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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Mayor's Office, at 11.30 A. M., on Wednesday, June 27, 1900.

Present at roll-call—Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor; Bird S. Coler, Comptroller; Randolph Guggenheimer, President of the Council, and Robert Mah, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held June 5, 1900, were approved as printed.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to bonds maturing in 1900.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Certain bonds and stock issued by The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, which are payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, mature during the current year, and others may, under the terms of their issue, be redeemed this year, as shown in the following statement:

	AMOUNT ISSUED.	AMOUNT HELD BY THE SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, NO. 1.	AMOUNT HELD BY THE PUBLIC.
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, Under Ordinances of the Common Council.</i>			
Five per cent. Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 278 of the Laws of 1877, payable August 1, 1900.....	\$57,000 00	.....	\$57,000 00
Six per cent. Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 230 of the Laws of 1879, payable August 1, 1898.....	\$49,500 00	.....	\$49,500 00
Seven per cent. Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 270 of the Laws of 1879, payable August 1, 1898.....	1,079,500 00	.....	1,079,500 00
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, Under the Provisions of Section 213 of Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.</i>			
Six per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	250,000 00	\$75,000 00	\$175,000 00
Seven per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 213 of the Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1900.....	1,450,000 00	44,000 00	1,406,000 00
Five per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	188,000 00	117,000 00	.....
Six per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	95,000 00	95,000 00	.....
Seven per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	405,000 00	.....	405,000 00
Five per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	16,000 00	16,000 00	.....
Six per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	911,000 00	84,000 00	827,000 00
Seven per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, payable November 1, 1900.....	573,000 00	.....	573,000 00
Five per cent. Consolidated Stock, New York Bridge Bonds, issued in pursuance of chapter 324 of the Laws of 1871, payable May 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	500,000 00	.....	500,000 00
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, Under the Provisions of Section 213 of Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.</i>			
Five per cent. Consolidated Stock, City Improvement Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 324 of the Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1900.....	13,540 54	13,540 52	.....
Five per cent. Croton Water Main Stock, issued in pursuance of chapter 253 of the Laws of 1872, and chapter 323 of the Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1900.....	110,000 00	110,000 00	.....
Five per cent. Consolidated Stock, New York Bridge Bonds, issued in pursuance of chapter 324 of the Laws of 1871, payable May 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	921,900 00	414,000 00	507,900 00
Two and one-half per cent. Criminal Court-house Bonds, issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, payable November 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	35,000 00	35,000 00	.....
Three per cent. Criminal Court-house Bonds, issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, payable November 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	100,000 00	100,000 00	.....
Totals.....	\$4,635,040 54	\$1,811,540 52	\$1,223,500 00

The Consolidated Stock, New York Bridge Bonds, amounting to one million, four hundred and twenty-one thousand, nine hundred dollars (\$1,421,900), and the Criminal Court-house Bonds, amounting to one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$135,000), quoted in the foregoing statement, may be redeemed at any time after November 1, 1900, at the option of the City; and in view of the fact that a very large proportion of said bonds bears interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, I deem it to be advantageous to the City to have them called in and redeemed.

I present herewith resolutions providing for the redemption of such said bonds and stock as are held by the public, and for the cancellation of those that are held by the Commis-

sioners of the Sinking Fund for the account of the City Debt, No. 1.

Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.
Respectfully,
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Whereas, The following described Stock issued by the City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, matures during the year 1900, and is payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, viz.:

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Totals.....	\$4,635,040 54	\$1,811,540 52	\$1,223,500 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, upon the maturity of said stock, the sum of three million seven hundred and ninety-nine thousand three hundred dollars (\$3,799,300) for the redemption of that portion of the above-described stock that is held by the public, and to cancel that portion of said stock amounting to one million two hundred and seventy-seven thousand six hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty-two cents (\$1,277,616.52) that is held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.

Whereas, The following described bonds and stock issued by The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, which are payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, may by the terms of their issue be redeemed at any time after November 1, 1900, viz.:

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Two and one-half per cent. Criminal Court-house Bonds, issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, payable November 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	35,000 00	35,000 00
Three per cent. Criminal Court-house Bonds, issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, payable November 1, 1900, and redeemable after November 1, 1900.....	100,000 00	100,000 00
Totals.....	\$1,556,900 00	\$576,000 00	\$980,900 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to call in and redeem on November 1, 1900, from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, that portion of the above-described bonds and stock that is held by the public, amounting to one million dollars (\$1,000,000), and to cancel that portion of said bonds and stock that is held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, amounting to five hundred and fifty-six thousand nine hundred dollars (\$556,900).

The report was accepted and the resolutions unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Police Department relative to renewal of lease of premises at Wakefield, Borough of The Bronx, and premises corner East avenue and Ninth street, Long Island City:

NEW YORK, June 14, 1900.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Police Board held this day, it was
Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully re-

quested to authorize the Comptroller to execute renewal of leases of the following premises for one year from September 1, 1900, as follows:

Norrell Engine Co., Wakefield, Westchester County, station-house for Thirty-ninth Precinct, \$800 per annum.

New York Land and Warehouse Company, northwest corner East avenue and Ninth street, Long Island City, Borough Headquarters, Queens, \$600 per annum.

Very respectfully,

WM. DELAMATER, Deputy Chief Clerk.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute renewals of the following leases to the City for the use of the Police Department:

1. Premises now occupied as a police sub-station for the Thirty-ninth Precinct, situated at Wakefield, Borough of The Bronx, for a term of one year from September 1, 1900, at an annual rental of eight hundred dollars (\$800), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease (hereof); the Norrell Association, lessor.

2. Premises on the northwest corner of East avenue and Ninth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a term of one year from September 1, 1900, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the New York Land and Warehouse Company, lessors.

—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rents fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such leases be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Board of Education, relative to amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises No. 225 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, and recording resolution authorizing a lease of premises corner Bradley avenue and Percall street, Long Island City:

New York, June 14, 1900.

EDWARD J. LEVY, Esq., Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Dear Sir:—I have the honor to transmit herewith certified copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Education on June 13, 1900, as follows:

1. Resolving resolution adopted on March 25, 1900, relative to renewal of lease of premises No. 225 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Manhattan, by inserting the words "and Crown water taxes" after the figure "\$51,000."

2. Resolving resolution adopted on December 27, 1899, relative to lease of premises on Bradley avenue and Percall street, Long Island City, and requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to retain the same.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board on March 28, 1900, relative to renewing the lease of premises No. 225 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Manhattan, used as an annex to Public School No. 41 (see Journal, page 4102, to and it is hereby amended by inserting in the fifth line from the bottom, after the figure "\$51,000" the words "and Crown water taxes."

A true copy of resolution adopted by Board of Education on June 13, 1900.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board on December 27, 1899, (see Journal, page 1537-1538), requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the Comptroller to execute a lease of the premises corner of Bradley avenue and Percall street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for school purposes, be and it is hereby resolved that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they are hereby asked to retain the said premises for the further use of the Board of Education.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to notify the school Board for the Borough of Queens of the action taken.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on June 13, 1900.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held April 26, 1900, authorizing a lease of premises No. 225 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, for the Department of Education, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the words "at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly" the words "and Crown water taxes."

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held March 26, 1900, authorizing a lease to the City from John Cassidy of the building corner of Bradley avenue and Percall street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Board of Education, be and the same is hereby resolved.

Which were unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning relative to the lease of a plot of ground corner of Kent avenue and North Thirteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn:

New York, May 2, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLE, Esq., Acting Commissioner of Sinking Fund Commissioners:

Street Cleaning has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from you dated May 1, 1900, in relation to a plot of ground 200 feet by 200 feet, on the northeast corner of Kent avenue and North Thirteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with a stable and other buildings thereon, for a term of five years from the date of occupation, with the privilege of a renewal for another term of five years on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$2,700, payable quarterly, the lease to pay all taxes and ground water taxes and to make alterations in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted by him and to put the premises in thorough repair before the date of occupation, the City to pay for all water used during the term of the lease, or any renewal thereof, and to keep the premises in good tenable repair.

This lease is intended to take the place of the premises on the west side of Houston street, near the south of Nassau avenue, and which your Board approved by a resolution of March 21, 1900, and which resolution your Board rescinded by resolution of April 20, 1900.

The stable and buildings consist of one large building two stories in height, one blacksmith's shop 30 feet by 40 feet, one and 11 feet by 40 feet, one laundry building 25 feet by 10 feet, one office building 10 feet 4 inches by 24 feet 6 inches, one 2-story building 10 feet 6 inches by 35 feet, one shed in rear of large building with basement for any sick horse that it may be necessary to keep separate from the other horses.

I transmit herewith plans and specifications of proposed alterations.

Respectfully yours,

P. E. NAGLE, Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

JUNE 11, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLE, Comptroller:

Sir:—Hon. P. E. Nagle, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, by communication dated May 2, 1900, requests the consent and approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for a lease, pursuant to section 544 of the Charter, from Henry C. Fischer, of a plot of ground 200 feet by 200 feet, on the northeast corner of Kent avenue and North Thirteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with a stable and other buildings thereon, for a term of five years from the date of occupation, with the privilege of a renewal for another term of five years on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$2,700, payable quarterly, the lessor to pay all taxes and ground water taxes and to make alterations in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted by him and to put the premises in thorough repair before the date of occupation, the City to pay for all water used during the term of the lease, or any renewal thereof, and to keep the premises in good tenable repair.

The premises consist of a plot of ground 200 feet by 200 feet, with the exception of the corner lot 25 feet by 100 feet, and a creek runs through the northerly portion of the lot, which space is unavailable to the Department of Street Cleaning, but Mr. Fischer is willing to include it in the lease.

The accompanying diagram shows the premises and the buildings thereon. According to the plans and specifications submitted, it is proposed to concrete the floor of the old boiler-house, arrange and build 90 stalls, with mangers, etc.; four box stalls, put in drainage and connect to sewer in Kent avenue; fit up harness room; repair and put in first class condition all buildings, including roofs, sidewalks, etc.; furnish sanitary arrangement and fixtures for employees; all old and new work to be painted, including frames, which are to be repaired where necessary.

If the premises are repaired and altered in strict accordance with the plans and specifications as submitted (which I would make a part of this report) they will make very suitable quarters and well adapted for the purposes; rental \$2,700 per annum I consider reasonable.

I estimate the value of the available space and buildings thereon at \$29,000, and the repairs and alterations at \$7,000, making a total of \$36,000, which makes the rental asked 7½ per cent. upon the investment.

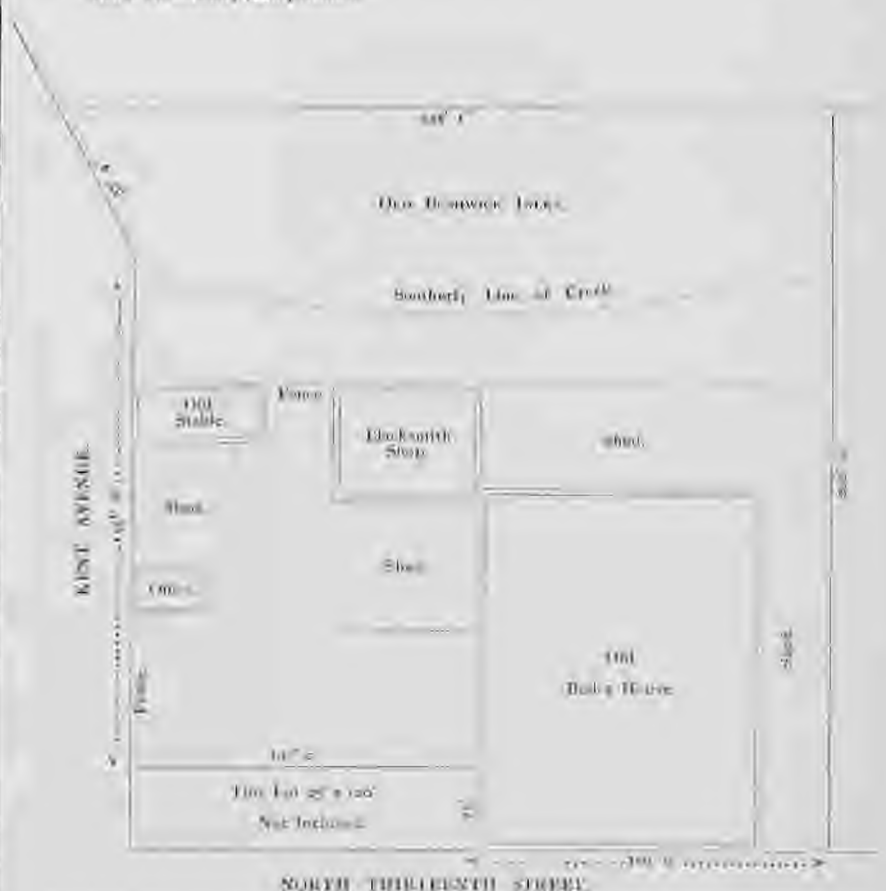
The proposal of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning calls for the City to keep "the premises in good tenable condition."

I would suggest that the lessor keep the outside of the buildings, including roofs, in good tenable repair, the City to make all interior repairs.

Respectfully,

CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Principal Assistant Engineer.

Approved: BIRD S. COLE, Comptroller.



Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution of a lease to the City by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, from Henry C. Fischer, of the plot of ground on the northeast corner of Kent avenue and North Thirteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with a stable and other buildings thereon, for a term of five years from the date of occupation, with the privilege of a renewal for another term of five years on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$2,700), payable quarterly, the lessor to pay all taxes and ground water taxes and to keep the outside of the buildings, including roofs, in tenable repair; also to make alterations according to the plans and specifications submitted to this Board, and to put the premises in thorough repair before the date of occupation. The City to pay for all water used during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof, and to keep the interior of the buildings in good tenable repair—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, and offered the following resolution relative to the cancellation and surrender by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of the lease of premises corner Prince and Elizabeth streets, Borough of Manhattan:

JUNE 12, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLE, Comptroller:

Sir:—I, M. Gibson, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in a communication under date of June 5, 1900, states:

"Owing to the change of boundaries of districts and sections which I have found it necessary to make, it would be to the advantage of the Department and the City to surrender the lease dated June 6, 1899, from Michele Faruolo and Michele di Stefano, of the store of the premises at the corner of Prince and Elizabeth streets, and the above-named lessors have, through their agent, expressed their willingness to consent to such surrender as soon as they have secured a tenant to the place of this Department, and I, therefore, request the consent and approval of your Board to said surrender."

As it would appear that the Department will have no further use for the premises, I see no reason why the lease may not be canceled, as soon as the owner secures another tenant; the Department to retain possession and occupy the premises meanwhile.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the surrender and cancellation by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of the lease to the City, dated June 6, 1899, from Michele Faruolo and Michele di Stefano, of the store of premises at the corner of Prince and Elizabeth streets, Borough of Manhattan, as requested by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning in his communication dated June 5, 1900, when the written consent of the lessors to such surrender and cancellation has been obtained.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises No. 320 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Street Cleaning:

JUNE 6, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLE, Comptroller:

Sir:—Hon. P. E. Nagle, Commissioner of Department of Street Cleaning, in communication of June 4, 1900, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, requests the reconsideration of the action of the Commissioners in its resolution of May 18, 1900, in regard to proposed lease from Mary A. Walsh of the store of premises No. 320 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and asks the approval of the proposed lease at the annual rental of \$420, for the following reasons:

"The Department is now in possession of the premises."
"The agent declares that he will not accept \$350 per annum."
He claims that the building is worth \$14,000, that the second and third floors rent for \$18 and \$16 per month.

That the premises never rented for less than \$45 per month, and have commanded as high as \$50.
That the offer was made at \$35 per month because the Department was willing to take same on three years' lease.

That the representatives of his Department have made an investigation of rent received from other stores, and corroborate the agent's statement that the store in question is "the cheapest that can be had."

Notwithstanding these statements, I must adhere to the justness of the rental I proposed in my report of May 9, 1900, viz: \$360 per annum, which was made after very careful consideration.

The whole property is valued on the tax maps for 1900 at \$8,500; this being considered 70 per cent. of the value would make the market value \$12,142.86, on the basis that the property should pay 7 per cent. gross, the total rental would be \$850.

According to the statement of the agent, the two upper floors are leased for \$34 per month or \$408 per year; it is fair to assume that the rear extension will rent for at least \$72 per annum, and adding rental of store, \$360, reported on by me as being fair, will make a grand total of \$840, within \$10 of \$850, which I consider a very liberal rental for the entire premises.

The difference between my estimate and the amount proposed by the Commissioner is small, only \$5 per month; in view of this fact and the fact that the Department is in actual possession since May 1, 1900, and the further fact that the agent refuses to take less than \$420 per annum, I think the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may properly approve the rental of \$420 per annum, as proposed by the Commissioner.

Approved:
HARD S. COLLIER, Comptroller.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held May 18, 1900, authorizing a lease of premises, No. 320 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Street Cleaning, be and the same is hereby amended by changing the rental from "three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360) per annum," as in the resolution, to "four hundred and twenty dollars (\$420) per annum."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning relative to a renewal of the lease of premises corner West Seventy-ninth street and Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan:

NEW YORK, June 16, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:
SIR—I request the consent and approval of your Board, pursuant to section 541 of the Charter, for a renewal of the lease from John L. Miller of all that easterly portion of the brick building on the southeast corner of West Seventy-ninth street and Riverside drive, partitioned off and making a room 28 feet by 20½ feet, for a term of three years from August 3, 1900, with the privilege to the lessor to terminate the same at any time by a notice in writing of two months; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as are contained in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

J. E. NAGLE, Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of a renewal of the lease to the City from John L. Miller of all that easterly portion of the brick building on the southeast corner of West Seventy-ninth street and Riverside drive, in The City of New York, as now occupied by the Department of Street Cleaning, for a term of three years from August 3, 1900, with the privilege to the lessor to terminate the same at any time by a notice in writing of two months, at a rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480) per annum, payable monthly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, and offered the following resolution relative to a lease of plot of grounds belonging to City on Bedford avenue and Metropolitan avenue, Borough of Brooklyn:

JUNE 14, 1900.

Hon. JOHN S. COLLIER, Comptroller:

SIR—The National Enameling and Stamping Company, by F. Haberman, Vice-President, in communication of June 11, 1900, says: "I am desirous of renting the property belonging to the City and adjoining our factory, located corner of Bedford and Metropolitan avenues, Brooklyn, for which I am prepared to offer you \$500 per annum for a term of five years. Please advise if you accept this offer. An early reply will greatly oblige."

Mr. Haberman, in communication to the Comptroller of March 27, 1900, stated the desire of the company at that time was to lease this property for a term of five years, and the offer he made was \$500 per annum rent for the period of five years.

On May 1, 1900, I reported to the Comptroller: "I am of opinion that it would not be good policy to tie this property up, under a lease for a term of five years, unless a just and not a nominal rental could be obtained, which, in my opinion, would be \$1,200 per annum."

This amount was based on a valuation of \$15,000, being 8 per cent. of that amount. Since that time, Mr. Haberman, who valued the property at \$12,000, offered \$600 rent, being 5 per cent. of his valuation.

The mean between Mr. Haberman's estimate of value and mine would be \$13,500. Mr. Haberman's offer of \$600 per annum is only 6.00 per cent. of this mean valuation.

I would be willing to recommend an upset price for rental of \$1,000 per annum, which would be 7.40 per cent. of this mean valuation.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell for the highest marketable price or rental at public auction, after public advertisement, a lease of the plot of ground belonging to The City of New York, situated on the southeast corner of Bedford and Metropolitan avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on which formerly stood the old Forty-seventh Regiment Armory building, for a term of five years from the date of the execution of the lease. The minimum rental or upset price for which said lease shall be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per annum; said lease shall be made upon the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale. The amount so bid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease and bond within five days after notice from the Comptroller that the same are ready for execution; and the Comptroller is authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid for by any person failing to comply with this condition of the sale, and the person so failing to comply shall be liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale. No person will be accepted as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation, as provided by law. The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the same upon thirty days' notice, whenever the premises may be required for public purposes. All water rents laid on the premises, or any part thereof, shall be paid by the lessee; taxes and assessments to be assumed by the City. All repairs of the premises shall be at the expense of the lessee, and he will be required to give a bond for the amount of the annual rent, with one or more sureties, to be determined and approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly and the fulfillment on his part of the covenants of the lease. The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid if deemed to be for the interest of the City.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

At this stage of the proceedings the Chamberlain appeared and took his seat in the Board.

The following petition of Samuel J. Hughes, executor, etc., was received, relative to a sale of the interests of the City in a part of the Brooklyn and Jamaica Turnpike Road:

To the Hon. the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

The petition of Samuel J. Hughes, executor of the will of John Hughes, deceased, respectfully shows that the said John Hughes died in the Borough of Brooklyn on or about October 21, 1897, seized in fee of all that portion of a certain lot of land in said borough, shown on the accompanying diagram, which lies north of the northerly line of the old Brooklyn and Jamaica turnpike road, and he had been the owner thereof since the year 1846. As the diagram shows, the rear of this lot lies in the bed of the said old road and is bounded on the south by the centre line thereof.

That at the time of his death, and for many years prior thereto, the said John Hughes was in the possession of the whole of this lot, it having been long ago fenced-in and built upon, and

your petitioner is now in possession of the same. Moreover, for many years this lot (including that part which lies in the old road) has been assessed as one parcel, and taxes levied thereon, and all said taxes, water rates and assessments have been paid by the said decedent or his representatives.

That the said lot is designated on the Assessment Map of the North Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn as Lot number twenty-two (22) in Block number five (5) and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, distant ninety-seven (97) feet westerly from southwesterly corner of Atlantic avenue and Sixth avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Sixth avenue ninety-three (93) feet to the centre line of the old Brooklyn and Jamaica turnpike road; thence southeasterly along the centre line of said old road twenty-five (25) feet seven (7) inches; thence northerly again, parallel with Sixth avenue, ninety-eight (98) feet and five (5) inches to the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, and thence easterly along the southerly side of Atlantic avenue twenty-five (25) feet to the point or place of beginning.

That the said John Hughes left a will, which was admitted to probate by the Surrogate of Kings County on December 13, 1897, and letters testamentary were thereupon duly issued to your petitioner. In and by said will the executor is directed to sell all the real property of the testator; and for the purpose of perfecting the record title to this lot your petitioner desires to acquire all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to that portion of the said old road which is included within its boundaries.

The Brooklyn and Jamaica turnpike at this point has not been used as a public highway for a great many years, and the late City of Brooklyn released its interest in a great part thereof in this locality to the abutting owners.

On April 26, 1875, a resolution was adopted by the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, whereby it was provided, among other things, "that in all cases where assessments, taxes or water rates to the amount of fifty dollars have been or shall be paid upon any lot of twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet square, or at the same rate or proportion for any part or portion of a lot lying within said old Brooklyn and Jamaica turnpike road, then and in such case, on sufficient proof thereof, the Mayor, under the direction of the Corporation Counsel, should make, execute and deliver to the proper parties quit-claim deeds, in the name of the City, for such lots or parts of lots, and that in all cases the parties on receiving such deeds should produce evidence to the Corporation Counsel that all taxes, assessments and water rates had been paid."

That all said cases, assessments and water rates on this lot have been paid, and the amount of the same is far in excess of the sum of fifty dollars. That the interest of the City in the rear portion of this lot is not of substantial value, and your petitioner is informed and believes that in applications similar to this the present City has appraised its like interests at a nominal sum.

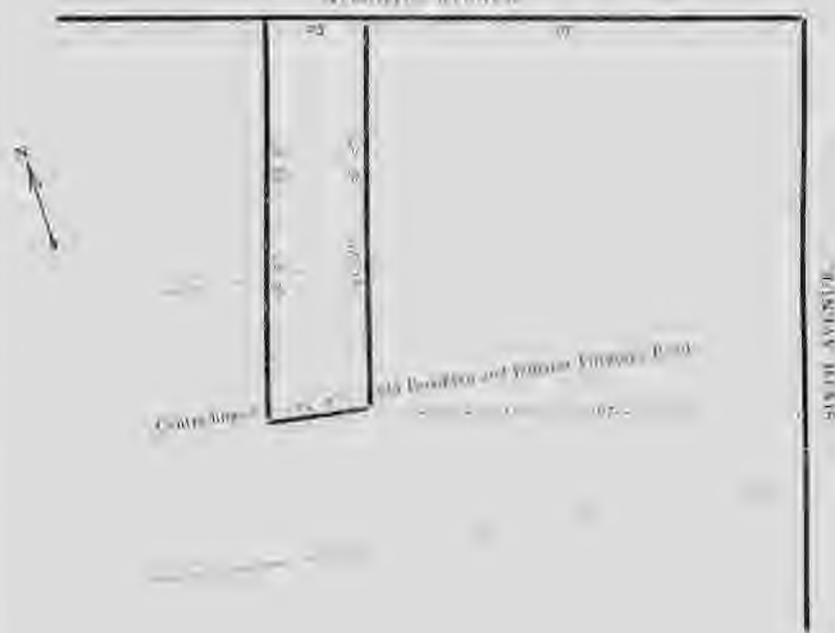
Wherefore your petitioner prays that all the right, title and interest of the City of New York in and to that part of the said Brooklyn and Jamaica Turnpike road included within the boundaries of the lot above described, lying north of the centre line of said road, may be offered for sale according to law; that the interest of the City therein, and the expenses of such sale, examinations, conveyances, etc., be appraised and fixed; that a sale by auction be dispensed with and petitioner be allowed to purchase said interest, for the amount so fixed, if that course be lawful, and, if not, that said interest be put up for sale at public auction, after due notice.

Dated Brooklyn, N. Y., March 14, 1900.

Respectfully,

SAMUEL J. HUGHES, Executor of John Hughes,
By EDWARD M. PERRY, his attorney.

ATLANTIC AVENUE



In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, together with an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, and offered the following resolution:

JUNE 14, 1900.

Hon. JOHN S. COLLIER, Comptroller:

SIR—Samuel J. Hughes, as executor of John Hughes, by Edward M. Perry, his attorney, in a petition under date of March 14, 1900 to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, prays that "all the title and interest of The City of New York in and to that part of the said Brooklyn and Jamaica Turnpike road" included within the boundaries of Lot No. 22, Block 5, in the North Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, lying north of the centre line of said road, may be offered for sale according to law; "that the interests of the City therein and the expense of such sale, examinations, conveyances, etc., be appraised and fixed; that a sale by auction be dispensed with and petitioner be allowed to purchase said interest, for the amount so fixed, if that course be lawful, and, if not, that said interest be put up for sale at public auction, after due notice."

In my opinion the petition should be referred to the Corporation Counsel to advise the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as to the interest of the present City of New York in and to the property described, and also the manner in which the sale should be made.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

NEW YORK, April 27, 1900.

Hon. JOHN S. COLLIER, Comptroller:

SIR—I have received your communication of April 13, which reads as follows:

"I beg to inclose for your consideration petition of Samuel J. Hughes as executor of the will of John Hughes, deceased, praying for the sale of the interests of The City of New York in and to the northerly half of the roadbed of the old Brooklyn and Jamaica Turnpike road, as the same is part of Lot No. 22, Block 5, in the North Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, and request that you advise me:

"First—As to the interests of The City of New York in and to the property described, and whether it be material or nominal.

"Second—As to the resolution as adopted by the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn on April 26, 1875, and if it appears that such resolution has any binding effect upon the officials of the present City of New York.

"Third—As to the right of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to sell the same, pursuant to sections 76 and 205 of the Charter.

"Fourth—As to what action may be necessary by the Municipal Assembly before said sale may be consummated."

In reply thereto I would say that the interest of the City of Brooklyn in the old Brooklyn and Jamaica Turnpike was never claimed to be by that city more than nominal. Quit-claim deeds were given from time to time, by resolution of the Common Council, at the request of property-owners who desired thus to remove any possible cloud that might rest upon their property by reason of the former use thereof as a turnpike. The consideration asked for these deeds was nominal, and no proper application was refused. The title to the land covered by this road was passed upon by the Court of Appeals in the case of Dunham vs. Williams (37 N. Y., 251), and it appears by the opinion in that case that the land, although formerly owned by the Government, was subsequently condemned for use as a turnpike, and damages were assessed in favor of the corporate authorities of Brooklyn and Flatbush as claimants of the fee in the roadbed. The

Map showing the intersection of Madison Ave. and 137th Street. The map includes a diagonal line labeled "Original Line of" and "High water". A small rectangular area is marked with dimensions 39.31' and 39.31'. A line labeled "Kneel's Map" is also shown. The map is dated June 8th, 1900.

1896, 1897 and 1899 on Lot No. 21, which is the easterly 25 feet of the premises in question; total amount paid for taxes since 1850, \$1,476.23; for assessments, \$3,198.05; amount due for unpaid taxes, \$187.50, and interest as follows:

For the year 1896	\$64.20
" 1897	63.00
" 1898	60.30

—on Lot No. 21, Block 1759.

In view of the amount paid for taxes and assessments, I would advise that the purchase price for the City's interest on the premises in question be fixed and appraised at \$300, purchaser to pay auctioneer's fees and \$75 expenses, provided all arrears of taxes and assessments are paid.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to sell at public auction, after due advertisement, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the City in premises on the northeasterly corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, being thirty-five (35) feet on One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and ninety-nine (99) feet eleven (11) inches on Madison avenue;

Resolved, That the minimum or upset price of the said land be and hereby is appraised and fixed at three hundred dollars (\$300), the purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fee and seventy-five dollars (\$75) for expenses of sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions relative to a renewal of the leases of lands required for a temporary bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, requested by the Department of Bridges:

JUNE 22, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. John L. Shea, Commissioner of Bridges, in communication in the Comptroller, June 20, 1900, calls attention to his communications under dates of March 23 and April 7, 1900, concerning the lands required for the temporary bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue, and says:

"The present extended lease of said lands expires July 28, 1900. Legislation is necessary before work upon the permanent bridge will be commenced and the land in question will probably be required for at least two years from July 28, prox.

"The resolution of the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners should provide for the leasing of the lands of the Watson estate from the same party from whom they have been heretofore leased. But the lands that formerly belonged to Mary S. Hoe are now the property of the real estate corporation and a lease of the lands, therefore, heretofore leased from Mary S. Hoe should be leased from said real estate corporation.

"I inclose you communication from said corporation."

In the communication of March 23, 1900, referred to, the Commissioner calls attention to section 3 of the act providing for a temporary bridge and approaches over the Bronx river, which says:

"But an agreement for a lease shall in no instance be executed for a longer term than three years from the time of the approval of the plans and specifications for the temporary bridge hereby authorized."

The terms of the leases under this act will expire July 28, 1900.

The Commissioner in his communication June 20, 1900, states that the land in question will probably be required for at least two years from July 28 next.

It will therefore be necessary for the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the leasing of these premises for this additional period of two years, from July 28, 1900, under the authority of section 217 of the Charter, which says:

"All applications to lease any real estate for the purposes of the city of New York must be presented and passed upon by the commissioners of the sinking fund of said city."

The premises consist of two parcels, one on the west side of the river south of Westchester avenue, which has heretofore been leased from Mary S. Hoe at a yearly rental of \$400. This parcel is now owned by the "Real Estate Corporation of New York City," and the lease should be made out in the name of this corporation.

The other parcel lies on the east side of the Bronx river south of Westchester avenue, which has heretofore been leased from Robert C. Watson and others, executors, etc., of William Watson, deceased, at the yearly rental of \$250, and the lease will have to be made in the name of the same party as at present.

The necessity for these lands is apparent, the temporary road now passing over them, and the rental rates I have heretofore reported upon as reasonable and just.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Approved:
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a renewal of the lease to the City from the Real Estate Corporation of New York City, of lands required for the temporary bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue, for a term of two years from July 28, 1900, at an annual rental of four hundred dollars (\$400), otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a renewal of the lease to the City from Robert C. Watson and others, executors, etc., of William Watson, deceased, of lands required for the temporary bridge over the Bronx river at Westchester avenue, for a term of two years from July 28, 1900, at an annual rental of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolutions unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of lots on College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the Department of Highways:

JUNE 23, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. James P. Keating, Commissioner of Highways, in a communication under date of June 7, 1900, requests that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund amend their resolution of May 18 ultimo, authorizing a renewal of the lease from the Mott Haven Company of the lots on College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, used by the Department as a yard and stable, for a term of one (1) year from May 1, 1900, at an annual rental of \$500, by substituting \$1,500 for the \$500 contained therein.

The Commissioner incloses a copy of a letter from the attorney of the lessor, requesting such change and stating as a reason for the same that the increased value of the property since the time when it was originally leased to the City, over ten years ago, at \$500 per annum, fully warrants the rental asked for, and that the premises which are designated on the tax books as Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 25 and 26, in Block 2324 of Section 9, are assessed for the purposes of taxation at \$19,500, and which at \$1,500 per annum would yield the lessors but little more than 5 per cent. net on such assessed valuation.

In my opinion the rental of \$1,500 per annum is reasonable and just, and I consider that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may properly amend their resolution as requested.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Approved:
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held May 18, 1900, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City from the Mott Haven Company, of the lots on College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Department of Highways, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) as the rental, instead of nine hundred dollars (\$900) as in the resolution.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report, and offered the following resolution relative to a lease of Rooms Nos. 1004 and 1005 of premises Nos. 109 and 111 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the Special Commissioner of Jurors:

JUNE 25, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. William F. Grell, Sheriff of the County of New York, in a communication under date of June 25, 1900, requests, in accordance with the provisions of section 4, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1896, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease from the estate of Henrietta Constable of Rooms 1004 and 1005, on the tenth floor of premises Nos. 109 and 111 Fifth avenue, for a term of eleven months, from June 1, 1900, with the privilege of renewal for one year, at an annual rental of \$2,300, for the use and occupancy of the Special Commissioner of Jurors.

I have caused an examination to be made of the premises in question, which consist of two rooms, one 19 feet by 37.5 feet and the other 18 feet by 29.5 feet, containing in all 1,243.5 square feet, which at the rental asked, of \$2,300 per annum, is at the rate of \$1.85 per square foot.

The building is a first-class office building, light, heat, elevator and janitor service included in the rental, which I consider reasonable and just.

The lease should be drawn with Frederick A. Constable and Hicks Arnold, as surviving trustees under the will of Henrietta Constable, deceased, and Frederick A. Constable, individually. A copy of the regular form of lease for offices in this building is inclosed.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Approved:

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from Frederick A. Constable and Hicks Arnold, as surviving trustees under the will of Henrietta Constable, deceased, and Frederick A. Constable, individually, of Rooms 1004 and 1005, on the tenth floor of premises Nos. 109 and 111 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Special Commissioner of Jurors, for a term of eleven months, from June 1, 1900, with the privilege of a renewal for one year, at an annual rental of twenty-three hundred dollars (\$2,300), payable quarterly; the lessor to provide heat, light, elevator and janitor service; and the Commissioner of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning, relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a lease of premises No. 228 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn:

NEW YORK, June 26, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN DYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—I request that your Board amend its resolution of June 6, 1900, in regard to the lease of the store of premises No. 228 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, so as to make the lessees be "Marcia A. Tierney, widow of, and John W. Tierney, sole heir of, John Tierney, deceased."

Respectfully,

P. E. NAGLE, Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held June 6, 1900, authorizing a lease of premises No. 228 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Street Cleaning, be and the same is hereby amended, by changing the name of the lessors so as to read "Marcia A. Tierney, widow of, and John W. Tierney, sole heir of, John Tierney, deceased," instead of "the estate of John Tierney," as in the resolution.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance relative to the assignment to the use of the Second Naval Battalion property belonging to the City in the Borough of Brooklyn, and offered the following resolution:

JUNE 26, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. Thomas L. Feltner, Secretary of the Board of Armory Commissioners, in communication to the Comptroller June 7, 1900, relative to the matter of securing a permanent home for the Second Naval Battalion, incloses the following resolution of the Board, adopted March 5, 1900, and referred to the Department of Docks:

"Resolved, That the Armory Board does hereby request that the Department of Docks shall turn over or lease to it, the said Armory Board, for a term of five years or more, the property in the Borough of Brooklyn, located and described as follows: Extending from Forty-third to Forty-fourth streets, and from First avenue westward to the pier line, including water privileges, to be used as quarters for the Second Naval Battalion."

—and says, "A reply from that Department is at hand, a copy of which is herewith inclosed."

"The suitability of this site as a home for the Second Naval Battalion, as reported by the Committee, and the resolution of the Armory Board of March 8 requesting it for such use, are herewith submitted to you, with the hope that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may assign this property for such uses."

The following report was made to the Chairman of the Board of Armory Commissioners:

"DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1900."

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN DYCK, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Armory Commissioners:—
DEAR SIR—The President of the Dock Department informs this Department that the City owns the land between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, Borough of Brooklyn, including the water front along the East river, and that in all probability the same will not be required for several years.

The said land contains three buildings of small importance, which are now leased to a tenant at a rental of \$35 per month.

In view of the fact that the City is now leasing land at the foot of Fifty-sixth street, Borough of Brooklyn, at a rental of \$2,000 per year, which lease will expire May 1 next, I have to recommend that the Armory Board request the Department of Docks to turn over to it the above described property, plan of which is hereto attached, and all of the buildings on the said property for an Armory for the Second Naval Battalion, the said buildings and surroundings being, in the estimation of the writer, to whom the matter was referred on December 16, 1899, suitable quarters for the purpose of an Armory for the Second Naval Battalion.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner."

The place now occupied by the Second Naval Battalion at a yearly rental of \$2,000 has to be given up early in the fall, being rented for business purposes.

The location proposed between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, First avenue and the water, as well as the water privileges outside, belong to the City; that part outside of the upland being under the control of the Department of Docks and Ferries. The upland is in a very rough condition; the portion next to First avenue being below grade; and much of the remainder above grade; Forty-fourth street is not regulated and graded. The plot is in dimensions—200 feet on First avenue, 430 feet on south side of Forty-third street and 495 feet on north side of Forty-fourth street. The half of the plot next to the water has on it large frame buildings, used for business and office purposes. The portion between these buildings and First avenue is vacant property.

This is a large plot of itself, for the Armory of the Second Naval Battalion, and will become greater as the water space shall be filled in.

Although this plot is somewhat large for the purposes of the Armory, I think it might with propriety be assigned by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for such use, to be so occupied at the pleasure of the said Commissioners, any arrangements for the future being held in reserve.

According to the communication from the Dock Department the water privileges would be given by that Department upon a formal application from the Armory Board.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the use of the Second Naval Battalion the property belonging to the City in the Borough of Brooklyn, located and described as follows: Extending from Forty-third to Forty-fourth streets and from First avenue westward to the pier line, the use and occupation of the same to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1900.

OFFICE OF EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS,
No. 149 CHURCH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1900.

Hon. ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Hon. Sir:—We beg leave to submit our report for the quarter ending June 30, 1900.

Certificates granted.....	50
Applicants rejected.....	7
Examinations pending.....	10
	67

Amount of money received from applicants.....	\$310 00
Deposited with City Chamberlain.....	310 00

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN KENEHAN, President, Examining Board of Plumbers.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1900.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Michael G. Murphy, John B. Cosby, M. D.; William T. Jenkins, M. D.; the Health Officer of the City.

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:

NAME.	AMOUNT.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Borough of Manhattan.			
The Edison & West End Telephone Company.....	\$771 00	John W. F. Smith.....	18 75
Vanderbilt & Lumber.....	81 00	Re (C) Police.....	3 00
Van Houten & Lumber.....	81 00	William A. Simpson's Sons.....	624 00
Lowland Realty Company.....	41 00	Robert B. Smith.....	808 75
Bathgate Bathing Company.....	41 00	The Treasurer of the Police Department of the City of New York.....	2 00
M. J. Kelly.....	9 75	T. A. Vane.....	12 25
Burnham, Kirby.....	25 00	Richard Gas Company.....	25 00
Adams Express Company.....	12 25	J. H. Burch.....	175 00
Thomas H. King.....	47 50	Consolidated Ice Company.....	27 50
William R. King.....	1 50	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	34 50
Arthur Mitchell.....	20 00	Marshall's Electrical and Plumbing Works.....	100 00
Van Houten & Lumber.....	140 00	King's Electrical Heating, Plumbing and Sanitary Work.....	100 00
James Sullivan.....	51 00	Nathaniel D. Dwyer, House and Heating.....	100 00
James B. King.....	51 00	The Broadway East District Dispensary and Hospital.....	100 00
Carroll, Rice and Lumber Company.....	18 00	St. John's Hospital.....	100 00
For Brothers & Company.....	18 00	St. Luke's Hospital.....	100 00
The White Oak Works.....	107 50	St. Mary's Hospital.....	100 00
The Globe Wrentham Company.....	104 40	William A. O'Brien & Company.....	75 00
Borough of The Bronx.			
Dunbar's Mercantile Agency.....	1 00	The Brooklyn Hospital.....	100 00
Central Loan and Discount Company.....	1 00	Borough of Queens.	
C. M. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	48 50
C. M. Woodruff.....	2 00	George R. O'Brien, American Chief Clerk.....	12 50
Richard W. Woodruff.....	2 00	James J. O'Brien, American Chief Clerk.....	12 50
C. M. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	16 25
The Brooklyn Hospital.....	100 00	Borough of Richmond.	
Carl H. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	24 50
Richard W. Woodruff.....	2 00	George R. O'Brien, American Chief Clerk.....	12 50
Carl H. Woodruff.....	2 00	James J. O'Brien, American Chief Clerk.....	12 50
Richard W. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	16 25
Carl H. Woodruff.....	2 00	Borough of The Bronx.	
Richard W. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	24 50
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Richard W. Woodruff.....	2 00	James J. O'Brien, American Chief Clerk.....	12 50
Carl H. Woodruff.....	2 00	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	16 25

Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel, recommending the discontinuance of the suits named in his report.

On motion, it was

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

Name.	No.	Name.	No.
Shady, Edward.....	111	Farrall, James.....	111
Frank, John.....	112	Shady, Edward.....	113
Quinn, John.....	113	Shady, John.....	114
Shady, John.....	114	Shady, John.....	115
Shady, John.....	115	Shady, John.....	116
Shady, John.....	116	Shady, John.....	117
Shady, John.....	117	Shady, John.....	118
Shady, John.....	118	Shady, John.....	119
Shady, John.....	119	Shady, John.....	120
Shady, John.....	120	Shady, John.....	121
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SANITARY BOARD.

The following Communication were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- 1st. Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports from the Willard Parker, Reapers, Riverside and Kings Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.
- 3d. 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.

Name.	Position.	Salary.	Action.	Date.
James Flynn.....	Orderly.....	\$75 00	Appointed.....	June 1, 1900
John Kennedy.....	Helper.....	500 00	Appointed.....	June 1, 1900
John Kennedy.....	Helper.....	100 00	Appointed.....	June 1, 1900
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Revenue Hospital.

Name.	Position.	Salary.	Action.	Date.
John F. McKillop.....	Nurse.....	\$40 00	Resigned.....	May 1, 1900
John F. McKillop.....	Nurse.....	40 00	Resigned.....	May 1, 1900
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Report in respect to public nuisance, etc., East Sixteenth street, between Avenue C and East River. Referred to the Secretary to answer.

4th. 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 apartments in 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 apartments be and are hereby reduced as follows:

No. of Order.	On Premises.	Location of Room.	Occupant.	Reduced to	
				Adults.	Children.
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.					
1412	No. 221 East Third street.....	2d floor, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 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Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 268 Sanford street, in the Borough of Brooklyn be required to vacate said building on or before June 19, 1900, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 103 Bushwick avenue, rear, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 103 Bushwick avenue, rear, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before June 19, 1900, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 109 Moore street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 109 Moore street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before June 19, 1900, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 42 Sands street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 42 Sands street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before June 19, 1900, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 107 Moore street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 107 Moore street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before June 19, 1900, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

6th. Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed:

Permits.

No. of Order.	LOCATION.	No. of Valid.	LOCATIONS.
3781	Borough of Manhattan.	2	No. 1012 Third avenue.
4134	No. 174 Delancey street.	243	No. 141 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
31048	No. 123 Avenue D.	187	No. 1142 Third avenue.
	No. 70 Hester street.	202	No. 178 Marion avenue.
	Borough of The Bronx.		
278	No. 532 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth st.		

The report of the Sanitary Superintendent, to whom was referred the recommendation for the revocation of Permit No. 12294, issued to the Manhattan Sausage Company, to use smokehouse at No. 188 Monroe street, was received and laid on the table.

7th. 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 PERMIT AT
		Borough of Manhattan.
12301	To board and care for 1 child.	No. 141 East Seventy-fifth street.
12304	"	No. 247 East Forty-ninth street.
12305	To keep a school for 3 scholars.	No. 208 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
		Borough of Brooklyn.
613	To keep 1 cow.	No. 36 McDonough street.
624	To keep 21 cows.	Union street and Warham street.
12306	To build a water-tight cesspool.	North side Sixty-ninth street, 140 feet west of New Utrecht avenue.
12307	To manufacture and sell gelatine and hy-products.	Maspeeth avenue and Newwood street.
12308	To keep and sell chickens.	Northwest corner Belmont and Thirtieth avenues.
12309	To keep 5 chickens.	No. 103 Rutledge street.
12310	To keep 15 chickens.	No. 206 Reid avenue.
12311	To keep 30 chickens.	No. 230 Sixteenth street.
12312	To drive 2 cows.	From premises at North avenue and Fortieth street to pasture and return, between New Utrecht and Eighth avenues and Thirtieth and Forty-seventh streets.
12313	To drive 4 cows.	From premises at No. 254 Thirtieth street to pasture and return at south side of Dumont avenue, between Boecker and Hunsdale avenues.
12314	To drive 6 cows.	From premises at No. 637 Linwood street to pasture and return at south side of New Lots road, between Essex and Linwood streets.
		Borough of Queens.
625	To keep 21 cows.	Astoria avenue, near Swinaway road, Maspeeth.
626	To keep 20 cows.	Furman avenue, East Williamsburgh.
627	To keep 24 cows.	Metropolitan avenue, East Williamsburgh.
628	To keep 25 cows.	Covett avenue, near Maspeeth avenue, Maspeeth.
629	To keep 30 cows.	Metropolitan avenue, between Pines and Forest avenues, Metropolitan.
630	To keep 32 cows.	Maspeeth avenue, Maspeeth.
631	To keep 43 cows.	Flushing avenue, near Woodward avenue, Metropolitan.
632	To keep 78 cows.	Maspeeth avenue, Maspeeth.
633	To keep 78 cows.	Maspeeth avenue, between Van Cort avenue and Broad street, Maspeeth.
12315	To board and care for 2 children.	Myrtle avenue, near Home street, Corona.
12316	To board and care for 2 children.	Norfolk street and Zedler avenue, Metropolitan.
12317	To board and care for 3 children.	Murphy street, near University place, Woodhaven.
12318	To board and care for 3 children.	No. 524 Fourth avenue, Long Island City.
12319	To board and care for 3 children.	North Hempstead Plank road, near Corona avenue, Corona.

Reports on Applications for State and Whig Permits for the Sale and Delivery of Milk in The City of New York.

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:

No.	LOCATION.	No.	LOCATION.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.			
WAGONS.			
475	Corner Magnolia street and Fresh Pond road, East Williamsburgh.	476	No. 25 Latham street, Long Island City.
476	No. 109 Pleasant avenue, Astoria.	477	Metropolitan avenue, Maspeeth.
STORIES.			
481	Corner Vernon avenue and Third street, Long Island City.	482	No. 27 Elm street, Long Island City (on lot).
483	No. 384 Fulton street, Jamaica.	484	No. 33 Flushing avenue, Long Island City.
485	No. 7 Fulton avenue, Long Island City.	486	No. 277 Theodore street, Long Island City.
487	No. 418 Broadway avenue, Long Island City.	488	No. 941 Broadway avenue, Long Island City.
489	No. 941 Broadway avenue, Long Island City.	490	No. 416 Fulton street, Jamaica.
491	No. 424 Fulton street, Long Island City.	492	No. 38 Grand street, Jamaica.
493	Belts avenue, corner Woodside avenue.	494	Worthington street, Long Island City.
495	No. 4015 Fulton street, Jamaica.	496	Hyatt avenue, Winfield.
497	Woodside.	498	No. 34 Swinaway avenue, Long Island City.
499	Fifth street, Woodside.	500	Avenue, Rockaway Beach.
501	Thompson avenue, Winfield.		
WASHINGTON.			
479	Sea Side, Rockaway Beach.	480	Aryenne, Rockaway Beach.
481	Kaplan avenue, Jamaica.		
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.			
STORIES.			
479	No. 2122 Avenue and Eldison street.	480	No. 47 Broadway street.
481	No. 300 Broadway street.	482	No. 300 Broadway street.
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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
1713	House of Manhattan, Southwest corner Manhattan street and West End Avenue	July 12, 1900	On this portion of the order requiring lots to be fenced, providing the lots be fenced at once.
1714	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the walls and ceilings on the fourth and fifth floors to be waterproofed, providing said walls and ceilings be cleaned and washed down.
1715	No. 205 Broadway	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the provision of a bathroom for the female employees.
1716	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	On that portion of order relating to house-keeping.
1717	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out and connected, the pipes properly adjusted and the closets properly flushed.
1718	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1719	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1720	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1721	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
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1725	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1726	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1727	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
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1736	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
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1745	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1746	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1747	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1748	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1749	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.
1750	No. 127 Bridge Street	July 12, 1900	Modified as to not require the removal of the present water-closets, provided the new containers thereof be built out, connected and provided with hot and cold water properly adjusted.

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
1714	House of Manhattan, No. 127 Bridge Street	1714	No. 127 Bridge Street
1715	No. 127 Bridge Street	1715	No. 127 Bridge Street
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Borough of Manhattan.

1st. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Manhattan. Ordered on file.

First Division.

Division of Sanitary Inspection.

2d. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:

- (a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.
 (b) Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps.
 (c) Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil dumps.

Ordered on file.

3d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	FROM	TO	REMARKS
J. T. Turner	Mar. 2	June 10	
Charles Foster	June 7		

Second Division.

Division of Contagious Diseases.

4th. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:

Monthly reports of charitable institutions.

Ordered on file.

5th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	FROM	TO	REMARKS
John F. Connors, M. D.	June 4	June 9	

THIRD DIVISION.

Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.

6th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector.

Ordered on file.

7th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	FROM	TO	REMARKS
Deer Goodheart	June 5	June 9	
Halcy Dand	May 9		

Report of inspections of Warren Island.

Ordered on file.

FOURTH DIVISION.

Division of Bacteriology.

8th. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories.

Ordered on file.

9th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	FROM	TO	REMARKS
Francis LeStrange	June 5		
Mary E. O'Connor	June 5		

FIFTH DIVISION.

Division of Medical Inspection of Schools.

10th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector.

Ordered on file.

SIXTH DIVISION.

Division of Marine Inspection.

11th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector.

Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

1st. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of The Bronx. Ordered on file.

2d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	FROM	TO	REMARKS
Alphonse J. Dedini	June 5	June 9	

The application of Bertha Benjamin, M. D., for leave of absence for ten days from June 18, 1900, was denied.

Report in respect to the case of Frederick Pfaff, manager for John J. McGrath. Ordered on file.

Application for the appointment of additional help in the office of the Chief Inspector of the Division of Contagious Diseases. Referred to the Secretary to write.

Report recommending closing of the primary department of Public School 97 owing to an outbreak of measles among the pupils. Referred to the Secretary to write to the Board of Education.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to ambulance service at Homeopathic and St. John's hospitals. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Queens. Ordered on file.

List of unlicensed dogs in the Borough of Queens. The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of said list to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Request for the detail of a Ronsman to assume charge of the Sanitary Police Squad. The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of the request to the Police Board.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Richmond. Ordered on file.

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

The following Communications were Received from the Registrar of Records:

1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.

2d. Reports on applications to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

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

NAME	RETURN	DATE
Hortae Knapp Stewart	Born	Feb. 12, 1900
Bennie Diamond	"	May 25, "
John C. Frerichs	"	" 29, "
Abbie Francis Rockefeller	Died	Oct. 10, 1897
John O'Sullivan	"	May 7, 1900
William S. Maynes	"	" 18, "
Angelo Mazza	"	" 21, "
James Sheridan	"	" 30, "
August Mazemann	"	June 1, "
Rosa Steinmetz	"	Apr. 20, "
Agnes Malo	"	June 1, "
John L. Minet	Born	Jan. 10, "

3d. Reports 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:

NAME	RETURN	DATE
Louis Samuels	Born	Aug. 5, 1880
Marie Josie Rose	"	Dec. 30, 1882
John Rose	"	Aug. 16, 1885
Daniel N. Van Dyne	Married	June 17, 1897
Giuseppe Manginelli	"	" 14, 1898

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

Application from Friederich Hofener for permit to render fats at River Avenue and Newton Creek, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for reinspection and report.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salaries of the following-named Fruit Inspectors, which were reduced on January 1, 1900, on account of insufficient appropriation, be and are hereby fixed at the original rate of twelve hundred dollars per annum, from June 1, 1900:

John E. Higgins,

Philip Heist.

People ex rel. Catherine P. Daughen vs. T. E. Palmer et al.—Order entered vacating summary.

George Kuehn, George W. Charles, John Flinn, Townsend Wendell, executor, etc.; Annie Auch, Oliver E. James, Valentine Mitchell (No. 1), Valentine Mitchell (No. 2), Robert A. Gibson et al., Francis Brown et al.; Albert T. K. et al.; John C. Graft, Mary Jones, M. Emma Kuthausen, Benjamin Life Assurance Society, Mary R. O'Brien, Second Avenue Railroad Company; Francis M. Valentine et al.; Francis P. Sullivan, receiver, etc.; James H. Ford et al.—Orders entered discontinuing motions without costs.

Richard A. Hoffman—Appellate Division order entered dismissing appeal with \$10 costs.

Frank G. Symmes vs. Mayer, etc., et al.—Order entered dismissing complaint with \$10 costs for lack of prosecution.

People ex rel. Washington Building Company vs. T. E. Palmer et al.—Order on condition entered.

Joseph Koch, Catherine Dolan, Matthew Wistner, Henry E. Brown, New York Sugar Refining Company, Charles L. Porter, and another; Southern Baptist Church; Samuel Samson—Orders entered dismissing the action without costs.

People ex rel. Charles S. Carroll vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered on Appellate Division. Order in favor of defendant for \$48.32 costs.

People ex rel. John C. Henderson vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered on Appellate Division in favor of defendant for \$58.32 costs.

People ex rel. Joseph A. Galloway vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered on Appellate Division in favor of defendant for \$47.12 costs.

People ex rel. Carl J. Jansen vs. John J. Scammi, etc.—Judgment entered on Appellate Division order dismissing alternative writ of mandamus with \$250.68 costs.

Edw. Kenney et al.—Order entered amending summons.

Mary A. Toney—Order entered dismissing complaint for lack of prosecution, with \$10 costs.

Alfred Berg—Judgment entered in favor of the City on the verdict and for \$115.42 costs.

People ex rel. Michael Kenney vs. James Kenney, etc.—Judgment entered on Appellate Division order in favor of the defendant for \$45.00 costs.

Mary E. Fortson—Order entered during motion for new trial on the minutes.

Mayor at Receiver (First Supplement and Proceedings)—Order entered confirming Third Separate Report of Commissioners.

George J. Palmer, by guardian, etc.—Order entered regarding the cause to the calendar.

Motion of Joseph L. Hand and Sky-line street (Appeal of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company)—Judgment entered dismissing appeal with \$18.05 costs.

People ex rel. Stephen Galloway vs. T. E. Palmer et al.; John G. West vs. The Mayor, etc.; People ex rel. James H. Cooney vs. T. E. Palmer et al.—Orders of discontinuation entered.

People ex rel. Thomas H. Miller vs. Theodore Roosevelt et al., Police Commissioners—Order on remittitur entered in favor of City.

Consolidated Gas Company (No. 1), Consolidated Gas Company (No. 2)—Orders entered dismissing the motion without costs.

William L. Clark, Mary L. Parsons—Orders entered denying motions to continue temporary injunction and dissolving the same.

Edward Hamble—Order entered denying motion to rescind order.

People ex rel. Rose Grant vs. William H. Macbeth; Walter H. Hamilton vs. John J. Scammi—Orders on condition entered in favor of defendants.

William L. Scammi, executor, etc., vs. Joseph O'Brien—Order entered vacating order for payment of the debt.

People ex rel. Michael J. Donaghy vs. John H. Kowalski et al.; People ex rel. Joseph O'Brien vs. Charles H. Kowalski et al.; People ex rel. Matthew W. Conant vs. Charles H. Kowalski et al.; People ex rel. Frederick Kowalski vs. Charles H. Kowalski et al.—Orders on the John J. McLaughlin vs. Charles H. Kowalski et al.—Orders entered during motions for peremptory writs of mandamus.

People ex rel. Rose Grant vs. William H. Macbeth et al.—Judgment entered on remittitur in favor of the City on the verdict.

People ex rel. Walter H. Hamilton vs. John J. Scammi—Judgment entered on remittitur in favor of defendant without costs.

People ex rel. William H. Hamilton vs. Bernard J. York et al.—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus.

James McManus, etc.—Agreement entered during motion for new trial.

People ex rel. William H. Alford vs. Bernard J. York et al.; Motion of the application of Denison Wood, etc.—Orders on condition entered in favor of the defendants.

Mary W. Wood—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$120.00 costs.

George W. Seide—Judgment entered in favor of the City on the decision and for \$129.70 costs.

Charles S. Hines et al.—Order entered appointing William H. Miller, Esq., Receiver.

James Hamilton Company, William H. Miller, Receiver, etc. vs. The City of New York, Sugar Refining Company—Orders entered discontinuing the action.

Agreement entered in case No. 10 in plaintiff in the following action:

Date.	Name.	Required Payroll.	Amount.
June 10	Van Flandern, etc.	21	21
11	Phelan, George P., etc.	21	21
12	Halliday, Joseph J., etc.	21	21
13	Halliday, Joseph J., etc.	21	21
14	Halliday, Joseph J., etc.	21	21
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28	Halliday, Joseph J., etc.	21	21
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2. Transmitting copy of report of Engineer of said Department in relation to communication from this Department relative to the non-payment of rental of certain buildings occupied as quarters for apparatus companies in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, the leases of which have expired, together with resolutions providing for the leasing of certain of said premises. Copy forwarded Deputy Commissioner.

From the Corporation Counsel—Approving as to form contract and specifications for supplying forage in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Advertisement for proposals to be opened on July 11, ordered published in the City Record.

From the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—Respecting the application of the American Fire Engine Company for a fifty days' extension each for the completion of contracts, dated February 15, 1900, for furnishing two third-size Metropolitan Steam Fire Engines for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and two third-size Metropolitan Steam Fire Engines for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Recommendation approved, provided the written consent of the sureties is filed in this office that their obligations as such shall in no manner be affected or impaired by reason of the granting of the extension.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Report of operations of Bureau, week ending 9th instant.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 145, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Ocean Hotel, Sea Breeze avenue and East Fifth street, Coney Island, in said borough. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From James E. Cowley—Commending gallantry of two members of the Uniformed Force, Borough of Brooklyn, in rescuing an old lady from the fourth floor of burning building corner of McElhattan place and Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, on 10th instant, of which he was an eyewitness. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department. Deputy Commissioner notified.

From Foreman Engine 8—Reporting chimney fire at No. 620 Lexington avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 17—Reporting defective flue at No. 89 Norfolk street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Fire Marshal.

RETIRED ON HALF PAY.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

For total and permanent physical disability, caused in or induced by the actual performance of the duties of his position after ten years' continuous service:

Fireman 1st grade Thomas J. Burke, Engine 73, to take effect from July 1, 1900.

JUNE 13, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Reporting that an order has been signed for the Consolidated Gas Company to fit up and light one additional lamp on pier at Ninety-ninth street and East river, as requested. Deputy and Acting Chief of Department notified.

From the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company for permission to connect the following premises with the street fire-alarm boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

Broadway and Eighty-third street, No. 652.

No. 7 West Ninety-second street, No. 663.

Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the application of the New York Telephone Company for permission to do the necessary work at Department building, Nos. 42 and 44 Great Jones street, Borough of Manhattan, to permit of the removal of their wires from said block, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

From Foreman Engine 35—Reporting loss on 11th instant by Engineer of Steamer Walter Jones of his command of his fire-alarm box key No. 54. Usual fine imposed.

From Charles H. Phillips—Requesting to be informed of the dates of the destruction by fire of Nible's Garden and the Union Square Theatre. Reply communicated.

From W. B. Duncan, Jr.—Stating that the inflammable material has been removed from cellar of premises No. 353 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street. Inspector of Combustibles notified.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 35—Reporting that an illegal frame structure is in process of erection in the rear of premises No. 246 East Houston street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Department of Buildings.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 114, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at premises southeast corner Park place and New York avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Department of Finance—Requesting information concerning the claim of Coal Passer Thomas F. Katigan, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for additional compensation under the Labor Law. To the Deputy Commissioner.

From William Clough—Expressing appreciation of the prompt and efficient service rendered by the Chief of the Fifth Battalion and the Members of the Uniformed Force at fire at No. 261 Hudson street, Borough of Manhattan, on the 1st instant. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From S. Kahn—Complaining of defective flue at No. 1311 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Department of Finance—Transmitting notice from the Department of Buildings of violation of the building law at quarters of Hook and Ladder 22, No. 1007 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Buildings Superintendent.

From Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers—Transmitting check for \$215.75, net proceeds of sale on 8th instant of four condemned horses, Nos. 491, 562, 591 and 1102. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place to the credit of the Relief Fund.

JUNE 14, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

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From the Department of Finance—Reporting that certificate of extension of time to Akron Rubber Company for completion of contract, dated February 27, 1900, for the completion of contract for furnishing 4,000 feet 3½-inch rubber and duck woven fire-hose, "White Star Special" brand, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, must be forwarded before the bill can be audited and paid. Said company notified to apply for an extension to May 10, 1900.

From the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company for permission to connect the following premises with the street fire-alarm boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 1200 Madison avenue, box No. 675.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Surf avenue and Twenty-first street, Coney Island (Children's Aid Society), box No. 2-939. Surf avenue, opposite West Thirty-sixth street, Coney Island (Point Comfort House), box No. 2-941.

Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the notification of W. G. Schirmer of his intention to remove telegraph wires from roof of his premises, No. 67 West Thirty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, and reporting that they are not the property of this Department. Mr. Schirmer notified.

3. Transmitting names, addresses, salaries, etc., of employees in his bureau, uniformed and ununiformed, for publication in the City Record, conformably to the requirements of an act of the last Legislature. Forwarded, together with the data on this subject from the other bureaus and branches of the Department.

4. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for permission to run an overhead loop from fire-alarm box southwest corner Waverley place and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, across the avenue to No. 81, for the purpose of connecting the residence of Chief of Battalion William Guerra with these Headquarters. Recommendation approved.

From the Chief of the First Battalion—Concerning the sending of a false alarm of fire on 12th instant from Station 12, Battery place and West street, Borough of Manhattan.

From the Empire City Subway Company (Limited)—

1. Reporting broken Department cable in manhole at Sixth avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Deputy and Acting Chief of Department notified.

2. Reporting the setting apart for the use of city departments of one 3-inch trunk duct in electrical subway on Third avenue, west side, from manhole west side of Bridge at north abutment pier, to northwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of the Bronx. Deputy and Acting Chief of Department notified.

From the Tenement House Commission—Inviting the attendance of the Commissioner at

meeting to be held in the United Charities Building, No. 105 East Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, on the evening of the 24th instant. Reply communicated.

From the Williamsburgh City Fire Insurance Company—Requesting to be informed as to the truth or falsity of allegations recently appearing in a portion of the daily press, Borough of Manhattan, of meagre financial support accorded by the city to the Volunteer Fire Department, Village of Flushing, Borough of Queens. Notified that the allegations are devoid of truth.

From Joseph H. Targus, attorney—Concerning indelicacy of a number of the Uniformed Force to one of his clients. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 133, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Annex Hotel, Harway and Twenty-ninth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Tenement House Commission—Requesting statistical information concerning tenement house fires. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From the United Parametric Fire-alarm Telegraph Company (General Manager)—In relation to the general subject of establishing telegraphic communication with Department Headquarters, pursuant to the requirements of section 762 of the Charter. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From Rumsey & Co., Seneca Falls, N. Y.—Requesting to be informed whether the purchase of hook and ladder trucks and hose wagons during the present summer is contemplated. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From Atmore J. Baggot—Requesting to be relieved from the requirement to provide telegraphic communication between the premises No. 1225 Madison avenue and these Headquarters. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From Piotrowski, Keller & Co.—Complaining of the location of poles on Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From Rudolph A. Horn and others—Commending meritorious conduct of Fireman Thomas McGuire, Engine 58, Borough of Manhattan, at fire at No. 2102 Fifth Avenue, on 15th ultimo. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—

1. Recommending remission of penalties for chimney fires, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Recommendation approved and referred back.

2. Recommending prosecution for recovery of penalties for chimney fires, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Recommendation approved. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Fire Marshal—Respecting the complaint of Henry C. Price of defective flue at No. 126 West Thirty-fourth street, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the cause of complaint. Recommendation approved and referred back with directions to require compliance within ten days.

From the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Department of Buildings—Requesting that the violation of the Building Code, heretofore complained of at the premises of this Department, in Seventy-seventh street, 100 feet east of Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, receive prompt attention. To the Buildings Superintendent.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Transmitting check for \$314, net proceeds of sale by Thomas A. Kerrigan, auctioneer, on the 5th instant of six horses (Nos. 17, 124, 387, 474, 501 and 598), no longer fit for the service. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place to the credit of the Relief Fund.

JUNE 15, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

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From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying list of names of persons eligible for appointment to vacancy in position of Assistant Fire Marshal, Borough of Manhattan.

From the Corporation Counsel—Reporting, approved and initiated, printer's proof of form of contract and specifications for altering and repairing building of Hook and Ladder 22; also for the plumbing work required in connection therewith. Forwarded Buildings Superintendent.

From the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the request of Louis Cummings on behalf of Hook and Ladder 4, New Brighton, Borough of Queens, to have the truck of said company repainted and painted at the Repair Shops, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the same be done. Recommendation approved and application denied.

2. Forwarding report of Assistant Foreman Engine 114, Borough of Brooklyn, of loss of coat badge No. 2722 by Fireman 3d grade Edward S. Kelly, of said company, and recommending, under the circumstances, that the usual fine be remitted. Recommendation approved.

From John Rooney—Requesting to be informed whether Clarence S. McKane received a medal for meritorious conduct on the occasion of the Winster Hotel fire, March 17, 1899. Reply communicated.

From Joseph M. F. Oatis (late an Assistant Fire Marshal, Borough of Manhattan)—Requesting to have his case reopened for the presentation of additional testimony.

From Commanding Officers of Companies—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at the following premises:

Engine 9—Nos. 134 and 136 Canal street.

Engine 12—No. 4 East Broadway, No. 15 East Broadway and No. 103 South street.

Engine 22—No. 144 Park avenue, Nos. 105, 1101, 1213, 1216, 1219, 1225, 1242, 1245, 1335, 1337 Madison avenue, No. 22 East Ninetieth street and Nos. 21 to 29 East Ninety-ninth street.

Engine 23—Nos. 325, 328, 340, 342, 344 West Fifty-ninth street and Nos. 221 and 223 West Fifty-seventh street.

Engine 33—No. 60 South Washington square and No. 60 East Washington square.

Engine 50—Nos. 226, 261, 263, 265, 267 Central Park, West, No. 117 Riverside drive, Nos. 4, 2, 323, 325 West Eighty-third street, No. 316 West Eighty-fourth street, No. 7 West Ninety-second street.

Hook and Ladder 4—Forty-second street and Seventh avenue (Patent Hotel).

To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Daniel S. Murphy—Complaining of obstructed fire-escapes at No. 1792 Park avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 58—Reporting chimney fire at No. 2175 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From McVicker & Co.—

1. Stating that they have not consented to the sale of fireworks at No. 104 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, for which a license has been granted. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

2. Stating that the inflammable material has been removed from cellar of No. 153 West One Hundred and sixth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

JUNE 16, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Deputy Commissioner—

1. Respecting request of the Comptroller for information concerning the claim of Julius Anderson and 191 other members of the Uniformed Force, Borough of Brooklyn, for difference between the salary they have been receiving and that to which they claim to be entitled under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter. Information forwarded Finance Department.

2. Respecting the request of the Comptroller for information concerning the claim of George E. Read and 19 other members of the Uniformed Force, Borough of Brooklyn, for difference between the salary they have been receiving and that to which they claim to be entitled under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter. Information forwarded Finance Department.

3. Respecting claim of Coal Passer Thomas F. Katigan, Borough of Brooklyn, for additional compensation under the Labor Law and reporting violation thereof. Finance Department notified.

From the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company for permission to connect the premises Nos. 103 and 107 East Nineteenth street with street fire-alarm box No. 362, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

2. Recommending that a form of contract be prepared for public letting for the purchase of 35,000 feet underground cable, the expense to be chargeable to the 1899 bond issue. Recommendation approved.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—Recommending the suspension of sections 2 and 4 of the Fireworks Regulations and the granting of permits to the individuals named. Recommendation approved.

From the Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics—Calling attention to a correction that should be made in the annual report for 1899.

Referred.

From Mrs. M. Smith—Complaining that door leading to scullery opening in roof of No. 341 Spring street is at all times locked. To the Department of Buildings.

From the Department of Finance—Requesting information concerning claims of Francis McLaney and sixty-nine other members of the Uniformed Force, also in the case of P. J. Haddock and 102 others, for difference between the salary they have been receiving and that to which they claim to be entitled under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter. To the Deputy Commissioner.

From the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties—Requesting redirection of the following penalties in regard to compliance with the law relating to equipment for fire protection:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 107, 104 South street, No. 6 Chatham square, No. 100 Park row, No. 357 Pearl street, No. 304 East 124th street, No. 204 West One Hundred and Third street.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 124 Graham avenue, Atlantic and Van Selen avenues, Nos. 125, 350 Seventh avenue, No. 370 North avenue, Nos. 1, 3 York street, Nos. 103 and 111 Fulton street, Twelfth avenue, between Sixth and Sixth and a half streets, Jamaica avenue and Enfield street, No. 2 Howard avenue, No. 155 Hicks street, Nos. 32 and 34 Grand street.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Twelfth street and Jackson avenue, Wilcox avenue and Crescent street. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department. From the Watchman-Corps, Borough of Brooklyn—Commending the work of Deputy Chief Dale and the Uniformed Force at recent fire at their co-operation. To the Deputy and Acting Chief of Department, and Deputy Commissioner notified.

From the Fire Marshal—

1. Respecting complaint of Louis Warner of dangerous conditions existing at premises No. 149 West One Hundred and Second street, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the discontinuance of use of laundry stove be required. Recommendation approved and referred back with directions to require compliance within ten days.

2. Respecting complaint of Journeymen Bakers' Union of dangerous condition existing at No. 154 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the cause of complaint. Recommendation approved and referred back with directions to require compliance within ten days.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting that a fire-hydrant be placed at the corner of Bowdoin avenue and Tenthaven street. Reply communicated and Department of Water Supply notified.

From the Fire Marshal—Report of fire, week ending July 1st.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—Report of result of investigation of complaint in re premises No. 55 Central avenue.

From Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting death of horse No. 121.

From Watchman, Engine and Hose Company No. 1—Concerning appropriation for maintenance. Reply communicated.

From the Watchman-Corps—Commending the Uniformed Force for promptness, heroic action and good work at recent fire in their company.

Referred.

From Fireman Higgins 147—Recommendation that fire-scraper be placed on buildings Nos. 244 to 252 Summer avenue. To the Department of Buildings.

From Chief of 24th Battalion—Reporting death of 15th cohort of Retired Fireman James Cassidy. To the Secretary.

From Fireman Higgins 144—Reporting death of horse No. 331 while out exercising. To the Chief of Department.

From the United Singers of Brooklyn—Reporting death of Fireman at Thirteenth Regiment Armory, from June 29 to July 3, inclusive. To the Deputy Chief of Department in charge, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and reply communicated.

From A. Silver—Complaining of lack of fire-scraper at Nos. 1431 and 1433 Bedford avenue. To the Deputy Chief of Department in charge, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From Fireman Higgins 102—Reporting chimney fire at No. 177 Richards street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Fireman Higgins 118—Reporting chimney fire at No. 42 Cedar street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From St. George's Sons—Fire, stating that fire-alarm box be placed in the immediate vicinity of No. 24 to 26 East street. To the Inspector of Telegraphs and reply communicated.

From P. Volantich—Reporting a fire-alarm box key. To the Inspector of Telegraphs.

From Darwin B. James, Chairman, Board of Trustees, Flushing Avenue Church—Concerning key for fire-alarm box, corner Throop and Willoughby avenues. To the Inspector of Telegraphs and reply communicated.

AUGUSTUS T. DOUGARTY, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARDS.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, met at temporary Borough Hall, in Long Island City, on June 15, 1900, at which were present Councilman David L. Van Nostrand, Councilman Joseph Cassidy, with the President of the Borough Frederick Bowley.

On motion, the following were duly adopted:

Whereas, A petition of owners of a property of land fronting on Broadway, between Thompson avenue (or Holloway Boulevard) and Tenthaven street, in Second Ward of Borough of Queens, City of New York, asking that the construction of a public sewer, from and to the points aforesaid, was submitted by the President of the aforesaid borough, to this Local Board thereof, at its meeting held this 15th of June, 1900; and

Whereas, This Board did in conformity with requirements of law, and after due notice published, afford public hearing thereon, at which no person appeared in opposition to the granting of said petition; and

Whereas, It appears from the fact that it is of the utmost importance to the continuous speedy development of Elmhurst as a residential section of this borough that a general plan of sewer system should be promptly established and carried out, and disposal plant in connection therewith to be located upon the Meadows at a point about one mile east of Broadway, would be to the best interests of all concerned; therefore

Resolved, That such be and hereby is earnestly recommended to the favorable consideration and action of the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York.

Also,

Whereas, At meeting of this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held on this 15th day of June, 1900, a communication addressed to the President of aforesaid borough, under date of 4th instant, by Adam Munch of Long Island City, was submitted and read; and

Whereas, Complaint was therein made that since the construction of the large trunk sewer in Hoyt avenue, First Ward, this borough, the water supply by means of private wells in connection with the many dwellings along the line thereof have been thereby drained therein, whereby the only private means of supply of water for domestic use and sanitary purposes in that locality have become exhausted; and

Whereas, Therein it is set forth that absence of such, essential for living purposes, has rendered such premises untenable as dwellings, and consequently made the ownership thereof burdensome, diminishing the rate of rental thereof, and depreciated the values thereof, except for purposes of taxation, yet stagnates the growth and improvement of that section; and

Whereas, Many queries are therein contained, which, although made in very caustic manner, are warranted by the existing deplorable condition of affairs, and the failure of the City authorities to remedy same in not causing the extension of City's water-mains; and

Whereas, It is a fact that during the last thirty months of consolidation, notwithstanding the many petitions forwarded for the extension of City's water-mains in this borough, no progress whatever has been made toward responding to such requirements, nor has there been any effort made to put the City's water plants in proper condition; and

Whereas, The residents in some of the sections of this borough where none but private water-supply corporations exist are subject to the first consideration of such companies before extending their water-mains, as to the amount of annual water rents or rates, which will be returned upon the cost thereof, and the number of fire hydrants that the City will pay for along the line in connection with such mains, regardless of the provisions of their Charter, "to furnish pure and wholesome water to the inhabitants, etc.;" and

Whereas, the Commissioner of Water Supply has a long-standing requisition before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropriation to extend the City's water-mains and increase its water supply, and to put its pumping machinery and plants in proper and improved conditions, but which up to present has not been favorably acted upon;

Now, in view of the foregoing and the urgent demand that no further delay be indulged in, it is

Resolved, That this Board does hereby respectfully and earnestly insist that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and all other City authorities who by law are charged in any

manner with the performance of any duties in the premises, that it and they should forthwith apply themselves to the full and prompt discharge thereof, as the pressing needs of the people of this borough for supply of City water makes compliance therewith most imperative.

Communication from Board of Public Improvements, dated June 7, 1900, with copy of report of the Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer, bearing date May 28, 1900, which refer to the recommendations of the Local Board, that proceedings be initiated to legally open Blocker street, Covert avenue, Greene avenue, North street, Palmetto street and Woodward avenue, in Second Ward of the Borough of Queens, all of which contain the following:

"A second or detail map will have to be prepared before the recommendations of the Local Board can be approved. I recommend, therefore, that no action be taken in this matter until the detail map is filed."

Adjourned to 2nd inst.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held its meeting at the temporary Borough Hall, Long Island City, on June 22, 1900.

Present—Councilman Joseph Cassidy and President of the Borough Frederick Bowley.

The following was duly adopted:

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board of Borough aforesaid, at its meeting held June 22, 1900, a petition for the legal opening of Temple street, from Crescent street to East river, in First Ward of this said borough; and

Whereas, This Board did in conformity with notice published afford public hearing thereon, at which no person appeared in opposition thereto; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action toward causing the necessary proceedings to be instituted whereby The City of New York shall acquire title in said street for a public highway.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did at meeting of the Local Board of said borough, which was held on June 22, 1900, submit for its consideration and action, the petition of owners of real estate fronting on Lugan street, between Grand street and Orchard street, in Jamaica, of the Fourth Ward of aforesaid borough, asking that permit be granted to the Jamaica Water Supply Company to lay its water-mains in said street, from and to the points aforesaid; and

Whereas, In the absence of any City water supply where-with to meet the public requirements for water, no alternative exists but to favor the supply by the private water corporations located in such section of this borough; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it authorize and direct that the desired permit be issued therefor. Communication from Commissioner of Water Supply dated June 19, 1900, which concludes as follows:

"I am fully aware of the necessity of making large extensions of the City water-mains in the First and Third Wards of your borough, and the Department is prepared to put all such work under contract as soon as it is authorized and the appropriation is obtained."

Adjourned to 29th instant.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, }
Nos. 126 AND 128 LIVINGSTON STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, }
NEW YORK CITY, July 5, 1900. }

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 2, 1900.

June 27.

Reports of labor, census, etc., Hospital and Almshouse, for week ending June 26, 1900, approved.

June 28.

Approved following bills and transmitted same to Auditor:

Care and maintenance dependent children.....	\$3,065 69
Hospitals.....	5,323 00

Approved requisitions of the various institutions.

Received from Comptroller certification of contract of William Flanagan & Co., for painting, on file.

June 29.

Consented to release of Thomas Murray from Kings County Jail, held on charge of larceny-moment.

Effectuated compromise in the case of Louis Grama against Joseph George.

June 30.

Mrs. Grace Dewey, Papal Nurse, Kings County Hospital, died.

Inez Newton and Katherine Spender, Papal Nurses, Kings County Hospital, resigned.

Approved following bills and transmitted same to Auditor:

Supplies.....	\$2,640 80
Burial of Veterans.....	350 00
Poor Adult Blind.....	1,500 00
Burial of Veterans, 1898 account.....	35 00

Approved pay-roll for the month of June, 1900, amounting to \$12,265.33.

Minnie E. Duck, Head Nurse, Kings County Hospital, granted leave of absence without pay from date.

July 1.

Approved following bills and transmitted same to Auditor:

Care and maintenance dependent children.....	\$1,163 42
Hospitals.....	1,583 80

William A. McCaffrey, employed temporarily as Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, at \$216 per annum.

July 3.

Approved bill of Louis H. Von, architect, for professional services rendered, amounting to \$4,520.95, and transmitted same to Auditor.

Effectuated compromise in the case of Emma Bagal against Charles Abrams.

Transmitted to Hon. John W. Keller trial balance and statements, in duplicate, on account of appropriations for the years 1899 and 1900.

The following reports of week ending July 3, 1900, received and placed on file:

Dependent children committed.....	37	Admissions to Almshouse.....	61
" discharged.....	23	" Hospital.....	97
Orders for abandonment warrants.....	10	Burial permits issued.....	18
" hasty warrants.....	5	Ambulance calls.....	25
Letters to delinquent husbands.....	38		

A. SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, July 6, 1900. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending July 4, 1900.

Respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

	BOROUGHES.				
	MANHATTAN	THE BRONX	BROOKLYN	QUEENS	RICHMOND
Public Money Received during the Week.					
For restoring and repaving pavements.....	.....	.....	\$513 10	\$20 00	.....
For water connections, openings.....	.....	.....	\$81 32	210 00	.....
For sewer connections, openings.....	.....	.....	39 00	129 00	.....
General account.....	\$5,947 20	.....	.....	.....	.....
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	18 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
For vault permits.....	3,363 42	.....	.....	.....	.....
For shed permits.....	23 90	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$5,950 42	\$21 32	\$758 00	\$50 00	.....
Permits Issued.					
Permits to open streets, to lay water-pipes.....	.....	8	39	9	1
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections.....	.....	7	91	10	7
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections.....	.....	9	62	2	.....
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections.....	.....	8	32	2	8
Permits to place building material on streets.....	60	9	20	.....	1
Permits to construct street vaults.....	2	.....	7	.....	.....
Permits, special.....	.....	25	109	21	16
Permits to construct sheds.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to erect awnings.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	5	3	14	.....	.....
Permits for subways, steam rails and various connections.....	106	12	.....	.....	.....
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	27	.....	.....	5	.....
Obstructions Kept Down.					
Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....	12	1	18	.....	.....
Repairs to Pavement.					
Square yards of pavement repaired.....	7,274	106	7,797	481	609

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$90,350 00

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways during week ending June 30, 1900.

NATURE OF WORK.	BOROUGHES.				
	MANHATTAN.	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.
	Mechanics.	Mechanics.	Mechanics.	Mechanics.	Mechanics.
	Laborers.	Laborers.	Laborers.	Laborers.	Laborers.
	Tram.	Tram.	Tram.	Tram.	Tram.
	Carts.	Carts.	Carts.	Carts.	Carts.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	347 224 4 80	34 7 9	7 74 128	43 45 22 11	78
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of.....	22 100 28 5	11 634 115	7 74 128	43 45 22 11	78
Roads, streets and avenues.....	4 104 9 2	11 634 115	7 74 128	43 45 22 11	78
Sprinkling.....	7 12 11 11	11 634 115	7 74 128	43 45 22 11	78
Total.....	376 435 41 92	15 689 122	18 84 164	49 70 57 126	11 72

REPORT IN CHANGES OF FORCE FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 6, 1900.

Borough of Manhattan.

Employed—2 Horses and Carts.
Appointed—1 Topographical Draftsman.

Borough of The Bronx.

Employed—1 Horse and Cart, 4 Teams.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1900.

OPERATIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 30, 1900.

	MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS AND RICHMOND.	TOTAL.
Plans filed for new buildings.....	42	47	19	108
Estimated cost.....	\$1,000,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$1,200,000
Plans filed for alterations.....	29	43	23	113
Estimated cost.....	\$50,000	\$75,511	\$20,000	\$145,511
Buildings reported as unsafe.....	60	21	8	89
Buildings repaired for additional means of escape.....	47	8	.....	55
Other violations of law reported.....	219	70	31	340
Unsafe building notices issued.....	140	24	8	168
Fire-escape notices issued.....	40	8	.....	48
Violation notices issued.....	248	70	31	349
Unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution.....	2	1	.....	3
Fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	.....	1	.....	1
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	174	35	.....	209
Iron and steel inspections made.....	6,774	179	.....	6,953
Complaints lodged with the Department.....	157	20	.....	177
Elevator inspections made.....	.....	96	.....	96

A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary, Board of Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
June 22, 1900.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending June 16, 1900:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

During the week 41 new lamps were erected and 41 lighted; 3 lamps were relighted and 20 discontinued; 6 lamp-posts were removed, 7 reset and 9 straightened; 3 columns were refitted and 11 relaid; 2 service and 2 stand pipes were refitted.

ELECTRICAL WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

313 certificates were issued for interior wiring; 221 permits were issued for outside electrical work; 1,327 inspections were made and 7,603 feet of overhead wires were removed.

CHANGE IN FORCE.

Borough of Manhattan.

Reinforcements—3 Bath Attendants, male.
Removal—1 Stoker.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week is \$124,240.33.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

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. DOWNS, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
DAVID J. KUTCH, Chief of Bureau.

Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn: WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.: WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City: PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

and Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BARBICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEARNY, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GOODENOUGH, President of the Council; and ROBERT MUM, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEEVEY, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Room No. 21, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FEITNER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, President of the Council, and the CORPORATION COUNCIL, Members; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Room R, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

The Mayor, ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chairman; The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary; The Commissioners of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, HENRY S. KEARNY; Brigadier-General JAMES McLENN, and Brigadier-General McCOSKRY, Members.
Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary, Stewart Building.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

The Council.

RANDOLPH GOODENOUGH, President of the Council.
P. J. SCULLEY, City Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 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 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JAMES J. COUGAN, President.
ISA EDGAR KEENE, 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. HAPPEL, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 12 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.
Office, Long Island City, 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
Office of the President, First National Bank Building, New Brighton; 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. HARTLEY and EDWARD DWAN, Commissioners.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 189 Montague Street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DATENFORTH, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 110 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HORN, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.

No. 103 Third Street, Long Island City.
CHARLES A. WADSWORTH, Public Administrator.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. FEN KYLE, JOHN P. WHITOLPH and THE MAYOR and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
MICHAEL T. DALY, EDGAR J. LEEVEY, Deputy Comptrollers.

Auditing Bureau.

JOHN F. GOULDEN, Auditor of Accounts.
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F. J. BERTY, Auditor of Accounts.
MOSES GREENBERGER, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM McKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.
DAVID B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.
EDWARD J. LOWELL, Auditor of Accounts.
FRANCIS R. CLARK, Auditor of Accounts.
WALTER H. HUNT, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.
JAMES F. McKEE, Auditor of Accounts.
PHILIP J. McKEE, Auditor of Accounts.
JEREMIAH T. MALONEY, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILSON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
JOHN KELLY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
JAMES E. STAFFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.
MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.
JOHN F. RUCKER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTIN, Receiver of Taxes.
JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.
JAMES H. BOUTER, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK W. BLACKWELL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.
MATTHEW S. TOLLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
ALEXANDER MEAKIN, Clerk of Markets.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

PATRICK KEARNY, City Chamberlain.
JOHN B. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 32 Chambers Street and No. 45 Rector Street.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 10th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
MAURICE F. MOLAN, President.
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KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

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New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.
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Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRAUN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEONARD B. CHANE, JOSEPH M. DUBOIS, CHARLES A. FLAHERTY, LORENZO ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MARY, EDWARD HOGAN, WILLARD H. OLMSTED.
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Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington Avenue.
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Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third Avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth Avenue.

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Borough of Brooklyn.

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Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. FRANK, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Leo Avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Even and Powers streets. ARTHUR LEMON, Magistrate.
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Hall of Records, Brooklyn.
GEORGE H. FAHRBACK, Surrogate.
MICHAEL F. MCDONALD, Chief Clerk.
Court opens 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

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THOMAS D. MORRISON, Superintendent.
JOSEPH H. GIBBS, Secretary.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
STANLEY D. BRADMAN, County Judge.

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Court-house, Room 14.
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Special Term, Part I, Room No. 16.
Clerk's Office, Part I, Room No. 15.
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Clerk's Office, Part III, Room No. 9.
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Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 6.
Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 5.
Special Term, Part VIII, Room No. 4.
Special Term, Part IX, Room No. 3.
Special Term, Part X, Room No. 2.
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County Court-house, Long Island City.
County Court opens at 9 A. M.; adjourns at 2 P. M.
County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.
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CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 42 Chancery street, Municipal Building, City Hall Park, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
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Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half past 10 o'clock.
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Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Trial days—Brooklyn Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN CONNOR, HERBERT J. FORKES, PATRICK KEANE, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KENNEDY, Clerk; CHARLES F. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.
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MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Fourth, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Beller's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 123 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
DAVID L. FINE, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, 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 east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-house, corner of Third and Centre streets.
MARTIN BUTLER, Justice. FRANCIS MARGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southeast corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 32 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROBERT, Justice. JOHN E. JONES, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 124 Duane street.
BENJAMIN HUGHES, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.
Sixth District—Eleventh and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, southeast 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.
HERMAN JONES, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITY, Clerk.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
JACOB H. SCHMIDT, Justice. THOMAS COCHRAN, Clerk.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox and Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of System place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock except Sundays and legal holidays, and continues open to close of business.
JOSEPH F. FELLOW, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open only 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. 124 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. McBRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, 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 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. WOODWARD, Justice. ADOLPH N. DEMANET, 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 103 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Town of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsburgh. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes on Tuesday and Friday of each week.
WILLIAM W. FIDELITY, 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 10 A. M.
JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.
Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
JOHN J. WALSH, 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. 194 Broadway, Brooklyn.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, 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 J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CANNON, 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.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOELLING-KOSTER, Clerk; JAMES P. SMYTH, 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 Sixth avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.
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 K. KADOK, 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 include 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 RANQUIN, Jr., Justice. HERBY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Forty-second, Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, Sixtieth, Sixty-first, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventieth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, Seventy-third, Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, Seventy-sixth, Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, 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No. 41. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT RELAND AS FOUNDATION, SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Central Park, West, to Columbus avenue.

- No. 40. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAYMENT RELIANT AS FOUNDATION, WATER STREET, from Wall street to Maiden Lane.
- No. 42. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAYMENT RELIANT AS FOUNDATION, KING STREET, from Macdougal street to York street.
- No. 44. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON PRESENT PAYMENT RELIANT AS FOUNDATION, HIGH-TENTH STREET, from Broadway to Fifth Avenue.

Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 46. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS 4,000 CUBIC YARDS OF CLEAN, SHARP SAND IN THE LEXINGTON AND NORTH EIGHTH STREET YARDS IN THE SAID BOROUGH.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1576, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,

Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 15 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, JUNE 21, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed therein, will be received at this office until

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1900,

at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following works in the

Borough of the Bronx.

- No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND SUBURBAN PLACE, from Madison road to Crotona Park, East, and in CROTONA PARK, EAST, from summit west of Suburban place to summit of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 2. SEWER IN SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, between Second Avenue and Third Avenue, and in SECOND AVENUE, between Seventy-fifth Street and Seventy-ninth Street.

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

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

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

in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained, as to the Borough of the Bronx, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street, Borough of the Bronx, and as to the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAS. KANE,

Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, 1
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF HARDWARE, LUMBER, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, IRON AND STEEL, ETC., GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER.

Borough of Manhattan.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, New York City, until 4 P. M.

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall inclose the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hardware, Lumber, Paints, Oils, Glass, Iron and Steel and Miscellaneous 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 date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF HE DEEMS IT 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.

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 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 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, in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work 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 the Revised Ordinances, 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 National or State 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 an 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 person 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 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 re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

For particulars as to quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the printed specifications. 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, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are made for reference only and are not to be taken as a basis for any claim or demand for extra work or materials, and no claim for extra work or materials will be considered as a basis for any claim or demand for extra work or materials.

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, cart, ton, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extra tax must be made and added up, as the bids will be read from the footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class.

All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTY,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, 1
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING NEW BOILER AND NECESSARY REPAIRS TO STEAMER "W. L. STRONG."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR NEW Boiler, etc., Steamer "Wm. L. Strong," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, New York City, until 4 P. M.

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for New Boiler, etc., Steamer Wm. L. Strong," 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 and read. The quantity and quality of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required are stated and set forth in the specifications.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF HE DEEMS IT 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.

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

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 amount of Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars each.

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 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 of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled 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 350 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 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 One Hundred Dollars, being 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 person 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 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 re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

The work shall conform in every respect to the terms of specifications, and be completed in sixty working days. Bids are not to be opened before the specified date for the opening of the bids, and no bids received before making the estimate.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Council, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine such and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTY,

Commissioner of Correction.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF STEAM FITTINGS, IRON AND STEEL, BRASS, COPPER, BRISTLES, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER TO THE KING COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

Borough of Brooklyn.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, New York City, until 4 P. M.

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Iron and Steel, Brass, Copper and Bristles, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous 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 date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of said Department and read.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF HE DEEMS IT 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.

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 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, in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled 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 the Revised Ordinances 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 National or State 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 person 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 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 re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, materials and merchandise must conform to every requirement of the sample of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of sample, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whenever they are written, and will in no way govern the action of the Department in passing upon tenders.

Bidders must state the price of each article for found, down, galvanized, etc., in which the bids will be based. The estimates must be made and filled up, as the bids will be read from the total filling and amounts made in the lowest bidder in each item.

Attestation and signature to these requirements may be considered as informed.

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, at from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION OF NEW STEAM HEATING PASSENGER ELEVATOR AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING IN THE PENITENTIARY BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR MAKING THE ALTERATIONS TO WINDOWS AND OTHER EXTERIOR PORTIONS OF THE PENITENTIARY BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Installation of New Steam Heating Passenger Elevator and Electric Lighting in the Penitentiary Building, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Making the Alterations to Windows and Other Exterior Portions of the Penitentiary Building, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. 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 amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and of all other persons to whom the contract may be awarded, and 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, deputy thereof or clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath or affirmation 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, trust, bond or security 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 shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be entitled 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 faithful performance of the contract, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 in the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars, being 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 person 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 will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

The contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform to every detail to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR MAKING THE ALTERATIONS TO WINDOWS AND OTHER EXTERIOR PORTIONS OF THE PENITENTIARY BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR MAKING THE ALTERATIONS TO WINDOWS AND OTHER EXTERIOR PORTIONS OF THE PENITENTIARY BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Making the Alterations to Windows and Other Exterior Portions of the Penitentiary Building, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Making the Alterations to Windows and Other Exterior Portions of the Penitentiary Building, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. 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 amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and of all other persons to whom the contract may be awarded, and 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, deputy thereof or clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath or affirmation 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, trust, bond or security 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 shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be entitled 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 faithful performance of the contract, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 in the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars, being 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 person 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 will 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform to every detail to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING IN THE NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING IN THE NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Plumbing and Gas-Fitting in the New Administration Building, B.I.T., 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 Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject 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.

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

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 amount of TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and of all other persons to whom the contract may be awarded, and 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, deputy thereof or clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath or affirmation 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, trust or security 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 shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be entitled 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 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 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 in the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Six Hundred (\$600) dollars, being 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 person 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 will 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform to every detail to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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.

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects.

No. 1, Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS THE ADMINISTRATOR BUILDING, AT THE PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS THE ADMINISTRATOR BUILDING, AT THE PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Erecting and Completing Building to be known as the Administrator Building, at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island," 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 Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject 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.

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

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 amount of SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and of all other persons to whom the contract may be awarded, and 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, deputy thereof or clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath or affirmation 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, trust, bond or security 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 shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be entitled 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 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 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 in the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Three Thousand (\$3,000) dollars, being 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 person 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 will 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform to every detail to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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.

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 15 PARK ROW,
CITY OF NEW YORK, MAY 2, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern that, pursuant to the provisions of the several laws of this State relative to the collection of taxes, water assessments, rents and extra rates, the said assessments, rents and extra rates assessed in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens (formerly Long Island City), for the year beginning May 1, 1899, and ending April 30, 1900, will become due and payable on and after May 16, 1900, and must be paid to the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply at his office in the Hackett Building on Jackson Avenue, First Ward (former Long Island City), Borough of Queens: that the same may be paid without fee or interest charge within the period terminating May 16 and ending June 15, 1900; that on all bills remaining unpaid after June 15, an interest of thirty (30) days next following, interest will be added at the rate of two-thirds of one per cent., and that all such assessments, water rents and rates which are not paid within sixty (60) days from and after May 16, 1900, will be levied and collected in the manner provided by law, together with interest thereon, at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, from said date, May 16, 1900.

The office hours for receiving money are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.

Taxpayers will please bring their last tax receipts or exact descriptions of their respective lots, in order to avoid delays or the payment of rates on the wrong property.

(Signed) **WILLIAM DALTON,**
Commissioner of Water Supply.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the Fire-hose below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A.M.,

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1900,

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.

Ten thousand (10,000) feet Rubber and Duck Woven Fire-hose, "White Star" brand or equal thereto.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars.

The time for delivery is sixty days.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Ten (10) Dollars.

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 hose, may be seen and forms of bids or proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to decline all bids or estimates if deemed to be in the public interest.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1900.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the underground cable below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A.M.,

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1900,

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of four (4) Conductors Underground Cable.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of eight (8) Conductors Underground Cable.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of twelve (12) Conductors Underground Cable.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of sixteen (16) Conductors Underground Cable.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of twenty (20) Conductors Underground Cable.

Five thousand (5,000) feet of twenty-five (25) Conductors Underground Cable.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand (\$6,000) Dollars, and the time for delivery one hundred and twenty (120) days.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at Ten (10) Dollars.

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment, may be seen and forms of proposals and any further information required may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1900.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING the materials and labor and doing the work required to paint and repair the fire-hose at "The New Yorker" Building Company 571, Borough of Manhattan and Bronx, of this Department, will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A.M.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1900,

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Bidders must write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures, the time for completion of the work is forty (40) working days.

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.

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 One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

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 Ninety Dollars (\$90). 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.

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1900.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the articles below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A.M.,

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1900,

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

50,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.

25,000 pounds No. 1 Ryegrass.

40,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white clipped Hays, to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

40,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Hyacinth.

To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be inspected and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employee in charge. The weighing to be upon beam scales furnished by the Department and accepted by the contractor.

All of the hay, straw and oats shall be subject to inspection by a Produce Exchange Inspector at any time required by the Department (not exceeding three times during the deliveries under this contract), the expense of which inspections shall be borne by the contractors.

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 articles, and list showing locations and places of delivery, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for Hay, Straw, Oats and Hyacinth.

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 Six Thousand (\$6,000) Dollars.

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 Three Hundred (\$300) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ASSEMBLY, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
July 7, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its office, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth Avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 12 o'clock A.M.,

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1900.

FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE WORK OF REGulating, GRADING AND THE ERECTION OF A SEA-WALL AND IRON RAILING ALONG THE EASTLY FRONT OF THE EXTENSION OF EAST RIVER PARK, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET TO THE END OF THE SEA-WALL NEAR EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The Engineer's estimate of materials to be furnished, the quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, as near as possible, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

1. 400 cubic yards earth excavation, other than for trench for wall.
2. 10 cubic yards rock excavation, other than for trench for wall.
3. 2,500 cubic yards of filling to be furnished in place, from sources existing to the site of the work.
4. 1,700 cubic yards of excavation in all kinds for trench for sea-wall.
5. 10,000 cubic yards of wall masonry.
6. 60 cubic yards of concrete in foundation.
7. 550 linear feet of granite coping to furnish and set.
8. 6 granite piers above coping to furnish and set.
9. 150 linear feet galvanized iron railing to furnish and erect.

N.B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

Further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, or of material to be furnished, will be found in the specifications and contracts for the said works.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work above mentioned is \$40,000.

BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS, UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work and materials required, and shall not any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, 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, 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 the 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 said named 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 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 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 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 a 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 price as specified, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be awarded to and executed as provided by law.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and plans may be examined in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimate.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, sixth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The City Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City or to do.

Board of Education of Manhattan, July 10, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
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JOSEPH J. KILLALEA,
Committee on Buildings.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ERECTING NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 134, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, south-west corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P.M., on

MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,

for erecting New Public School 134, on the southerly side of Eighth Avenue, at or near Ocean Parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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 law or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

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 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 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 of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety 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 sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The 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 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 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.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of 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 a 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 price as specified, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be awarded to and executed as provided by law.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and plans may be examined in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimate.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, sixth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The City Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City or to do.

Board of Education of Manhattan, July 10, 1900.

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Committee on Buildings.

place and westerly along the northern side of Franklin street to the point or place of beginning.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks, payable to the order of the State Treasurer, or a check payable to the order of the Comptroller, for the amount of one 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 over to the officer or clerk who has charge of the estimates, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the northeasterly side of Sixth street, northwesterly of Fourth avenue, in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be conveyed, appropriated and used for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 104 of the Laws of 1894, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and other statutes relating thereto, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

