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### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

EXTRACTS OF THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 12, 1898.

Gouverneur Hospital—Proposal of Jos. D. Duffy to continue house drain to public sewer for the sum of \$215; accepted and filed.  
Bellevue Hospital—Minutes of meeting of Medical Board, held February 1; approved.  
Mills' Training School—Minutes of meeting Board of Managers, held February 2; approved.  
Metropolitan Hospital—Minutes of meeting of Medical Board, held February 3, 1898; approved.

Randall's Island—Minutes of meeting of Medical Board, held February 1; approved.  
Halls of Institutions—Weekly reports; approved.

The following proposals were accepted:

Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Co., for	
Chucks of beef and shoulder clods, about 1,500,000 pounds, per pound.....	\$0 0469
Extra diet beef, about 40,300 pounds, per pound.....	08
Mutton in pieces of forequarters, breast and shoulders without ribs, about 290,000 pounds, per pound.....	03 1/2
Roasting pieces of beef, about 140,500 pounds, per pound.....	10
Beefsteaks, sirloin, about 90,700 pounds, per pound.....	12
Corned beef, rump, and plates or navel, about 54,500 pounds, per pound.....	05
Mutton, hindquarters, about 170,400 pounds, per pound.....	08
Pork, loins, about 18,200 pounds, per pound.....	08
Veal cutlets and loins, about 48,400 pounds, per pound.....	10
Ross & Keany, for	
2,300 wine gallons pure rye whiskey, per gallon.....	1 49 1/2
Carl H. Schutter, for	
32,000 pounds Oolong tea, per pound.....	1422
Joseph Cavanagh, for	
20 gross boxes, turned wood, No. 2, per gross.....	16
20 gross boxes, turned wood, No. 3, per gross.....	25
125 gross boxes, turned wood, No. 4, per gross.....	38
125 gross boxes, turned wood, No. 5, per gross.....	55
20 gross boxes, turned wood, No. 7, per gross.....	95
4 dozen cans Jack Garrison's, 1-gallon, per dozen.....	2 98
4 dozen cans Jack Garrison's, 2-gallon, per dozen.....	3 90
4 dozen cans Jack Garrison's, 5-gallon, per dozen.....	5 40
2 dozen cans Jack Garrison's, 10-gallon, per dozen.....	8 30
4 dozen demijohns, boxed, Banker's, 2-gallon, per dozen.....	8 90
2 dozen demijohns, boxed, Banker's, 3-gallon, per dozen.....	11 90
3 dozen demijohns, boxed, Banker's, 5-gallon, per dozen.....	13 90
2 dozen demijohns, wicker, 1/2-gallon, per dozen.....	1 48
4 dozen demijohns, wicker, 1-gallon, per dozen.....	2 15
4 dozen demijohns, wicker, 2-gallon, per dozen.....	3 25
2 dozen demijohns, wicker, 3-gallon, per dozen.....	4 70
4 dozen demijohns, wicker, 5-gallon, per dozen.....	5 95
1/2 dozen graduates, con. 60 ce.....	2 00
673 gross bottles and vials, per lot.....	943 77
2 reams papers, white wrappers, 24 x 38, per ream.....	2 95
Fred. Figge, Atlantic avenue, corner Smith street, Brooklyn, for	
1,265 pieces bacon, average 6 pounds each, per pound.....	07 3/4
1,600 hams, average 14 pounds each, per pound.....	08 3/4
James J. Kelleher, No. 603 West Twenty-second street, for	
5,000 barrels white potatoes, crop 1897, 172 pounds to barrel, per barrel.....	2 17
5,000 barrels white potatoes, crop 1898, 172 pounds to barrel, per barrel.....	1 72 1/2
1,350 barrels onions, per barrel.....	1 59
2,870 barrels turnips, per barrel.....	77
Manhattan Supply Company, Hudson and Duane streets, for	
5,000 broom handles, per lot.....	62 00
7,200 brush blocks, with covers, per lot.....	194 40
75 pounds brush nails, 5/8, per pound.....	14 1/2
12 gross W. G. saucers, per gross.....	5 88
10 dozen vegetable dishes, per dozen.....	2 67
10 dozen meat platters, assorted, per dozen.....	3 77
20,000 pounds good damaged sole leather, per pound.....	1597
5,000 pounds offal leather, per pound.....	1497
9,000 feet waxed upper leather, per foot.....	127
J. M. Shaw & Co., No. 25 Duane street, for	
15 gross W. G. handle mugs, per gross.....	6 47
6 gross W. G. chambers, large, per gross.....	29 40
1/2 gross W. G. chambers, small, per gross.....	16 46
10 gross W. G. spit cups, per gross.....	9 39
6 gross W. G. feed cups, per gross.....	17 64
6 gross W. G. male urinals, per gross.....	39 50
1 gross W. G. female urinals, per gross.....	39 50
2 gross pitchers, 1-quart, per gross.....	10 58
2 gross W. G. pitchers, 2-quart, per gross.....	13 23
2 gross W. G. pitchers, 3-quart, per gross.....	22 05
1/2 gross W. G. pitchers, 4-quart, per gross.....	32 93
2 gross W. G. ewers, per gross.....	37 80
1 gross W. G. soap dishes, per gross.....	11 17
1 gross lime dishes, per gross.....	17 75
1 gross spittoons, per gross.....	38 90
1 gross bed pans, per gross.....	59 00
6 dozen solution bowls, per dozen.....	2 49
15 gross tumblers, per gross.....	2 40
3 dozen slop jars, per dozen.....	6 50
Julius A. Zibell, No. 273 Water street, for	
6 barrels boiled linseed oil, per gallon.....	44
6 barrels raw linseed oil, per gallon.....	42
5 gallons sewing machine oil, per gallon.....	25
5 barrels lard oil, per gallon.....	42
5 barrels signal oil, per gallon.....	15
20 gallons crude oil, per gallon.....	06
5 barrels astral oil, per gallon.....	08
50 gallons Japan dryer, per gallon.....	45
30 barrels turpentine, per gallon.....	35
25 pounds Pulver's compound, per pound.....	12
50 gallons benzine, per gallon.....	07 1/2

James Reilly Repair and Supply Company, No. 80 Beach street, city.	
2 barrels machine oil, per gallon.....	\$0 17
75 gallons marine journal oil, per gallon.....	27
Union Excelsior Lubricating Company, No. 229 Front street, for	
5 barrels cylinder oil, per gallon.....	28
5 barrels Boogher's compound, per gallon.....	50
25 pounds Pulver's compound, per pound.....	12
Fiske Brothers' Refining Company, No. 59 Water street, for	
5 barrels sperm oil, per gallon.....	49
E. H. Schwartz, No. 23 Avenue A, for	
2 barrels engine oil, per gallon.....	15
A. G. Belden & Co., No. 145 Maiden Lane, for	
3 barrels Shields' compound cylinder, per gallon.....	55
75 gallons marine journal oil.....	27
Julius Fowl, No. 51 Wooster street, for	
15,000 pounds brown corn, per pound.....	04 3/8
100 pounds brown twine, per pound.....	21 1/2
P. Woll & Sons, No. 298 Pearl street, for	
4,000 pounds brush root, per pound.....	09
E. G. Shepard, No. 107 Chambers street, for	
10 stones brush wire No. 26, per lot.....	2 50
14 stones broom wire, No. 18, per lot.....	6 72
8 dozen patent peg awl hafts, per lot.....	3 20
2 shoe jacks, per lot.....	5 00
R. C. Ogden, Broadway and Ninth street, for	
10 gross H. G. cups, per gross.....	6 60
25 gross W. G. bowls, per gross.....	5 04
1 gross W. G. pitchers, 1 pint, per gross.....	8 40
10 gross W. G. dinner plates, per gross.....	6 60
6 gross W. G. soup plates, per gross.....	6 00
1 gross W. G. basins, per gross.....	33 00
5 gross sewing awls, assorted, per gross.....	70
5 gross patent peg awls, assorted, per gross.....	28
48 pounds shoe thread, H. B. No. 12, per lot.....	52 47
12 dozen sand stones, per lot.....	7 92
Philip Frank, No. 40 Spruce street, for	
4,000 feet waxed leather, per foot.....	1176
R. F. Ferguson, No. 12 Broadway, for	
13 gross shoe binding, black, No. 8, per gross.....	29
A. R. Bogert, No. 9 Spruce street, for	
12 gross shoe binding, black, No. 8, per gross.....	29
16 ounces shoe bristle, per lot.....	6 50
2 dozen shoe burnshoes, per lot.....	3 80
10 boxes shoe eyelets (10,000 each), per lot.....	5 80
2 dozen shoe eyelets (sets), per lot.....	5 50
2 dozen shoe eyelets (punches), per lot.....	3 80
8 dozen sewing awl hafts, per lot.....	72
2 dozen heel shaves, per lot.....	11 50
15 dozen shoe ink (quarts), per lot.....	18 75
1 dozen shoe nippers, per lot.....	2 03
3 dozen shoe pinners, per lot.....	12 00
18 bushels shoe pegs, 2 4-8, 8 5-8, 8 6-8, per bushel.....	68
50 pounds shoe wax, per lot.....	2 50
1,100 pounds iron shoe nails, No. 13, 100 4-8, 500 5-8, 500 6-8, per lot.....	25 30
1,100 pounds Sweden iron nails, No. 16, 200 4-8, 400 5-8, 400 6-8, 100 7-8, per lot.....	33 00
300 lbs. shoe tacks (2-ounce), per lot.....	16 50
12 dozen shoe knives, per lot.....	8 40

Appointments, Resignations and Dismissals for Week ending February 12, 1898.

DATE.	NAME.	POSITION.	INSTITUTIONS, ETC.	SALARY.
1898.				
Feb. 12	John J. Dempsey.....	Night Officer.....	Lodging-house, appointed.....	\$500 00
" 11	John W. Lowerre.....	".....	Lodging-house, temporarily appointed, resigned.	
" 14	Emmarilla Bowe.....	Nurse.....	Steamboats, discharged, position abolished.	
" 10	Jesse C. Hodges.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, appointed.....	720 00
" 10	John W. Watterson.....	Orderly.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	James O'Brien.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	C. F. Curtis.....	Property Clerk.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Annie Allen.....	Inspector.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Ellie Hogan.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	James McDermott.....	Orderly.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Ella Roy.....	Inspector.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Clementine Purcell.....	Orderly.....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Wm. P. Goodwin.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 10	Catherine Kerwin.....	Waitress.....	Bellevue Hospital (personal), appointed.....	240 00
" 3	Henry Cunningham.....	Hospital Helper.....	Bellevue Hospital, reappointed.....	240 00
" 10	Martin Loughlan.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 11	Thomas Killeen.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, services dispensed with.	
" 3	F. J. Kenney.....	Assistant Apothecary.....	Bellevue Hospital, resigned voluntarily.	
" 7	Thomas C. Turnbull.....	".....	Bellevue Hospital, appointed.....	460 00
" 14	Geo. W. Blanchard.....	Assistant Pathologist.....	City Hospital, salary abolished.	
" 7	Gavin Hamilton.....	Promoted to Engineer.....	Alms-house, salary increased to.....	900 00
" 7	M. Agnes Sheridan.....	Supervising Nurse.....	Randall's Island, appointed temporarily, subject to Civil Service examination.....	750 00

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, February 9, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Nathan Straus; John B. Cosby, M. D.; William T. Jenkins, M. D., and the President of the Board of Police.  
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.  
The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
Frank C. Langley.....	\$166 66	H. Gregory.....	\$633 00
Thomas F. White.....	2,083 33	The Bowling Green Typewriting Bureau..	35 70
".....	416 66		



The Sanitary Committee, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 311, relating to pharmacists and druggists, reported in favor of the bill. The report was approved, and, on motion, it was Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York approves of Assembly Bill No. 311, and the Secretary is directed to forward a copy of the report of the Sanitary Committee in respect thereto to the Corporation Counsel.

The Sanitary Committee, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 79, relating to compensation to owners of animals destroyed, reported in favor of the bill. The report was approved, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York approves of Senate Bill No. 79, and the Secretary is directed to forward a copy of the report of the Sanitary Committee in respect thereto to the Corporation Counsel and to Hon. N. N. Stranahan, Senator, Albany, New York.

The Sanitary Committee, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 373, relating to the slaughtering of swine and pigs, reported adversely on said bill. The report was approved, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York disapproves of Assembly Bill No. 373, and the Secretary is directed to forward a copy of the report of the Sanitary Committee in respect thereto to the Corporation Counsel.

The Sanitary Committee, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 239, relating to public hospitals for contagious diseases in the Borough of Brooklyn, reported adversely on said bill. The report was approved, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York disapproves of Senate Bill No. 239, and the Secretary is directed to forward a copy of the report of the Sanitary Committee in respect thereto to the Corporation Counsel and to Peter Coughlin.

Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

The recommendation was approved, and on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is requested to discontinue, without cost, the actions against the following-named persons for violation of the Sanitary Code and of the Tenement-house Law, the Inspector having reported the order therein complied with, the nuisance complained of has been abated, a permit granted or violations removed, or the order has been rescinded, to wit:

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Trainor, John.....	73	Olcott, Susan B.....	701
Hackett, Cornelius.....	122	Engel, Martin.....	711
McCabe, Charles F.....	369	Gould, Linus A.....	723
Schlesinger, Max.....	374	Kenny, William and George.....	754
Zittel, Frederick.....	394	Seiroca, Joseph.....	778
Weill, Samuel.....	413	Bloch, Sarah and Arthur.....	786
Krone, Abraham.....	459	Schuck, Charles.....	793
Goodkind, Henry.....	552	Cohen, Harris.....	797
Mercantile Printing and Stationery Company.....	612	Juch, William A.....	809
Butler, Jacob D.....	622	Totten, John.....	812
Butler, Jacob D.....	623	Cowen, Newman.....	818

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

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

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following changes in the hospital service be and are hereby approved:

*Willard Parker Hospital.*

NAMES.	POSITION.	SALARY.	APPOINTED, RESIGNED.	DATE.
William E. Mulrooney..	Helper.....	\$780 00	Appointed.....	Feb. 2, 1898
Patrick Lindsay.....	Orderly.....	360 00	".....	" 4, "
John Munzel.....	Fireman.....	420 00	".....	" 7, "
Emma Livingston.....	Ward Helper.....	168 00	Resigned.....	" 6, "
Maggie Meyers.....	".....	168 00	Appointed.....	" 7, "

Report in respect to leasing premises No. 177 Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report on communication in respect to the erection of buildings on the site of the old Union Cemetery, Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to the leasing of premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That application be and is hereby made to the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the lease of the premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, to be used for offices by the Department of Health, upon the following terms: The rent to be at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and the lease to extend from March 1, 1898, to March 1, 1903.

The report in respect to leasing premises Nos. 38 and 40 Clinton street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, was taken from the table.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That application be and is hereby made to the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the lease of premises Nos. 38 and 40 Clinton street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, to be used for offices by the Department of Health, upon the following terms: The rent to be at the rate of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and the lease to extend from January 1, 1898, to December 31, 1902.

Report in respect to the disposition of the two rear tenements at Nos. 118 and 120 Cannon street. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to abolishing the Bureau of Plumbing and Drainage, Borough of Brooklyn. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Bureau of Plumbing and Drainage of the Department of Health of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby abolished, and that the following-named employees of said Bureau be and are hereby removed from office:

G. F. Rowell, Assistant Sanitary Engineer.	H. M. Birkett, Inspector of Plumbing.
J. C. Locke, Assistant Sanitary Engineer.	J. R. Brophy, Inspector of Plumbing.
P. M. Moffat, Chief Inspector of Plumbing.	F. F. Danaher, Inspector of Plumbing.
J. J. Doody, Inspector of Plumbing.	M. A. Taylor, Inspector of Plumbing.
J. J. Ryan, Inspector of Plumbing.	C. Cameron, Inspector of Plumbing.
J. J. Keenan, Inspector of Plumbing.	H. H. Smith, Inspector of Plumbing.
A. Pallas, Inspector of Plumbing.	W. H. Davenport, Inspector of Plumbing.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Herman Schmidt, Boy in Laboratory, on account of gross carelessness, be and is hereby dismissed.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Edwin F. Butler be and is hereby appointed as Boy in Laboratory, vice Schmidt, dismissed.

6th. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

NAMES.	FROM	TO	REMARKS.
Joseph F. Wilson.....	February 4	February 8	Sickness.
Louise C. Gumph.....	" 6	" 12	"

7th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in The City of New York are so overcrowded that less than four hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses;

It is Ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced, as follows:

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	LOCATION OF ROOM.	OCCUPANT.	REDUCED TO	
				Adults.	Children.
1030	431 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.....	3d floor.....	Joseph Frank.....	4	2

8th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:

No.	BUSINESS MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
165	To keep 4 cows.....	Nelson avenue, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx.
166	To keep 2 cows.....	One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, Borough of The Bronx.
167	To keep 11 cows.....	Valentine avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, Borough of The Bronx.
9684	To keep a school, allowing only 78 pupils to occupy the rooms at one time as follows: Basement, 50; first floor, 17; second floor, 11	No. 163 Avenue B, Borough of Manhattan.
9685	To keep 5 chickens.....	No. 54 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.
9686	To board and care for 1 child.....	No. 730 DeKalb avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.
9687	".....	No. 350 East Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.
9688	To render oil, tallow and stearine.....	No. 242 Hudson avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.
9689	To slaughter sheep, lambs and calves.....	Nos. 252 to 262 Hudson avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.
9690	To slaughter cattle.....	Nos. 244 and 246 Hudson avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.
168	To keep 3 cows.....	Creston avenue, 200 feet south of Travers street, Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That the following permit be and is hereby granted, pursuant to chapter 384 of the Laws of 1896:

No.	BUSINESS MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
163	To occupy basements for mercantile purposes..	No. 305 Canal street and No. 47 Howard street.

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

On motion, it was

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

*Stores.*

No.	LOCATION.	No.	LOCATION.
1467	No. 388 Madison street (duplicate).	9004	No. 33 Gouverneur street.
2137	No. 1755 Lexington avenue (duplicate).	9005	No. 357 Willis avenue.
4154	No. 439 West Thirty-second street (duplicate).	9006	No. 114 Chrystie street.
5773	No. 66 New Chambers street (duplicate).	9007	No. 2359 Eighth avenue.
7258	No. 254 Avenue B (duplicate).	9008	No. 641 First avenue.
129	No. 310 Pleasant avenue.	9009	No. 214 St. Ann's avenue.
955	No. 2135 Eighth avenue.	9010	No. 2005 Second avenue.
956	No. 105 Monroe street.	9011	No. 45 Oliver street.
1022	No. 2459 Eighth avenue.	9012	No. 2741 Eighth avenue.
1075	No. 593 Ninth avenue.	9013	No. 734 East Ninth street.
1754	No. 172 Henry street.	9014	No. 823 Greenwich street.
1847	No. 108 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.	9015	No. 1483 Amsterdam avenue.
2251	No. 838 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.	9016	No. 184 Forsyth street.
2355	No. 1743 Park avenue.	9017	No. 2321 First avenue.
2712	No. 76 Orchard street.	9018	No. 248 Monroe street.
2932	No. 1065 Second avenue.	9019	No. 139 East One Hundred and Tenth street.
2953	No. 1329 Amsterdam avenue.	9020	No. 324 East Thirty-fourth street.
3000	No. 1999 Seventh avenue.	9021	No. 547 Tenth avenue.
3070	No. 629 East Fifth street.	9022	No. 218 Madison street.
3351	No. 312 East Thirty-sixth street.	9023	No. 485 Third avenue.
3355	No. 408 East Twentieth street.	9024	No. 111 Monroe street.
3398	No. 128 West Twenty-seventh street.	9025	No. 36 Monroe street.
4093	No. 126 Broome street.	9026	No. 390 Manhattan avenue.
4298	No. 138 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.	9027	No. 132 Attorney street.
4829	No. 62 Montgomery street.	9028	No. 640 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.
5258	No. 414 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.	9029	No. 411 Cherry street.
5369	No. 309 East Thirty-second street.	9030	No. 33 Madison street.
5692	No. 36 Clinton street.	9031	No. 1487 Amsterdam avenue.
6903	No. 506 West Fortieth street.	9032	No. 490 Manhattan avenue.
7109	No. 1813 Lexington avenue.	9033	No. 119 Roosevelt street.
7525	No. 279 Pleasant avenue.	9034	No. 505 Lenox avenue.
7642	No. 525 First avenue.	9035	No. 431 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
7711	No. 241 East Seventy-fifth street	9036	No. 421 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street.
7967	No. 155 Sixth avenue.	9037	No. 495 Seventh avenue.
8284	No. 1877 Second avenue.	9038	No. 2101 Eighth avenue.
8654	No. 343 East One Hundred and Ninth street.	9039	No. 112 Essex street.
8678	No. 504 Brook avenue.	9040	No. 212 Madison street.
8885	No. 562 Hudson street.	9041	No. 674 Water street.
8956	No. 242 East One Hundred and Fourth street.	9042	No. 112 Montgomery street.
9002	No. 521 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.	9043	No. 310 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.
9003	No. 636 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street.	9044	No. 33 Pitt street.
		9045	No. 418 East Eleventh street.
		9046	No. 652 Ninth avenue.

*Wagons.*

No.	LOCATION.	No.	LOCATION.
72	No. 1697 Broadway (duplicate).	1747	No. 611 West Forty-seventh street.
1644	"	2169	No. 495 Seventh avenue.
1645	No. 647 Madison avenue.		
1646	"		

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:

No.	BUSINESS MATTER OR THING REVOKED.	ON PREMISES AT
4405	To board and care for not more than five children.....	No. 38 Fort Greene place, Borough of Brooklyn.
7525	To sell and deliver milk.....	No. 279 Pleasant avenue.
3000	".....	No. 1999 Seventh avenue.
8678	".....	No. 504 Brook avenue.
3070	".....	No. 629 East Fifth street.
5691	".....	No. 149 Delancey street.
2953	".....	No. 1329 Amsterdam avenue.
2712	".....	No. 76 Orchard street.
1847	".....	No. 108 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.
129	".....	No. 508 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street.
4093	".....	No. 126 Broome street.
4829	".....	No. 62 Montgomery street.
995	".....	No. 2185 Eighth avenue.
5258	".....	No. 414 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.
1022	".....	No. 2459 Eighth avenue.
6903	".....	No. 546 West Fortieth street.
1075	".....	No. 593 Ninth avenue.
1644	".....	
1645	".....	No. 647 Madison avenue.
1646	".....	
2315	".....	No. 1743 Park avenue.
7967	".....	No. 155 Sixth avenue.
7711	".....	No. 241 East Seventy-fifth street.
956	".....	No. 93 Monroe street.
3355	".....	No. 341 East Twenty-second street.
8654	".....	No. 247 East One Hundred and Ninth street.
8956	".....	No. 230 East One Hundred and Sixth street.
3351	".....	No. 661 First avenue.
7642	".....	No. 305 East Sixth street.
5369	".....	No. 435 East Eighteenth street.
3398	".....	No. 210 West Thirtieth street.
8284	".....	No. 1790 Lexington avenue.
2251	".....	No. 397 Second avenue.
7109	".....	No. 357 East Seventy-second street.
4298	".....	No. 131 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.
1747	".....	No. 603 West Forty-fifth street.
2932	".....	No. 1067 Second avenue.
1754	".....	No. 9 Norfolk street.
8885	".....	No. 2272 Second avenue.



## 9th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded, as follows:

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
39	No. 1675 Baretto street.	Feb. 17, 1898	
1344	No. 697 First avenue.		Modified so as not to require additional ventilation for halls.
1591	No. 126 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.	Feb. 15, 1898	
1916	No. 809 First avenue.	Mar. 2, 1898	
42432	No. 314 East One Hundred and Fourth street		Modified so as not to require the cementing of cellar.
208	No. 210 West Forty-second street.		Rescinded.
328	No. 150 East One Hundred and Eleventh street		
892	No. 153 East Fourth street.		
943	No. 110 Madison street.		
1732			
1733			
1734			
1735	Nos. 10 to 22 Rutgers place.		
1736			
1737			
1738			
19682	No. 508 Broadway.		
33011	No. 502 East Twentieth street.		
34915	No. 85 Henry street.		
36756	No. 515 Washington street.		
37116	No. 235 East Broadway.		
37120	No. 45 Henry street.		
37249	No. 337 East Seventieth street.		
38131	Nos. 189 to 193 Stanton street.		
38168	No. 141 Allen street.		
38729	No. 331 East One Hundred and Sixth street.		
38829	No. 464 Washington street.		
39050	No. 298 Broome street.		
39057	No. 209 East One Hundred and Eighth street		
39809	No. 670 First avenue.		
39826	No. 37 to 43 West Ninety-third street.		
39865	No. 334 East Fifty-eighth street.		
40096	No. 441 Third avenue		
41423	No. 223 East One Hundred and Twentieth street.		
41431	No. 232 Madison street.		
4257	No. 103 Lexington avenue		

On motion, it was

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

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
63	No. 135 Alexander avenue.	36938	No. 278 Mulberry street.
1728	No. 30 Market street.		

## FIRST DIVISION.

## Division of General and Special Sanitary Inspection.

- 1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps. Ordered on file.
- 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses. Ordered on file.
- 6th. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

NAMES.	FROM	TO	REMARKS.
William J. Lee.	February 4	February 11	
D. W. C. Wheeler.	February 3	February 8	
W. H. Vermilye.	February 8	February 11	
William H. Stewart.	February 5	February 8	
Alfred Lucas.	February 7	February 8	

## SECOND DIVISION.

## Division of Contagious Diseases and Medical Sanitary Inspection.

- 1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
  - 2d. Monthly report of charitable institutions. Ordered on file.
  - 3d. Report of inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.
- Report in reference to the removal of Henrietta Murray, a prisoner in the Tombs, to Reception Hospital.
- The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of the report to Warden Fallon.
- Report in respect to the failure of Dr. Louis Z. Buchholz to comply with section 131 of the Sanitary Code. Referred to the Corporation Counsel for action.

## THIRD DIVISION.

## Division of Food Inspection, Offensive Trades and Mercantile Establishments.

- 1st. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

NAME.	FROM	TO	REMARKS.
Lizzie W. Law.	January 22	February 4	

Report in respect to violations of section 186 of the Sanitary Code.

The Secretary was directed to notify the persons named in said report that a repetition of this offense will cause a revocation of permit.

Report of the number of certificates issued for employment in manufacturing establishments during the month of January, and the President and Secretary were directed to sign and forward the same to the Factory Inspector.

## FOURTH DIVISION.

## Division of Pathology and Bacteriology.

- 1st. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered on file.
- The resignation of Assistant Bacteriologist R. B. F. Randolph, to take effect February 7, was received and accepted.

## FIFTH DIVISION.

## Division of Medical School Inspection.

Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

The following Communications were Received from the Registrar of Records:

- 1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Reports on delayed birth and marriage certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to record the delayed birth and marriage certificates named in his report dated February 9, 1898.

5th. Report on application to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to—

## NAMES.

## RETURN.

## DATE.

Bennie Gross.	Born	Oct. 10, 1890
Sadie G. Gross.	"	Dec. 16, 1897
Frank Di Tolls.	Died	Oct. 15, "
Noble J. Scranton.	"	Jan. 13, 1898
Henry Levy.	"	" 24, "
Louise F. P. Hamilton.	"	" 31, "
Joseph Jacob Gross.	Born	Dec. 25, 1895
Garrett Byrne.	Died	" 11, 1897
Rebecca Gross.	Born	Oct. 8, 1896
Edward Guinan.	Died	Jan. 18, 1898
Mary Handrauh.	"	" 29, "
Sebastian Kanneff.	"	Feb. 4, "

## 6th. Report on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following certificates:

## NAMES.

## RETURN.

## DATE.

Benjamin Gross.	Born	Aug. 10, 1894
Tonfik Nicola.	"	" 18, "
Jenny Mals.	"	April 7, 1872

## Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, By reason of the failure of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appropriate sufficient moneys for the payment of salaries of Inspectors of Mercantile Establishments, it is the duty of this Department to forthwith dispense with the services of said Inspectors; therefore be it

Resolved, That the following-named Inspectors of Mercantile Establishments be and the same are hereby removed from office and the resignations heretofore tendered to this Board be and the same are hereby accepted; namely:

Avery McDougall, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Ethel D. Brown, M. D., Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Caroline E. Whitchee, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Belle de Rivera, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Albert Pittis, M. D., Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Anna Van Der Zee Lee, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Frances G. Deane, M. D., Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Louise A. Husted, M. D., Inspector of Mercantile Establishment.  
Mary E. Emery, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Lizzie W. Law, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
Mary Ireland, Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.  
John J. McGrath, M. D., Inspector of Mercantile Establishments.

Resolved, That Samuel W. McAneny, Willis R. Hill and Henry W. Meyer, Clerks in the Department, be and are hereby directed to report to the Sanitary Superintendent for duty.

Representatives of the Retail Butchers' Association and of commission merchants at Washington market appeared before the Board and were heard in respect to amending section 32 of the Sanitary Code, and, after due consideration, the subject was referred to the Sanitary Committee.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, Section 1324 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897 provides that at least fifty and not more than one hundred officers and men in the Police force shall be selected for the enforcement of the provisions of the Sanitary Code and the acts relating to tenement and lodging houses; and

Whereas, Section 1314 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897 makes it the duty of the Board of Health to cause a careful inspection to be made of every tenement and lodging house in The City of New York, at least twice in each year; and

Whereas, The amount appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1898 (seventy thousand eight hundred dollars, being the same amount as allowed for the year 1897 for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx) is not sufficient to enable the Department of Health to carry out the law in respect to tenement and lodging houses; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to appropriate the additional sum of fifty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$53,500) for officers and men for the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, as follows:

For the Borough of Brooklyn, 1 Roundsman and 25 men.	\$36,500 00
For the Borough of Queens, 1 Roundsman and 5 men	8,500 00
For the Borough of Richmond, 1 Roundsman and 5 men.	8,500 00
	\$53,500 00

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, chapter 384, Laws of 1896, and chapter 415, Laws of 1897, make it the duty of the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York to enforce the same and to prosecute all violations thereof; and

Whereas, the Department of Health has in its employ a corps of Inspectors and Clerks for the enforcement of the provisions of said chapters in all mercantile establishments, for the payment of whose salaries no appropriation has been made for the year 1898; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to appropriate the sum of two thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars and twenty-three cents (\$2,279.23) to pay the salaries of the employees of this Department engaged in the inspection of mercantile establishments from January 1, 1898, to February 10, 1898, inclusive.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby respectfully requested to authorize and direct the experts in the Finance Department who have possession of the records of births, marriages and deaths, and all books and papers of the late Boards of Health of the Towns of Southfield and Middletown and the Village of Edgewater, Borough of Richmond, to deliver the same to the Assistant Chief Clerk of the Department of Health of The City of New York, Borough of Richmond.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That an amendment to section 105 of chapter 429 of the Laws of 1896, in respect to exempting Boards of Health and Departments of Health in cities of the first class from making requisitions upon the Superintendent of State Prisons for supplies, be and is hereby approved.

A communication from Hon. D. E. Finn in respect to Assembly Bill—Nos. 249, 462, was received, and the Secretary was directed to answer the same.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby respectfully requested to authorize and direct the experts in the Finance Department who have possession of the records of births, marriages and deaths, and all books and papers of the late Boards of Health of the Town of Newtown, Town of Flushing, Village of Flushing, Village of College Point, Village of Whitestone, Town of Jamaica, and that part of the Town of Hempstead comprising the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Queens, to deliver the same to the Assistant Chief Clerk of the Department of Health of The City of New York, Borough of Queens.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salaries of the following-named persons employed in this Department be and are hereby fixed as follows, from January 1, 1898:

William B. Fernhead.	\$1,500 00	John E. McGill.	\$1,200 00
William H. Park.	2,000 00	James W. Naughton.	1,200 00
Alfred L. Beebe.	1,800 00	W. D. Gardner.	1,200 00
William J. Lee.	600 00	Rudolph Knoepfle.	780 00
Joseph F. Wilson.	1,000 00	Alvina Mand.	600 00
Harry E. Bramley.	1,500 00	A. Campbell White.	1,200 00
John T. Turner.	1,500 00	George S. Lynde.	1,200 00
Frederick Sprenger.	1,500 00	S. P. Cropper.	1,200 00
David L. Johnston.	1,500 00	Joseph Anderenn.	1,200 00
James Bryan.	1,500 00	R. C. Davis.	\$1,200 00
Samuel McCallum.	1,500 00	John F. Whitmyer.	1,200 00
John S. Drain.	1,200 00	George W. Bogart.	1,200 00
John J. Sullivan.	1,200 00	William E. Woodend.	1,200 00
James I. Tennant.	1,200 00	Charles E. Denison.	1,200 00



Edward J. Graff, Jr.	\$1,200 00	Halsey Durand	\$1,200 00
Joseph G. Hiron	1,200 00	Garrett N. Ford	1,400 00
Gessner Harrison	1,200 00	Peter J. Smith	1,200 00
A. Ayvazian	1,200 00	Thaddeus M. B. Cross	1,200 00
Richard R. Lytle	1,200 00	Charles F. Spencer	1,200 00
Lewis C. Potter	1,200 00	Charles A. Clinton	1,200 00
M. Claudius Warsaw	1,200 00	Edward F. Hurd	1,260 00
Lachlan Tyler	1,200 00	Wilfred P. Byrne	1,200 00
Peter M. W. Verhoeven	720 00	A. S. Ambler	1,800 00

The President presented a preamble and resolution in respect to Senate Bill No. 5 affecting the powers of the Department of Health, which was laid on the table for further consideration. On motion, the Board adjourned.

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, February 14, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to notice.

Present—Commissioners Nathan Straus; John B. Cosby, M. D.; William T. Jenkins, M. D., and the President of the Board of Police.

The following preamble and resolution presented by President Straus at the last meeting and laid on the table was taken up and, on motion, unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Senate Bill No. 5, now before the Senate Committee on Cities, contains such radical changes in the methods now in operation, and involves such material restrictions in the character of the work now performed in the Department of Health; and

Whereas, The passage of said bill would interfere with the continued progress and the successful administration of this Department, particularly in the following ways:

1st. By depriving the Board of Health of the services of the President of the Board of Police Commissioners, and thus rendering less intimate the important relations existing between the Police Department and the Department of Health.

2d. By prohibiting the production of vaccine virus. (In relation to this it may be said that vaccine virus is produced in every country of Europe and Great Britain, under governmental supervision. There is no other producer of vaccine virus in New York State, and it is believed that the virus now produced by this Department is superior to any produced in this country.)

3d. By prohibiting the production of diphtheria antitoxin and other antitoxins, and restricting scientific research.

4th. By limiting the work in the prevention of infectious diseases, especially at the present time, of tuberculosis, diphtheria, the septic diseases and tetanus in human beings, glanders in horses, and tuberculosis in the bovine species, and prospectively of all other infectious diseases for which antitoxins may be ultimately produced.

5th. By excluding from the list of "infectious, contagious and pestilential diseases" a number of diseases which now are classed by this Department of Health or by the health departments of other cities as dangerous to the public health, and included under this head—notably tuberculosis, relapsing fever, plague, puerperal fever, contagious influenza (grippe) and epidemic dysentery—the group of diseases excluded from the list causing on an average throughout the civilized world far more deaths than those included, and concerning the infectious character of which there is now no reasonable doubt.

6th. By diminishing or removing safeguards for the prevention of diphtheria, small-pox and tuberculosis, which have resulted in the practical extinction of small-pox, in a diminution of nearly one-half in the death-rate from diphtheria within a period of four years, and in a diminution of the death-rate from tuberculosis of more than one-third since 1886; and

Whereas, The administration of the Department of Health under existing laws has been successful to an unusual degree in improving the health of the City, and has brought about a reduction of the death-rate from preventable diseases during a period of ten years to about one-third of the previous rate, giving in 1897 the lowest general death-rate in the history of the city; and

Whereas, The enactment of this bill would not in any respect tend to the improvement of the public health, nor be in the interest of the people of The City of New York; therefore

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board the provisions of this bill in the particulars named are inexpedient, unscientific and inhumane, and are calculated to deprive the citizens of New York City of such protection against serious forms of infectious disease as the Department was created to secure. We, therefore, respectfully petition your committee to give most careful consideration to this protest against the provisions of this bill.

The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of said preamble and resolution with copies of all communications received disapproving of the passage of Senate Bill No. 5 to the Senate Committee on Cities.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

### APPROVED PAPERS.

*Approved Papers for the Week ending February 26, 1898.*

Whereas, The commercial prosperity of the State and City of New York is largely influenced by the proper maintenance and effective improvement of the great canals of the State; and

Whereas, The greater portion of the expense or bond issues required for the improvement of the said canals will be a burden upon the people of this city; and

Whereas, The commerce of this city appears already to have been materially affected by a neglect of the said canals and the commercial supremacy of this city may be endangered by neglect to properly improve the canals, waste and extravagance in the expenditure of money appropriated for the improvement of said canals;

Now, therefore, be it Resolved by the Council of The City of New York, the Board of Aldermen concurring, representing a majority of the people of the State of New York,

1. That a thorough investigation of the alleged frauds in connection with the recent expenditures for improving the canals be made with all convenient speed.

2. That a majority of any committee of investigation which may be selected or appointed to inquire into said alleged frauds by the Legislature of this State or otherwise, be representative citizens and residents of this city.

Resolved, That copies of these preambles and resolutions be sent to the Governor, Senate and Assembly of the State of New York.

Adopted by the Council, February 8, 1898.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 8, 1898.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 23, 1898, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the New York City Charter, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the names of the following persons recently appointed Commissioners of Deeds be corrected so as to read as follows:

David Friedman, to read David Friedmann.

Mat E. Bernheimer, to read Max E. Bernheimer.

Edward V. Slawson, to read Edward V. Slauson.

Annie J. Levie, to read Annie J. Levi.

Dolly Stiner, to read Dollie Stiner.

Joseph Rosensweig, to read Joseph Rosenzweig.

Pasquale Baibaia, to read Pasquale Barbera.

Frank C. Meyer, to read Frank J. Mayer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 23, 1898.

Resolved, That the following persons be and they hereby are appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for The City of New York:

George T. Watts, No. 385 Fulton street, Jamaica.

Francis W. Prosser, Metropolitan and Flushing avenues, Brooklyn.

Lawrence F. McCann, No. 150 Nassau street, New York.

James S. Bryant, No. 3103 Third avenue, New York.

Susan A. Monahan, No. 103 East Fifty-fifth street, New York.

John H. McCooey, No. 1390 Dean street, Brooklyn.

John Burt, Jr., No. 50 Broadway, New York.

James P. Burns, No. 466 Second avenue, New York.

James O. Farrell, No. 13 William street, New York.

Cornelius J. Kane, Supreme Court, New York.

H. E. Smith, No. 399 Shepherd avenue, New York.

James E. Snedecor, Rockaway Beach, L. I.

Leopold Sondhelm, No. 44 Broad street, New York.

Frederick W. Rowe, No. 186 Remsen street, Brooklyn.

Chauncey B. Graham, No. 44 Sherman street, Brooklyn.

Charles H. Pulis, No. 1187 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.

John R. Miller, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.

Erskine H. Lott, No. 213 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Joseph F. Flattery, No. 784 Bergen street, Brooklyn.

Charles N. Pracht, No. 244 Hopkins street, Brooklyn.

Emanuel Raunheim, No. 882 Park avenue, New York.  
Julius Bleckwen, No. 202 First avenue, Long Island City.  
George S. Jarvis, Maspeth, Long Island.  
George Koch, No. 229 Oakley street, Long Island City.  
Louis J. Abrams, No. 256 Broadway, New York.  
Samuel Scott Slater, No. 22 William street, New York.  
John B. Robins, No. 31 Park Row, New York.  
George E. Geller, No. 192 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, New York.  
Atmore L. Baggot, No. 197 Lenox avenue, New York.  
E. A. Murray, No. 315 West Fifty-fourth street, New York.  
Henry McLoughlin, No. 206 Broadway, New York.  
Frederick C. Gross, No. 1060 Greene avenue, New York.  
J. Turner Grieve, Ozone Park, Long Island.  
Charles F. Schlaefer, No. 307 Washington street, Brooklyn.  
Louis Lafrance, No. 293 Warren street, Brooklyn.  
James Sheldon, Jr., No. 50 Broadway, New York.  
Frederick W. Baldwin, No. 253 Broadway, New York.  
Emil Danne, No. 47 Cedar street, Brooklyn.  
John N. Huber, No. 425 Hamburg avenue, New York.  
Emanuel Jacobs, No. 132 Nassau street, New York.  
John J. McDonald, No. 630 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, New York.  
John F. Normoyle, No. 802 Westchester avenue, New York.  
John P. Beardall, No. 40 Prospect avenue, New York.  
Edgar D. Chase, East Twenty-ninth street near Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.  
John F. Dreyer, No. 485 Avenue D, Brooklyn.  
F. B. Van Vleck, No. 1405 Pacific street, Brooklyn.  
George J. Smith, Grand street Police Court, Brooklyn.  
Edward M. Perry, No. 180 Calyer street, Brooklyn.  
Otto D. Kuck, No. 344 South Third street, Brooklyn.  
Charles Kemether, No. 65 Diamond street, Brooklyn.  
Louis M. Thompson, No. 221 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, New York.  
George Moffat, No. 356 Grand avenue, Brooklyn.  
William D. Teese, No. 185 Ainslie street, Brooklyn.  
Lowell V. Brown, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.  
Harry G. Schneider, No. 340 Reid avenue, Brooklyn.  
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 23, 1898.

Whereas, The entire American nation has heard with profound grief of the deplorable destruction of the United States battleship "Maine" in the harbor of Havana; and

Whereas, The demolition of the magnificent war vessel has carried sadness to hundreds of homes throughout the length and breadth of the land, more particularly to those within the area of The Greater City of New York; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Aldermen, sincerely deplore the sudden and terrible deaths which met the officers and members of the crew of the said "Maine," and we extend to their surviving relatives our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement; and, be it further

Resolved, That a special committee of five be appointed by the Chair to transmit the Navy Department of the United States Government a certified copy of the foregoing resolutions. That as an additional mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 23, 1898.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph B. Glenny to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 76 Fourth avenue, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, that the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law (eighteen inches square at the base), the lamp not to exceed two feet in diameter and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 11, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, February 15, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, February 24, 1898.

Resolved, That Joseph P. Smithers, Jr., of No. 129 Berkeley place, Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor in and for The City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 25, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, February 15, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, February 24, 1898.

Whereas, The channels of the Harbor of New York are only thirty feet deep at mean low tide, and in many places less than thirty feet deep, and conditions of weather and tide frequently prevail which reduce this depth one to two feet more; and

Whereas, Many vessels which regularly sail from this port have a draught of thirty feet, one has a draught of thirty-two feet and six more are being built with a draught of thirty-two feet each; and

Whereas, It has been demonstrated that the larger vessels are the cheapest carriers when harbor conditions oppose no delays to prompt entry and departure, and wharf facilities favor rapid loading and discharge of cargoes; and

Whereas, The cheapest possible transportation of the products of the factories and farms of the country is essential to enable them to compete successfully in the markets of the world; therefore be it

Resolved, That the deepening of the channels of the Harbor of New York to thirty-five feet, and their widening to two thousand feet, as recommended by Colonel Gillespie, of the United States Engineers, should be undertaken at once in the interest of the farmers and manufacturers of this country and of the commerce of this port, and we urge upon the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress to use their best endeavors to secure in the present session of Congress the passage of the comparatively small appropriation necessary to complete this much-needed harbor improvement without delay.

Resolved, That certified copies of the foregoing preamble and resolution be transmitted to each Senator and Representative in Congress from this State.

Resolved, if the Board of Aldermen concur, a committee, consisting of two members of the Council and two members of the Board of Aldermen, be appointed to co-operate with the committee of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, and like committees of other commercial bodies, to secure the passage by Congress of the necessary appropriations.

Adopted by the Council, February 15, 1898.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 15, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, February 24, 1898.

Resolved, That rooms in the Municipal Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and they hereby are assigned for the uses of the branches in the Borough of Brooklyn of the following departments of the City Government, as follows:

Department of Highways, Rooms 15, 17, 19 and 21.

Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Rooms 25, 27, 29, 31, 33 and 35.

Department of Street Cleaning, Room 37.

Department of Sewers, Rooms 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50.

Department of Water Supply, Rooms 41, 43, 45, 47 and part of Room 49.

Department of Police, Boiler Inspector, Room 52.

Department of Police, Trial Room, part of Room 49 and part of Room 51.

Resolved, That Room "A" and part of Room 38 in said Municipal Building be assigned for the use of the newspaper reporters.

Resolved, That Rooms 5 and 6, third floor, in the Borough Hall in said borough, be assigned to the Department of Corrections; that Room 8, second floor in said Borough Hall, be assigned to the Park Commissioner in said borough, and that Rooms 6 and 7, second floor in said Borough Hall, be assigned to the first Auditor of Accounts of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 25, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, February 15, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1898.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, FEBRUARY 14 TO 19, 1898.

#### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending February 12, 1898: Males, 34; females, 0; on file. List of 25 prisoners to be discharged from February 19 to 26, 1898; transmitted to Prison Association.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending February 12, 1898, of good quality and up to the standard; on file. Reports of census, labor, punishments, visits of Department Physicians, for week ending February 12, 1898; on file.

From the Comptroller—Returning proposal of Horace Ingersoll, for forage, with approval of sureties. Award to be made and contract drawn.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending February 12, 1898, \$423. On file.



From the Department of Public Charities—Requesting a gang of Workhouse men, with Keeper, to make and repair roads on Randall's Island. Warden of Workhouse to furnish.  
From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Engineer complains of defects in new boiler in Wash-house, Women's Wing. Copy to be transmitted to Oil City Boiler Works, contractor.  
From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending February 12, 1898. On file.

**Contract Awarded.**

Horace Ingersoll, for 3,000 bushels oats, at 34 cents per bushel;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  bags oil meal, at \$1.50 per bag.

**Services Dispensed With.**

February 15. Grace Hardy, Temporary Matron, District Prisons.

**Transferred.**

February 15. John Kerr, Warden, District Prisons, to Riker's Island; salary reduced from \$2,500 to \$1,000 per annum.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

**BOARD OF BUILDINGS.**

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
IN BOARD OF BUILDINGS, FEBRUARY 4, 1898.

The Board of Buildings of The City of New York met this day.  
Present—Commissioners Brady, Ryan and Campbell.  
The minutes of the meeting of January 21, 1898, were read and approved.  
A communication from Charles V. Adee notifying the Department of the amount of its appropriation was read and ordered on file.  
A bill of Tiffany & Co., \$10, for alterations to the official seal of the Department was approved and ordered paid.  
On motion of Commissioner Ryan, the Secretary to the Board was directed to procure copies of all bills introduced in the Legislature.  
On motion of Commissioner Ryan, the Board made a formal request on the Commissioner of Buildings for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for temporary quarters, in view of the fact that no allowance for the same had been made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.  
On motion of Commissioner Campbell, the President of the Board of Buildings was authorized to certify to the pay-roll of the officers and employees of the Board of Buildings.  
On motion of Commissioner Campbell, it was decided that all employees of the Department of Buildings of The City of New York, who are designated to perform the duties of Inspectors and Messengers must, while on duty, wear a uniform and insignia of a style hereafter to be agreed upon.  
On motion of Commissioner Ryan, it was resolved to ask The Municipal Civil Service Commission to fully define Schedule A in so far as the same has relation to the Department of Buildings.  
(Signed) A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.

Approved, February 18, 1898.

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
NEW YORK, February 26, 1898.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, February 25, 1898:

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Feb. 19, 1898	7	\$509 00
Monday, " 21, "	14	13 25
Tuesday, " 22, "	Holiday	
Wednesday, " 23, "	14	76 50
Thursday, " 24, "	22	33 75
Friday, " 25, "	25	66 25
Totals.....	82	\$698 75

DAVID J. ROCHE,  
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

**DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.**

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1898.

Hon. WM. A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I notify you herewith of the appointment, on February 21, of John A. Dooner, No. 10 Renwick street, as Superintendent of Buildings for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, at an annual salary of \$3,500.

Respectfully,  
T. J. BRADY,  
Commissioner of Buildings for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

PRESIDENT OF THE  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
February 26, 1898.

W. A. BUTLER, Esq., Supervisor, City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication, that I have fixed the salary of the Secretary of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Ira Edgar Rider, at \$3,000 per annum.

Respectfully,  
AUGUSTUS W. PETERS,  
President Borough of Manhattan.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,  
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,  
NEW YORK, February 25, 1898.

Hon. WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to the provisions of section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I beg to advise you of the following actions taken in regard to employees at a meeting of the Board of Docks held this date:

Peter Shaw, Laborer, was promoted to the position of Sounder, with compensation at the rate of \$15 per week, to take effect February 26, 1898.

John Reed was appointed temporarily as

Engineman, with compensation at the rate of 35 cents per hour while employed.

The resignation of Joseph Canning, Foreman Ship Carpenters, was accepted, to take effect February 24, 1898.

James G. Shand was appointed temporarily as Dock Master, with compensation at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, to take effect March 1, 1898, or as soon thereafter as his official bond is filed with the Comptroller.

The compensation of John Gannon, Watchman, was fixed at the rate of \$17.30 per week, to take effect February 26, 1898.

Yours respectfully,  
GEO. S. TERRY,  
Secretary.

**MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.**

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,  
CITY HALL, February 25, 1898.

**To whom it may concern:**

Public notice is hereby given that the Councilmanic Committee on Railroads will hold a public hearing Friday, March 4, 1898, at one o'clock P. M., upon the resolution introduced in the Council and referred to said Committee, authorizing the investigation and regulation of the railroad facilities at the westerly terminal of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge.  
P. J. SCULLY,  
City Clerk.

**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.****Mayor's Office.**

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

**Bureau of Licenses.**

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief.

GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy.

**AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.**

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PETER J. DOOLING, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, CHARLES H. MURRAY, and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.  
THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.  
Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Stewart Building.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.****THE COUNCIL.**

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council  
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

**BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.****Borough of Manhattan.**

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan,  
Nos. 10, 11 and 12, City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of the Bronx.  
Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx,  
corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.  
President's Office, No. 1 Borough Hall; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

EDWARD M. GRUT, President.

Borough of Queens.  
FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.

Borough of Richmond.

**BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.**

No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

**Department of Highways.**

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.

THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn.

JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.

JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond.

**Department of Sewers.**

Nos. 265 and 267 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.

THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Bronx.

WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.

MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond.

**Department of Bridges.**

Room 177, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy.

SAMUEL R. PROBASCO, Chief Engineer.

MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.

HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

**Department of Water Supply.**

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

JAMES J. HANLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

W. G. BYRNE, Water Register.

JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.

JOSEPH F. LEE, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Old City Hall, Long Island City.

THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond, Stapleton, S. I.

**Department of Street Cleaning.**

No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

Room 37 Municipal Building.

**Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.**

No. 346 Broadway, Room 114, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

JOHN J. RYAN, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.

WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

HENRY SUTPHIN, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.****Comptroller's Office.**

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES B. BOUCE, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.

WILLIAM McKINNEY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.

MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.

WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor, Borough of Richmond.

JOHN J. FETHERSTON, Deputy Receiver of Taxes Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor, Borough of the Bronx

**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

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

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.****Office of Corporation Counsel.**

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.

ALMUT F. JENKS, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

**Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.**

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

**Bureau of Street Openings.**

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.

JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.****Central Office.**

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.

ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens.

ARTHUR A. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner.

JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.

Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.****Central Office.**

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BERNARD J. YORK, President of the Board; THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Secretary; JOHN B. SEXTON, WILLIAM H. PHILIPS, Commissioners.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.****Central Office.**

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.  
N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.  
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

No. 146 Grand street, corner of Elm street.  
CHARLES BULKLEY HUBBELL, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Clerk.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

**Headquarters.**

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.  
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner in Brooklyn.  
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.  
HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department. GEO. E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles; PETER SEERY, Fire Marshal; MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN, Deputy Fire Marshal; J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
Central Office open at all hours.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**

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

NATHAN STRAUS, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., the PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, *ex officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex officio*, Commissioners; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**

Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.

J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.

GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.

GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.

AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of the Bronx.

**DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.**

Main office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

THOMAS J. BRADY, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

DANIEL RYAN, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, temporarily.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**



**NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.**  
Commissioners' Office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LEWIS NIXON, President; JAMES W. BOYLE, Vice-President; SMITH E. LANE, Secretary; JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, Treasurer; JOHN W. WEBER, THOMAS S. MOORE and THE MAYOR, Commissioners.  
Chief Engineer's Office, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.**  
Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.  
DANIEL LORD, Chairman; JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
EDWARD I. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART, ANTONIO ZUCCA.

Borough of the Bronx.

ANTHONY McOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH  
Borough of Brooklyn.  
ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.

Borough of Queens.

PHILIP T. CROXIN, DR. SAMUEL S. GUY, JR., LEONARD ROUFF, JR., Jamaica, L. I.  
Borough of Richmond.  
JOHN SEAYER, GEORGE C. TRANTER.

#### SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.  
FRANK T. FITZGERALD and JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

#### APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRETT, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WM. LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk.

#### SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.  
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 21.  
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.  
Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 16.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 32.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 31.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 30.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 22.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.  
Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JOSEPH F. DALY, MILES BEACH, ROGER A. PRYOR, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY W. BOOKSTAYE, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FRIEDMAN, WILLIAM N. COHEN, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID McADAM, HENRY R. BECKMAN, HENRY A. GILDERSLLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT; WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 11 A. M.  
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JAMES FITZGERALD, Judge of the Court of General Sessions; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER and MARTIN T. McMAHON, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

#### CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.  
JOHN F. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

#### CITY COURT.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
General Term.  
Trial Term, Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, brown-stone building, No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN and W. M. K. OLCOTT, Justices; JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, daily, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS, JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK.  
Justices, Second Division—THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, HOWARD J. FORKER, JOHN L. DEVENNEY, JOHN COURTNEY and JOHN FLEMING.

#### MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. Court-room, corner Prince and Wooster streets.  
WALDOPE LYNN, Justice. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner Grand and Centre streets.  
HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.  
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.  
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAHAM BERNARD, Clerk.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every

morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.  
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 318 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.

Borough of the Bronx.  
First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.  
JOHN M. TIERNNEY, Justice.

Borough of Brooklyn.  
First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.  
WILLIAM SCHNITZPAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.  
ADOLPH H. GORTING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on West Eighth street, near Surf avenue, Coney Island (located temporarily).  
CORNELIUS FERGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Borough of Queens.  
First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).  
THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.  
WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN.

Borough of Richmond.  
First District—JOHN J. KENNY.  
Second District—ALBERT REYNOLD.

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, J. THOMAS F. WENTWORTH, W. H. OLMSTEAD, EBER DEMAREST, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

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.

Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.  
JACOB BRENNER, City Hall District, No. 318 Adams street.

HENRY BRISTOW, First District, Court and Butler streets.

LEWIS WORTH, Second District, Gates and Reid avenues.

WILLIAM KRAMER, Third District, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue.

ANDREW LEMON, Fourth District, Powers and Ewen streets.

CHARLES E. TEALE, Fifth District, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

ALFRED E. STEERS, Grant street, No. 31 Grant street, Matbush.

J. LOTT NOSTRAND, Seventh District, Coney Island.

#### Borough of Richmond.

NATHANIEL MARSH, Stapleton, Staten Island.  
JOHN CROAK, Old Village Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island. Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Sundays and holidays.

#### Borough of Queens.

MATTHEW J. SMITH, Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue Long Island City.  
LUKE J. CONNORTON, Flushing.  
EDMUND J. HEALY, Far Rockaway.

#### OFFICIAL PAPERS.

**MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH."**  
Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."  
Weekly—"Weekly Union," "Irish American."  
German—"Morgen Journal."  
WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
Supervisor, City Record.  
JANUARY 19, 1898.

#### 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 3 O'CLOCK P. M., UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**  
Dated New York, October 30, 1897.  
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

**PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN THE VICINITY OF NEW YORK BAY, CAN PROCURE MATERIAL FOR THAT PURPOSE—ASHES, STREET SWEEPINGS, ETC., SUCH AS IS COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—FREE OF CHARGE, BY APPLYING TO THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET CLEANING, 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
JAMES MCCARTNEY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 28, 1898.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING, FOR THE USE OF MEMBERS OF THE POLICE FORCE, CLOTH FOR UNIFORMS, BUTTONS, BELTS AND CLUBS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF POLICE IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK A. M. OF FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1898.**

The person or persons making the estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Cloth," or "Estimate for furnishing Buttons," or "Estimate for furnishing Belts," or "Estimate for furnishing Clubs," as the case may be, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by a bond with two sureties for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for estimate for furnishing cloth, and five thousand dollars each for estimates for furnishing buttons, or belts, or clubs, respectively.  
For particulars as to the quality and kind of materials to be furnished, reference must be made to the specifications and form of estimate, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.  
By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE** Police Department with four thousand three hundred tons of best quality of Anthracite Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the eleventh day of March, 1898.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Coal," for station-houses, etc., and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of each size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the kind of anthracite coal they propose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or other business appellation.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provisions of the contract: "And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent., without compensation to the said party of the first part, other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

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

plies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.  
NEW YORK, February 28, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE** Police Department with Eight Hundred Tons of best quality of Anthracite Coal, for use on the steamboat "Patrol," will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 11th day of March, 1898.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Coal for Steamboat," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind, quantity and size of coal required and time of delivery, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the kind of anthracite coal they propose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or other business appellation.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provisions of the contract: "And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed ten per cent. without compensation to the said party of the first part, other than the prices per ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty pounds for the coal to be delivered. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation



any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, 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.

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.  
NEW YORK, February 28, 1898.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK** of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—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 Patrolman of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 16, 1898.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT two Horses, known as Gordon and Dandy, the property of the Police Department, will be sold at public auction, on Friday, March 4, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board,  
JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 2, 1898.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT the 39th auction sale of Police and Unclaimed Property will be sold at Public Auction, Wednesday, March 2, 1898, at Police Headquarters, at 11 A. M., of the following property, viz.: Revolvers, Pistols, Cannon, Knives, Razors, Scissors, Opera Glasses, Watches, Chains, Lockets, Miscellaneous Jewelry, Toilet Articles, Sundries, Wagon, Chairs, Safes, Furniture, Iron Bedsteads and various other property.

For particulars see catalogue on day of sale.  
JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.

**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.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, February 25, 1898.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, VIZ.:**

1,600 tons egg size,  
300 tons furnace size

—will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, March 9, 1898, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be free-burning, of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows:

"Scranton" by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company.  
"Lackawanna" by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, or by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad Company.  
"Pittston" by the Pennsylvania Coal Company.  
"Wilkesbarre" by the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company.

"Jermyn" by the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad Company, or any other free-burning coal.

—all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

The bidder must name the particular kind of coal he proposes to furnish, and state where and by whom it is mined.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of a Weighmaster designated for that purpose by the Department. All as more fully set forth in the specifications to the contract, to which particular attention is directed.

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

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

Bidders must write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures, stating the price per ton for each size and the total amount.

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

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

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made with out 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred (\$4,500) Dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller or money to the amount of Two Hundred and Twenty-five (\$225) Dollars. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Commissioner.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

List 5354, No. 2. Paving Twenty-second street, from Eleventh to Thirtieth avenue, with asphalt pavement (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5351, No. 3. Paving Twenty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, with asphalt pavement (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5362, No. 4. Paving Twenty-first street, from Tenth to Thirtieth avenue, with asphalt pavement (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5310, No. 5. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Broadway.

List 5354, No. 6. Paving Grand street, from Goerck street to East street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5368, No. 7. Paving Thirtieth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5371, No. 8. Paving Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, with asphalt pavement.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Corlears street, from Grand to South street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

No. 3. Both sides of Twenty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Twenty-first street, from Tenth to Thirtieth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Forty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Broadway; east side of Eighth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street, and south side of Forty-eighth street, extending about 350 feet east of Eighth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Grand street, from Goerck to East street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Thirtieth avenue, commencing about 100 feet south of Twenty-third street to Twenty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 31, 1898, at 10:30 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
February 28, 1898.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5463, No. 1. Sewers in Mercer street, between West Fourth street and Clinton place.

List 5495, No. 2. Paving Ninety-third street, between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5536, No. 3. Paving Twenty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river, with granite blocks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5546, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Riverside and Amsterdam avenues, with curves in Amsterdam avenue.

List 5551, No. 5. Sewer in Seventh avenue (west side), between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

List 5556, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue to Boulevard Lafayette, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5557, No. 7. Paving One Hundred and First street from Madison to Fifth avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5563, No. 8. Paving First avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, with asphalt and granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5564, No. 9. Receiving-basin on the east side of Amsterdam avenue, 108 feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

List 5559, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with asphalt pavement.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Mercer street from West Fourth street to Clinton place, south side of Clinton place from Broadway to Mercer street and west side of Broadway from Waverly place to Clinton place.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Twenty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Riverside to Amsterdam avenue; east side of the Boulevard and west side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, and east side of Boulevard and west side of Amsterdam avenue, extending about 107 feet south of One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

No. 5. West side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street extending about one hundred and eighty-two feet six inches west of Seventh avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue to Boulevard Lafayette and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of First avenue from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. East side of Amsterdam avenue, extending from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 25, 1898, at 10:30 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
February 21, 1898.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5434, No. 1. Paving Water street, from Whitehall to Rutgers Slip with granite blocks and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

List 5446, No. 2. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Central Park West (west side), between Sixty-second and Seventieth streets, and to curves at Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets.

List 5496, No. 3. Paving Ninety-ninth street, from Park to Madison avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5501, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5502, No. 5. Paving Ninety eighth street, from Lexington to Park avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5529, No. 6. Laying crosswalk across Western Boulevard at the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

List 5534, No. 7. Paving Ninety-fifth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5537, No. 8. Paving Park avenue (east side), from Ninety-seventh to One Hundredth street, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5539, No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

List 5542, No. 10. Receiving-basins on the southwest

corner of Jefferson and Water streets and on the south-east corner of Rutgers Slip and Water streets.

List 5549, No. 11. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Hudson river and Boulevard.

List 5552, No. 12. Paving Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue with asphalt pavement.

List 5566, No. 13. Paving One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, with asphalt pavement.

List 5570, No. 14. Laying crosswalks across St. Nicholas avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and across One Hundred and Fifteenth street at the easterly side of Seventh avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Water street, from Whitehall street to Rutgers Slip.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from Sixty-second to Seventieth street; both sides of Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, from the Boulevard to Central Park West; both sides of Sixty-fifth street, extending about 290 feet west of Central Park West; both sides of Sixty-sixth street, extending about 275 feet west of Central Park West; and both sides of Sixty-seventh street, extending about 200 feet west of Central Park West.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Park to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Lexington to Park avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block, from the intersection of the Western Boulevard with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

No. 7. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. East side of Park avenue, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundredth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Amsterdam to Convent avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. South side of Water street, from Rutgers Slip to Jefferson street, on Block 247, Lots Nos. 14, 15, 17, 22 and 23.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Hudson river and west side of the Boulevard extending about 100 feet north and south of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.

No. 12. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. To the extent of half the block from the intersections of east side of Seventh avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas and One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 22, 1898, at 10:30 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
February 17, 1898.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 65 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1898.

**LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 4. FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** below-mentioned hospital supplies will be received at the Central Office of this Department, No. 65 Third Avenue, until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, February 28, 1898, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

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

The awards will be made to the lowest bidders. The Department reserves the right to take more or less, or none at all, of any of the articles, according as the demand therefor may be.

All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department, and not on samples furnished by the bidder.

Samples will be on exhibition at the Central Office of this Department, No. 65 Third Avenue, during office hours, from February 21, until the bids are opened.

#### SPECIFICATIONS.

A. DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.	
Line No.	More or less.
970.	3 pounds Acid, Hydriodic, 10 per cent., Sharp & Dohme.
971.	6 dozen Alum Cones, not mounted.
972.	3 pounds Ammonium Benzoate, 1 lb. b.
973.	10 pounds Balsam Tolu.
974.	5 pounds Benzoin, 5 lb. b.
975.	1 pound Benzol, crystallizable, Merck's.
976.	8 ounces Chloral Butyl (Croton Chloral), 1 oz. v.
977.	1 ounce Digitalin, "German," Merck's, 1/2 oz. v.
978.	5 grammes Digitalin, "French," Merck's, 1 gm. v.
979.	8 ounces ext. Cascara, pound, 1 oz. orig. v.
980.	5 pounds ext. Pareira, fluid, 1 lb. orig. b.
981.	2 ounces Eucaine Hydrochlorate A or B, 1/2 oz. v.
982.	5 grammes Hyoscyamine, Sulphate, Cryst., 1 gm. v.
983.	1 pound Iron Hypophosphite, 1 lb. b.
984.	8 ounces Manganese Hypophosphite, 1 oz. v.
985.	1 pound Mercury, Yellow Oxide, 1 lb. b.
986.	1 pound Mercury, w. Chalk, 1 lb. b.
987.	1 ounce Morphine Oleate, 10 per cent.
988.	25 pounds Oil Lavender Spike, extra, Fritzsche Bros.
989.	2-500 Pills, Blue Mass, 2 gr., coated (not sugar) orig. b.
990.	50 pounds Plaster, Lead, 1/2 lb. rolls.
991.	50



Line No.	More or less.
996.	1 pound Solution Guita Percha, clear, U. S. P. 1880.
997.	1 pound Tablets Lithium Carb., 3 gr., efferv., orig. b.
998.	3 ounces Tablets Pituitary (1 gr. gland), Armour's.
999.	1 pound Tablets Soda Mint, 5 gr., orig. b.
1000.	2-1,000 Tablets, Tritt, Digitaline, 1/2 gr., orig. b.
1001.	1-1,000 Tablets, Tritt, Digitaline, 1-64 gr., orig. b.
1002.	5 pounds Terebene, optically inactive, 1 lb., orig. b.
1003.	10,000 siphons Carbonated Waters, Hygeia, Carbonic, Vichy, Seltzer, Lithia, in open or closed boxes, as required, and to be delivered at institutions or places in city, as ordered.
1004.	4 cases Still Luthia Water, Hygeia, each 12 1/2-gall.
1005.	25 gallon Still Distilled Water, Hygeia, 5 g. demij.
1006.	N. B.—No charge to be made for demijohns, which will be returned.
1007.	4 barrels California Port Wine.
1008.	2 half barrels (ab. 24 gallons each) California Brandy, at least four years old, directly out of bond.
1009.	1/2 cask (20 gallons) Otard Brandy, at least ten years old, directly out of bond.
1010.	N. B.—In the case of the two last-named articles, a Gauger's certificate must accompany the bill.
1011.	B. SUNDRIES AND SURGICAL SUPPLIES.
1012.	1 each Agate Deep Dish Pans (L. & G.) 21 qt., 40 qt., 100 qt.
1013.	2 Agate Soup Stock Pots (L. & G.), No. 35 (9 gall.).
1014.	1 each Agate Covered Seamless Convex Saucepans (L. & G.), 1 qt., 2 qt., 3 qt., 4 qt.
1015.	1 each Agate-covered Seamless Convex Kettles (L. & G.), 1/2 qt., 1 qt., 2 qt., 4 qt.
1016.	1 each Agate-covered Seamless Stove Pots (L. & G.), 6 qt., 9 qt., 14 qt.
1017.	6 Awns, Socket scratch, New Haven Edge T. Co., No. 15.
1018.	2 dozen Atomizers, Barclay No. 21 (W. T. & Co.'s).
1019.	1 dozen Bottles, Sterilizing, for Kny's Milk Sterilizer, No. 1790.
1020.	13 gross Bottles, Poison, Blue, W. T. & Co.'s, 5 gro. 1 oz., 5 gro. 2 oz., 3 gro. 4 oz.
1021.	17 gross Bottles, Poison, Flint, W. T. & Co.'s, 5 gro. 1 oz., 5 gro. 2 oz., 3 gro. 4 oz., 2 gro. 8 oz.
1022.	1 each—Bottles, tubulated, W. T. & Co.'s No. 2420—1 gall., 2 gall., 3 gall., 5 gall.
1023.	1 dozen Bottles, Green Packing, extra heavy, W. T. & Co.'s style, narr. m., 2 gall.
1024.	3 Bung starters, wood, best.
1025.	4 Buttons Murphy's, regular.
1026.	1 Button, Murphy's, oval (oblong).
1027.	1 dozen bundles each (ab. 11 ft. each) Catgut, Kny's Cat. pg. 144, Nos. 00, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.
1028.	1 Centrifuge, Bausch & Lomb's improved, 2 gears, without attachments.
1029.	1 Daland's Haematocrit Attachment for above.
1030.	4 extra Percentage Tubes for above.
1031.	4 Sputum Tubes for above.
1032.	1 Urinary Attachment for above, complete.
1033.	4 Graduated Sediment Tubes for above.
1034.	1 Ungraduated Sediment Tubes for above.
1035.	1 set (3) Chisels, Macewen's.
1036.	2 each Chisels, cold; Sargent & Co.'s, No. 95, 1/2 inch, 3/4 inch and 1 inch.
1037.	2 each Chisels, box; Sargent & Co.'s, No. 72, 10 inch, and 12 inch.
1038.	2 Corkscrews, Empire Knife Co's No. 3, automatic.
1039.	5 sets Dennison's Consecutive Numbers (1 to 1000), No. 20.
1040.	2 Dennison's Handy Boxes, Willson's Gummed Figures, 500 each.
1041.	2 Dennison's Handy Boxes, Willson's Gummed Letters, 1,000 each.
1042.	2,000 each Dennison's Hook Tags, 30 N; 31 N; 40 N.
1043.	3 each Faucets, loose key, racking, to screw, pol. brass, 3/4-inch; 1 inch.
1044.	3 each Faucets, brass lever bibbs, nut and washer bottom, pol. brass; 3/4-inch; 1/2-inch.
1045.	3 each Faucets, Brass Liquor Cocks, nut and washer bottom polished; 3/4-inch; 1/2-inch; 1-inch.
1046.	2 Forceps, Dressing, Bozemann.
1047.	2 Forceps, Cover Glass, B. & L.'s, 5870.
1048.	2 Forceps, Cover Glass, B. & L.'s, 5875.
1049.	2 Forceps, Dissecting, B. & L.'s, 5845.
1050.	2 Forceps, Dissecting, B. & L.'s, 5805.
1051.	2 Forceps, Dissecting, B. & L.'s, 5820.
1052.	2 Forceps, Epilating, Bergh's, Ford's.
1053.	1 Hot Air Bath (like Tiemann's No. 2573.)
1054.	2 Irrigators, Glass (Kny 17007) 3/2 qts.
1055.	2 Irrigators, Hard Rubb. (Reynolds 43-283) 3 qt.
1056.	1 Kettle, Croup, Dr. Holt's, Lewis & Conger.
1057.	1 Lactosco, Feser's, B. & L.
1058.	6 Lanterns, tin, each with 3 dozen wicks (sample).
1059.	4 Locks, Padlocks, Yale, Self-cock, Spring, bronze, Nos. 813, 853, 863.
1060.	3 each Milville Chemical Jars, W. T. & Co.'s, 240, pints and quarts.
1061.	1 Mouth-gag, Denhard's adult.
1062.	1 each Nail-pullers, Giant, 15 inches, 18 inches.
1063.	1 Needle Holder, New Russian, J. Reyniers & Co.
1064.	6 dozen Needles, Perinum.
1065.	1 dozen Needles, Hernia, Dowell's.
1066.	1 dozen each Nipple Shields, Phenix, W. T. & Co.'s Nos. 1 and 2.
1067.	1 dozen each Pinchcocks, Squibb's, large and small.
1068.	1 dozen Pinchcocks, Kny's 17240.
1069.	1 each Pliers, Sargent & Co.'s Flat Nose (No. 21), 3 inches, 3 1/2 inches, 4 inches. Side-Cut (No. 55), 4 inches, 4 1/2 inches.
1070.	1 each Pliers, gas, Sargent & Co.'s (No. 25), 6 inches, 8 inches.
1071.	1 Pocket Lens, Hasting's Aplanatic triplets, No. 39, B. & L.'s.
1072.	2 Retractors, Middendorf's half-curved, fenestrated.
1073.	2 Retractors, Langenbeck's, blunt, ab. 1 1/2 inches wide.
1074.	2 Retractors, Little's.
1075.	2 Retractors, Volkman's, blunt, 4 prongs, large.
1076.	2 Retractors, Volkman's, point., 3 prongs, small.
1077.	10 pounds Rubber Sheetting (Bandage Gum) (sample).
1078.	2 pair Rubber Boots, No. 8, gold seal, short.
1079.	6 Scissors, Surgical, about 6 inches, straight, sharp-point.
1080.	6 Scissors, Surgical, about 6 inches, straight, blunt-point.
1081.	6 Scissors, Surgical, about 6 inches, curved on flat.
1082.	6 Scissors, Surgical, about 6 inches, angular.
1083.	6 Scissors, Taylor's Phimosia, Tiemann's.

Line No.	More or less.
1084.	1 lb. Shot, Perforated.
1085.	1 each Sieves, Druggist's, 16 inches diameter (sample), No. 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50.
1086.	10 Sieves, Flour, Tin (Sample).
1087.	1 each Steel Porcelain Basins, Kny's 17437 14-inch; 15-inch; 17 1/2-inch; 23 1/2-inch.
1088.	2 Steel Porcelain Foot Tubes, Kny's 18407.
1089.	2 Steel Porcelain Hot Water Cans, Kny's 1850.
1090.	1 each Steel Porcelain Trays, Kny's 17820: 8 1/2 by 7 inches; 10 1/2 by 8 1/2 inches; 14 1/2 by 12 1/2 inches; 18 1/2 by 16 1/2 inches; 23 1/2 by 18 inches.
1091.	1 Stove, gas, "Economy," single; E. & A., 8157.
1092.	1 Stove, gas, round, E. & A., 8153; 8 inches.
1093.	1 each Syringes, H. R., Rectal; 1/2 oz., 1 oz., 2 oz., 3 oz., 4 oz., 6 oz., 8 oz.
1094.	1 dozen Syringes, H. R., Ear, Goodyear No. 67; 1/2 oz.
1095.	5 boxes Tapers, wax, gas-lighting (60 in box).
1096.	12 Tenacula, single (Reynolds 267 78-83).
1097.	2 Tenacula, double, Emmett's (Reynd. 326 -85).
1098.	1 gross Test-tubes, best, 5 inches by 3/4 inch.
1099.	1 gross Test-tubes, best, 6 inches by 3/4 inch.
1100.	1 Thermocist, Molloy's, hospital size, complete.
1101.	4 Thermometers, Chemical, E. & A.'s 8285, to ab. 350 degrees F., magnifying front.
1102.	2 each Trays, glass, Kny's 17780: 6 1/2 inches by 5 1/2 inches, 9 1/2 inches by 7 1/2 inches, 12 1/2 inches by 9 1/2 inches, 14 1/2 inches by 12 1/2 inches.
1103.	2 each Trays, glass, Kny's 17786: 5 inches by 3 inches, 9 inches by 4 1/2 inches, 12 inches by 7 inches, 13 1/2 inches by 8 1/2 inches.
1104.	2 each Trays, porcelain, Kny's 17750: 7 by 5 1/2 inch, 9 1/2 by 7 inch, 11 by 9 inch, 17 by 14 inch.
1105.	12 Trocar and Canulas, straight, silver (Reynd. 143-4).
1106.	2 Trocars and Canulas, curved, silver, Reynnd. 143-6.
1107.	12 Tubes for Metzger's Centrifuge, each in cloth (sample).
1108.	1 dozen tubes for Brown's Catgut Sterilizer, w. caps, Kny's.
1109.	1 dozen tubes, Sterilizing, Markoe's, Kny's.
1110.	12 feet Tubing, Black Para Rubber (sample); diameters, outside and inside: 15-10 Mm.; 17-11 Mm.; 19-12 Mm.
1111.	1 Urethrotome, Fluhrer-Maisonneuve, Tiemann's.
1112.	12 Vaporizers for Vapococcolin.
1113.	1 Vise, Sargent's Parallel, No. 11; 3 1/4-inch jaws.
1114.	2 pounds Wool, Lamb's, purified, 1/2-pound package.
1115.	1 each Wrenches, Baxter's S. 4 and 6 inches.
1116.	1 Syringe, Exploring, Reynnders (p. 146-24b).
1117.	1 Needle Holder, Crosby-Mathieu, Reynnders.
1118.	1 Edebohls' Tenaculum, Reynnders.
1119.	4 Glass Jars, Kny's 18112, 8 by 8 inches.
1120.	1 Ebullioscope, E. & A., 9122.
1121.	2 Viscosity Pipettes, Dudley's, E. & A. 9374.

NOTE.—In the case of numbers 1014 to 1018 (both inclusive), 1022 to 1024 (both inclusive), 1029, 1041 to 1044 (both inclusive), 1045 to 1047 (both inclusive), 1049 to 1053 (both inclusive), 1061, 1062, 1069, 1088 to 1085 (both inclusive), 1090 to 1093 (both inclusive), 1096, 1101 and 1102 (together); 1105 to 1107 (both inclusive); 1109 and 1110 (together); and 1114, the award will be made to the lowest bidder for the combined articles under the respective number or group of numbers.

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First avenue, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

The quality of the Hospital Supplies must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners, or be provided for by the specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 66 Third avenue, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President.  
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner.  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner.  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS OF SURGICAL AND CHEMICAL APPARATUS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES FOR 1898. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the following Repairs of Surgical and Chemical Apparatus, will be received at the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of Monday, February 28, 1898. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid for Repairs of Surgical and Chemical Apparatus," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

Line Number.  
1130 260 (more or less) Instruments, belonging to the several institutions, which will be on exhibition at the General Drug Department, on Friday, February 25, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturday, February 26, from 9 A. M. until noon.  
1131 6 Batteries (4 galvanic and 2 faradic), which will be on exhibition at the same time and place.  
1132 2 Operating Tables, requiring new slabs of plate glass, at Harlem Hospital. Bidders to call there and take measure themselves.

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First avenue, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

The quality of the Repairs of Surgical and Chemical Apparatus must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners, or be provided for by the specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 66 Third avenue, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President.  
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner.  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner.  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, PEA COAL, Rubber Goods, Crockery and Oils. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Brushes, Crockery, Glass, Oils, Woodenware, Hardware, Lime, etc., during the year 1898, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., Monday, February 28, 1898. All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1898.

All quantities to be more or less, as per specifications.

BROOMS AND BRUSHES.  
328. 12 dozen 6 Paint Brushes.  
329. 12 dozen Sash Tools, No. 6.  
330. 12 dozen Sash Tools, No. 8.  
331. 15 dozen Tooth Brushes.  
332. 20 dozen Nail Brushes.  
333. 2 dozen Roofing Brushes, with handles.  
334. 12 dozen Fitches, assorted.  
335. 6 dozen Lather Brushes.  
336. 3 dozen Varnish Brushes.  
337. 4 dozen Feather Brushes.

OILS, VARNISH, ETC.  
337. 20 gallons Liquid Dryer.  
338. 50 gallons White Shellac.  
339. 100 gallons Brown Shellac.  
340. 25 gallons Orange Shellac.  
341. 10 gallons Wood Alcohol.  
342. 50 gallons Dammar Varnish.  
343. 25 gallons Spar Varnish.  
344. 25 gallons Rubbing Varnish.  
345. 25 gallons Finishing Varnish.  
346. 20 gallons Coach Japan, black.  
347. 20 gallons Coach Finishing Varnish.  
348. 25 gallons Rouch Stuff.  
349. 6 barrels Naphtha (50 gallons each).  
350. 150 gallons Copal Varnish.  
351. 100 gallons Asphaltum.  
352. 10 barrels Whiting (3,000 pounds).  
353. 25 gallons Furniture Varnish.  
354. 50 gallons Hard Oil Finish.

PAINTS.  
355. 37,500 pounds White Lead in Oil, kegs 25, 50 and 100.  
356. 100 pounds Black Lead, Dry.  
357. 400 pounds Red Lead, dry, kegs 50 and 25 pounds.  
358. 150 pounds Lamp Black, dry.  
359. 2,000 pounds Metallic Paint, Princess.  
360. 50 pounds Prussian Blue, 1, 2, 5 pound cans in oil.  
361. 50 pounds U. M. Blue, 1, 2, 5 pound cans, in oil.  
362. 240 pounds U. M. Blue, 28-pound box, dry.  
363. 1,000 pounds Venetian red, 1, 2, 5, 10 pound cans, in oil.  
364. 125 pounds Indian red, 1, 2, 5 pound cans, in oil.  
365. 250 pounds Burnt Sienna, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
366. 250 pounds Raw Sienna, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
367. 250 pounds Burnt Umber, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.

368. 200 pounds Raw Umber in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
369. 200 pounds Chrome Green, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
370. 200 pounds Emerald Green, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
371. 100 pounds Chrome Yellow, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
372. 250 pounds French Ochre, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
373. 150 pounds Drop Black, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
374. 100 pounds Drop Black, 1, 2, 5 pound cans, in Japan.  
375. 250 pounds Patent Dryer in oil, 1, 2, 5 pounds.  
376. 100 pounds Zinc White, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pounds.  
377. 100 pounds Vermilion, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
378. 75 pounds Vermillion, Dry.  
379. 25 pounds Cobalt Blue, in oil, 1, 2, 5 pound cans.  
380. 75 pounds China Gloss.  
381. 75 pounds White Enamel.  
382. 75 pounds French Zinc.  
383. 20 pounds Dutch Pink.  
384. 15 pounds Bronze Powder.  
385. 10 gallons Liquid Bronze.  
386. 6 packages Gold Leaf.  
387. 700 pounds Putty, 7 tubs, 100 pounds each.  
388. 70 pounds Woodfiller, light.  
389. 20 pounds Rose Pink.  
390. 50 packages Glazier's points.  
391. 50 pounds Pumice stone.  
392. 200 Paint Skins.  
393. 60 pounds Borax, Powdered.  
394. 80 pounds Beeswax.

ROPE, TWINE, ETC.  
395. 5 coils Manila Rope, 9-thread.  
396. 1 coil Manila Rope, 9-thread.  
397. 1 coil Manila Rope, 27-thread.  
398. 1 coil Manila Rope, 2 inches.  
399. 1 coil Manila Rope, 2 1/2 inches.  
400. 1 coil Manila Rope, 3 inches.  
401. 1 coil Manila Rope, 3 1/2 inches.  
402. 1 coil Manila Rope, 4 inches.  
403. 2 coils Manila Rope, 5 inches.  
404. 2 coils Manila Rope, 6 inches.  
405. 250 pounds Sash Cord No. 8 "Silver Lake."  
406. 100 pounds Cotton Cord.  
407. 75 pounds Medium Twine.  
408. 125 pounds Coarse Twine.  
409. 36 pounds Sail Twine, 4 ply.



411.	24 pounds No. 52 Stitches Twine.	538.	74 dozen papers Carpet Tacks, 4 No. 2, 8 No. 4, 12 No. 6, 12 No. 8, 14 No. 10, 14 No. 12, 10 No. 14.	566.	2 kips Chamois Skins.	837.	2 Diets' Lanterns.
412.	65 barrels Portland Cement.	539.	3 dozen papers Tinned Tacks, 1 10-ounce, 2 12-ounce.	567.	40 gross Pine Combs.	838.	6 Pinafore Globes.
413.	25 barrels Rosendale Cement.	540.	4 dozen papers Galvanized Tacks, 2 10-ounce, 2 12-ounce.	568.	450 dozen Plantation Combs.	839.	6 pieces Mica, 7 by 10.
414.	1 barrel Roofing Cement.	541.	4 dozen papers Upholsterers' Tacks, assorted.	569.	1 dozen Barber Combs, 8-inch.	840.	6 Horse Boots, 3 each, F. & H.
415.	5 barrels Fire Clay.	542.	3 dozen Brick Trowels.	570.	1 dozen Curry Combs.	841.	1 gross pieces White Stay Binding.
416.	5 barrels Fire Mortar.	543.	2 dozen Plasterers' Trowels.	571.	1/2 dozen Mace Combs.	842.	1 gross Stay Tape, 1/2-inch each, W. & B.
417.	15 barrels Plaster Paris.	544.	1 dozen Pointing Trowels.	572.	3 gross Crayons, School.	843.	1 dozen pairs 6-inch Double-action Brass Screen Door Butts.
418.	37 barrels Whitewash Lime.	545.	5 dozen Sad Irons.	573.	4 gross Crayons, Tailor's Chalk, 1 red, 1 white, 1 blue, 1 black.	844.	2 dozen each Warding Files, 4-inch and 6-inch Files.
419.	50 barrels Common Lime.	546.	2 dozen Polishing Irons.	574.	100 pounds Sewing Needles, sharps, "Milwards," No. 3, 20 No. 4, 10 No. 5, 5 No. 6, 3 No. 7, 2 No. 8.	845.	2 dozen each Round Files, 6 and 8-inch.
420.	20 barrels Finishing Lime.	547.	1 dozen Bread Cutters.	575.	600 gross Sewing-machine Needles, assorted.	846.	15 pounds Copper Wire, No. 15.
421.	25 bushels Plasterer's Hair.	548.	600 pounds Horseshoes, 50 each No. 6, F. & H.; 50 each No. 3, F. & H.; 100 each No. 4, F. & H.; 100 each No. 5, F. & H.	576.	400 packages Pins.	847.	1 set Graining Combs.
422.	250 bundles Lath.	549.	100 pounds Horse Shoe Nails "Ausable," No. 6-25, No. 7-25, No. 8-25, No. 9-25.	577.	40 great gross Safety Pins, "Lindsay's," No. 2.	848.	1/2 dozen 3-inch Scraping Knives.
423.	3,000 Fire Brick, No. 1.	550.	4 dozen Iron Barrel Bolts.	578.	60 great gross Safety Pins, "Lindsay's," No. 3.	849.	1 pound Copper Tacks.
424.	15,000 Common Brick.	551.	4 dozen Iron Door Buttons.	579.	100 pounds Hair Pins.	850.	1 pound Button-head Brass Screws, 1-inch.
	WOODENWARE, ETC.	552.	3 dozen Table Castors.	580.	150 pounds Insect Powder, "Persian."	851.	1 piece Heavy Sheet Brass, 10 feet by 16 inches.
425.	75 dozen Cotton mops.	553.	3 dozen Drawer Locks.	581.	450 boxes Polishing Paste, 1-lb. cans.	852.	1 3/4-inch Gauge Chisel.
426.	17,000 Paper Bags, 2 1-pound, 3 2-pounds, 5 5-pounds, 5 10-pounds, 2 20-pounds.	554.	6 only Hand Truck Wheels, 9-inch, 1-inch hole, 3-inch tread.	582.	3 Grinding Stones, Mounted.	853.	1/2 dozen Vegetable Knives, small, steel.
427.	75 cases Toilet Paper, 100 rolls each.	555.	32 papers Iron Rivets, black, 5 1, 5 1 1/2, 15 2, 5 3, 2 8.	583.	1 dozen Razor Strops.	854.	2 sets Top Plates for Range, D. H. & M.
428.	1/2 gross Toilet Paper Holders.	556.	27 papers Iron Rivets, tinned, 5 1, 5 1 1/2, 10 2, 3 3, 2 4, 2 8.	584.	1 dozen Oil Stones, Carpenter.	855.	1 Grate for Laundry Stove, Mott's Im., 1897.
429.	300 gross Matches, Safety.	557.	2 dozen Saws, rip.	585.	1,000 only, Fans.	856.	1 set Grate Bars or Richardson. Boynton Company Giant No. 50, 1899.
430.	48 Chair Seats, 18 16-inch, 18 18-inch, 12 20-inch.	558.	2 dozen Saws, cross-cut.	586.	100 pounds Rotten Stone (powdered).	857.	1 Set Covers for D. H. & M. Range, 5 feet and 1 Water Back D. H. and M. Range, 5 inches.
431.	30 dozen Chair Backs.	559.	1 dozen Saws, meat.	587.	150 pounds Coarse Sponge.	858.	3 Grates for Hitching's Heater, No. 4, O. S.
432.	325 gross Clothes Pins.	560.	1 dozen Saws, buck.	588.	200 barrels Sulphur.	859.	4 Sets Rings and Covers, D. H. & M., No. 3.
433.	10 gross Fly Paper.	561.	1 dozen Saws, compass.	589.	400 dozen Spectacles, Nos. 2, 4 to 24, assorted.	860.	2 Half Moons for D. H. & M., No. 3.
434.	12 bundles Willow.	562.	1/2 dozen Saws, back.	590.	300 pounds Common Glue.	861.	1 Set Rings and Covers, D. H. & M., No. 3.
435.	300 pounds Cane.	563.	8 sets Auger Bits, Assorted.	591.	300 pounds Kalsomining Glue.	862.	1 Stencil, "Fordham Hospital," 1-inch Block Letters.
436.	200 pounds Reed.	564.	4-12 dozen Gimlets, Assorted.	592.	25 quires Emory Cloth.	863.	1 case Shredded Wheat.
437.	5 bundles Dowels.	565.	8 sets Gimlet Bits, Assorted.	593.	60 pounds Corrosive Sublimate.	864.	10 pieces Scantling, 4 by 4, oak dressed all sides.
438.	3 dozen Wooden Spoons.	566.	8-12 dozen Gimlets, Assorted.	594.	10 dozen Papier-mache Pails.	865.	15 pieces Scantling, 3 by 3, oak dressed all sides.
439.	50 dozen Mop Handles.	567.	8 dozen Strap Hinges, Assorted.	595.	1 dozen Papier-mache Spittoons.	866.	24 sheets Perforated Tin.
440.	10 dozen Wash Boards.	568.	8 dozen T Hinges, Assorted.	596.	1 dozen Washtubs.	867.	5 pounds White Wax.
	TIN, IRON, WIRE, ETC.	569.	3 rolls T Netting.	597.	1 dozen Lemon Squeezers.	868.	1 bolt White Drill, sample.
441.	75 boxes xx 14-20 Tin, Melwyn grade.	570.	8 sets Chisels, Assorted.	598.	400 pounds Zinc Plates, for steamboats.	869.	1 set Canvas Covers and Blankets for 4-roll mangle, Hagan Manufacturing Co.
442.	25 boxes x 14-20 Tin, Melwyn grade.	571.	4 dozen planes, Jack, Fore, etc.	599.	6-12 dozen Sailmaker's Palms.	870.	35 pounds Powdered Starch.
443.	7 boxes xxx 14-20 Tin, Melwyn grade.	572.	4 dozen Bench Screws, assorted.	600.	50 pounds Camphor.	871.	Repairs to W. & W. Buttonhole Machine
444.	10 boxes Roofing Tin, I. C.	573.	2 dozen Screw Drivers, assorted.	601.	2 Ice-cream Freezers.	872.	2 barrels Apples.
445.	4,000 pounds Galvanized Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.	574.	2 dozen Squares, Try, etc.	602.	4 cartloads Manure.	873.	5 gallons Liquid Peptonoids.
446.	900 pounds Common Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.	575.	10 dozen Iron Saucepans, porcelain-lined, 2 to 8 quarts.	603.	20 dozen Electric Candles.	874.	4 dozen Horlick's Malted Milk.
447.	1,000 pounds R. G. Iron, Nos. 22, 24, 24 x 80.	576.	2 dozen Ice Picks.	604.	60 barrels Hydro (cre) sol	875.	1 carboy



3. 1 dozen Lantern Globes,  
4. 1 dozen Lantern Burners,  
5. 8 gross Lamp Chimneys,  
6. 8 gross Lamp Wicks,  
7. 1 gross Lamp Burners



38. 2000 Tin Coal Oil Lamps.  
39. 12 dozen Oak Pails.  
40. 600 pounds Cotton Rope.  
41. 200 pounds Sash Cord.  
42. 20 gross Leather Shoe Laces.  
43. 100 pounds Cotton Twine.  
44. 100 pounds Hemp Twine.  
45. 100 pounds Linen Twine.  
46. 100 pounds Sailmakers' Twine.  
47. 450 reams Whiting's Tissue Paper.  
48. 6 dozen Picks.  
49. 2 dozen Iron Rakes.  
50. 6 dozen W. and B. Razors, No. 753.  
51. 24 dozen Shovels.  
52. 12 gross Tinned Tablespoons.  
53. 2 dozen Washboards.  
54. 6 gross each W. G. Coffee Cups and Saucers.  
55. 6 gross each W. G. Tea Cups and Saucers.  
56. 1 gross W. G. Vegetable Dishes.  
57. 1 gross W. G. Butter Dishes.  
58. 2 gross W. G. Individual Butter Dishes.  
59. 12 dozen each Table Knives and Forks.  
60. 3 dozen each Carving Knives and Forks.  
61. 2 dozen Meat Knives.  
62. 2 gross W. G. Dinner Plates.  
63. 1 gross W. G. Dessert Plates.  
64. 1 gross W. G. Tea Plates.  
65. 2 gross W. G. Soup Plates.  
66. 1 gross W. G. Pie Plates.  
67. 6 dozen W. G. Pitchers, pints.  
68. 6 dozen W. G. Pitchers, 2 quarts.  
69. 6 dozen W. G. Sugar Bowls.  
70. 1 gross Tea Spoons.  
71. 1 gross Table Spoons.  
72. 6 gross Glass Tumblers.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1898.

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 470, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner of Correction.

### SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 16th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
WILLIAM P. DICKSON,  
DANIEL SHERRY,  
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 HOFFMAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 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 31st day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
DAVID THOMSON,  
HERMAN ALBERG,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
JOHN TORNEY,  
FRANK D. ARTHUR,  
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 QUARRY ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur 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 9th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
JOHN A. GROW,  
EUGENE S. WILLARD,  
SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land for a public park, at the foot of EAST SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, East river, in the Nineteenth Ward of The City of New York, as selected, located and laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 24th day of December, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss, damage and compensation 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 public park, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of application for said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1897.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said public park, 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, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, ninth floor, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as 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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear 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 said 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, February 24, 1898.  
PIERRE VAN BUREN HOES,  
JAMES OWENS,  
GEO. T. DAVIDSON,  
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 CRESCENT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 28th day of December, 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 31st day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
ARTHUR INGRAHAM,  
REGINALD H. ARNOLD,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, West), 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 6th day of December, 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 23rd day of December, 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 law.

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 19th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, or 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, February 24, 1898.  
SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
EUGENE S. WILLARD,  
LAWRENCE P. MINGEY,  
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 GROTE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.



**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 9th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of March, 1898, 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, February 24, 1898.  
HENRY H. SHERMAN,  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
FRANK D. ARTHUR,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue to Brook 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 December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of March, 1898, 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, February 24, 1898.  
MICHAEL SEXTON,  
MAYER SHOFENFELD,  
SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
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 RITTER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Uni Avenue to Prospect Avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

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 may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of March, 1898, 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, February 24, 1898.  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
JOHN G. SCHWARTZ,  
THOMAS F. BYRNE,  
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 TWO HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster Avenue to the Bronx River, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of October, 1897, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 31st day of December, 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 law.

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 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, February 24, 1898.  
PHILIP F. OLWELL,  
MICHAEL J. KELLY,  
JOHN J. NEVILLE,  
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 CAMBRELING AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grote Street to St. John's College, 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 9th day of December, 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 29th day of December, 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 law.

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 may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of March, 1898, 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, February 24, 1898.  
THEODORE E. SMITH,  
MICHAEL J. McDERMOTT,  
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,  
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 BELMONT PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue to Arthur 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 28th day of December, 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 31st day of December, 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 law.

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 may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1898, 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, February 23, 1898.  
CHARLES W. GOULD,  
THOS. J. MILLER,  
FLOYD M. LORD,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
February 18, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE** title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixth Avenue Street and Fifth Avenue, Central Park, until 11 o'clock A. M. of Thursday, March 3, 1898, for the following-named works on parks in the Borough of Manhattan:

- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SCREENED GRAVEL WHERE REQUIRED ON THE CENTRAL PARK AND RIVERSIDE PARK AND AVENUE.
- No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GARDEN MOULD.
- No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRASS SOD.
- No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STABLE MANURE.
- No. 5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR REPAIRING RUSTIC STRUCTURES.

The works must be bid for separately. The quantities of materials required are as follows:

- No. 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
7,500 cubic yards of Double Screened Gravel for roads and drives.  
The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars.
- No. 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
5,000 cubic yards of Garden Mould, to be delivered, where required, on the Central Park.  
The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.
- No. 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
200,000 square feet of Grass Sod to be delivered where and when required on parks in the Borough of Manhattan. The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.
- No. 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
1,000 loads (not less than 70 bushels to the load) of thoroughly decomposed Stable Manure to be delivered when and where required on Parks in the Borough of Manhattan. The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.
- No. 5, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
50,000 Cypress Shingles, 6" by 20".  
500 Juniper Crooks, 2 1/2" diameter, 3' to 6' long.  
500 Juniper Crooks, 4" to 5" diameter, 3' to 6' long.  
500 White Pine Floor Planks, tongued and grooved, planed one side, 1" by 9 1/2" by 13' and upward.  
500 White Pine Floor Planks, tongued and grooved, planed one side, 1 1/4" by 9 1/2" by 10'.  
3 kegs 4-penny putty.

All to be delivered at the Central Park Workshops. The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had, at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,  
January 5, 1898.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED** by section 892 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the first day of May, 1898.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected; in the Borough of Manhattan at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and in the Borough of the Bronx, at the Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

THOMAS L. FEITNER,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
THOMAS J. PATTERSON,  
WILLIAM F. GRELL,  
ARTHUR C. SALMON,  
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the College of The City of New York, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, March 10, 1898, at No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, for supplying the college buildings with two hundred and seventy-five (275) tons, more or less, of Broken Coal, and twenty-five (25) tons, more or less, of Stove Coal, all to be Plymouth Red Ash Coal, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,440) pounds to the ton, to be stored in the bins of the college at the expense of the contractor, and to be delivered in such quantities as may be required.

The Executive Committee reserves 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.

Proposals to be addressed "To the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the College of The City of New York."

HORACE E. DRESSER,  
Chairman.

A. EMERSON PALMER,  
Secretary.

Dated February 25, 1898.

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