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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending June 5, 1897.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN, NEW YORK, June 12, 1897. Hon. WILLIAM L. STRONG, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to June 5, 1897, of all moneys received by me, and the amount of all warrants paid by me since May 29, 1897, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on June 5, 1897. Very respectfully, ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain, during the week ending June 5, 1897. CR.

1897. June 5	To Additional Water Fund	\$12,418 82	1897. May 29	By Balance	
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York	4,697 84	June 5	Taxes	Austen..... \$25,250 95
	Ambulance Station, etc.	1,386 00		Interest on Taxes	"..... 1,327 78
	Antitoxine Fund	1,388 36		Arrears of Taxes	Gilon..... 83,713 06
	Armory Fund	3,228 00		Interest on Taxes	"..... 7,757 03
	Block Tax and Assessment Map Fund	774 98		Fund for Street and Park Openings	"..... 50,092 43
	Bridge over Harlem River—3d Ave	669 16		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886	"..... 22,222 40
	Bronx and Pelham Parkway	160 22		Interest on Assessments	"..... 2,835 08
	Central Park, Construction of	26 27		Towns of Westchester	"..... 393 37
	Change of Grade, etc., 23d and 24th Wards	3,910 33		Interest—Towns of Westchester	"..... 187 71
	Croton Water Fund	4,043 77		Fees—Towns of Westchester	"..... 22 50
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	24 10		Sundry Licenses	Healy..... 1,496 25
	Department of Public Charities—Building Fund	22,982 53		Restoring and Repaving—23d and 24th Wards	Haffen..... 106 00
	Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock, etc.	10,455 00		Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works	Collis..... 2,559 25
	Dock Fund	25,378 98		Tapping Pipes	Johnson..... 227 50
	East River Park—Improvement of Extension	156 35		Additional Water Fund	Allen..... 182 30
	Excise Taxes	16,322 89		Register's Fees	Sohmer..... 9,844 05
	Fire Department Fund—For Sites, etc.	55 00		Coroners' Fees	Fitzpatrick..... 56 00
	Fire Hydrant Fund	1,038 69		Hospital Fund	Golderman..... 48 00
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination	100 00		Antitoxine Fund	"..... 880 14
	Fund for Street and Park Openings	11,511 19		Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination	"..... 311 63
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 194, Laws of 1896	312 58		Dock Fund	Einstein..... 30 00
	Intestate Estates	267 14		Street Incumbrance Fund	Waring..... 27 90
	New East River Bridge Fund	2,166 65		Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, Towns of Eastchester and Pelham	Deere..... 84 32
	Police Department Fund, etc.	7,160 00		Excise Taxes	Hilliard..... 23,933 26
	Public Driveway, Construction of	1,420 99		General Fund	Comptroller..... \$1 50
	Public Instruction, School District, Annexed Territory, Westchester Co.	188 34			Surrogates..... 559 50
	Public Park, 12th Ward, 11th to 12th streets	5,740 00			Monroe..... 39 75
	Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund	5,348 94			Stiles..... 3,268 61
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error	164 68			Waring..... 746 10
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error	178 71			Gilon..... 14 50
	Repaving	18,853 01			Scott..... 14 55
	Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues—23d and 24th Wards	126 00			Haffen..... 342 00
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works	1,274 07			Collis..... 408 00
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—23d and 24th Wards	111 62			O'Brien..... 75 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Burnside Ave. Archway	375 66			Knight..... 105 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments	1,245 79			Com's Sinking Fund..... 50,000 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Office	926 64			Cont. T. Co. \$200,000 00
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments	18,581 09			Nat. P. Bk. 300,000 00
	Riverside Park—Construction of	145 04			B'klyn T. Co. 250,000 00
	Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction	13,278 03			
	School-house Fund	78,400 00			
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886	33,488 20			
	Theatre and Concert Licenses	19,070 24			
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages	42 09			
	Water-main Fund, No. 2	1,248 00			
	Water-meter Fund No. 2	141 95			
	Williamsbridge Sewer Fund	100 95			
		\$331,083 89		June 5, 1897. By Balance	\$7,558,802 66
	Advertising	\$335 20		E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.	
	Allowance to Aguilar Free Library Society	1,666 66		ANSON G. MCCOOK, City Chamberlain.	
	Allowance to General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen	1,250 00		THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ANSON G. MCCOOK, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending June 5, 1897.	
	Armories and Drill-rooms—Wages	7,525 00			
	Aquarium	1,499 12			
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	3,574 19			
	Bacteriological Laboratory	89 00			
	Board of Street Opening and Improvement	187 50			
	Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts	72 00			
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	2,660 79			
	Bridges crossing Railroad—23d and 24th Wards	92 31			
	Bridge over Harlem River Ship Canal—Maintenance	504 00			
	Bronx River and other Bridges	134 31			
	Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs	334 00			
	Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines	140 00			
	City Contingencies	150 00			
	Cleaning Markets	749 72			
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning	61,512 44			
	College of the City of New York	11,697 85			
	Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	25 54			
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office	419 48			
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office, Arrearages	19 45			
	Contingent Expenses—Central Department, etc.	916 66			
	Contingencies—Law Department	399 15			
	Contingencies—Register's Office	20 80			
	Copying Records—White Plans	100 00			
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses	3,849 96			
	Cromwell's Creek Bridges	12 27			
	Department of Buildings	26,421 46			
	Department of Correction	17,027 63			
	Department of Public Charities	50,901 42			
	Election Expenses	500 00			
	Expenses D. dication Grant Monument, etc.	8,758 58			
	Fire Department Fund	150,616 15			
	Fees, Stenographer, etc.	117 80			
	Free Floating Baths	146 36			
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance	1,133 18			
	Health Fund	9,582 26			
	Hospital Fund	171 31			
	Improvement of Small Park—East 42d St.	113 29			
	Incidental Expenses of Sheriff's Office	4 50			
	Interest on the City Debt	1,050 00			
	Interest on Indebtedness of Territory Annexed, etc.	500 00			
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting	14,916 17			
	Maintenance and Construction of New Parks north of Harlem River	4,039 04			
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	41,547 05			
	Maintenance—23d and 24th Wards	19,728 77			
	Making Rock Soundings, etc.	537 43			
	Monumenting Streets and Avenues	2,984 04			
	New Stables and Workshops	9 40			
	New York Foundling Hospital	26,239 58			
	Normal College	9,578 53			
	155th St. Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs	178 19			
	Police Fund	566,484 08			
	Police Station-houses, Alterations, etc.	2,916 66			
	Preliminary Surveys, etc.	203 25			
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books	384 72			
	Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy	2,997 12			
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	1,484 13			
	Public Instruction	28,594 30			
	Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues	128 40			
	Rents	1,000 00			
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading	8,264 43			
	Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	3,182 33			
	Repaving Streets and Avenues	28,857 16			
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling	564 62			
	Salaries—City Chamberlain's Office	2,083 33			
	Salaries—City Courts	10,766 48			
	Salaries—Consulting Engineer, etc.	416 66			
	Salaries—County Jail	1,470 06			
	Salaries—Department of Public Works	22,890 82			
	Salaries—Finance Department	924 83			
	Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures	325 00			
	Salaries—Judiciary	79,354 19			
	Salaries—Law Department	1,000 00			
	Salaries—Office of the Commissioner of the 23d and 24th Wards	2,168 32			
	Salaries—Register's Office	11,012 47			
	Salaries—Sheriff's Office	1,666 66			
	Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office	833 33			
	Sewers and Drains—23d and 24th Wards	832 03			
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	5,524 92			
	Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Sts	24 00			
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	5,223 48			
	Supplies for Police	10,687 60			
	Support of Indigent Prisoners in County Jail	201 56			
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards	4,832 52			
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Making Topographical Surveys, etc.	3,473 73			
	Surveys, Maps and Plans	16 43			
		1,296,220 11			
	Balance	\$7,558,802 66			
		\$9,186,106 66			



Table with columns for names (Du Mahaut, Thoma, Fines and Penalties, etc.), amounts, and dates. Includes entries for 'To Sinking Fund—Redemption' and 'To Sinking Fund—Interest'.

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June 5, 1897. By Balance... ANSON G. MCCOOK, City Chamberlain. E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NEW YORK, June 8, 1897, 12 o'clock M.

The Commissioners and Secretary being absent in consequence of meeting of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the box containing the estimates on Contracts Nos. 589 and 591 was sealed by the Assistant Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, called in accordance with section 3, article 1 of the By-laws, held Tuesday, June 8, 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M. Present—The full Board.

The Board proceeded to open estimates on Contracts Nos. 589 and 591, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

Contract No. 589.

Four estimates were received, as follows: Atlantic Dredging Company, with security deposit of \$350... \$0 18 per cubic yard. Henry DuBois & Sons, " 350... 13-9 " Morris & Cummings Dredging Company, " 350... 20 " Charles DuBois, " 350... 13 "

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day, for dredging north of West Thirty-fourth street, on the North river, under Contract No. 589, be and is hereby awarded to Charles DuBois, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

Contract No. 591.

Three estimates were received, as follows: William H. Jenks, with security deposit of \$200... \$8,200 00 Gildersleeve & Rolf, " 200... 8,833 00 Spearin & Preston, " 200... 8,375 00

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day, for preparing for and building foundations for the recreation building to be hereafter erected on the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, East river, under Contract No. 591, be and is hereby awarded to William H. Jenks, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by above bidders at the time of submitting their estimates.

On motion, the Board adjourned. GEO. S. TERRY, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, called in accordance with section 3, article 1 of the By-laws, held Tuesday, June 8, 1897, at 3.30 o'clock P. M. Present—The full Board.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to request the Counsel to the Corporation to advise this Board:

First—Whether the approval by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the plan for the improvement of the water-front between Pier, new 46, and West Twenty-third street, adopted by the Board of Docks May 20, 1897, will, in any way, invalidate or impair the right of the Legislature to assess the property-owners benefited by the improvement after the approval of the plans; and,

Second—If the plans are approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund conditionally, i. e., reserving the right to assess subsequently, will that not prevent or delay the improvement of the water-front, in accordance with the plans, until the Legislature shall have enacted such a law? On motion, the Board adjourned. GEO. S. TERRY, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. M. Williams to erect, place and keep a shipping clerk's office on the southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Washington place, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lazola Union to erect, place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Eighty-fourth street and Third avenue, Ninetieth street and Third 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Whereas, The Seventh District City Magistrates' Court is to be opened on July 1, and it will be necessary to furnish and equip the same for occupancy and use; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works of the City and County of New York be and he is hereby authorized, without public letting, to provide for and make such alterations and repairs and provide such furniture and fixtures for the rooms of said Court as may be requisite and necessary to complete the construction of said court-rooms and render the same suitable and fit for occupancy, and for the proper conduct and discharge of the business thereof, at a cost not to exceed four thousand dollars, in order that the work may be completed on or before the first day of July, 1897.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of 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 is hereby authorized and directed to repave Sixty eighth street, from Central-Park, West, to the Boulevard, with asphalt pavement on the present stone pavement, and that new curb-stones be set where necessary.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Sherman avenue, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 1, 1897. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1897, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, NEW YORK, June 22, 1897. Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to notify you that on the 14th instant I appointed Edward S. Freeman as a Computer of Accounts in the Bureau of Street Openings, Law Department, at a salary of \$900 per annum.

Respectfully, yours, WM. L. TURNER, Acting Counsel to the Corporation.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEES.

LAW DEPARTMENT—The Committee on Law Department will hold a meeting on Friday, June 25, 1897, at 12 o'clock 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 Armory Commissioners—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

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

Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Department of Buildings—No. 220 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Comptroller's Office—No. 15 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Auditing Bureau—Nos. 19, 21 and 23 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents—Nos. 11, 33, 35, 37 and 39 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets—Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No money received after 2 P. M.

City Chamberlain—Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Paymaster—Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Counsel to the Corporation—Staats-Zeitung Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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. 1266 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. 38 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.

Crowder'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 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: Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days: Wednesdays, 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—Tombes 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.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, June 24, 1897.

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 23d day of June, 1897, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred 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 75. That every animal which is mad or has the hydrophobia, or shows symptoms thereof, shall, by the person owning the same, or having possession, charge or control thereof, be at once killed, and every animal that has been exposed to such disease shall be at once confined in some secure place for such length of time as to show that such exposure has not given such animal said disease, and so as to avoid all danger to life or health. And the dead body of any animal that died of such disease, or being suspected to have such disease has been killed, shall be disposed of by the Health Department.

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

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.

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 1 P. M.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS SHEEP SALE.

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.

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 Tuesday, July 6, 1897, for Supplying the Furniture for New School Building on southwest corner of Tremont and Anthony avenues, Item 5 of specifications; for Furniture for Grammar Schools Nos. 35, 47 and old Grammar School No. 62, which are to be used for High Schools; for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 4, 8, 28 and 31; for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for new annex and Ventilating Apparatus for main building of Grammar School No. 94, on northwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and West Sixty-eighth street; also for Supplying the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the New Annex and Ventilating System for the Main Building of Grammar School No. 2, at Nos. 114 to 124 Henry street and Nos. 165 to 171 Madison street; also for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar Schools Nos. 88, and 92 and Primary Schools Nos. 10, 21 and 40; also for Supplying Furniture for the Addition to Primary School No. 31; also for Supplying the Furniture for the New School Building on south side of East Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues; also for Erecting an Annex to and Improving the Premises of Grammar School No. 97; also for Erecting a New School Building on the southwest corner of Suffolk and Rivington streets; also for Supplying Furniture, etc., for the New School Building at Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; also for Supplying Furniture at New School Building at Union avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; also for Supplying New Furniture for the Annex to Primary School No. 27; also for Installing Electric-light Plant in New School Building at Henry, Oliver and Catharine streets; also for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 52, 68, 91 and Primary School No. 48.

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 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. MCWEENEY, WILLIAM H. HURLBUT, JACOB W. MACK, Committee on Buildings. Dated New York, June 24, 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 28, 1897, for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Grammar Schools Nos. 14, 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 Store on and Improving Lot and Premises of Primary School No. 33.

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notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 15, 1897. 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, Cottole, Tin Horns, Stomach Bitters, Wall Paper, Rubber Cloth, Household Utensils, Billiard and Pool Balls, 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, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

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

STEVENSON CONSTABLE, Superintendent Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 597.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED SPRUCE TIMBER.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED Spruce Timber will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

SPRUCE PLANK FOR REPAIRS.

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

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

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

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received: 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed delivery of materials, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The contractor shall be ready to commence the delivery of the materials called for under this contract within five days after the date of this contract, and the delivery shall be commenced and shall be continued in such manner and quantities and at such times and places as may from time to time be directed by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1897, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with and the

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated New York, June 21, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 580.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING BETWEEN BANK STREET AND BETHUNE STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river, between Bank and Bethune streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows (in place): Earth filling in rear of cribwork, about 224,000 cubic yards; Cribwork, about 21,700 cubic yards; Cribwork, not filled in with stone, about 200 cubic yards; old Foundation Piles, about 2,600.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received: 1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be between Bank and Bethune streets, on the North river, and is to be done, from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may

be directed by the Engineer, and all work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of eighty days from the date of service of the above mentioned notification.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

All material to be excavated or removed from the area to be dredged will become the property of the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

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

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

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

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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

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

If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD C. O'BRIEN, EDWIN EINSTEIN, JOHN MONKS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks. Dated New York, June 5, 1897.

TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 587.) PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING BETWEEN BETHUNE STREET AND WEST TWELFTH STREET, ON THE NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE NORTH river, between Bethune and West Twelfth streets, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of



FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1897, at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department.

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows (in place):

Earth-filling in rear of cribwork, about 165,000 cubic yards; Cribwork, about 16,500 cubic yards; Cribwork, not filled in with stone, about 200 cubic yards; old foundation piles, about 1,460.

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

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

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

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be between Bethune street and West Twelfth street, on the North river, and is to be done, from time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer; and all work done under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of sixty days from the date of service of the above-mentioned notification.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

All material to be excavated or removed from the area to be dredged will become the property of the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

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

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

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said

box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 5, 1897.

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. Lists various buildings like barns, houses, and sheds with their respective prices.

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. Lists various buildings like two-story frame mills, barns, and houses.

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; and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of November, 1897, 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.

STREET CLEANING DEPT.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, No. 33 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 29th 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, upon 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 they would be entitled on its completion and that which the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The 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.

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 Valerine 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 WEST-CHESTER 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.

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 to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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 5430, No. 1. Paving Park avenue (west side), from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and First street, with asphalt.

List 5355, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Hawthorne street, from Seaman avenue to Amsterdam 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. West side of Park avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to halfway between One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Hawthorne street, from Seaman to Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 23d day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors. NEW YORK, June 22, 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 5429, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Amsterdam and Morningside avenues, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5431, No. 2. Paving Thirtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with asphalt (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5432, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Amsterdam and Morningside avenues, with asphalt-block pavement.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Amsterdam to Morningside avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Thirtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Amsterdam to Morningside avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 20th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. RUSH, Chairman; PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN W. JACOBUS, EDWARD McCUE, Board of Assessors. NEW YORK, June 19, 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 5426, 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 192 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.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY.

A STATED 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.

By order CHAS. BULKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman. ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary. Dated New York, June 16, 1897.

ST. OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a special 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 25, 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 23, 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 new streets, to be known as One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh avenue distant 109 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 519.98 feet, to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along said line, distance 13.52 feet; thence still northerly and along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distance 52.66 feet; thence westerly, distance 493.28 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh avenue distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 418.79 feet, to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line, distance 64.03 feet; thence westerly, distance 396.42 feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said streets to be 60 feet in width between the lines of Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road.

And that such proposed action of the said Board of Street Opening and Improvement has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen.

V. B. LIVINGSTON, Secretary. Dated New York, June 22, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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

TO CONTRACTORS. BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in the Chief Clerk's Office, Room No. 1704-7, until 12 o'clock M. on Tuesday, July 6, 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 PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF ROOSEVELT STREET, from Park Row to Water street.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MARKET STREET, from Division to Cherry street.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FIFTEENTH STREET, from Sixth to Tenth avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Central Park, West, to Riverside Drive.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

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

therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

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

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF

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.

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 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 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.

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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.

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

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

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, 1895.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

SUPREME COURT. In the matter of the application of Michael T. Daly, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, in fee, to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land in the Twelfth and Twenty-third Wards of the City of New York, for the purpose of the construction of a draw-bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and arches, over the Harlem river, connecting the northerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in the above-entitled matter, will be in attendance at our office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of July, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by our fourth separate estimate or assessment in the above-entitled matter (an abstract of which has been heretofore filed by us for and during the space of thirty days in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, in the American Tract Society Building, corner of Nassau and Spruce streets, in said city), in opposition to the same; that our said abstract of estimate and assessment may be hereafter inspected at our said office, Room No. 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway; that it is our intention to present our fourth separate report herein for confirmation 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 7th day of July, 1897, at the opening of the Court on that day, to which day and place the motion to confirm the same will be adjourned, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 18, 1897. DAVID LEVENTRITZ, PETER BOWE, ARTHUR INGRAHAM, Commissioners. JAMES A. C. JOHNSON, 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 DEVOE STREET (East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Ogden avenue, and from Bremer avenue to Anderson avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 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 13th 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







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 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, 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).

1st. Thence northwesterly along the said northern boundary-line of the City of New York for 200.65 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 1,023.57 feet to a point of reverse curve.

5th. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 2,100 feet for 1,059.31 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 northeasterly deflecting 141 degrees 19 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 1,057.21 feet.

12th. Thence northeasterly 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 northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 729.71 feet.

14th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 1 degree 19 minutes 44 seconds to the right for 86.06 feet.

15th. Thence northeasterly 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 northeasterly 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 northeasterly 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 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

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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st 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 24th 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 3rd day of June, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 7, 1897.  
C. W. WEST, WM. STANTON, CHARLES O'BRIEN, 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 VILLA PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Southern Boulevard to Van Cortlandt 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 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 :

PARCEL "A."

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 743 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 easterly 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 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

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 SPUYTEN DUUVIL ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Spuyten Duyvil parkway, near the Spuyten Duyvil depot, to the junction of Riverdale avenue and West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on 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 Spuyten Duyvil parkway, near the Spuyten Duyvil depot, to the junction of Riverdale avenue and West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, 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 southerly line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway distant 3,020.59 feet westerly from the northerly prolongation of the eastern line of Tenth avenue, measured at right angles to the same from a point 18,091.86 feet northerly of the southern line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the line of the Spuyten Duyvil parkway for 50 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 220 feet radius and continuing along the line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway for 235.76 feet.

3d. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 612.69 feet.

4th. Thence southerly deflecting 23 degrees 47 minutes 55 seconds to the right for 298.28 feet.

5th. Thence southeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 81.88 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 88.06 feet.

6th. Thence southeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 138.54 feet.

7th. Thence easterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 79.93 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 90.26 feet.

8th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 169.79 feet.

9th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 17 degrees 20 minutes to the left for 373.40 feet.

10th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 670 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 339.90 feet to a point of reverse curve.

11th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 335 feet radius for 124.25 feet.

12th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 119.93 feet.

13th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 880 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 167.16 feet.

14th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 266.77 feet.

15th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees, 59 minutes 54 seconds to the left for 151.98 feet.

16th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 86 degrees 9 minutes 25 seconds to the left for 38.65 feet.

17th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 162.79 feet.

18th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 50 minutes 29 seconds to the right for 266.27 feet.

19th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 830 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 157.66 feet.

20th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 119.93 feet.

21st. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 385 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 142.79 feet to a point of reverse curve.

22d. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 620 feet radius for 314.53 feet.

23d. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 381.02 feet.

24th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 17 degrees 20 minutes to the right for 208.99 feet.

25th. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 115 feet for 129.86 feet.

26th. Thence northwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 105 feet.

27th. Thence northwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 170 feet for 182.82 feet.

28th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 287.74 feet.

29th. Thence northerly deflecting 23 degrees 47 minutes 55 seconds to the left for 60.15 feet.

30th. Thence northwesterly curving to the left on the 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 northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 245.30 feet.

6th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 843.57 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 252.67 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 City of New York on November 28, 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

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 required for the opening and extension of a new street (although not yet named by proper authority), to extend from Chambers street to Reade street, in the Sixth 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 and extending of a new street, to extend from Chambers street to Reade street, in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz :

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Chambers street distant 426.72 feet easterly from Broadway; thence northerly, distance 151.16 feet, to the southerly line of Reade street at a point distant 425.94 feet easterly from Broadway; thence easterly and along the southerly line of Reade street, distance 40 feet; thence southerly, distance 151.22 feet, to the northerly line of Chambers street; thence westerly, distance 40 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 40 feet wide between the lines of Chambers and Reade streets, and is shown on certain maps entitled "Map or Plan of a new street, commencing on the northerly line of Chambers street distant 426.72 feet easterly from Broadway, and extending to the southerly line of Reade street distant 425.94 feet easterly from Broadway," and filed, one in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York on May 7, 1897; one in the office of the Council to the Corporation on May 11, 1897, and one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on May 11, 1897.

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 Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to NINETY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from First avenue to Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

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 30th 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 16, 1897.  
EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO, RIGNAL T. WOODWARD, JOHN K. GREEN, 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-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Anderson avenue to Marcher 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 of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Anderson avenue to Marcher 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 the intersection of the southern and eastern lines of Union street (now East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street), legally opened September 15, 1892.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Union street for 50.39 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 82 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 60.47 feet.

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 97 degrees 7 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 15.12 feet.

4th. Thence easterly deflecting 97 degrees 7 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 167.41 feet to the western line of Marcher avenue.

5th. Thence southerly along the western line of Marcher avenue for 20.10 feet.

6th. Thence westerly deflecting 84 degrees 15 minutes 1 second to the left for 167.93 feet.

7th. Thence southerly deflecting 82 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 15.12 feet.

8th. Thence westerly for 60.47 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 8 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on November 11, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 12, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 13, 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-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Morris 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 East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Jerome avenue to Morris 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 eastern line of Jerome avenue distant 338.06 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of Jerome avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 1,033.88 feet to the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 62.69 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly for 1,042.97 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 350.03 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the northern line of the eastern approach to the same at East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60.15 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly on a line forming an angle of 4 degrees 30 minutes 7 seconds to the south from the eastern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity, for 600.75 feet to the western line of Morris avenue.



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.  
1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Mosholu parkway for 65.26 feet.  
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 66 degrees 50 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 288.23 feet.  
3d. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 58 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 80.11 feet.  
4th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 50 degrees 2 minutes 43 seconds to the left for 402.30 feet.  
5th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 2 degrees 40 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 69.09 feet.  
6th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 5 degrees 26 minutes 46 seconds to the left for 1,492.71 feet.  
7th. Thence northerly deflecting 15 degrees 48 minutes 42 seconds to the left for 455.76 feet to the southern line of Gun Hill road.  
8th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Gun Hill road for 62.84 feet.  
9th. Thence southerly deflecting 72 degrees 43 minutes 8 seconds to the right for 445.43 feet.  
10th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 15 degrees 48 minutes 42 seconds to the right for 1,479.91 feet.  
11th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 1 degree 36 minutes 38 seconds to the right for 60 feet.  
12th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 6 degrees 31 minutes 0 seconds to the right for 459.52 feet.  
13th. Thence westerly deflecting 22 degrees 1 minute 1 second to the right for 80.30 feet.  
14th. 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.

1st. Thence northerly along the northern line of Gun Hill road for 64.04 feet.  
2d. Thence northerly deflecting 60 degrees 32 minutes 58 seconds to the right for 306.96 feet.  
3d. Thence easterly deflecting 68 degrees 53 minutes 18 seconds to the right for 64.32 feet.  
4th. 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 SEVENTIETH 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 15th 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, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Webster 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 8th day of June, 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 16th day of June, 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, Room No. 1, fourth 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 15th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 21, 1897.  
WILBUR LARREMORE, J. THOMAS STEARNS, MAX ALTMAYER, 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 ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Elton avenue to Mott avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of June, 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 15th day of June, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 21, 1897.  
JOHN J. QUINLAN, GEO. DRAKE SMITH, MADISON GRANT, 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 SEVENTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Weeks street to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st 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 7th day of June, 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, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 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 SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET (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.

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 16th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 22, 1897.  
TIMOTHY W. SCANNELL, JOHN E. MURPHY, DENNIS McEVROY, 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 30th 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 in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

Dated New York, June 7, 1897.  
AGIL H. HANAU, WILLIAM McADIE, JAMES M. GORMAN, Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of ONE HUNDRED AND 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 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 whosoever 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 19th 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 JOHNSON 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 a point in 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).

1st. Thence westerly along the southern line of Spuyten Duyvil parkway for 70.06 feet.  
2d. Thence southeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 150 feet radius 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.

3d. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 382.46 feet.  
4th. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 350 feet for 214.21 feet to a point of reverse curve.  
5th. Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 115 feet radius for 321.21 feet to a point of reverse curve.

6th. Thence northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 725 feet radius for 270.79 feet.  
7th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 267 feet.  
8th. Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 400 feet for 286.47 feet to a point of reverse curve.

9th. Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 845 feet radius for 359.01 feet.  
10th. 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 229.61 feet.

11th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees 59 minutes 54 seconds to the left for 151.98 feet.  
12th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 86 degrees 9 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 38.56 feet.  
13th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 307.65 feet.

14th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 5 degrees 29 minutes 47 seconds to the left for 154.36 feet.  
15th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 50 feet.  
16th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 61.85 feet.

17th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 7 degrees 51 minutes 16 seconds to the right for 483.70 feet.  
18th. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 785 feet for 598.04 feet to a point of reverse curve.

19th. Thence westerly on the arc of a circle of 460 feet for 329.44 feet.  
20th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 387.92 feet to and along the southern line of Kappock street.

21st. Thence southwesterly along the southern line of Kappock street for 173.85 feet.  
22d. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 65 feet radius tangent to the preceding course for 181.55 feet to a point of reverse curve.

23d. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 400 feet radius for 244.81 feet.  
24th. 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.  
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-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.:

**PARCEL "A."**  
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.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 62.71 feet.

2d. 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.

3d. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Jerome avenue for 61.79 feet.  
4th. 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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