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BOARD OF ALDERMEN. STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, June 15, 1897, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

John P. Windolph, Vice-President, Aldermen Nicholas T. Brown, William E. Burke, Thomas M. Campbell, William Clancy, Thomas Dwyer, Christian Goetz, Elias Goodman, Frank J. Goodwin, Joseph T. Hackett, Benjamin E. Hall, Francis J. Lantry, Frederick L. Marshall, John J. Murphy, Andrew A. Noonan, John T. Oakley, John J. O'Brien, Charles A. Parker, Rufus R. Randall, Andrew Robinson, Joseph Schilling, Henry L. School, William Tait, Frederick A. Ware, Charles Wines, Collin H. Woodward, Jacob C. Wund.

In the absence of the President the Vice-President took the chair.

Alderman Marshall moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, June 15, 1897. *To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body to regulate and grade Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Aqueduct avenue, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards that the resolution is unnecessary, the work being already under contract.

Yours, respectfully,

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Aqueduct 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 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.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, June 15, 1897. *To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body permitting B. J. Clancy to keep movable plants in front of his premises, Twenty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that said plants constitute an illegal obstruction to the street.

Yours, respectfully,

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bartholomew J. Clancy to place movable plants in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Twenty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, within the stoop-line, the said plants to be prepared and retained 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.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, June 15, 1897. *To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, for amendment, resolution of your Honorable Body permitting Thomas Lloyd to suspend American flags across the carriage-way in front of No. 15 Park place, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that the time during which the flags may be suspended should be specified; also that they shall not be used for advertising purposes.

Yours, respectfully,

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Lloyd to suspend two American flags across the carriage-way, one from No. 15 Park place and the other from No. 12 Murray street, to the buildings directly opposite, the owners of the property consenting thereto, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only for one month from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Alderman Schilling moved that the resolution be amended in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Vice-President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, June 15, 1897. *To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, for amendment, resolution of your Honorable Body to change the name of Avenue A, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets, to Sutton place, on the ground of the report of the Commissioner of Public Works that the resolution should be amended to include the three blocks between Fifty-seventh and Sixtieth streets, so as to legalize the designation of Sutton place for the two blocks from Fifty-eighth to Sixtieth street, as, if this resolution was approved, the block between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets would be the only one having the official name of Sutton place.

Yours, respectfully,

W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That the name of Avenue A, between Fifty-seventh street and Fifty-eighth street, be and the same is hereby changed to Sutton place, and that the Commissioner of Public Works is authorized to take all necessary steps to carry out the provisions of this resolution in all respects.

Alderman Lantry moved that the resolution be amended in accordance with the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Vice-President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Lantry, Marshall, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Lantry called up G. O. 1523, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Lantry, Marshall, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Goodwin moved that when this Board adjourns it do so to meet on Monday, June 21, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and a proposed amendment thereto in favor of permitting Conron Bros. to lay a four-inch water-pipe in certain streets of the City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution, with the proposed amendment added thereto, be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Conron Bros. to lay a four-inch water-pipe under the paved carriage-way of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, One Hundred and Thirty-first street and One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and about seventy-five feet west of Twelfth avenue, upon payment of the usual fee, provided said Conron Bros shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

COLLIN H. WOODWARD, ANDREW A. NOONAN, JACOB C. WUND, JOSEPH SCHILLING, Committee on Streets.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Burke—

The Honorable the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

We, the undersigned property-owners of West Fifty-fifth street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue, New York City, hereby call your attention of the very bad condition of the pavement in that block. After a rainy day the water remains and gets stagnant, and therefore dangerous to health, especially now in the coming summer months. Even when trucks pass, the whole houses are shaking; several trucks have lately broken their wheels in holes in the pavement. We therefore pray that the street may be asphalted as an early date as possible.

Hoping that you will attend to this our petition favorable, signed

A. Koschel, owner of No. 243 West 55th street; Winifred Tyson, No. 247 West 55th street; K. Mullane, No. 229 West 55th street; Charles A. Dunn, No. 249 West 55th street; George B. Hains, No. 251 West 55th street; N. D. Arlington, No. 253 West 55th street; L. S. Mather, No. 255 West 55th street; Florence E. Cowan, No. 242 West 55th street; Patrick Toner, No. 259 West 55th street; M. L. Thomas, No. 254 West 55th street; A. E. Thomas, No. 252 West 55th street; Mrs. M. Starin, No. 244 West 55th street; Margaret C. Stirling, No. 246 West 55th street; M. R. Parker, No. 248 West 55th street; estate of Peter Ast Jackson, 75 by 100, north side; S. H. Van Nort, owner of No. 245 West 55th street.

In connection herewith Alderman Burke offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to repave with asphalt the carriage-way of Fifty-fifth street, from Broadway to Eighth avenue. Which was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Ware moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to ex-Assemblyman Frederick B. House.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from the Finance Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 5, 1897. *To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:*

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1897, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies	\$3,500 00	\$1,764 25	\$1,735 75
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council....	500 00	175 54	324 46
Salaries—Common Council.....	87,500 00	35,562 61	51,937 39
Total.....	\$91,500 00	\$37,502 40	\$53,997 60

WILLIAM J. LYON, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-President laid before the Board a communication from the Street Cleaning Department, touching the condition of ash and garbage cans in front of No. 267 West Thirty-third street. Which was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from the Dock Department:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, NEW YORK, June 9, 1897. *Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:*

SIR—I have been directed by the Commissioners to request your Honorable Board to furnish, for the use of this Department, six bound copies of the Revised Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, bound in sheep.

Yours, respectfully,

GEO. S. TERRY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Supervisor of the City Record.

(G. O. 1575.)

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Department:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, May 29, 1897. *The Honorable Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held yesterday, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of the sum of forty-eight dollars (\$48), for hire of coaches used on the occasion of the funeral of the late Commissioner Ford, and that the Comptroller be authorized to draw his warrant therefor.

Please have the resolution referred to adopted.

Very respectfully,

JAMES R. SHEFFIELD, President.

Resolved, That the Fire Department of the City of New York be and it hereby is authorized to expend the sum of forty-eight dollars (\$48) for hire of coaches used on the occasion of the funeral of the late Commissioner Ford and that the Comptroller be authorized to draw his warrant therefor.

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Hall moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to Commissioner Colonel George E. Waring, Jr., of the Street Cleaning Department.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from the Social Reform Club:

SOCIAL REFORM CLUB, NO. 28 EAST FOURTH STREET, NEAR LAFAYETTE PLACE, NEW YORK, June 9, 1897. *Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:*

DEAR SIR—I have been instructed to forward to you the inclosed resolution adopted at last night's meeting of the Social Reform Club.

Yours, very truly,

EDWARD THIMME, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen is a Trustee for the City in matters of the Sixth and Eighth Avenue Railroad franchises, in which the rights reserved to the City are of enormous value; and

Whereas, The said Board has taken no proper steps to preserve the rights of the City, but on the contrary, has this day voted down, by a large majority, a resolution instructing the Corporation Counsel to take such proceedings as would have preserved whatever rights are still left to the City; therefore

Resolved, 1. That this meeting censures the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York for gross breach of its trust.

2. That this meeting requests the Committee on Public Franchises of the Social Reform Club to co-operate with committees of other bodies in promoting such protests, by public meeting or otherwise, as are practicable, and to use any other means in its power that may tend to the preservation of the rights of the people in this matter.

3. That the names of the Aldermen voting for and against the preservation of the rights of the people in these matters be spread upon the minutes for future reference; and

4. That we tender our congratulations to Alderman Hall for his able fight in behalf of the people in this and other franchise matters, and also to the other Aldermen who have voted in the interests of the City instead of the corporations.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from Jewell Steamboat Company:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NO. 8 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 15, 1897. *To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

GENTLEMEN—You are hereby cordially invited, with your Clerks and attaches, to take a trip to Pleasure Bay on any Saturday upon which the majority of your members may decide.

JOSEPH TANCO, JR., Superintendent "Outing Dept.," Jewell Steamboat Company.

Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR RESUMED.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor: CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, NEW YORK, June 14, 1897. Hon. JOHN JEROLOMAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to submit to the Honorable Board of Aldermen the inclosed correspondence in reference to the portrait of Baron Steuben which hangs in the Governor's Room. This includes a letter from Catherine R. Baetjer, expressing her desire to have a tablet placed upon the frame of said picture, bearing the name of her father, G. Marsiglia; also a letter from Daniel Huntington vouching for the authenticity of the copy.

Yours respectfully, BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, June 11, 1897. Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR—A portrait of Baron Steuben, painted by Stuart, which hung in the Capitol, attracted the attention of my father, the late G. Marsiglia. He copied same and placed it in his gallery; a fire occurred in the Rotunda of the Capitol, destroying the original.

My father died September, 1850, and his executor, Mr. Charles G. Havens, sold the painting by my father to the City of New York, purchased by Mayor Woodhull. I have a clear recollection of my father painting the portrait of Baron Steuben, which now hangs in the City Hall. It grieves me that no record has been made, and I ask the favor of placing a tablet upon the frame, bearing the name of G. Marsiglia. I remain,

Respectfully yours, CATHERINE R. BAETJER, No. 202 West One Hundred and Third street.

No. 49 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, June 12, 1897. Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—The account of Mrs. Hermann Baetjer, daughter of the late G. Marsiglia, relating to a portrait of General (Baron) Steuben may be relied upon as correct. The general arrangement of the portrait, its attitude and treatment, are like the works of Gilbert Stuart, but its execution is like that of Mr. Marsiglia, with whom I was acquainted in my early life, being then a fellow-member with him of The National Academy of Design.

A proper inscription on the frame of the portrait would be, I should say,

GENERAL STEUBEN,
By G. Marsiglia, after Stuart.

Or

GENERAL STEUBEN,
After Stuart, by Marsiglia.

There is another portrait in the Governor's Room, at the west end—Governor Tompkins, I think—with a tablet inscribed

UNKNOWN.

That full length is, I think, by Trumbull. The draperies and accessories are in the style of Trumbull. Very respectfully yours, DANIEL HUNTINGTON.

Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from Caleb M. Landon:

NEW YORK, June 14, 1897. To the City Library:

I take pleasure to donate to you two copies of a book of which I am author. I hope to get, at a proper time, a suitable acknowledgment of the receipt of the same at my address.

Yours respectfully, CALEB M. LANDON, Ridgeland, Monroe County, N. Y.

Name of books, "Skeptic's Defense."
Which was accepted and referred to the Clerk with instructions to acknowledge receipt of volumes and thank donor for same.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mr. Ferguson to clean the portraits belonging to the City of New York, now in the Governor's Room in the City Hall, and to regild the frames of said pictures, the work to be done at his own expense, the sum of five hundred dollars having been contributed for that purpose by Morris K. Jesup, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Hall moved that the Clerk be instructed to communicate with Morris K. Jesup and thank him for his public spirit as a citizen.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the William T. Hushim Association to place and keep a transparency on the lamp-post on the northeast corner of Madison and Pearl streets, 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 from date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul Salvin to erect, place and keep two show-windows at No. 158 Park Row, provided said show-windows do not extend beyond twelve inches from the house-line, 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.

Which was adopted.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chelsea Union to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner Twenty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Burke—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. E. A. Redmond to take out present show-window on the corner of Fifty-fifth street and Eighth avenue, and known as No. 930 Eighth avenue, and erect new show-window in place thereof, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, said window not to extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the P. J. Murray Association to drive a wagon, with an announcement of their excursion on it, through the streets included in the territory bounded by Eighty-first street, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Eighth avenue and the Hudson river, and distribute fans from said vehicle, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only July 5, 1897.

Which was adopted.

(G. O. 1576.)

By Alderman Clancy—

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid from the northwest corner of Mangin and Grand streets to the southwest corner of Grand street and Corlears street, in the City of New York; and that flagging four feet wide on the westerly sidewalk of Corlears street, from Monroe to Cherry street, be laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda-water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the location set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate the use of the sidewalks of the streets of the City of New York, within the stoop-lines, for stands, etc.":

First Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Leopold Jonas, main entrance to Astor House; Thomas J. McBride, northwest corner Rector street and Broadway (Trinity Church); Charles Beck, No. 59 Cortlandt street. Fruit stands: Ann Kennedy, front of Trinity Churchyard, Broadway; G. Sapanaro, No. 5 Battery place; Erasimo Bozzo, No. 29 Murray street; Peter Costa, No. 319 Church street; Giuseppe Cara, No. 55 Broadway; Isaac Rappaport, No. 355 Broadway. Soda-water stand: William Wasserman, No. 186 West street. Bootblack stands: Michael Marotte, No. 64 Park place; Philip Abramson, No. 207 Broadway; Francesco Dalesandro, No. 14 Church street; Henry Morick, No. 32 Dey street; Antonio Spedietto, No. 56 West street; Antonio Tronolone, No. 272 West street; Louis H. M. Luhrs, No. 68 Warren street; Archibald McInnes, No. 85 Cortlandt street; Gaetano V. Caggiano, No. 109 Barclay street; V. Cappirio, Nos. 146 and 148 Liberty street; Joseph Gagliastro, Nos. 162 and 164 Greenwich street; Antonio Calandrello, No. 280 Canal street; Pasquale Terendri, No. 299 Canal street.

Second Assembly District—Newspaper stand: Luigi Pacifico, No. 91 Mulberry street. Fruit stands: Pantigaldi Ferdinando, Reade street, side of Stewart Building; Leonida D'Angelo, No. 2 Franklin street; Giobatta Pesce, No. 68 Baxter street; Pasquale Bonanno, No. 127½ Mulberry street; James H. Carbone, No. 502 Pearl street. Soda-water stands: Saranda G. Calama, No. 14 Chatham Square; Louis Jerchow, No. 20 Bowery; Herman Davidson, No. 82 Mott street; Sam Streen, No. 154 Centre street. Bootblack stands: Salvatore Di Enrico, No. 38 Park Row (Beekman street side); Giuseppe Niquora, No. 50 Bowery; Giuseppe Gardella, No. 37 Beekman street; Michael Graziano, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

Third Assembly District—Fruit stands: James Poggi, northeast corner Grand and Allen

streets; Nicholas Grande, No. 182 Hester street. Soda-water stands: Mrs. Josephine Singerman, No. 135½ Allen street; Ben. Bercowitz, No. 102 Ludlow street; M. Josephson, No. 160 Ludlow street; William Lipschitz, No. 161 Forsyth street; Isaac Usitzky, No. 217 Canal street. Bootblack stands: Domenico Frascella, No. 71 Canal street; Max Simons, southeast corner of Hester and Eldridge streets; Giam B. Galasso, No. 243 Bowery; Vito Di Yorio, No. 260 Broome street.

Fourth Assembly District—Soda-water stand: Henry Shastok, No. 258 Cherry street. Bootblack stand: Thomas Brennan, No. 158 Madison street.

Fifth Assembly District—Fruit stands: Michele Orfenno, No. 45 Sheriff street; Vincenzo Spingala, No. 70 Sheriff street; Angelo Guglielino, No. 74 Columbia street; Joseph Grinfeld, No. 109 Goerck street; Pietro Sacco, No. 311 Rivington street. Soda-water stands: Max Rosen, No. 71 Clinton street; Adolf Weisz, No. 76 Pitt street; David Hertz, No. 83 Goerck street; Morris Beider, No. 106 Ludlow street; Sam Shapiro, No. 69 Suffolk street; Abraham Greenhouse, No. 121 Suffolk street; Harry Jackson, No. 203 Division street; Max Kramrich, No. 209 Delancey street; Josef Schwadrum, No. 210 Delancey street. Bootblack stands: Angelo Trillia, No. 123 Broome street; Salvatore Guglielino, No. 272 Stanton street.

Sixth Assembly District—Soda-water stands: Jacob P. Gelb, No. 127 Sheriff street; Ignatz Kraus, No. 128 Sheriff street; Mrs. Tillie Volkens, No. 482 East Houston street.

Seventh Assembly District—Newspaper stand: George N. Heins, No. 93 Avenue A. Fruit stands: Charles Spreeman, southwest corner Avenue A and Seventh street; Samuel Greenbaum, No. 161 Ludlow street. Soda-water stands: Moris Belgard, No. 131 Suffolk street; Sarah Gelberg, No. 184 Orchard street. Bootblack stand: Charles J. Hesse, No. 24 Avenue A; Rocco Cirigliano, No. 109 Avenue A; John P. Suerken, No. 32 First avenue.

Eighth Assembly District—Fruit stands: Giuseppe Carbone, southeast corner Thompson and West Third streets; Sam Ehrmann, No. 21 Carmine street; John Richie, No. 134 Macdougall street. Bootblack stands: Rosano Truanti, southwest corner Broadway and Houston street; Ralph Curtero, corner Fourteenth street and Ninth avenue; Francesco Digiocomo, No. 21 Greenwich avenue; Rasario Casella, No. 81 University place; Rocco N. Angarola, No. 53 East Twelfth street; Rocco Rago, No. 233 Thompson street.

Ninth Assembly District—Newspaper stand: E. Meyer, No. 201 West Eighteenth street. Bootblack stands: Amelio Amato, No. 100 Eighth avenue; Julius A. Donaldson, No. 116 Eighth avenue.

Tenth Assembly District—Fruit stands: Felice Bainbacion, No. 165 Third avenue; Louis Meyer, No. 229 Seventh street. Bootblack stands: Daniel Petris, No. 6 Union Square; Fred. Staiber, No. 147 First avenue.

Eleventh Assembly District—Newspaper stands: James Mack, No. 1311 Broadway; David Blum, No. 235 Fourth avenue. Fruit stand: Michael Bargaro, No. 169 Seventh avenue. Bootblack stands: Francesco Bastone, No. 24 West Twenty-eighth street; Charles Dietrich, No. 328 Fourth avenue; Vincenzo Rubino, No. 392 Sixth avenue; J. Hennessey, southwest corner Eighteenth street and Fourth avenue.

Twelfth Assembly District—Newspaper stand: John Castello, No. 258 First avenue. Fruit stands: Henry F. Kolnsberg, No. 295 First avenue; Vincenzo Cannizaro, No. 338 Third avenue. Bootblack stands: Joseph McGinty, No. 240 First avenue; Rocco Dimone, No. 304 First avenue; Vito Morinese, No. 402 Second avenue; Sarafino Jaunacco, No. 166 Third avenue; Vito V. Pasquarete, No. 302 Third avenue; Leonard Giallallo, No. 322 Third avenue.

Thirteenth Assembly District—Fruit stand: Raphael Palomba, No. 260 Seventh avenue. Bootblack stands: Giuseppe Marco, No. 470 West Twenty-third street; William H. Thompson, No. 229 Ninth avenue; Ciro Esposito, No. 320 Eighth avenue; Terence Loughran, No. 363 Eighth avenue.

Fourteenth Assembly District—Newspaper stands: James Doonan, southwest corner Second avenue and Thirty-sixth street; James Mull, No. 500 Second avenue. Fruit stands: Antonio Cumilluca, No. 160 East Thirty-ninth street; Carmine Corso, No. 563 East Thirty-first street; Giovanni Avallone, No. 519 Second avenue; Ciro Divona, No. 585 Second avenue; Thomas Scalz, No. 623 Second avenue; Michael Louis, No. 431 Third avenue. Bootblack stands: Frank Zacro, No. 81 Lexington avenue; Giovanni Avallone, No. 519 Second avenue; Ciro Divona, No. 585 Second avenue; Thomas Scalz, No. 623 Second avenue; Luigi Fracasso, 663 Second avenue; Michael Louis, No. 431 Third avenue; Vito Paterno, No. 471 Third avenue; Frank Forio, No. 561 Third avenue; John McSherry, No. 409 East Thirty-fourth street.

Fifteenth Assembly District—Newspaper stand: Jacob Klaiber, Jr., No. 600 Eighth avenue. Bootblack stands: Antonio Lamorte, No. 600 Eighth avenue; William Fagan, No. 408 Ninth avenue; John W. McGloin, northeast corner Thirty-second street and Ninth avenue; Oscar Hoffman, No. 516 Eighth avenue.

Sixteenth Assembly District—Newspaper stand: Casper Barrow, No. 858 Third avenue. Fruit stand: Coney Di Salvo, No. 922 Second avenue. Bootblack stands: Nicola Ferrara, No. 785 Second avenue; Salvatore Chimoloya, No. 786 Second avenue; Salvatore Tautillo, No. 839 Second avenue; Nicola Grippo, No. 762 Third avenue; Herman Dohrmann, No. 816 Third avenue; George Hiller, No. 877 Third avenue.

Seventeenth Assembly District—Fruit stands: Augustina Massa, Nos. 577-99 Tenth avenue; R. Steintal, No. 680 Eighth avenue. Bootblack stands: Fabio Papa, No. 618 Eighth avenue; Christian Sauer, No. 742 Eighth avenue.

Eighteenth Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Joe Reilly, No. 368 West Fiftieth street; Victor Esber, No. 631 Ninth avenue; Peter Sweeney, No. 742 Ninth avenue. Fruit stands: Raffaele Galfano, No. 402 West Fiftieth street; Angelo Vergona, No. 891 Eighth avenue; William J. Rogers, No. 666 Ninth avenue; Damiano Salemme, No. 681 Ninth avenue; John Bahrenberg, No. 683 Ninth avenue; Francisco Maso, No. 762 Ninth avenue. Bootblack stands: Carmine Dilucio, No. 1612 Broadway; Peter Lamort, No. 1687 Broadway; Ernst Olsen, No. 813 Sixth avenue; George E. Mathews, No. 699 Eighth avenue; William Maller, No. 790 Eighth avenue; Charles A. Emming, No. 791 Eighth avenue; Henry Griffin, No. 806 Eighth avenue; Pietro Paudolfo, No. 870 Eighth avenue; Bernard Finley, No. 871 Eighth avenue; Vincenzo Carcia, No. 893 Eighth avenue; Christian Muton, No. 662 Ninth avenue; Charles Bertschinger, No. 687 Ninth avenue; Bernard F. Manning, No. 756 Ninth avenue; William Giorgio, No. 761 Ninth avenue; Thomas McEntegart, No. 686 Tenth avenue; Pasquale di Marsica, No. 751 Tenth avenue; Patrick McGirr, No. 643 Eleventh avenue; Patrick F. Kelleher, No. 645 Eleventh avenue.

Nineteenth Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Joseph Muller, No. 139 Columbus avenue; Michael Mallaghan, No. 775 Ninth avenue; Ferdinand A. Selke, No. 924 Ninth avenue. Fruit stands: Willy Horst, No. 301 West Fifty-second street; Salvatore Corso, No. 910 Ninth avenue. Bootblack stands: Tony Sandoro, No. 2 Amsterdam avenue; Michaelo Digiocomo, No. 251 Columbus avenue; M. J. Newman, No. 888 Eighth avenue; William Fath, No. 940 Eighth avenue; Henry Kriete, No. 989 Eighth avenue; Henry Fuller, No. 863 Ninth avenue.

Twentieth Assembly District—Newspaper stands: M. Edward Golde, No. 174 East Sixty-second street; Nathan Greenberg, No. 743 Lexington avenue. Soda-water stand: Adolph Koch, No. 1345 First avenue. Bootblack stand: John Mitchell, No. 1212 Third avenue.

Twenty-first Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Mary Weinstein, northwest corner of Seventy-second street and Lexington avenue; Grooner W. Linnel, No. 754 Sixth avenue; Adolph Schecht, No. 777 Sixth avenue. Bootblack stands: Antonie Nicollas, No. 628 Madison avenue; George J. Weiss, No. 755 Sixth avenue.

Twenty-second Assembly District—Fruit stands: Antonio Pane, No. 1542 First avenue; William H. Willis, No. 1556 First avenue; Anton R. Klemm, No. 1578 First avenue; Martin Joseph, No. 1537 Second avenue; Francis E. Skelly, No. 1561 Second avenue; Domenico Nuccio, 1616 Second avenue. Soda-water stands: Adolph Gaunize, No. 206 East Eighty-first street. Bootblack stands: Edward Meredith, northwest corner Seventy-ninth street and Avenue A; Michaelo Caliguira, No. 1503 First avenue; William H. Willis, No. 1556 First avenue; Anton R. Klemm, No. 1578 First avenue; Francis E. Skelly, No. 1561 Second avenue; Domenico Nuccio, No. 1616 Second avenue; Patrick Boylan, No. 1409 Third avenue.

Twenty-third Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Lizzie Bercow, No. 276 Columbus avenue; Isaac Bercow, No. 316 Columbus avenue; Isaac Robinson, No. 452 Columbus avenue; John Alston, No. 540 Columbus avenue; Charles Colman, No. 592 Columbus avenue; Abraham Goldstein, No. 668 Columbus avenue. Fruit stands: Peter W. Heyer, southeast corner Columbus avenue and Ninety-first street; B. G. Wood, No. 481 Columbus avenue; Edwin J. Caulfield, No. 491 Columbus avenue; F. W. Eggerking, Jr., No. 568 Columbus avenue; A. Pollack, No. 641 Columbus avenue; Franco Saverio Barone, No. 765 Columbus avenue; Eugene Goodman, No. 715 Columbus avenue; Vincenzo Guido, No. 761 Columbus avenue; William Mouff, No. 836 Amsterdam avenue. Soda-water stand: Mrs. Hannah Shingel, One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Riverside avenue. Bootblack stands: Joseph Miller, No. 175 St. Nicholas avenue; Frank Cassoe, No. 635 Columbus avenue; John Wesley Payne, No. 734 Columbus avenue; Charles Schakenberg, No. 735 Columbus avenue; Dominick Viniello, No. 874 Columbus avenue; Joseph Ray, No. 960 Amsterdam avenue; Joseph Miller, 2110 Eighth avenue.

Twenty-fourth Assembly District—Fruit stands: Vinchenzo Rogia, No. 1666 First avenue; Toney Russar, No. 1683 First avenue; John Fioventius, No. 1715 Second avenue; Jacob Steiner, No. 1832 Second avenue; Edgar F. Bayley, No. 1508 Third avenue; Howard J. Harned, No. 1576 Third avenue. Soda-water stands: Oscar Reussner, No. 434 East Eighty-sixth street; Martin Astarita, No. 1583 Third avenue. Bootblack stands: Fannie Salfeld, No. 171 East Eighty-fourth street; Pietro Speciale, No. 1565 Avenue A; John D. Stranahan, No. 1246 Lexington avenue; W. H. Lilienthal, No. 1080 Park avenue; Herman Mollen, No. 2111 Park avenue; James H. Shelton, No. 1690 Second avenue; Joe Scapilyee, No. 1656 Second avenue; Andrea Calamari, No. 1671 Second avenue; Tony Astorito, No. 1756 Second avenue; Isaac Luff, No. 1466 Third avenue; Michael Sullivan, No. 1469 Third avenue; Michael McConnell, No. 1488 Third avenue; C. H. Ryerson, No. 1508 Third avenue; Peter Begley, No. 1546 Third avenue; Michael Cosgrove, No. 1569 Third avenue; John Winters, No. 1582 Third avenue; Martin Astorito, No. 1583 Third avenue; Giuseppe Liferi, No. 1604 Third avenue; Max Sonntag, No. 1692 Third avenue; James Begley, No. 1708 Third avenue.

Twenty-fifth Assembly District—Newspaper stands: Mrs. Mary Jones, No. 100 East Eighty-ninth street; Harry Swartz, No. 1815 Third avenue. Fruit stands: Tony

Demeyer, northwest corner First avenue and Eighty-ninth street; Guiseppe Cassella, No. 1 East Ninety-sixth street; Nicholas Fillie, No. 305 East Ninety-second street; Sabato Dionio, No. 1800 Second avenue; John G. Eich, No. 1811 Second avenue; Maibi Cerrito, No. 1907 Second avenue; Vincenzo Demario, No. 1588 Third avenue. Soda-water stand: David Schimmel, No. 214 East Ninety-eighth street. Bootblack stands: John J. Biggane, northeast corner Second avenue and One Hundred and First street; Henry Hinck, northwest corner Third avenue and Ninety-second street; Nicholas Fillie, No. 305 East Ninety-second street; Giovanni Bernardi, No. 1360 Lexington avenue; Charles Lichtenberg, No. 1511 Madison avenue; Sarah Dionio, No. 1800 Second avenue; Felici Marrino, No. 1678 Third avenue; Guiseppe Marella, No. 1848 Third avenue.

Twenty-sixth Assembly District—Newspaper stand: Giovanni Borchino, No. 402 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street. Fruit stand: Nicol Martelli, No. 151 East One Hundred and Tenth street. Bootblack stands: Gaetano Caiazzo, No. 1773 Lexington avenue; Giovicchino Vigerito, No. 2020 Third avenue; Carmino Talendino, No. 2025 Third avenue; John J. Breen, No. 1569 Madison avenue; John A. Stand, No. 1734 Madison avenue; Joseph Byohna, No. 1748 Madison avenue.

Twenty-seventh Assembly District—Newspaper stand: Selema Sheridan, No. 2278 Seventh avenue. Bootblack stands: Francesco Bastone, No. 134 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; Michael Davido, corner Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Francesco Nordi, No. 2364 Second avenue; Jacob Jacmore, No. 2285 Third avenue.

Twenty-eighth Assembly District—Bootblack stands: Carl Biehn, northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Eighth avenue; Guiseppe Crispino, northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Eighth avenue; Abraham Lesser, No. 2264 Seventh avenue; W. S. Cunningham, No. 2366 Eighth avenue; Nicola Canoro, No. 2424 Eighth avenue.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Dwyer—

Resolved, That the resolution granting Pasquel Fannilla permission to keep a bootblack stand in front of No. 2 West Third street, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 30, 1897, and became a law on April 13, 1897, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "No. 2 West Third street," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "southwest corner of Broadway and West Third street."

Which was adopted.

(G. O. 1577.)

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That in view of the existing conditions, as set forth in the following communications, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to fence in with a tight board fence the lot situated southwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street referred to, and to hold the owners thereof responsible for the expense thereof under the provisions of law governing such cases.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March 19, 1897. ADOLPH FALCK, Esq., No. 20 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street:

DEAR SIR—In answer to your letter of 12th instant, requesting that the lot on the southwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street be fenced in, I beg to say that as the owner of the lot cannot be found to serve with a notice to fence it, you should bring the matter to the attention of the Alderman of the district in order that he may introduce a resolution to authorize this Department to erect the fence and have the cost assessed on the property.

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

NEW YORK, June 7, 1897. ELIAS GOODMAN, Esq., Alderman, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I have been referred to you in a matter concerning the fencing of the lot situated corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street, by the Commissioner of Public Works, as you will see by inclosed letter. This lot, being used as a common dumping ground for all the stray garbage, ashes, decaying carcasses of animals, etc., is a constant source of annoyance to me and is a nuisance in the fullest sense of the word. Requesting you respectfully to see that a fence will be erected around these premises, I am, sincerely,

ADOLPH FALCK, No. 20 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, City.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That Stephen H. Jackson be and he hereby is permitted to build a show-window on his premises northwest corner Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street, the same not to exceed more than twelve inches from the house-line, and in all other respects must conform to the general ordinance relating to windows of that character; the same to be done under his own expense and under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Goodwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chelsea Union to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-post: Northwest corner of Twenty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only two weeks from date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to place and keep transparencies announcing their excursion on the following lamp-posts: Southeast corner of Forty-third street and Tenth avenue, southeast corner of Thirty-seventh street and Tenth 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 two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Hackett—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chelsea Union to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner Eighteenth street and Eighth avenue, southwest corner Fourteenth street and Eighth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Dale to erect, place and keep two show-windows in front of his premises, No. 890 Park avenue, provided said show-windows do not extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, 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.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chelsea Union to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northeast corner Fifty-first street and Eighth avenue and northeast corner Forty-eighth street and Eighth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only two weeks from date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David Schwartz to place, erect and keep a show-window at No. 149 Third avenue, provided said show-window shall not extend beyond twelve inches from house-line, 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.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Noonan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Goldstein to erect, place and keep show-windows in front of her premises, No. 168 Madison street, provided said show-windows shall not extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Young Men's East Side Benevolent Association to erect, place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Northwest corner of Third avenue and Astor place, southeast corner of First avenue and Twenty-third street, southeast corner of Avenue C and Fourteenth street, northwest corner of Avenue C and Tenth street, northwest corner of Avenue B and Thirteenth street, southeast corner of Avenue A and Seventeenth street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only until June 29, 1897.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Parker—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to repave, with asphalt pavement on the present pavement, the carriageway of Sixty-fourth street, from Park to Third avenue.

Which was adopted.

(G. O. 1578.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred

and First street, 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.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Randall—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the First Presbyterian Church to parade with drum corps and transparencies through the streets in the section bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-second street, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Third avenue and Webster avenue, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for four days, June 16 to June 19, 1897, inclusively.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby respectfully requested to renumber the houses on Park avenue, from Harlem river to Pelham avenue, in accordance with the provisions of a resolution approved March 12, 1896.

Which was adopted.

(G. O. 1579.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted, in Bathgate avenue, from Pelham avenue to College street (One Hundred and Ninety-first street), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Robinson—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. D. Hawkins to erect, place and keep an ornamental clock and post on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 727 Eighth avenue, provided said clock does 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.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Meyer to place and keep an iron awning in front of his premises, No. 615 Eleventh avenue, providing said awning shall be erected in compliance 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.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Walter Gilmore to place, erect and keep show-windows in front of his premises, No. 642 Eighth avenue, provided said show-windows do not extend beyond twelve inches from the house-line, 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.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Meyer to place and keep show-windows in front of his premises, No. 615 Eleventh avenue, provided said show-windows shall in no case extend beyond twelve inches from the house-line, 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.

Which was adopted.

(G. O. 1580.)

By Alderman Schilling—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Eighth street, from Manhattan avenue to Central Park, West, be regulated and paved with granite-block pavement, and crosswalks 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.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 1581.)

By Alderman School—

Resolved, That Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park, South, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, and crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, where not already laid, approaches constructed where necessary and fences built where required, 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.

(G. O. 1582.)

By the same—

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

(G. O. 1583.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards be and is hereby authorized to expend a sum not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000), without public letting, in the repairs of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street at Cromwell's creek.

(G. O. 1584.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Cauldwell avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

(G. O. 1585.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Cauldwell avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, be regulated and paved with granite-block pavement, 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.

Which were severally laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution permitting J. Schneider to erect show-windows in front of the premises One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Third avenue, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 1, 1897, and approved by the Mayor June 4, 1897, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "Third avenue" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Union avenue."

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Wines—

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby granted to Tobias T. Krakower to build a show-window on the front of the premises No. 12 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, provided the same does not extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, and in all other respects conforms to the general ordinance which relates to windows of that character, the same to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby granted to Tobias T. Krakower to build a show-window on the front of his premises, No. 17 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, provided the same does not extend beyond twelve inches from the house-line, and in all other respects conforms to general ordinance bearing on windows of that character, the same to be done under his own expense, under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings.

Which was adopted.

By the President—

Resolved, That Julius Silverman, of No. 150 Nassau street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Theodore J. Henry, of No. 120 East Eighty-first street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Dwyer—

Resolved, That Frederick C. Earle, of No. 305 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goetz—

Resolved, That August J. Glostein, of No. 354 Grand street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Miss Etta Forgotston, of No. 208 Broadway, be and she is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That Isabella Franklin, of No. 75 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, be and she is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That John V. Judge, of No. 27 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hackett—

Resolved, That James T. Pangburn, of No. 79 Jane street, and Cornelius W. Neilson, of No. 88 Horatio street, be and they are hereby reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kenefick—

Resolved, That George F. Wellman, of No. 265 Broadway, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Lantry—

Resolved, That Michael Goode, of No. 407 East Fifty-seventh street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That Joseph Jacobowitz, of No. 86 Norfolk street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That Joseph Fitzpatrick, of No. 316 East Nineteenth street, be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Noonan—

Resolved, That Morris Israel, of No. 76 Elm street, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman O'Brien—

Resolved, That Edwin Welch, of No. 224 East Fifty-ninth street, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman School—

Resolved, That Patrick H. Lydon, of No. 464 Brook avenue, be and he hereby is reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Jacob Cole, of No. 694 Cole street, be and is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Ware—

Resolved, That Joseph Sobel, of No. 114 First avenue, be and he hereby is reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Thomas J. Hammill, of No. 30 West Twenty-ninth street, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That William Gray, of No. 111 Fifth avenue, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-President at this point directed the roll to be called to ascertain the number of members present. Which resulted as follows:

Present—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman School called up G. O. 1569, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, crosswalks laid at each intersecting and terminating street or avenue, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman School called up G. O. 1570, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of Gerard avenue, from the south side of Cheever place to the north side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman O'Brien called up G. O. 1528, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

Alderman O'Brien moved that the resolution be amended by inserting after the word "Boulevard" the words "or Eleventh avenue."

Which was adopted.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution as amended. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman O'Brien called up G. O. 1525, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Claremont avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

The Vice-President called up G. O. 1506, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Health Department, the Secretary of the Board of Health may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500); the Secretary of the Board of Health may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as the Board of Health may deem it necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies of the Health Department; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller, by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Commissioners of the Board of Health, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Clancy called up Veto Message No. 304, which is as follows:

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, May 24, 1897. To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I return herewith, without approval, resolution of your Honorable Body rescinding resolution permitting Morris Deitch to keep a soda-water stand at No. 223 Broome street, on the ground that there seems to be no reason why the present licensee should be deprived of the license given him on the 10th of May, 1897.

Yours, respectfully, W. L. STRONG, Mayor.

Resolved, That the resolution permitting Morris Deitch to keep a soda-water stand at No. 223 Broome street, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 13, 1897, and approved by the Mayor April 28, 1897, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

And moved that it be adopted notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor. The Board then, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, it was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—23.

The Vice-President called up G. O. 1384, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth to Bradhurst avenue, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom were referred the annexed resolutions in favor of appointing various persons Commissioners of Deeds, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the appointments to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz.:

Charles H. Drew.	Edward J. Krug, Jr.	John B. Sheridan.
Thomas Farley.	W. Farrell Smith.	Frederick Phillips.
Meyer Goodman.	Cornelius W. Neilson.	James E. McLarney.
Andrew H. Mangold.	Jacob Cole.	Isidor Klein.
Edward P. Mowton.	Samuel Manheimer.	Thomas J. Crombie.
John Mulholland.	Paul R. E. Steier.	F. E. Brugman.
Charles Meyers.	Maurice B. Blumenthal.	James T. Pangburn.
Noah Cornwell Rodgers.	Benjamin Spier.	George F. Wellman.
William H. D. Orr.	John Fennel.	Julius Silverman.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

Edwin M. Lockwood, in place of Henry E. Stroh.	James J. Smith, in place of Henry Levy.
John J. Hughes, in place of Sigmund Wetzler.	Max Solomon, in place of Hiren G. McDowell.
Louis C. Woolf, in place of Samuel Brodie.	William M. Martine, in place of Joseph E. Moss.
Wm. H. Hastings, in place of Palmer Coolidge.	Charles E. Bonwell, in place of William Meincke.
Philip Rosolsky, in place of Richard Coburn.	Charles S. Grant, in place of Roderic O'Connor.
Ralph H. Reed, in place of Christopher C. Clarke.	Albert T. Nieman, in place of Leon Raunheim.
Thomas J. Fitzsimons, in place of Maurice S. De Vries.	Daniel D. Barry, in place of Samuel D. Goodman.
Jacob H. Denenholz, in place of Kate L. Edwards.	Etta Forgotston, in place of Friedrich Stahle.
Charles H. George, in place of Henry J. George.	Hugo Schultes, in place of Philip A. Schlinder.
Charles Rathfelder, in place of Mayer C. Goldman.	Simon R. Schultz, in place of Michael J. Schilling.
Edward J. McNulty, in place of Edward L. Gridley.	Richard Seybold, in place of Joseph F. Schiefelin.
Joseph M. Shellabarger, in place of Joseph M. Shellabarger.	Henry Houghton, in place of Gustave N. Ullmann.
Isidor Isaak, in place of Edwin H. Heidelberg.	Theodore J. Henry, in place of August Urban.
Henry A. Hoelzle, in place of Hieronimus A. Herold.	John V. Judge, in place of M. P. B. Voullaire.
Isaac Alkus, in place of Louis Lebewohl.	Isabelle Franklin, in place of Clarence F. Winans.
Frederick G. Hoffman, in place of Carl Lanzer.	Frederick C. Earle, in place of John D. Wiekling.
John H. Knubel, in place of Alfred Luttman.	Edwin Welch, in place of B. G. Bean.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed but failed to qualify, viz.:

John Falvey, in place of John Falvey.	August J. Gloistein, in place of J. Baldwin Hands.
Louis Lowenstein, in place of Louis Lowenstein.	Thomas J. Hammill, in place of Peter Kraus.
William Gray, in place of Joseph Fitzpatrick.	

RUFUS R. RANDALL, FRANK J. GOODWIN, THOMAS M. CAMPBELL, THOMAS DWYER, JOSEPH T. HACKETT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Wund called up—

G. O. 1561, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventh street, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1550, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Ninety-seventh street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1536, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 1445, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain for man and beast be erected and water supplied for the same in front of the Van Courtlandt Hotel, on the south side of Van Courtlandt avenue, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

And G. O. 1540, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Marmion avenue, from Elsmere place to Fairmount place, and in Fairmount place to a point about three hundred and fifty feet west of Marmion avenue, as provided by section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolutions. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Wund called up G. O. 1263, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the width of the sidewalks on both sides of Ogden avenue, from Jerome avenue to Washington Bridge, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, be and is hereby established at fifteen (15) feet, and that all existing rights and privileges of property-owners to the use of any portion of the sidewalks for stoops and areas be and the same are hereby revoked and annulled, under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Wund called up G. O. 1505, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks on Ninety-eighth street, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, 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, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

The Vice-President called up G. O. 804, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the vacant lots in front of Nos. 532 and 534 West Thirty-sixth street be fenced in with a tight board fence, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

The Vice-President called up G. O. 840, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the vacant lots at Nos. 532 and 534 West Thirty-sixth street 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Murphy called up G. O. 1464, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, at the intersection of Morningside avenue, running about one hundred feet east, be inclosed with a picket fence, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Robinson called up G. O. 766, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the carriageway of Ninety-seventh street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, be paved with asphalt-block pavement, 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.

The Vice-President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—26.

At this point the President took the chair.

Alderman Robinson called up G. O. 351, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Third street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 1538, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That, in pursuance with section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave Fifty-sixth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue, with asphalt pavement, on the present pavement, and to set curb-stones along the line of said street where required.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Burke called up G. O. 1530, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Claremont avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Campbell called up G. O. 1552, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Edgcombe to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Campbell called up G. O. 1529, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Kingsbridge road to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Hall called up G. O. 1553, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Kingsbridge road to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Hall called up G. O. 1554, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

The President called up G. O. 1326, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That fences be built on Webster avenue where necessary, between Mosholu Parkway and the City line, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman O'Brien called up G. O. 1555, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Wadsworth avenue to Amsterdam avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman O'Brien called up G. O. 1551, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

The President called up G. O. 1007, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks in front of Nos. 106 to 136 West Ninety-ninth street 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, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—25.

Alderman Schilling called up G. O. 1392, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-third street, from East End avenue to the East river, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Schilling called up G. O. 1446, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Eighty-third 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, and that a retaining-wall with coping be built where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hackett, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, O'Brien, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—24.

Alderman Parker called up G. O. 355, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninety-seventh street, from Park to Fifth avenue, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Burke, Campbell, Clancy, Dwyer, Goetz, Goodman, Goodwin, Hall, Murphy, Noonan, Oakley, Parker, Randall, Robinson, Schilling, School, Tait, Ware, Wines, Woodward, and Wund—23.

On motion, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was restored to the list of General Orders.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Robinson moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Monday, June 21, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M. WM. H. TEN EYCK, Clerk.

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

June 12, 1897. To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In compliance with section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the office of Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending June 10, 1897:

Permits Issued—For sewer connections, 30; for sewer repairs, 5; for Croton connections, 21; for Croton repairs, 3; for placing building material, 13; for crossing sidewalk with team, 8; for miscellaneous purposes, 22—total, 102.

Public Moneys Received—For sewer connections, \$300; for restoring pavements, \$74.34; \$12—total, \$386.34.

Plans and Specifications Approved—Paving Jerome avenue, Sections 1 to 4.

Laboring Force Employed during the Week—Foremen, 31; Assistant Foremen, 18; Engineers of Steam Rollers, 5; Sewer Laborers, 34; Laborers, 637; Toolmen, 13; Stableman, 1; Truckmen, 2; Oilers, 4; Sweepers, 6; Carts, 18; Teams, 117; Carpenters, 3; Pavers, 7; Pruner, 1; Blacksmith's Helpers, 4; Machinists, 2; Inspectors of Sewer Connections, 2; Inspector of Regulating and Grading, 1; Stokers, 2; Mason, 1; Flaggers, 11; Sounders, 81; Cleaners, 4—total, 1,005.

Total amount of requisitions drawn upon the Comptroller during the week, \$93,131.84.

Respectfully, LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending June 12, 1897.

Barometer.

Table with columns for DATE, TIME, and BAROMETER readings (Reduced to Freezing, Maximum, Minimum). Rows for days of the week from Sunday to Saturday.

Mean for the week 29.919 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A.M., June 7th 30.166 "
Minimum " at 3 P.M., June 12th 29.600 "
Range "566 "

Thermometers.

Table with columns for DATE, TIME, and THERMOMETER readings (Dry Bulb, Wet Bulb, Mean, Maximum, Minimum, In Sun). Rows for days of the week from Sunday to Saturday.

Mean for the week 64.2 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 12th 80 "
Minimum " at 6 A.M., 8th 57 "
Range " 23 "

Wind.

Table with columns: DATE, DIRECTION, VELOCITY IN MILES, FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Distance traveled during the week..... 998 miles.
Maximum force..... 4 1/2 pounds.

Table with columns: DATE, Hygrometer (Force of Vapor, Relative Humidity), Clouds (Clear, Overcast), Rain and Snow, Ozone (Depth of Rain and Snow). Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

Total amount of water for the week..... 2.37 inch.
Duration for the week..... 1 day, 3 hour, 0 mins.

Table with columns: DATE, 7 A. M., 2 P. M. Rows for Sunday through Saturday.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 91 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the local and special laws affecting public interest in the City of New York," as amended by chapter 412 of the Laws of 1888, the Common Council of the City of New York hereby designates as an additional place for the holding of a City Magistrates' Court and Jail Delivery, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, the court-house situate in the block bounded by Eighth and Ninth avenues, Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, and that accommodation suitable for the purposes of said court and jail delivery be assigned in said court-house.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Higan to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 802 Ninth avenue, within the stoop-line, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps; that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Sternkopf to erect, place and keep show-windows in front of the premises No. 13 Chrystie street, provided that said show-windows do not extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Felix A. Mulgrew to lay a one and one-half inch iron pipe for conveying steam from his premises on East Eighth street, one hundred feet west of the bulkhead-line of the East river, to the opposite side of said street, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided said Mulgrew shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe, 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. O. Havemeyer to place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises on the north side of Prince street, between Broadway and Crosby street, 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John P. Roth Benevolent Association to place and keep a transparency on the lamp-post on the northeast corner Second street and Avenue A, 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 from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Sunlight Commercial Company to place their lamps on the lamp-posts on Lexington avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets, said lamps to be so placed to give the said company an opportunity to demonstrate their practicability for street lighting purposes, the work to be done at their 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. D. Stephens to place, erect and keep show-windows in front of his premises, No. 81 New street, provided said show-windows shall not extend more than twelve inches from the house-line, 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 May 25, 1897. Approved by the Mayor June 8, 1897.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

LAW DEPARTMENT—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Friday, June 18, 1897, at 1.30 o'clock P. M., in Room 13, City Hall.

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

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

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Supervisor City Record.

Mayor's Office—No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Bureau of Licenses—No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners of Accounts—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Aqueduct Commissioners—Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Army Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Clerk of Common Council—No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Works—No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 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 Revenues and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.
City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Corporation Attorney—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Bureau of Street Openings—Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
Public Administrator—No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Charities—Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Correction—Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Examining Board of Plumbers—Meets every Thursday, at 2 P. M. Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, sixth floor.
Fire Department—Headquarters, Nos. 157 to 159 East Sixty-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. Central Office open at all hours.
Health Department—New Criminal Court Building, Centres street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Public Parks—Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Department of Docks—Battery, Pier A, North river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Board of Electrical Control—No. 126a Broadway.
Department of Street Cleaning—No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Civil Service Board—Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Stewart Building.
Board of Assessors—Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Police Department—Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Education—No. 146 Grand street.
Sheriff's Office—Old "Brown Stone Building," No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Register's Office—East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioner of Jurors—Room 127 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
County Clerk's Office—Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
District Attorney's Office—New Criminal Court Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
The City Record Office—No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
Governor's Room—City Hall, open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 to 12 A. M.
Coroner's Office—New Criminal Court Building, open constantly. Edward F. Reynolds, Clerk.
Surrogate's Court—New County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
Supreme Court—County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Criminal Division, Supreme Court—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, opens at 10.30 A. M.
Court of General Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.
City Court—City Hall, General Term, Room No. 20 Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20; Part II, Room No. 21; Part III, Room No. 15; Part IV, Room No. 11. Special Term Chambers will be held in Room No. 19 to 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court of Special Sessions—New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Opens daily, except Saturday, at 10 A. M. Clerk's office hours daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. until 12 M.
District Civil Courts—First District—Southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Corner of Grand and Centre streets. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—No. 30 First street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Fifth District—No. 154 Clinton street. Sixth District—Northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily. Seventh District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Eighth District—Northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. Trial days: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ninth District—No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays). Tenth District—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Twelfth District—Westchester, New York City. Open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Thirteenth District—Corner Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates Courts—Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. First District—Tomb, Centre street. Second District—Jefferson Market. Third District—No. 69 Essex street. Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue. Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place. Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1897, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. SALE CONTINUES DAILY UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York, will sell at Public Auction, under the direction of N. H. Voris, Auctioneer, on the premises, the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase-line of the New Croton Reservoir, at Katonah, Westchester County, New York:

Table with columns: Parcel No., DESCRIPTION, Minimum Price. Rows 192 through 206.

Table with columns: Parcel No., DESCRIPTION, Minimum Price. Rows 206 through 357.

TERMS OF SALE:

The conditions upon which the above-mentioned buildings will be sold are as follows:
First—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.
Second—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least 200 feet from the Croton river, or any of its affluents, or any drains emptying therein.
Third—The removal of every part of the building, except the stone foundation, before January 1, 1898.
Fourth—The sum paid in money on the day of the sale.
Fifth—No building will be sold for less than the minimum price given in the CITY RECORD and in the posters.
Sixth—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of the City on and after the 1st day of January, 1898, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the building or part of building so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the 1st day of January, 1898, resell said buildings or part of building, or remove or destroy the same.
The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.
By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of the City of New York. JAMES C. DUANE, President. EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1897, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. SALE CONTINUES DAILY UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of H. H. Fowler, Auctioneer, on the premises, the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase-line of the New Croton Reservoir, at Croton Falls, Westchester County, New York.

Table with columns: Parcel No., DESCRIPTION, Minimum Price. Rows 544 through 571.

TERMS OF SALE.

The conditions upon which the above-mentioned buildings will be sold are as follows:
First—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.
Second—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least 200 feet from the Croton river, or any of its affluents, or any drains emptying therein.
Third—The removal of every part of the building, except the stone foundation, before November 1, 1897.
Fourth—The sum paid in money on the day of the sale.

Fifth—No building will be sold for less than the minimum price given in the CITY RECORD and in the posters.

Sixth—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of the City on and after the first day of November, 1897, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the building or part of building so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale;

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of the City of New York, JAMES C. DUANE, President. EDWARD L. ALLEN, Secretary.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given, that public meetings of the Commissioners, appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

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

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, COARSE SALT, ROCK SALT, OILMEAL, OATMEAL AND PINE-NEEDLE BEDDING. PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to which they relate, will be received at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Criminal Court Building, Centre street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of the 20th day of June, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of:

- 1,049,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay. 87,500 pounds good, clean Rye Straw. 1,952,000 pounds clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel. 89,000 pounds first quality Bran. 6,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt. 12,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt. 5,000 pounds first quality Oilmeal. 10,000 pounds first quality Oatmeal. 175,000 pounds first quality Pine-needle Bedding.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, the names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above work or supplies, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each estimate shall also 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, or a guarantee company incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be approved by the Comptroller.

The price must be written in the bid or estimate, and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject any or all the bids, or to select the bid or bids, the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, be deemed best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected. 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.

GEORGE E. WARING, Jr., Commissioner of Street Cleaning. Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1897.

NEW YORK, June 11, 1897.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will sell at public auction at Stable "A," corner of Seventeenth

street and Avenue "C," on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following articles: About eight thousand (8,000) worn-out burlap bags. F. M. GIBSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Normal College Building, Sixty-ninth street and Park avenue, on Thursday, June 24, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman. ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary. Dated NEW YORK, June 17, 1897.

ST. OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held at the Mayor's Office on Friday next, June 18, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider unfinished business and such other matters as may be brought before the Board. Dated NEW YORK, June 16, 1897. V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out and extending Watts street, from Sullivan street to West Broadway at Broome street, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Sullivan street distant 182.97 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand street; thence easterly, distance 202.28 feet, to a point in the westerly line of Thompson street distant 249.19 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand street; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Thompson street, distance 63.78 feet; thence westerly and parallel to the first course above mentioned, distance 207.97 feet to the easterly line of Sullivan street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Sullivan street, distance 68.89 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Thompson street distant 265.87 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand street; thence easterly, distance 171.63 feet, to the westerly line of West Broadway at a point distant 321.22 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand street; thence northerly along the said westerly line of West Broadway, distance 44.50 feet, to the southerly line of Broome street; thence westerly along said southerly line of Broome street, distance 162.18 feet, to the easterly line of Thompson street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Thompson street, distance 100.12 feet, to the point or place of beginning. V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary. Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1897.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS, 23D AND 24TH WARDS.

June 14, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH of the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, until 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 28, 1897, at which time and hour they will be publicly opened:

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD (East Two Hundredth street), from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Valentine avenue. No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN DAWSON STREET (One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street), from Westchester avenue to Leggett avenue. No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN STEBBINS AVENUE, from Dawson street to Boston road. No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river. No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN KAPOCK STREET, from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Johnson avenue. No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Third Avenue to Mott Haven Canal and from Mott Haven Canal to Exterior street. No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BAINBRIDGE AVENUE, from existing sewer in East Two Hundredth street (Southern Boulevard) to summit south of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street). No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, from existing sewer at Intervale avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; IN WESTCHESTER AVENUE, from Barretto street to Southern Boulevard; IN WEST FARMS ROAD, from Southern Boulevard to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; AND IN FOX STREET, from Westchester avenue to summit north. No. 9. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BAILEY AVENUE, from the existing sewer in Boston avenue to summit north of East Two Hundred and Thirty-first street. No. 10. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from existing sewer in Ogden avenue to Summit avenue, and in Summit avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street. No. 11. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BATHGATE AVENUE, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street. No. 12. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BARRETTO STREET, from the existing sewer in Intervale avenue to the summit south of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street. No. 13. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LORILLARD PLACE, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact.

That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, MAY 14, 1897.

NOTICE TO PLUMBERS.

ALL PLUMBERS DESIROUS OF PERFORMING work in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Article XVII, section 306 of the City Ordinances, they are required to execute a bond in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, with one or more sureties, to be approved by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. On and after June 1, 1897, no permits will be issued by this Department to any plumber who shall have failed to comply with this notice. LOUIS F. HAFFEN, Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

SHEEP SALE.

NEW YORK, June 15, 1897. THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, at the Sheep Fold, in Central Park, near Sixty-sixth street and Central Park, West, on Tuesday, June 29, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following:

- 1 Imported English Southdown Ram, 54 Southdown Ewes, 14 Southdown Ewe Lambs, 15 Southdown Ram Lambs, 1 lot of Wool, about 440 pounds. Purchase money will be required to be paid in cash at the time of sale and the purchases removed from the Park immediately thereafter. By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks. WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

GRASS SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS will sell at public auction, by George Rudolph, Auctioneer, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 22 and 23, 1897, all the Grass standing on Van Cortlandt, Bronx and Pelham Bay Parks.

The sale will take place at the following points, and at the hours mentioned: VAN CORTLANDT PARK, Tremper House, June 22, 11 A. M. BRONX PARK, Lorillard House, June 22, 2 P. M. PELHAM BAY PARK, Elliott's Hotel, June 23, 11 A. M. The grass on each park will be sold in lots, the particulars of which will be announced at the time of sale. The purchase money to be paid at the time of sale. By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks. WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary. NEW YORK, June 7, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, June 9, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, until 2 o'clock P. M., of Monday, June 21, 1897, for the following-named works:

- No. 1. FOR PAVING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT THE WALKS OF THE CENTRAL PARK. No. 2. FOR PAINTING THE IRONWORK AND WOODWORK OF THE BRIDGE ACROSS THE HARLEM RIVER, KNOWN AS MACOMB'S DAM BRIDGE. No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE. The works must be bid separately. No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED. 20,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt with concrete base. 35,000 square feet of pavement of asphalt without concrete base. The bidder must deposit with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, at least two days before making his bid, samples of materials he intends to use, together with certificates and statement, as follows: 1st. Specimens of asphaltum and of asphaltic cement. 2d. A statement of the elements of the composition of the bituminous cements used in the composition of the paving surface. 3d. Specimens of sand intended to be used. 4th. Specimens of pulverized carbonate of lime intended to be used. And such specimens must be furnished to the Department of Public Parks as often as may be required during the progress of the work. 5th. Specimens of the asphaltic rock, with a certificate or other evidence that it is of even fabric and a product of the first quality and from the mines designated.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be thirty consecutive working days.

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Four Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. ABOVE MENTIONED. Bidders are required to state in their proposals one price or sum for which they will execute the entire work.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be seventy-five consecutive working days.

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time will be Twenty Dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.

400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Sweet Timothy.

60,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

9,000 bushels clean No. 1 White Clipped Oats.

30,000 pounds clean, sound Yellow Corn No. 2.

10,000 pounds first quality Bran.

All of the articles are to be delivered, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed, at the following places:

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).

Sixty-sixth street and Central Park, West (Sheepfold).

Eighty-fifth street, Transverse Road (Stables).

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals, and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park. S. V. R. CRUGER, SAMUEL McMILLAN, WILLIAM A. STILES, SMITH ELY, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW YORK, June 20, 1897.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, etc. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Groceries and other Supplies during the last six months of the year 1897, 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 Wednesday, June 23, 1897.

- Groceries and Provisions—1. 2,000 pounds dried Apples. 2. 2,000 pounds Barley, No. 3. 260 bushels Beans, not older than crop of 1896, and to weigh 62 pounds net to the bushel. 4. 275 bushels Peas, not older than the crop of 1896, and to weigh 60 pounds net to the bushel. 5. 500 pounds Cheese, State factory, full cream, fine and bearing the State brand stenciled on each box. 6. 8,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted. 7. 30,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted. 8. 1,100 pounds Chicory. 9. 3,000 pounds Wheaten Grits. 10. 9,000 pounds Hominy. 11. 400 pounds pure Mustard. 12. 27,000 pounds Oatmeal. 13. 100 pounds Whole Pepper, sifted. 14. 300 pounds Ground Pepper, pure, in foil, 1/4 pounds.

15. 6,000 pounds Prunes. 16. 18,000 pounds Rice. 17. 45,000 pounds Brown Sugar. 18. 180,000 pounds Standard Granulated Sugar. 19. 10,000 pounds Standard Cut Leaf Sugar. 20. 1,200 pounds Standard Powdered Sugar. 21. 15,000 pounds Oolong Tea, in half chests, free from all admixture and in original packages. 22. 850 pounds Young Hyson Tea in original packages. 23. 600 pounds Fine Black Tea in original packages. 24. 1,500 pounds Tapioca "Pearl." 25. 3,100 pounds Cocoa. 26. 275 pounds Chocolate, "Baker's Premium." 27. 75 pounds Citron. 28. 1,000 pounds Farina, in pound packages, 48-pound boxes. 29. 1,500 pounds Macaroni. 30. 30 tubs prime kettle rendered Leaf Lard, about 50 pounds each. 31. 200 barrels Soda Biscuit; barrels to be returned. 32. 4,600 barrels White Potatoes, of the crop of 1897, to be good, sound and of fair size, to weigh 172 pounds net to the barrel; barrels to be returned. 33. 25 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 to the barrel. 34. 250 pounds prime quality American Salt, in barrels 50 pounds net. 35. 25 barrels Syrup. 36. 58,000 pounds Butter, in tubs of about 60 pounds each, net, known as Western Extras; Creamery or Fancy State Creamery. 37. 2,700 pounds Corn Starch, 40-pound boxes. 38. 150 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly cured and to average not less than 5 pounds each, to be delivered as required, boxes of 4 quintals each. 39. 625 pieces of Bacon, prime quality, city cured, to average 6 pounds each. 40. 725 hams, prime quality, city cured, to average about 14 pounds each. 41. 280 Smoked Tongues, prime quality, city cured, to average about 6 pounds each. 42. 57,000 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh and candled at the time of delivery, and to be furnished in cases of the usual size. 43. 40 boxes Raisins. 44. 12 dozen canned Apricots. 45. 36 dozen canned Lima Beans. 46. 92 dozen Tomato Catsup. 47. 8 dozen Pineapple Cheese (4 in a case). 48. 8 dozen Edam Cheese (in foil). 49. 90 dozen canned Corn. 50. 63 dozen Chow-chow. 51. 38 dozen Lard. 52. 4-ounce bottles, net. 53. 45 dozen Extract Vanilla, 4-ounce bottles, net. 54. 30 dozen Gelatine, "Cox's." 55. 60 dozen Gherkins, "C. & B." pints. 56. 14 dozen Currant Jelly, 10 ounces. 57. 22 dozen Marmalade. 58. 50 dozen French Mustard. 59. 16 dozen Olives. 60. 20 dozen Olive Oil, quarts. 61. 66 dozen canned Peas. 62. 76 dozen canned Peaches. 63. 76 dozen canned Peaches. 64. 72 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, "L. & P." pints; 65. 9 cases Sardines, 1/2 lb. 66. 48 dozen canned Salmon. 67. 12 dozen Sea Foam. 68. 20 dozen Royal Baking Powder. 69. 210 dozen Sapollo (Morgan's). 70. 210 dozen canned Tomatoes. 71. 6,200 bushels mixed No. 2 Oats, 32 pounds net to the bushel, bags to be returned. 72. 200 bags coarse Meal, free from cob, in bags of 100 pounds net; bags to be returned. 73. 400 bags Bran, in bags of 50 pounds net, bags to be returned. 74. 256,000 pounds Hay, prime quality Timothy, (tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island. 75. 102,000 pounds long bright Rye Straw, weight and tare same conditions as on Hay. 76. 500 pounds Rock Salt. 77. 50,000 pounds Brown Soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure Settled Family Soap," to be delivered in lots of not less than 40,000 pounds, and all to be delivered within 60 days after the contract is awarded. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Storehouse, B. I., an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes, selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicic mineral soap stock, or other foreign material; it must be of good firmness, soluble in 10 parts alcohol of 94 per cent., and contain not more than 33 per cent. of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for the same to be deducted from bills by the contractor. 78. 5,000 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes. 79. 175 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds each. 80. 500 pounds Saltpetre. 81. 1,400 pounds Candles, in 40 pound boxes (16 ounces to the pound). 82. 30 bags prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each; bags to be returned. 83. 80 barrels fine Flour, "Pillsbury's" best. 84. 20,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from all adulterations and added impurities, subject to analysis, if necessary, to be delivered in 25 to 100 pound packages, as required. 85. 26 barrels prime quality Spirits Turpentine. 86. 75 barrels best quality Water-white Kerosene Oil, 150 degrees test. 87. 20 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. chlorine. 88. 100,000 yards Bandage Muslin, "Utica C." 89. 25,000 yards Muslin, "Grecian Bunting." 90. 4,000 yards Shroud Muslin, "Pioneer" or "Dauntless." 91. 250 pieces Oiled Muslin, "Centennial." 92. 2,000 pounds Cotton Batting, "Manhattan." 93. 100 pieces Crinoline, 12 yards each. 94. 6,000 pounds good damaged Sole Leather, 21 to 25 pounds to the side. 95. 2,000 feet Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 12 feet to the side. 96. 1,000 pounds Offal Leather. 97. 50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 1 inch by 12 inches by 15 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed one side, free from loose black knots or shakes. 98. 1,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1/2 inch by 12 inches by 16 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed two sides to 3/8 inch. 99. 2,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 3/8 inch by 12 inches by 16 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed two sides, full, 101. 10,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 inch by 12 inches by 16 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed two sides to 3/8 inch. 102. 2,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/4 inches by 12 inches by 16 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed two sides to 1 1/2 inches. 103. 6,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2 inches by 12 inches by 16 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet, dressed two sides to 1 3/4 inches. 104. 500 pieces first quality rough Spruce Plank, 2 inches by 9 inches by 13 feet. 105. 200 pieces first quality rough Spruce, 2 inches by 3 inches by 13 feet. 106. 200 pieces first quality rough Hemlock Joists, 2 1/2 inches by 4 inches by 13 feet. 107. 500 pieces first quality Spruce, dressed one side, tongued and grooved to finish 3/8 inches by 8 1/2 inches by 23 feet. 108. 500 pieces first quality Pine, dressed two sides, tongued and grooved to finish 3/8 inches by 9 1/2 inches by 12 feet to 16 feet. All quantities more or less. 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 Groceries, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read. THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882. No bid or estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article. Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 neglects or neglects, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW YORK, June 10, 1897.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR. SEALED BIDS OR estimates for furnishing and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bakehouse Pier, Blackwell's Island (east side), more or less, 3,000 barrels marked No. 1, 2,850 barrels marked No. 2, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, until Wednesday, June 23, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., the said flour to conform to the samples exhibited and to be delivered as required during the last six months of the year 1897. To be delivered in sacks of 140 pounds each.

Empty sacks to be returned, as per specification, and the price bid for the same by the contractors to be deducted from the price of the flour. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor; also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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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 grade.

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 neglects or neglects, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the flour must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the flour, etc., before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each grade, 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.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS 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, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, etc., of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD. NAPIER AVENUE, from Eastchester avenue to Mount Vernon avenue; confirmed May 24, 1897; entered June 4, 1897. 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 Mount Vernon avenue; on the south by Eastchester street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; on the east by the middle line of the blocks between Napier avenue and Oneida or Onida avenue, from Mount Vernon avenue to Eastchester street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; and on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Napier avenue and Mount Vernon avenue, from Eastchester street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, to the middle line of the block between Willard street, to the middle line of the block between Willard street, and Opsyde street or East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, and thence by Mount Vernon avenue.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date herein above given in the Record of Titles of Assessments (Confirmed), kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected 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 assessment is 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 3, 1897, 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 date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

ASHBEL P. FITCH, Comptroller. COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 5, 1897.

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 5436, No. 1. Laying crosswalk across West Broadway, from the northeast corner of Walker to the northwest corner of Beach street.

List 5436, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, with asphalt.

List 5447, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street (south side), between Edgecombe avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on— No. 1. Block 212, Lot Nos. 54, 55 and 56, and Block 102 Lot Nos. 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 17 and 18. No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. South side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Edgecombe avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas. All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 19th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors. New York, June 17, 1897.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected

thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 5475, No. 1. Paving the widening and extension of West Broadway, from Chambers to Vesey street, and widening of Greenwich street, from Vesey to Dey street, with asphalt, and laying crosswalks.

List 5477, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, at the easterly side of Columbus avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of West Broadway, from Chambers to Vesey street, and both sides of Greenwich street, from Vesey to Dey street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. To the extent of half the block from the easterly intersections of Columbus avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 12th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors. New York, June 11, 1897.

CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMM.

NEW YORK, May 1, 1897. NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE REGISTRATION days in the Labor Bureau will be Wednesday and Friday, and that examinations will take place on those days at 2 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 22, 1897, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 11, 21, 23 and Primary School No. 30; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 8, 21, 79 and Primary Schools Nos. 1 and 13; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 7, 23, 38, 75 and Primary School No. 14; also for Supplying New Furniture for Primary School No. 5; also for Improving the New Lots and Premises of Primary School No. 7; also for Erecting an Additional Story on and Improving Lot and Premises of Primary School No. 33.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, top floor. The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful. It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of, one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposits made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit or check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. McSWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings. Dated New York, June 17, 1897.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh

floor, until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 22, 1897, for Erecting a New School Building on the easterly side of Andrews avenue and on the northerly side of Burnside avenue, at their intersection, Morris Heights, New York City; also for Supplying Heating and

Ventilating Apparatus for a New Annex, and Ventilating Apparatus for Main Building of Grammar School No. 23; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 14, 15, 19, 22, 36 and 71; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 26, 33, 45, 48 and 56; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Primary School No. 16.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCWENNY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings. Dated New York, June 10, 1897.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board, No. 485 Broadway, eleventh floor, until Monday, June 21, 1897, and until 3.30 o'clock p. m., on said day, for Connecting the Sewer Lines in Bedford Park School to the sewer in Moshulu parkway.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, RICHARD H. ADAMS, DANIEL E. MCWENNY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings. Dated New York, June 10, 1897.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 35th auction sale of Unclaimed Property will be sold at Public Auction, at Police Headquarters, on Wednesday, June 30, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m., of the following property, viz.: Male and Female Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Cigarettes, Cigars, Tobacco, Liquor, Pistols, Revolvers, Umbrellas, Canes, Satchels of Clothing and Toilet Articles, Tools, Mats, Books, Canned Goods, Rope, Bibles, Buttons, Flannel Cloth, Gingham, Dress-goods, Outing Shirts and Shirt Waists, Boxing Gloves, Ball Gloves, Foot Balls, Base Balls, Bats, Curtain Fixtures, Medicine, Photographers' Plates, Cottle, Tin Horns, Stomach Bitters, Wall Paper, Rubber Cloth, Household Utensils, Billiard and Pool Balls, Bibles, Crockery, Clocks, Guns, Carpet, Wrapping Paper, Stoves and miscellaneous articles. For particulars see catalogue on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1896.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wire, 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.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at Carnegie Music Hall, Fifty-seventh street and Seventh avenue, on Thursday, June 24, 1897, at 8 o'clock p. m.

CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman. ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary. Dated New York, June 17, 1897.

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, New York City, on Wednesday, June 23, 1897, at 4.30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering a report from the Special Committee on the acquisition of a site for the College.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 15, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock m. on Monday, June 28, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in the basement at No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT AND STONE BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PARK AVENUE, from Fifty-sixth to Ninety-sixth street.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH 13,000 LINEAL FEET OF CURB-STONE.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN MADISON AVENUE, between Forty-fourth and Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh and Fiftieth, Fifty-second and Fifty-seventh, Fifty-ninth and Seventy-fourth, Seventy-seventh and Seventy-ninth, Ninety-first and Ninety-fifth, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first, One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets and to connecting sewers. ALSO NEW SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets.

No. 4. FOR ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWERS IN FORTY-FIFTH, SIXTY-SECOND, SEVENTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREETS, between Park and Madison avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor in basement, for Nos. 1 and 2, and in Room No. 1701 for Nos. 3 and 4.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION. ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1897, AT 11 o'clock a. m., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the yard of the Equitable Gas Light Company, on the east side of First avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, by L. J. Phillips, Esq., auctioneer.

About 300 old city gas lamp-posts, more or less, now stored at that yard. Bids will be received for 50 or more lamp-posts, with the privilege of taking the entire lot.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal of the lamp-posts by the purchaser within five days after the sale.

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

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, JUNE 15, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock m. on Friday, June 28, 1897. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department in the

basement at No. 150 Nassau street at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTH AVENUE, from the north side of Sixtieth street to the south side of Eighth street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CHARLES STREET, from Washington street to Greenwich avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LONG ACRE SQUARE, from the north curb-line of Forty-second street on Broadway and Seventh avenue; thence north to the north curb-line of Forty-seventh street on Broadway and Seventh avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TENTH STREET, from west side of Fifth avenue to east side of Greenwich avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTEENTH STREET, from west side of Broadway to east side of Fifth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SIXTEENTH STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from west side of First avenue to east side of Third avenue.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Vanderbilt to Madison avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTEENTH STREET, from the west side of First avenue to the east side of Lexington avenue.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTIETH STREET, from Fifth to Madison avenue, AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Park to Third avenue.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from west side of First avenue to the east side of Fourth avenue.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from west side of First avenue to east side of Third avenue.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from east side of Lexington to west side of Third avenue.

No. 16. FOR FURNISHING 1,600 STREET LAMPS.

No. 17. FOR FURNISHING 200 BOULEVARD LAMPS AND 1,600 ADDITIONAL GLOBES.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Bureau of Water Purveyor in basement for Nos. 1 to 15, inclusive, and in Room No. 2203 for Nos. 16 and 17.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PLUMBERS, to whom license has been or may be issued to make and connect service pipes, for conducting water

to houses and tenements with the distributing pipes in this city, after said pipes have been tacked, and to make connections with sewers or drains from houses and tenements with the sewers or drains in the streets or avenues of this city, that such license will be revoked in the case of any plumber who permits another to use his license and to do the work of a master plumber without holding a certificate of competency from the Examining Board of Plumbers; or who violates any of the regulations which have been or may hereafter be established by the Department, respecting the introduction and use of the Croton water and connections made with sewers and drains.

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

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

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

HOWARD PAYSON WILDS, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, JUNE 9, 1897.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS WILL SELL at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, on the 23d day of June, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m., by Woodrow & Lewis, auctioneers, all the buildings and parts of buildings hereinafter described.

All the existing structures on the block between Bank and Bethune streets, extending from the westerly side of West street to the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue, to the level of the existing curb, including the planking and paving of yards and areas (AS ONE LOT) approximately as follows:

- 1. Five-story brick building, about 120.7 feet by 147.5 feet, including boilers, tanks, etc.
- 2. Seven-story brick building, about 71.3 feet by 144.4 feet, including boilers, tanks, etc.
- 3. One-story brick building, about 15 feet by 27.9 feet.
- 4. Frame sheds, incline, stables and frame buildings incident to coal yards, covering the centre of the block, in area about 105 feet by 192 feet.
- 5. One-story frame building, about 37 feet by 46 feet.
- 6. One-story frame building, about 33.2 feet by 43 feet, by 42 feet, by 21 feet, by 8 feet, by 21.9 feet.
- 7. Three-story brick building, about 21.9 feet by 66.23 feet.
- 8. Two-story brick building, about 20.2 feet by 57 feet.
- 9. Frame storage building, about 18.9 feet by 49.1 feet.
- 10. Two-story brick building about 22.11 feet by 69.45 feet.
- 11. Frame machine shop, about 50 feet by 90 feet.
- 12. One-story brick building, about 46.97 feet by 119.7 feet.
- 13. Two-story brick building, about 17.35 feet by 40.9 feet.

The buildings occupied by Froment and Company, at the corner of West street and Bank street, extending about 22.2 feet on West street and about 101.1 feet on Bank street, will not be included in this sale, or removed at this time.

The removal of the above building, materials, etc., must be commenced within five days from June 22, 1897, and the work of removal must be entirely completed, in accordance with the accompanying terms of sale, within forty days after June 22, 1897.

TERMS OF SALE. Twenty-five per cent of the purchase-money must be paid to the auctioneers in cash at the time and place of sale, the balance of the purchase-money to be paid to Woodrow & Lewis, at their office, No. 94 Pearl street, before 12 o'clock m. on the 23d day of June, 1897.

All the buildings and their foundations of every class and description within the hereinbefore described area are to be torn down to the level of the existing curb, and any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, boilers, tanks, etc., shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, and galvanized or black iron from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in lime mortar; all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the purchaser and burned. The final rubbish, such as lime mortar, brickwork in cement mortar, plaster, roofing gravel, etc., will not be removed by the purchaser, but will be left on the premises within the building lines and the removal of all buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, planking and all other material must be made by the purchaser, who must commence the said removal within five days from June 22, 1897, and continue the same diligently until completed. The above buildings, materials, etc., comprised in each particular lot, must be entirely removed from said premises within forty days from the date above-mentioned, and if the purchaser or purchasers fail to commence the said removal as specified, and to diligently prosecute the same, as above set forth, then the Department of Docks may, at its option, complete the said removal and charge the expense of the same to the said purchaser, who shall sign the present terms of sale and agree to be bound thereby.

And for the further securing of the removal of the said buildings, etc., hereinbefore mentioned, the purchaser will be required, at the time of said sale and the award of said property to him, to execute a bond in such form and with such sureties as may be approved by the Commissioners of the Department of Docks of the City

of New York, and in a penalty of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, that he will, in all things, carry out the terms of sale and comply with the conditions thereof, and remove all of said property within the time required by the said terms of sale.

The form of bond to be executed by the purchaser may be seen at the office of the Commissioners of the Dock Department at Pier "A," Battery place, North river.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, NEW YORK, June 8, 1897.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 8th day of June, 1897, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional amendment to the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 226. Every company, corporation or person operating a line of railroad cars for the carriage of passengers for hire in the City of New York, shall, in connection with the running and operation of cars as aforesaid, have and provide closed cars to be run on said railroad and at all times shall have, provide and operate at least one closed car in every four cars so operated and run for the carriage of passengers as aforesaid.

[L.S.] CHARLES G. WILSON, President.
C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 22, 1896.

NOTICE TO OWNERS, ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS.

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

STEVENS CONSTANCE, Superintendent Buildings.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH STREET AND THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, June 17, 1897, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 30th day of June, 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part I, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 16, 1897.

JAMES E. CHANDLER, ARTHUR INGRAHAM, GEORGE C. COMSTOCK, Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in said city, on or before the 21st day of June, 1897, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 21st day of June, 1897, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the said city, there to remain until the 1st day of July, 1897.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between Parole place or East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, and Parole place or East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street produced, and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Anthony avenue or Ryer avenue to Marion avenue, and the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Marion avenue to Webster avenue, and said line prolonged eastwardly to its intersection with the southerly side of East One Hundred and

Eighty-eighth street at Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East; thence by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to the westerly side of Bathgate avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant southerly 100 feet from the southerly side thereof, from Anthony avenue or Ryer avenue to Tiebout avenue, and thence by prolongation eastwardly of said parallel line from Tiebout avenue to Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East; thence by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to Third avenue, and thence by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and distant southerly about 140 feet from the southerly side thereof to Bathgate avenue; on the east by Bathgate avenue; on the west by Anthony avenue, or Ryer avenue, excepting from said area all streets, avenues, and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, of the State of New York, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 27, 1897.

H. W. VANDER POEL, Chairman; HUGH G. KELLY, SAMUEL GOLDSTICKER, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Exterior 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 23d day of June, 1897, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.

LORENZ ZELLER, JOHN DE WITT WARNER, WILLIAM H. BARKER, Commissioners.
J. P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Concourse to Moshulu Parkway, 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 THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 21st day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 7, 1897.

JOHN T. SIMON, WILLIAM H. BARKER, JOHN J. O'NEILL, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

distant 688.03 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Third avenue with the southern line of Crotona Park.

- 1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 50.03 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 87 degrees 52 minutes 20 seconds to the left for 188.26 feet to the western line of Fulton avenue.
- 3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Fulton avenue for 50 feet.
- 4th. Thence westerly for 190.14 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 10 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on June 10, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 14, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Lorillard place, from Third avenue to Pelham avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- PARCEL "A."
- Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street distant 530.73 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street with the eastern line of Third avenue.
- 1st. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street for 60.01 feet.
- 2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 88 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 546 feet to the eastern line of Third avenue.
- 3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 76.80 feet.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street distant 585.54 feet easterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street with the eastern line of Third avenue.

- 1st. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street for 60.01 feet.
- 2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 91 degrees 8 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 1,148.02 feet to the southern line of Pelham avenue.
- 3d. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of Pelham avenue for 60.01 feet.
- 4th. Thence southwesterly for 51,147.89 feet to the point of beginning.

Lorillard place is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 13 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third avenue distant 1,773.38 feet southerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Third avenue with the southern line of Crotona Park.
- 1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 60.29 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 95 degrees 39 minutes 4 seconds to the left for 256.76 feet to the western line of Fulton avenue.
- 3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Fulton avenue for 60 feet.
- 4th. Thence westerly for 250.86 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-second street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 10 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on June 10, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 14, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of June, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 7, 1897.

ALFRED R. PAGE, JOSEPH E. BARNES, JOSEPH RILEY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Hill place to Rogers place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street distant 150 feet easterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the eastern line of Stebbins avenue.
- 1st. Thence north-easterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 99.93 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly deflecting 80 degrees 0 minutes 53 seconds to the right for 112.17 feet.
- 3d. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 90 feet radius whose radius drawn northwesterly from the eastern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 126 degrees 20 minutes 43 seconds to the north with the eastern prolongation of said course for 14.90 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- 4th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 401.22 feet radius for 88.27 feet.
- 5th. Thence westerly for 138.95 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 3 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on January 18, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on January 19, 1894, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as West Two Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Riverdale avenue to Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at a point in the western line of Broadway distant 641.77 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Broadway with the northern boundary of the City of New York.
- 1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Broadway for 60 feet.
- 2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees 3 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 885.60 feet.
- 3d. Thence westerly deflecting 12 degrees 31 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 875.81 feet to the eastern line of Riverdale avenue (legally opened July 2, 1866).
- 4th. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Riverdale avenue for 60.01 feet.
- 5th. Thence easterly deflecting 88 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 867.94 feet.
- 6th. Thence easterly for 878.95 feet to the point of beginning.

West Two Hundred and Sixty-first street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 25 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 22, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 23, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 23, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the

public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Mount Vernon avenue, from Jerome avenue to the northern boundary of the City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northern boundary-line of the City of New York distant 1,782.82 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern boundary-line of the City of New York with the western line of Webster avenue (formerly Bronx river road), the said northern boundary-line of the City of New York for 100.65 feet. 2d. Thence southwesterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course makes an angle of 6 degrees 58 minutes 31 seconds southerly with the western prolongation of said preceding course and whose radius is 744.97 feet for 243.36 feet to a point of compound curve. 3d. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 2,435 feet for 652.96 feet to a point of compound curve. 4th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 3,500 feet for 1,043.57 feet to a point of reverse curve. 5th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 2,100 feet for 1,959.31 feet. 6th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 726.54 feet. 7th. Thence southwesterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course and whose radius is 957.22 feet for 141.11 feet. 8th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 898.18 feet. 9th. Thence southwesterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 20 feet for 47.73 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue. 10th. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 138.12 feet. 11th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 141 degrees 19 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 1,057.21 feet. 12th. Thence northwesterly and curving to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 1,057.22 feet for 155.85 feet. 13th. Thence northwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 729.71 feet. 14th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 1 degree 19 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 86.06 feet. 15th. Thence northwesterly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius drawn easterly from the northern extremity of the preceding course makes an angle of 88 degrees 46 minutes 22 seconds with said course and whose radius is 2,000 feet for 1,776.78 feet to a point of reverse curve. 16. Thence northwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 3,600 feet for 1,052.82 feet to a point of compound curve. 17th. Thence northwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 2,535 feet for 679.77 feet to a point of compound curve. 18th. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 844.97 feet for 263.80 feet to the point of beginning. Mount Vernon avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 19 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 18, 1895. Dated New York, June 14, 1897. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Villa place, from Southern Boulevard to Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of the western approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East Two Hundred and Fourth street distant 200.03 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern line of said approach with the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. 1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of said approach for 60.17 feet. 2d. Thence southerly deflecting 100 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 717.15 feet to the northern line of the western approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East Two Hundredth street. 3d. Thence southeasterly along the northern line of said approach for 67.87 feet. 4th. Thence northerly for 748 feet to the point of beginning. PARCEL "B." Beginning at a point in the northern line of the western approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at East Two Hundred and Fourth street distant 200.03 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of said approach with the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. 1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of said approach for 62.23 feet. 2d. Thence northerly deflecting 102 degrees 37 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 743.91 feet. 3d. Thence southerly deflecting 57 degrees 38 minutes 22 seconds to the right for 71.03 feet. 4th. Thence southerly for 779.01 feet to the point of beginning. Villa place (now Villa avenue) is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 18, 1895. Dated New York, June 14, 1897. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

arc of a circle of 170 feet radius for 182.17 feet to the point of beginning. PARCEL "B." Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Riverdale avenue and the western prolongation of the southern line of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street. 1st. Thence southwesterly on the southern prolongation of the western line of Riverdale avenue for 82.29 feet. 2d. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 893.57 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 174.48 feet. 3d. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 245.30 feet. 4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 50 feet. 5th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 245.30 feet. 6th. Thence northwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 843.57 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 253.67 feet to the southern line of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street. 7th. Thence westerly along the southern line of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street for 55.07 feet to the point of beginning. Spuyten Duyvil road is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 22 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 18, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895. Dated New York, June 14, 1897. FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Sheridan 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.

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 CHIEVER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mott avenue to Gerard 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County

Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Perry avenue, from the Mosholu parkway to the south line of Woodlawn Cemetery, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- PARCEL "A."**
- Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Mosholu parkway distant 870.14 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Mosholu parkway with the northern line of Webster avenue.
 - Thence northerly along the eastern line of Mosholu parkway for 65.26 feet.
 - Thence easterly deflecting 66 degrees 50 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 528.23 feet.
 - Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 58 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 80.11 feet.
 - Thence northeasterly deflecting 20 degrees 2 minutes 43 seconds to the left for 402.30 feet.
 - Thence northeasterly deflecting 2 degrees 40 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 69.00 feet.
 - Thence northeasterly deflecting 5 degrees 26 minutes 46 seconds to the left for 1,492.71 feet.
 - Thence northerly deflecting 15 degrees 48 minutes 42 seconds to the left for 455.76 feet to the southern line of Gun Hill road.
 - Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Gun Hill road for 62.84 feet.
 - Thence southerly deflecting 72 degrees 43 minutes 8 seconds to the right for 445.43 feet.
 - Thence southwestly deflecting 15 degrees 48 minutes 42 seconds to the right for 1,479.91 feet.
 - Thence southwestly deflecting 1 degree 36 minutes 38 seconds to the right for 60 feet.
 - Thence southwestly deflecting 6 degrees 31 minutes 0 seconds to the right for 459.52 feet.
 - Thence westerly deflecting 22 degrees 1 minute 1 second to the right for 80.30 feet.
 - Thence westerly for 553.90 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Gun Hill road distant 715.33 feet westerly from the intersection of the northern line of Gun Hill road with the western line of Webster avenue.

- Thence northerly along the northern line of Gun Hill road for 64.04 feet.
- Thence northerly deflecting 69 degrees 32 minutes 58 seconds to the right for 306.96 feet.
- Thence easterly deflecting 68 degrees 53 minutes 18 seconds to the right for 64.32 feet.
- Thence southerly for 352.50 feet to the point of beginning.

Perry avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 18 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.
FRANCIS M. SCOTT, Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 24th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 1, 1897.
JOHN LARKIN, WM. J. BROWNE, CHARLES F. ULRICH, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), at the junction of Morris avenue, College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-second 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements,

hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 23rd day of June, 1897, 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 as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.
JOHN W. STOCKER, BURTON N. HARRISON,
CHARLES BRANDT, JR., Commissioners.
J. 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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 23rd day of June, 1897, 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 as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1897.
THOMAS J. BROWN, JOHN T. SIMON, EDWARD B. WHITNEY, Commissioners.
J. 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 MORRIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Park View Terrace (place), 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 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 24th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 1, 1897.
WM. C. REDDY, WM. M. BLAKE, CHARLES P. LATTING, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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, 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 23rd day of June, 1897, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, May 28, 1897.
JAMES R. ELY, BENJ. T. RHOADS, JR., JOHN MURPHY, Commissioners.
H. DE F. BALDWIN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of May, 1897, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 16, title 5, of the act entitled "An Act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," passed July 1, 1882, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 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 20th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 7, 1897.
AGIL H. HANAU, WILLIAM MCADIE, JAMES M. GORMAN, 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 KEMBLE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mount Vernon avenue to Verio avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 4, 1897.
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, ANDERSON PRICE,
H. B. HALL, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, June 4, 1897.
WM. C. REDDY, WM. M. BLAKE, CHARLES P. LATTING, 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 JOHNSTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Spuyten Duyvil parkway, near the Spuyten Duyvil Station, to Spuyten Duyvil road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given

that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Johnson avenue, from the Spuyten Duyvil parkway, near the Spuyten Duyvil Station, to Spuyten Duyvil road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at the most easterly point in the southern portion of Spuyten Duyvil parkway (where the old street, now in use and known as Johnson avenue, runs into Spuyten Duyvil parkway).
- Thence westerly along the southern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway for 70.06 feet.
- Thence southeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 150 feet whose radius drawn southwesterly from the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 35 degrees 10 minutes 58 seconds to the south with the western prolongation of said course for 77.83 feet.
- Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 38.46 feet.
- Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 250 feet for 221.21 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 115 feet radius for 321.21 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 725 feet radius for 270.79 feet.
- Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding curve for 267 feet.
- Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding curve whose radius is 400 feet for 286.47 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 845 feet radius for 359.01 feet.
- Thence northeasterly on a line forming an angle of 81 degrees 10 minutes 36 seconds to the east with the radius of the preceding course drawn from its eastern extremity for 129.61 feet.
- Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees 59 minutes 54 seconds to the left for 151.98 feet.
- Thence southeasterly deflecting 86 degrees 9 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 38.56 feet.
- Thence northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 397.65 feet.
- Thence northeasterly deflecting 5 degrees 29 minutes 47 seconds to the left for 154.30 feet.
- Thence northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 50 feet.
- Thence southwestly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 61.83 feet.
- Thence southwestly deflecting 7 degrees 51 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 483.70 feet.
- Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding curve whose radius is 785 feet for 598.04 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- Thence westerly on the arc of a circle of 460 feet for 329.44 feet.
- Thence southwestly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 387.92 feet and along the southern line of Kappock street.
- Thence southwestly along the southern line of Kappock street for 173.85 feet.
- Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 65 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 121.55 feet to a point of reverse curve.
- Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 400 feet radius for 244.81 feet.
- Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 450.10 feet to the point of beginning.

Johnson avenue is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 22 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on November 18, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 18, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 20, 1895.

Dated New York, June 14, 1897.
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In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at a point in the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 30.79 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Tremont avenue with the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.
- Thence southerly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 62.71 feet.
- Thence westerly on a line forming an angle of 17 degrees 11 minutes 37 seconds to the south with the radius of the preceding course drawn from its southern extremity for 1,124.90 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue.
- Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 61.79 feet.
- Thence easterly for 1,128.38 feet to the point of beginning.

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

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