of New York, shall be vested in and is hereby declared to be the property of the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city and county of New York, and the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city and county of New York shall succeed to all the rights, claims, causes of action, rights to uncollected taxes, liens, uses, trusts, duties, privileges and immunities of each of said towns and villages so far as they relate to the territory hereby annexed to the city and county of New York, except as herein otherwise provided. \* \* \*"; and

Whereas, Under and by virtue of the ancient charters and patents of the said Towns of Westchester, Eastchester and Pelham, title to all the lands under water between high and low water-mark adjacent to the uplands of said towns, together with the lands under water in all rivers, creeks, harbors, waters, lakes, etc., was vested in said towns, and under and pursuant to the provisions of said act heretofore set forth, title to the same became vested in The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, except to such portions of the lands under water as may have been aliened, granted or sold by the said respective towns; and

Whereas, Under the provisions of section 711 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Docks is vested with the exclusive charge and control of all wharf property belonging to the Corporation of the



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.

N. B.—The price 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.

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 contract when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named streets and avenues in the respective wards herein designated:

TWELFTH WARD. TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN TENTH AVENUE AND BULKHEAD LINE, HARLEM RIVER; confirmed May 28, 1896; entered June 13, 1896. Area of assessment: 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 Two Hundred and Sixth street and Two Hundred and Fifth street; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between Two Hundred and Fourth street and Two Hundred and Fifth street; on the east by the bulkhead-line, Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly side of Tenth avenue.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET, FROM MORRIS AVENUE TO RAILROAD AVENUE, WEST; confirmed June 1, 1896; entered June 13, 1896. Area of assessment: 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 Sixty-second and East One Hundred and Sixty-third streets and said middle line produced; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-second and East One Hundred and Sixty-first streets; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Railroad avenue, West, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Morris avenue, and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, FROM MORRIS AVENUE TO RAILROAD AVENUE, WEST; confirmed May 28, 1896; entered June 13, 1896. Area of assessment: 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 Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and said middle line produced; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and said middle line produced; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Railroad avenue, West, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Morris avenue, and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO COURTLAND AVENUE; confirmed May 28, 1896; entered June 13, 1896. Area of assessment: 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 Sixty-fourth street and said southerly side produced; on the east by the westerly side of Third avenue; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, and on the west by the easterly side of Railroad avenue, West.

TULLER AVENUE, FROM RAILROAD AVENUE TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET; confirmed June 1, 1896; entered June 13, 1896. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the north by the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; on the south by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Railroad avenue, West, and distant about 152.28 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street produced; thence by a line drawn parallel to Teller avenue and distant about 176.6 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the northern boundary of the area of assessment, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Teller avenue and distant about 297.5 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof.

The above-entitled assessments were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents" on the respective dates herein above given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the said respective dates of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of

such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 12, 1896, for the opening of Two Hundred and Fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Harlem river, One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, between Morris and Railroad avenues, and Teller avenue; and on or before August 15, 1896, for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Brook and Courtland avenues, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after these dates will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JANUARY 21, 1896.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER. SALE OF LEASE OF CITY PROPERTY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at public auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at his office, in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, at noon, on Tuesday, the thirtieth day of June, 1896, a lease for the term of one year from July 1, 1896, of the following property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, to wit:

The premises known as Nos. 8, 10, 12 and 14 Chambers street, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The rent shall be paid quarterly in advance, and the highest bidder will be required to pay the Auctioneer's fee and one quarter's rent at the time and place of the sale.

The amount so paid shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale, and the Comptroller is authorized, in his discretion, to resell the premises bid off by any person failing to comply with this condition of the sale, and the persons so failing to comply shall be liable for any deficiency or loss that may result to the City from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid will be accepted from 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, as provided by law.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions and a provision for the surrender of the premises if required for public purposes, on three months' notice.

All repairs shall be made at the expense of the lessee, and he shall pay Croton water rents.

The lessee will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly and the fulfillment of the covenants of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 16, 1896.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER. CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, July 25, 1896, at 12 o'clock A. M., at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the following described lots, pieces or parcels of real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

Four (4) lots on the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Block 1077, Ward Nos. 50, 51, 52 and 53, each 25 feet front and 99 feet 21 inches deep.

One (1) lot on the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues, Block 1077, Ward No. 49, 25 feet front on One Hundred and Fifty-first street, 99 feet 11 inches deep on the westerly side, 18 feet 5 1/4 inches in the rear on the southerly side, 16 feet 5 inches on Convent avenue and 84 feet 10 inches on the easterly side.

One (1) triangular lot on Convent avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Block 1077, Ward Nos. 15 and 16, 108 feet 11 3/8 inches front on Convent avenue, 99 feet 11 inches deep on the westerly side and 43 feet 5 1/4 inches on the northerly side thereof, and containing 1,735 city lots. The several parcels of the said property being shown on a map thereof prepared by Eugene E. McLean, Engineer of the Finance Department, dated April 29, 1896, and numbered respectively thereon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The City shall retain the right to maintain forever the new Aqueduct under the aforesaid lots and all the rights pertaining or necessary to such maintenance, and no excavation shall ever be made under the said lots below a point thirty (30) feet vertically distant from the established grade of the street.

The highest bidders will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent. of the purchase-money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid by installments of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when the interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bonds and mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording each separate mortgage. If more than one lot of land is included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be paid off before any release can be given by the Corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the Corporation is forbidden by law.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved. Lithographic maps of said real estate may be had at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, after June 15, 1896.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held May 28, 1896.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 8, 1896.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND AVENUES.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," as amended, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street and avenue in the respective wards herein designated:

TWELFTH WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN AMSTERDAM AVENUE

AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD; confirmed April 16, 1896; entered May 29, 1896. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the north by the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-third street and said southerly line produced; on the south by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Amsterdam avenue and distant easterly 300 feet from the easterly side thereof; on the west by a line drawn parallel to Kingsbridge road and distant westerly 300 feet from the westerly side thereof.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD. PROSPECT AVENUE, FROM WESTCHESTER AVENUE TO BOSTON ROAD; confirmed April 17, 1896; entered May 29, 1896. Area of assessment: 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 Crotona Park; on the east by the middle line of the blocks between Wendover avenue and Avenue St. John, from Crotona Park to Boston road, and thence by the middle of the blocks between Stebbins avenue and Wilkins place, and Stebbins avenue and Intervale avenue, and Stebbins avenue and Hall place, and Stebbins avenue and Rogers place, to the westerly side of Dawson street, and thence by the westerly side of Dawson street; on the south by the northerly side of Dawson street; on the west by the middle of the blocks between Union avenue and Clinton avenue, from the northerly side of Dawson street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and thence by the easterly side of Clinton avenue, from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park.

The above-entitled assessments were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents" on the respective dates hereinabove given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the said respective dates of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before July 28, 1896, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 6, 1896.

NOTICE OF THE REDEMPTION OF NEW YORK CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE HOLDERS of the New York City Stock and Bonds herein-after described, that in accordance with the terms of issue I will redeem said Stock and Bonds on the 2d day of July, 1896, at my office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, and that on that day said Stock and Bonds will cease to bear interest, viz.:

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CITY IMPROVEMENT STOCK, issued in pursuance of Acts of the Legislature, chapter 920, Laws of 1869, and chapter 322, Laws of 1871, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the 1st day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS, issued in pursuance of acts of the Legislature, chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and chapter 300, Laws of 1875, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the 1st day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

SIX PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK "D" OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, issued in pursuance of Acts of the Legislature, chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and chapter 756, Laws of 1873, redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after the first day of July, 1896, and payable May 1, 1926.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 2, 1896.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, NEW YORK, JUNE 18, 1896.

AUCTION SALE.

THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS will sell at Public Auction, by George Rudolph, Auctioneer, part of Building now standing within the lines of Courtland avenue at junction of Third avenue, Thursday, July 2, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-moneys to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale. The purchasers will be required to remove their property on or before the expiration of thirty days from the date of sale. Purchasers to be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals or property by reason of the removal of said buildings, etc.

For further information apply at the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, No. 2622 Third avenue. By order of the Commissioner,

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary. June 17, 1896.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF THE following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 30, 1896, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

No. 1. FOR COMPLETING THE REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAVING CROSSWALKS IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Prospect avenue to Westchester avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAVING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN CANNON STREET, from Harlem River terrace to Fordham road.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, AND FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Boston and Franklin avenues.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MONROE AVENUE, from the existing sewer in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Belmont street.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HOME STREET, from the existing sewer in Intervale avenue to Hoe street.

No. 6. For CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET (HIGH BRIDGE STREET), between Bosobel and Marner avenues, AND IN MARCHER AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Bosobel avenue.

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

Each bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, 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 deficiency 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. HAFFEN, Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in pursuance of chapter 576 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 831 of the Laws of 1896, will, on the 20th day of June, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., consider and determine upon such proof as may be adduced before him whether the following streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, the title to which has not as yet been acquired by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, are now and have been in use for public traffic and travel since January 1, 1874, and are so used for fifty feet or less in width:

Monroe avenue, from Belmont street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. Topping avenue (Lafayette avenue), from Belmont street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street (Gray street). Belmont street (Jane street), from Monroe avenue to Topping avenue (Lafayette avenue). Clay avenue (Lexington avenue), from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. Anthony avenue (Prospect avenue), from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street. Valentine avenue, from Burnside avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-third street. Edgewater road, from Westchester avenue to West Farms road. West Farms road, from Edgewater road to Boston road. Boston road, from Tremont avenue to Kingsbridge road.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (Grand avenue or Eastchester avenue), from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street (Clinton avenue), from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to the Bronx river.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street (Willard street), from Oneida street (Fourth street) to the Bronx river.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street (Opdyke street), from Oneida street (Fourth street) to the Bronx river.

East Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street (Oakley street or First avenue), from Kepler avenue (Third street) to Katonah avenue (second street).

East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street (Kemble street or Second avenue), from Kepler avenue (Third street) to Katonah avenue (Second street).

East Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street (Knox street or Third avenue), from Kepler avenue (Third street) to Katonah avenue (Second street).

East Two Hundred and Fortieth street (Holly street or Fourth avenue), from Mount Vernon avenue (Mile Square road) to Katonah avenue (Second street).

East Two Hundred and Forty-first street (Hyatt street or Fifth avenue), from Mount Vernon avenue (Mile Square road) to Katonah avenue (Second street).

Verio street (First street), from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (Grand avenue or Eastchester avenue) to 150 feet north of Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street (Opdyke street).

Katonah avenue (Second street), from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (Grand avenue or Eastchester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue (Mile Square road).

Kepler avenue (Third street), from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (Grand avenue or Eastchester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue (Mile Square road).

East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street (Opdyke street or Berrien place), from Napier avenue (Prospect avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue (Mile Square road).

Dated New York, June 17, 1896.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 13, 1896. SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING articles below enumerated to this Department will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, July 1, 1896, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

425 white enameled and brass trimmed Iron Bedsteads, 425 Mattresses, Bolsters and Pillows. A separate estimate must be made for the Bedsteads and for the Mattresses, etc., specifying the price of each article.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named. For information as to the description of the articles to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals. The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the articles may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Bidders must write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. The articles are to be delivered within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

For the Bedsteads, \$1,800.

For the Mattresses, etc., \$2,400.

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

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

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

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

COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee for the Care, etc., of the College of the City of New York, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, July 1, 1896, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, for supplying the College during the year 1895 with 150 tons, more or less, of Plymouth Broken Coal, and during the year 1897 with 300 tons, more or less, of Plymouth Broken Coal, to be of the best quality, clean and in good order, 2,240 pounds to the ton, and to be delivered in the bins of the College buildings at such times and in such quantities as may be required.

The proposal must state the mine from which it is proposed to supply the coal, to be furnished from the mine named if accepted, and must state the price per ton of 2,240 pounds.

The Executive Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted.

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

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

Proposals must be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the College of the City of New York."

ALEXANDER P. KETCHUM, Chairman.

ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated NEW YORK, June 18, 1896.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW YORK, June 13, 1896.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS—SEALED bids or estimates for furnishing Dry Goods in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York until 10 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, June 25, 1896.

The articles, supplies, goods and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, on the Pier, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York, unless otherwise specified, and to be delivered during the year 1896 at such times and in such quantities as they may be required.

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

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

DRY GOODS.

21,500 yards Cassimere "Pilots." Width, 27 inches inside the selvage; weight, 12 ounces to the yard; warp, 1,200 ends of No. 14 black cotton warp; picks, 38 to the inch; weave, bird's-eye; filling 65 per cent new wool clips, 35 per cent. Ohio XX fleece wool, no cotton.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

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ine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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 5118, No. 1, Paving Ninety-sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

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 Ninety-sixth street, from Park to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the abovesaid 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 13th day of July, 1896.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; WILLIAM H. BELLAMY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors. NEW YORK, June 11, 1896.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1895, 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 723 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Scherhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

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

CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, MAY 21, 1896. EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS: June 23, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS, Finance Department. June 25, 10 A. M. LEVELLERS. June 27, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT APOTHECARY. June 30, 10 A. M. COTTAGE ATTENDANTS, MALE AND FEMALE. S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, 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 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 17th day of June, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose and in consequence of opening the abovesaid approach and entrance to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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 17th day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said approach and entrance so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 57 of the Laws of 1896, and 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 approach and entrance, 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, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of July, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners

in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, June 17, 1896. JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN H. KNOEPPEL, HUGH R. GARDEN, Commissioners. WM. R. KEESE, 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 in the block bounded by ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREETS, THE BOULEVARD AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE, 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, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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, in the block bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York bounded and described, as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, which point is distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, measured upon the centre line of the block, said point being also in the northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 43; running thence westerly and along said present site of the block and also along said present site of Grammar School No. 43 fifteen feet thirty-six feet; thence northwesterly still along the site of Grammar School No. 43 seventeen feet two inches to a point distant one hundred and seven feet nine inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; thence southwesterly still along the site of Grammar School No. 43 eight feet ten inches to a point in the centre line of the block, which point is distant westerly one hundred and thirty-four feet eleven inches from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, said distance being measured upon the centre line of the block; thence westerly along said centre line of the block and still along the present site of Grammar School No. 43 forty-six feet; thence southwesterly and still along the present site of Grammar School No. 43 twenty-two feet six inches to a point distant eighty-eight feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and two hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and parallel with the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue thirty-six feet eleven inches; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, one hundred feet; thence southerly and parallel with the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue twenty-five feet to the point or place of the beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1896. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of 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 southeasterly corner of HUBERT AND COLLISTER STREETS, in the Fifth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 southeasterly corner of Hubert and Collister streets, in the Fifth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 Fifth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Hubert street with the easterly line of Collister street; running thence southerly along the easterly line of Collister street 171 feet 3 inches; then easterly and parallel with Hubert street 100 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Collister street 171 feet 3 inches to the southerly line of Hubert street; thence westerly and along said southerly line of Hubert street 100 feet to the point or place of the beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1896. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of 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 easterly side of MOTT STREET, between Bayard and Canal streets, in the Sixth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I,

thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the easterly side of Mott street, between Bayard and Canal streets, in the Sixth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Mott street distant 100 feet 2 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Bayard street with the easterly line of Mott street; running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Mott street 25 feet 1 inch to the southerly line of the present site of Primary School No. 8; thence easterly and along said southerly line of the present site of Primary School No. 8 94 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Mott street 25 feet 1 inch; thence westerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Bayard street 94 feet to the point or place of the beginning.

Dated New York, June 15, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of 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 SHERIFF AND WILLETT STREETS, between Broome and Delancey streets, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888,** as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 Sheriff and Willett streets, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purpose specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Sheriff street distant 87 feet 6 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Broome street with the westerly line of Sheriff street; running thence westerly and parallel or nearly so with Broome street and part of the way along the northerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 34 200 feet 5 inches to the easterly line of Willett street; thence northerly along the easterly line of Willett street 25 feet; thence easterly and parallel or nearly so with Broome street 100 feet 5 inches; thence southerly and parallel with Willett street 3 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly and parallel with Broome street 100 feet to the westerly line of Sheriff street; thence southerly along the westerly line of Sheriff street 21 feet 10 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 15, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of 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 SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888,** as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Seventy-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street distant 205 feet from the intersection of the easterly line of Third avenue with the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street; running thence southerly parallel with Third avenue and part of the way through a party wall 102 feet 2 inches to the centre of the block and to the present site of Grammar School No. 70; thence easterly parallel with Seventy-sixth street and along said present site of Grammar School No. 70 25 feet; thence northerly parallel with Third avenue and part of the way through a party wall 102 feet 2 inches to the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Seventy-sixth street 25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 15, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of 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 THIRTIETH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888,** as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Twentieth Ward of the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirtieth street distant 337 feet 10 inches westerly from the intersection of the westerly line of Sixth avenue with the southerly line of Thirtieth street, which point is also the intersection of the westerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 26 with the southerly line of Thirtieth street; running thence westerly and along the southerly line of Thirtieth street 16 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Sixth avenue 9 1/2 feet 9 inches to the centre line of the block between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets; thence easterly along said centre line of the block and parallel with Thirtieth street 26 feet 4 inches to westerly line of the present site of Grammar School No. 26; thence northerly and along said westerly line of Grammar School No. 26 99 feet 3 3/4 inches to the point or place of the beginning.

Dated New York, June 15, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York bounded by Houston, Stanton, Pitt, Willett and Sheriff streets, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1887 and of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 293 OF THE LAWS OF 1887 AND OF CHAPTER 320 OF THE LAWS OF 1887,** 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 in Part I, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York bounded by Houston, Stanton, Pitt, Willett and Sheriff streets, in fee simple absolute, the same to be appropriated, converted and used to and for the purposes specified in chapter 293 of the Laws of 1887 and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, said property having been duly selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 293 of the Laws of 1887 and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

**PARCEL "A."**

All that piece or parcel of land in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of Houston street with the easterly line of Pitt street, and thence (1) running southerly along the easterly line of the said Pitt street for a distance of four hundred feet (400 feet) to the intersection of the same with the northerly line of Stanton street; thence (2) running easterly along the northerly line of the said Stanton street for a distance of two hundred feet (200 feet) to the intersection of the same with the westerly line of Willett street; thence (3) running northerly along the westerly line of the said Willett street for a distance of four hundred feet (400 feet) to the intersection of the same with the southerly line of Houston street; thence (4) running westerly along the southerly line of said Houston street for a distance of two hundred feet (200 feet), more or less, to the place or point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**

All that piece or parcel of land in the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of Houston street with the easterly line of Willett street, and thence (1) running southerly along the easterly line of said Willett street for a distance of four hundred feet (400 feet) to the intersection of the same with the northerly line of Stanton street; thence (2) running easterly along the northerly line of said Stanton street for a distance of two hundred feet (200 feet) to the intersection of the same with the westerly line of Sheriff street; thence (3) running northerly along the westerly line of said Sheriff street for a distance of four hundred feet (400 feet) to the intersection of the same with the southerly line of Houston street; thence (4) running westerly along the southerly line of said Houston street for a distance of two hundred feet (200 feet), more or less, to the place or point of beginning.

Dated New York, June 15th, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ORCHARD STREET OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Boscobel avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of May, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

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 2d day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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 8th day of July, 1896, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, June 13, 1896.  
WILLIAM H. BARKER, GIDEON J. TUCKER,  
WILLIAM A. McQUAID, 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 MARCHER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), at its junction with East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, or Birch 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.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of May, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 2d day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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 (9th floor), in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of July, 1896, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, June 13, 1896.  
CHARLES A. JACKSON, ALBERT LOENING,  
ROBERT H. NEAMANN, 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 BOSTON ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to the Bronx Park, 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 27th day of May, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 2d day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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, 9th floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of July, 1896, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners 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, June 13, 1896.  
JAMES R. ELY, W. G. ROSS, SAMUEL B. PAUL,  
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 SUMMIT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth 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.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of May, 1896, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 2d day of June, 1896, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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 8th day of July, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 13, 1896.  
JAMES S. ALLEN, A. G. DICKINSON, CHAS. HILTON BROWN, 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 southerly side of BROOME STREET, between Clinton and Suffolk streets, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 191 OF THE LAWS OF 1888,** as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, 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 in Part I, thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, on the southerly side of Broome street, between Clinton and Suffolk streets in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used to and for the purposes specified in said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, said property having been duly selected and approved by the Board of Education as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by said chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapter 890 of the Laws of 1896, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, namely:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of New York bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Broome street distant 102 feet from the intersection of the southerly line of Broome street with the westerly line of Clinton street, which point is also the intersection of the westerly line of the present site of Primary School No. 20 with the southerly line of Broome street; running thence southerly parallel with Clinton street and along the said westerly line of the present site of Primary School No. 20 75 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Broome street 25 feet and 3 inches; thence northerly and parallel with the said westerly line of Clinton street 75 feet to the southerly line of Broome street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Broome street 25 feet 3 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 15, 1896.  
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,  
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