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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Statement of the Operations and Condition of the City Treasury and of the Sinking Funds during the Quarter ending September 30, 1898.

AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 1544 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897.)

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 13, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor:

SIR—I have the honor to send you herewith a statement of the operations and condition of the City Treasury and the Sinking Funds, during the quarter ending September 30, 1898, as required by section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

Respectfully,
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

I.—THE CITY TREASURY.

Receipts.

Cash Balances of Corporations, Consolidated with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, Turned Over to The City of New York, as Constituted since January 1, 1898.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Town of Newtown—From the late Treasurers of various school districts.....	\$90 80	
Town of Flushing—From the late Treasurers of various school districts.....	1,000 00	
		\$1,090 80

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Village of Edgewater—From the late Treasurer.....	\$274 04	
Twenty-nine School Districts—From various officials.....	9 47	
		283 51

Total Balances turned over..... \$1,374 31

TAXES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Amount of Taxes Collected—		
By Receiver of Taxes.....	\$13,046 76	
By Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	875,491 92	
		\$888,538 68

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Amount of Taxes Collected—		
By Receiver of Taxes.....	\$591,649 14	
By Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	157,320 13	
		748,969 27

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Amount of Taxes Collected—		
By Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	\$211,705 09	
By Collector of Assessments and Arrears—		
Long Island City.....	\$343,350 24	
Town of Flushing.....	5,638 07	
Village of Flushing.....	2,908 87	
Village of College Point.....	730 73	
Village of Whitestone.....	762 11	
Town of Jamaica.....	27,419 77	
Village of Jamaica.....	2,542 61	
Village of Richmond Hill.....	2,359 53	
Town of Newtown.....	16,831 05	
Village of Far Rockaway.....	2,400 32	
Village of Rockaway Beach.....	4,457 50	
Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea.....	118 53	
	409,519 33	
		621,224 42

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Amount of Taxes Collected—		
By Collector of Assessments and Arrears—		
Town of Northfield.....	\$6,719 59	
Town of Southfield.....	5,205 01	
Town of Westfield.....	2,092 64	
Town of Castleton.....	6,028 39	
Town of Middletown.....	3,368 00	
Village of Edgewater.....	848 73	
Village of New Brighton.....	858 76	
Village of Port Richmond.....	650 75	
Village of Tottenville.....	115 23	
School Districts.....	9,009 90	
	34,897 00	

Total Receipts from Taxes..... 2,293,629 37

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT OF 1897 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Being Reimbursements, Errors, etc., Refunded—		
Health Department—Hospital Fund.....	\$209 42	
Health Department—Hospital Fund Contingent Expenses.....	186 00	
		\$395 42

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1898.

CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

Being Reimbursements, Errors, etc., Refunded—		
Department of Public Charities—		
Salaries.....	\$35 73	
Department of Health—Hospital Fund.....	1,943 00	
Department of Water Supply—Aqueduct Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	2 00	
Department of Finance—		
Salaries.....	\$300 55	
Contingencies.....	50	
		301 05
Department of Street Cleaning—Carting.....	5 92	
Department of Education—Salaries of Teachers, etc.....	6 00	
Department of Highways—		
Manhattan and The Bronx—		
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	\$26 00	
Brooklyn—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	1,284 00	
		1,310 00
Department of Parks—		
Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Maintenance of Museum.....	\$20 55	
Borough of Brooklyn—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	47 25	
		67 80
Armories and Drill-room.....	8 00	
		3,679 50
Total Refunds on Appropriation Account.....		\$4,074 92

THE GENERAL FUND.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

County Clerk's Fees.....	\$8,773 53	
Register's Fees.....	22,247 33	
City Clerk's Fees.....	1,356 41	
Chamberlain's Fees.....	3,732 56	
Coroners' Fees.....	77 50	
Surrogates' Fees.....	983 20	
Public Administrator—		
Commissions.....	\$1,825 09	
Costs.....	5 00	
		1,830 09
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	345 00	
Corporation Counsel—Costs.....	224 53	
CITY RECORD—Sales of.....	1,134 41	
Licenses.....	17,840 25	
"Conscience".....	02	
Collector of City Revenue—		
Street car licenses, including dummies.....	\$4,000 00	
Pipe franchises.....	494 50	
Dividend on stocks.....	30 50	
Rents.....	150 00	
Market permits.....	19 00	
		4,694 00
Department of Correction—Sales of old material.....	35 00	
Department of Public Charities—Board, steamboat fares, etc.....	1,204 31	
Department of Parks—Rents, permits, etc.....	23,633 90	
Department of Street Cleaning—"Trimnings".....	13,565 32	
Police Department—		
Emigrant boarding-house licenses.....	\$30 00	
Runners' licenses.....	400 00	
		430 00
Department of Highways—		
Labor and material.....	\$374 00	
Street incumbrances.....	1,084 77	
Permits—Temporary sheds.....	415 00	
Sales of old material, etc.....	208 23	
		2,082 00
Department of Sewers—		
Sewers and drains.....	\$14,336 00	
Sales of old material.....	45 00	
		14,381 00
Department of Water Supply—		
Tapping water pipes.....	\$5,760 50	
Labor and material.....	22 54	
		5,783 04
Department of Docks and Ferries—Sales of old material.....	410 71	
Interest on Taxes—		
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$559 41	
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	102,435 81	
		102,995 22
Interest on Assessments—Fund for Street and Park Openings, etc.....	11,780 44	
Interest on Water Meter Fund.....	91 81	
Board of Public Improvement—Sales of old material.....	29 70	
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Sales of old material.....	75 00	
Interest on security deposits.....	404 67	
Reimbursements on account of committed children.....	2,283 00	
Miscellaneous—Subpoenas, copying, etc.....	3 50	
Total Receipts of the General Fund.....		242,427 45

* MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Interest on Taxes—		
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$34,425 08	
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	26,315 67	
		\$60,740 75
Interest on Water Rents.....	7,290 66	
Interest on Assessments.....	14,723 52	
Interest on Prospect Park Installments.....	111 94	

Advertising Sales.....	\$48 00
Court Fees and Fines.....	8,443 00
Surrogates' Fees.....	425 15
Licenses.....	12,385 50
City Clerk's Fees.....	226 50
Sewers and Drains.....	9,462 87
Department of Public Charities.....	1,062 85
Department of Correction, including Kings County Penitentiary.....	2,058 20
Interest on Deposits.....	20,907 26
Collector of City Revenue, etc.—	
Wallabout Market—Rentals and Fees.....	\$16,330 87
Amsterdam Electric Light Company.....	78 25
House Rents.....	406 50
Railroad Franchises.....	6,740 00
Bonds and Mortgages.....	2,000 00
Sales of Real Estate.....	1,048 50
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	2,717 67
	29,321 79
Department of Water Supply—	
Tapping water pipes.....	\$2,610 00
Labor and material.....	810 97
	3,420 97
Coroners' Fees.....	14 00
Street Vaults.....	278 96
Department of Highways—Labor and material.....	2,278 42
Miscellaneous—Copying, etc.....	45
Reimbursements on Account of Committed Children.....	18 00
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	140 00
	\$173,358 79

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Interest on Taxes—	
Long Island City—	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$18,021 66
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	1,756 68
	\$19,778 34
Collector of Assessments and Arrears—	
Town of Flushing.....	589 78
Village of Flushing.....	297 24
Village of Whitestone.....	78 99
Town of Jamaica.....	1,468 01
Village of Jamaica.....	255 45
Village of Richmond Hill.....	194 14
Town of Newtown.....	1,291 55
Village of Far Rockaway.....	173 89
Village of Rockaway Beach.....	314 61
Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea.....	12 58
	\$24,454 58
Interest on Water Rents—	
Long Island City—	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$283 44
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	74 97
	358 41
Interest on Taxes and Water Rents—Village of College Point.....	117 20
Interest on Assessments—	
Village of Richmond Hill.....	\$4 40
Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea.....	26
	4 66
Sewers and Drains.....	520 00
Court Fees and Fines.....	1,028 12
Coroners' Fees.....	7 50
Interest on Deposits.....	955 93
City Clerk's Fees.....	14 57
Department of Education—Miscellaneous.....	2 95
	27,463 92

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Interest on Taxes.....	\$3,030 96
Interest on Assessments.....	375 84
Court Fees and Fines.....	521 00
Sewers and Drains.....	232 00
Interest on Deposits.....	151 50
Collector of City Revenue—House Rent.....	75 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	29 00
City Clerk's Fees.....	51 50
Department of Public Charities.....	120 50
	4,587 30

Total Miscellaneous Revenues.....\$205,410 01

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Fund for Street and Park Openings—Assessments.....	\$187,179 53
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—	
Bonds Issued.....	\$150,000 00
Assessments.....	376,908 51
Interest on Assessments.....	42,933 95
	569,842 46
Harlem River Improvement Fund—Assessments.....	40 19
Additional Public Park Fund—Assessments.....	136 02
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	76 10
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	7 75
Lands purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Redemption of—Borough of The Bronx.....	145 70
Interest on Lands Purchased.....	196 56
Towns of Westchester County—Annexed under chapter 934, Laws of 1895—	
Taxes and Assessments.....	\$4,966 86
Interest and Charges.....	1,502 19
	6,469 05
Water Meter Fund No. 2—	
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	\$422 63
Department of Water Supply.....	250 34
	672 97
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	24,794 50
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	1,562 97
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	2,487 32
Street Incumbrances—Department of Street Cleaning.....	606 05
Anti-toxine Fund.....	4,111 07
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	697 69
Arrears of Taxes and Assessments—Towns of Eastchester and Pelham.....	1,911 19
Excise Taxes.....	104,880 78

*These revenues will be transferred to the credit of the General Fund, the various Sinking Funds, and Special and Trust Accounts when the Corporation Counsel renders his opinion as to the proper distribution of the same.

Intestate Estates—	
Public Administrator.....	\$3,234 77
Comptroller.....	14 00
	\$3,248 77
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	111 37
Sheriff's Fees.....	21,843 65
Forfeited Recognizances.....	238 85
Auctioneers' Licenses.....	15,250 00
Annexed Territory of Westchester County—	
Taxes.....	\$24 03
Interest on Taxes.....	24 97
	49 00
Zoological Garden Fund.....	261 00
Total, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$946,820 54

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Assessment Fund.....	\$45,216 95
Assessment Fund, Laws of 1886.....	621 05
Sewerage Fund, Laws of 1892.....	7,743 65
Opening and Widening Streets.....	1,537 51
Prospect Park Installments.....	1,275 51
Eighth Ward Sewer.....	522 77
Eighth Ward Improvement Fund.....	2,692 91
Twenty-sixth Ward Sewer (Sewer District No. 39).....	11,926 13
Twenty-sixth Ward Assessments.....	5,832 51
Twenty-ninth Ward Sewer.....	1,233 72
Thirtieth Ward—Opening and Grading Assessment.....	2,996 31
Thirtieth Ward Sewer Tax.....	30 44
Thirtieth Ward Flagging.....	1,286 50
Thirty-first Ward Opening.....	13,460 15
Redemption Fund.....	9,129 40
North Second Street Widening.....	16 37
Improvements—	
Town of Gravesend.....	63 37
Town of Flatbush.....	176 94
Town of New Lots.....	159 07
Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	916 98
Water Revenue—	
Refunds—Paymaster.....	\$4 00
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	35,256 51
Water Register.....	593,024 64
	628,285 15
South Brooklyn Sewerage Fund.....	162 04
Excise Taxes.....	43,595 53
Street Incumbrances—Department of Street Cleaning.....	61 50
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	8,529 25
Total, Borough of Brooklyn.....	787,471 71

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Long Island City—	
Water Rents—	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$5,068 06
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	620 25
	\$5,688 31
Assessments for Local Improvements.....	4,452 54
Town of Flushing—Redemptions.....	187 60
Village of Flushing—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	144 18
Village of Whitestone—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	1,387 14
Village of College Point—	
Water Rents.....	315 85
Assessments for Local Improvements.....	209 62
Town of Jamaica—Redemptions.....	3,539 46
Village of Richmond Hill—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	17 93
Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	3 95
Interest on Assessments—	
Long Island City.....	\$3,152 16
Village of Whitestone.....	114 38
Village of Flushing.....	47 64
Village of College Point.....	19 71
	3,333 89
Water Rents—First and Third Wards.....	29,128 59
Repairs and Maintenance of Highways—Town of Newtown.....	92 00
Excise Taxes.....	8,483 55
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	628 00
Literature Fund, University of the State of New York.....	104 88
Total, Borough of Queens.....	57,717 49

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Village of Edgewater—	
Assessments for Local Improvements.....	\$243 58
Redemptions.....	197 91
	\$441 49
Village of Port Richmond—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	442 49
Village of New Brighton—Assessments for Local Improvements.....	556 99
Village of Tottenville—	
Assessments for Local Improvements.....	\$1 80
Water Rents.....	93 03
	94 83
Excise Taxes.....	847 23
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	771 41
Total, Borough of Richmond.....	3,154 44

BOND ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund—	
Rents, etc.....	\$6,935 15
Bonds Issued.....	2,300,000 00
Premium.....	98,800 00
	\$2,405,735 15
Additional Public Park Fund—Public Park Bounded by Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Streets, Ninth and Tenth Avenues—Bonds Issued.....	1,247 90
Additional Water Fund, City of New York—	
Bonds Issued.....	\$400,000 00
Premium.....	17,290 00
	417,290 00
American Museum of Natural History, Equipment of Additions and Alterations—	
Bonds Issued.....	\$300,000 00
Premium.....	14,820 00
	314,820 00
American Museum of Natural History, Erection and Equipment of Addition—	
Bonds Issued.....	\$250,000 00
Premium.....	12,350 00
	262,350 00

Board of Health, Condemnation of Buildings Fund— Bonds Issued.....	\$30,855 78	
Bridge over tracks of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, at Walton, Gerard and River Avenues, etc.— Bonds Issued.....	\$65,000 00	
Premium.....	2,470 00	67,470 00
Bridge over Bronx River at or near Westchester Avenue, Temporary—Bonds Issued.....		9,000 00
Bridge over Harlem River, between First and Willis Avenues— Bonds Issued.....	\$554,844 83	
Premium.....	27,409 33	582,254 16
Construction and Improvement of Public Parkways— Bonds Issued.....		20,000 00
Court-house Fund, Appellate Division, Supreme Court— Bonds Issued.....	\$250,000 00	
Premium.....	12,350 00	262,350 00
Dock Fund— Repairs for Private Owners.....	\$37,167 40	
Sales of Map.....	40 00	
Filling-in Privileges.....	3,000 00	
Bonds Issued.....	2,600,000 00	
Premium.....	79,040 00	2,719,247 40
Department of Correction, Building Fund— Bonds Issued.....	\$300,000 00	
Premium.....	14,820 00	314,820 00
East River Park, Improvement of Extension—Bonds Issued.....		35,000 00
Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard La- fayette— Bonds Issued.....	\$500,000 00	
Premium.....	24,700 00	524,700 00
Fort Washington Ridge Road, Improvement of— Bonds Issued.....		596 20
Fort Washington Ridge Road Fund—Bonds Issued..		9,585 13
Gouverneur Slip Hospital Building Fund— Bonds Issued.....	\$50,000 00	
Premium.....	2,470 00	52,470 00
Metropolitan Museum of Art—Construction and Com- pletion of an Extension— Bonds Issued.....	\$500,000 00	
Premium.....	24,700 00	524,700 00
New Parks Fund—Bonds Issued.....		2,000 00
New East River Bridge Fund— Bonds Issued.....	\$2,000,000 00	
Premium.....	98,800 00	2,098,800 00
Public Bath in Rivington Street— Bonds Issued.....	\$50,000 00	
Premium.....	2,470 00	52,470 00
Paving Jerome Avenue— Bonds Issued.....	\$60,000 00	
Premium.....	2,964 00	62,964 00
Public Park in Twelfth Ward, Bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth Streets, First Avenue and East River— Bonds Issued.....	\$1,738,362 12	
Premium.....	85,875 09	1,824,237 21
Public Building, Crotona Park, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Addition to— Bonds Issued.....	\$75,000 00	
Premium.....	3,705 00	78,705 00
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2—Bonds Issued.....		28,245 66
Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construc- tion—Bonds Issued.....		70,000 00
St. John's Park, Construction and Improvement of— Bonds issued.....		50,000 00
School-house Fund No. 2— Bonds Issued.....	\$1,620,785 41	
Premium.....	80,066 80	1,700,852 21
Water-main Fund No. 2— Bonds Issued.....	\$300,000 00	
Premium.....	14,820 00	314,820 00
Viaduct over Tracks of New York and Harlem Rail- road at Melrose Avenue— Bonds Issued.....	\$140,000 00	
Premium.....	6,916 00	146,916 00
Revenue Bond Fund— For Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assess- ments—Bonds Issued.....		10,000 00
Expert Accountants—Bonds Issued.....		25,000 00
Judgments— Bonds Issued.....	\$450,000 00	
Refund.....	50 00	450,050 00
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen—Bonds Issued.....		6,906 60
Claim of W. S. and J. C. Wynn—Bonds Issued..		1,870 00
Burnside Avenue Archway—Bonds Issued.....		140 12
Revenue Bonds Issued in Anticipation of Taxes for 1898—Bonds Issued.....		5,700,000 00
		\$21,178,468 52

MISCELLANEOUS.

New York and Brooklyn Bridge—Daily Collections..	\$96,895 27
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	5,972 38
Theatrical and Concert Licenses— Theatrical Licenses.....	\$20,550 00
Concert Licenses.....	21,550 00
	42,100 00
Total Miscellaneous.....	144,967 65

Total Special and Trust Accounts..... \$23,118,600 35

Total amount received and deposited in the City Treasury (including
Balances Turned Over)..... \$25,865,516 41

Payments.

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1897 AND PRIOR YEARS.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.

General expenses of the City Government payable from taxation and the General Fund. For general expenses of the City Government, viz.:	
Interest on the City Debt.....	\$29,083 33
The Finance Department.....	92 35
The Department of Public Works.....	44,828 60
Department of Public Parks.....	2,713 59
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty- third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	151 33
Department of Public Charities and Correction..	595 03
Department of Public Charities.....	3,695 73
Department of Correction.....	3,187 04
Health Department.....	3,807 79
Bureau of Elections.....	665 61
The Fire Department.....	14,782 95
The Department of Buildings.....	644 76
Board of Education.....	14,709 97
College of The City of New York.....	21 00
The Normal College of The City of New York..	97 91
Printing, stationery and blank books.....	1,884 45
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institu- tions.....	23,280 09
	\$144,241 53

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1898.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AS CONSTITUTED
JANUARY 1, 1898.

General Expenses of the City Government payable from Taxation and the General Fund— For General Expenses of the City Government, viz.:	
The Mayoralty.....	\$13,157 46
Municipal Assembly and City Clerk.....	47,064 92
Department of Finance.....	174,588 28
President, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,677 37
President, Borough of The Bronx.....	2,535 03
President, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,693 21
President, Borough of Queens.....	1,629 15
President, Borough of Richmond.....	2,069 00
Bureau of Municipal Statistics.....	1,183 32
Interest on the City Debt.....	855,556 96
Redemption of the City Debt.....	201,735 00
Judgments.....	19,810 51
Law Department.....	100,740 11
Public Administrator.....	5,552 52
Board of Public Improvements.....	39,414 71
Department of Highways.....	492,743 89
Department of Sewers.....	151,775 40
Department of Bridges.....	67,061 32
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	707,156 72
Department of Water Supply.....	230,855 93
Department of Parks.....	413,910 91
Department of Public Charities.....	373,006 57
Department of Correction.....	149,327 49
Department of Health.....	228,934 51
Police Department.....	2,781,586 68
Bureau of Elections.....	127,418 56
Department of Street Cleaning.....	968,375 20
Fire Department.....	1,078,579 59
Department of Buildings.....	138,227 41
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	50,350 25
Board of Assessors.....	8,218 16
Department of Education.....	1,462,195 12
College of The City of New York.....	17,631 84
The Normal College of The City of New York..	16,736 80
Board of City Record.....	128,618 93
Civil Service Commission.....	16,778 22
Commissioners of Accounts.....	32,536 73
The Coroners.....	39,401 59
The Sheriff of the County of New York.....	31,646 39
The Sheriff of the County of Kings.....	25,053 17
The Sheriff of the County of Richmond.....	4,746 08
The District-Attorney, County of New York....	59,402 48
The District-Attorney, County of Kings.....	19,887 18
The District-Attorney, County of Richmond....	1,391 04
The Register, New York County.....	39,792 05
The County Clerk, New York County.....	27,193 90
Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County.....	6,599 97
Special Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County..	2,437 16
The Judiciary.....	318,470 58
City Magistrates' Court, First Division.....	40,549 32
City Magistrates' Court, Second Division.....	42,695 34
Municipal Court, City of New York.....	91,958 55
County Court, Kings County.....	24,924 87
Surrogates' Court, New York County.....	39,091 67
Surrogate's Court, Kings County.....	11,061 46
Surrogate's Court, Richmond County.....	2,799 93
Kings County Treasurer.....	4,108 22
The National Guard.....	38,722 96
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institu- tions.....	368,413 59
Libraries.....	43,732 31
Miscellaneous.....	261,630 98
Commissioner of Jurors, New York County....	8,771 18
Special Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.....	4,762 46
	12,662,768 21

Total "A" Warrants registered..... \$12,807,009 74
Add Warrants outstanding, June 30, 1898..... 3,610,480 36Total Warrants payable..... \$16,417,490 10
Deduct Warrants canceled during the quarter..... 922 52Net Warrants payable..... \$16,416,567 58
Deduct Warrants outstanding, September 30, 1898..... 2,465,414 34

Total payments from the City Treasury on Appropriation Accounts.. \$13,951,153 24

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Anti-toxine Fund.....	\$4,617 61
Auctioneers' Licenses.....	12,250 00
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	942 18
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	24 50
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	3,558 05
Excise Taxes.....	312,060 11
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	235,334 36
Forfeited Recognizances.....	100 00
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	1,109 72
Intestate Estates.....	126 67

*Exclusive of amounts paid from "The Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt."

†Exclusive of amounts canceled by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and amount paid from the Sinking
Fund, and Special and Trust Accounts.

Interest on Assessments—Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	\$881 25	
New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	75,000 00	
Public School Library Fund.....	3,855 11	
Police Pension Fund.....	150,000 00	
Refunding Assessments—Paid in Error.....	349 06	
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error.....	6,366 27	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,580 04	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	19,524 46	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	1,530 99	
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—Works contracted for prior to January 1, 1898—		
Department of Public Works, and		
Borough of Manhattan.....	\$150,383 62	
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and		
Twenty-fourth Wards, and		
Borough of The Bronx.....	445,927 22	
Williamsbridge Sewer.....	4,991 88	
	601,302 72	
Street Improvement Fund—Works contracted for after January 1, 1898—		
Borough of Manhattan.....	\$7,237 77	
Borough of The Bronx.....	35,151 01	
	42,388 78	
Sheriff's Fees.....	10,158 46	
Towns of Westchester County, annexed under chapter 934, Laws of 1895.....	11 77	
Zoological Garden Fund.....	38 00	
	\$1,483,110 11	

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Advance on Water Meters.....	\$33,080 48	
Assessment Fund.....	33,947 82	
Assessment Fund—Laws of 1886.....	448 00	
Assessors' Arrearages.....	387 18	
Board of Street and Sewer Commission.....	400 00	
Board of Education.....	38,595 03	
Burial of Veterans.....	583 00	
Bay Ridge Parkway—Shore Drive.....	56,401 69	
County Contingent Fund.....	70 00	
Commissioner of Records, Kings County.....	14 65	
County Wards.....	4,323 61	
Court Fees and Fines.....	570 00	
Common Land Fund—Town of Gravesend.....	22,055 32	
Contingencies—Department of City Works.....	17 37	
Contingencies—Department of Arrears.....	36 00	
Contingencies—Department of Assessments.....	372 15	
Civil Service Expenses.....	19 36	
County Stationery.....	35 70	
Department of Charities and Correction.....	10,976 01	
Disciplinary Training School.....	62 00	
Department of Fire.....	13,344 77	
Department of Police.....	122 96	
Department of Parks.....	1,579 76	
Excise Taxes.....	31,368 79	
Excise Licenses from State.....	50,000 00	
East Side Park Land Fund.....	37 79	
Eighth Ward Improvement Fund.....	1,328 00	
Excise Taxes—Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens..	77,804 25	
Flatbush Sewer Bond Account Fund.....	5,489 71	
Flatbush Sewer Assessment Bond Account Fund....	15,964 73	
Gas for Public Buildings.....	5 30	
Gravesend Local Improvement Fund.....	951 13	
Harway Avenue Bridge.....	5,240 00	
Hall of Records—Repairs and Supplies.....	139 60	
Local Improvement Fund.....	40,461 91	
Main Sewer Relief and Extension Fund.....	20,308 39	
Museum of Art and Science Fund.....	617 86	
New Utrecht Assessments—Flagging.....	5,089 60	
North Second Street Pier Roof Garden.....	12,259 99	
Newtown Creek Bridge Fund.....	386 41	
Opening and Widening Streets.....	5,364 11	
Piers and Docks—Building and Dredging.....	10 00	
Public Baths.....	767 40	
Park Improvement Fund.....	12,970 50	
Revenue Fund.....	1,611 32	
Redemption Fund.....	25,000 00	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	10,569 40	
Repairing Streets.....	12,343 56	
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	1,048 11	
Repairs to Public Buildings.....	114 79	
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error.....	3,982 87	
Refunding Assessments—Paid in Error.....	5,025 86	
Sewerage Fund Bonds.....	9,337 01	
School Building Fund.....	40,319 22	
Sewer Construction Bureau, Horse Keep, etc.....	28 00	
Supplies for Armories.....	962 16	
Street Signs.....	882 35	
Street Improvement Fund—Sewer Account.....	421 78	
Salaries—Police Courts.....	97 75	
Salaries—Department of Law.....	10 00	
Salaries—Department of Treasury.....	100 00	
Salaries—County Detectives.....	6 65	
Salaries—Police Department.....	6 57	
State Asylums and Hospitals.....	741 97	
Soldiers and Sailors' Monument Fund.....	733 64	
Twenty-sixth Ward Improvement Fund—Sewers....	39,448 07	
Twenty-sixth Ward Sewer District.....	155 00	
Thirteenth Regiment Armory Commission.....	234 78	
Twenty-sixth and Adjacent Wards—Drain and Sewer Fund.....	4,855 00	
Water Construction.....	55,971 62	
Wallabout Market Improvement Fund.....	209 37	
Wallabout Improvement Fund.....	17,443 80	
Wallabout Fund.....	25,108 39	
Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn—		
Department of Water Supply—		
Distribution and Repairs—		
Salaries and Wages.....	\$43,161 18	
Department of Water Supply—		
Distribution and Repairs and		
Supplies.....	2,437 64	
Department of Water Supply—		
Maintenance and Repairs—		
Salaries and Wages.....	85,723 46	
Department of Water Supply—		
Maintenance and Repairs and		
Supplies.....	56,441 38	
Water Maintenance.....	6,007 86	
Water Revenue.....	443 36	
	194,214 88	
	\$954,992 25	

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Excise Taxes.....	\$3,391 65	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	525 25	
Refunding Taxes—Paid in error.....	138 59	
Long Island City—		
Expenses under chapter 564, Laws		
of 1898.....	\$1,632 06	
Contingent Fund, 1897.....	426 66	
Jackson Avenue, Vernon Avenue		
and Boulevard Assessment Fund	7,706 25	
Interest on Long Island City		
Bonds, 1897.....	1,277 50	
Fire Department Fund, 1897.....	2,956 86	
Library Fund, 1897.....	28 75	
Judgment, 1898—Claim of A. D.		
Juillard.....	26,387 38	
Judgment, 1898—Claim of Estate		
of William Steinway.....	57,318 63	
Sinking Fund for the Redemption		
of Revenue Bonds*.....	192,020 47	
Department of Police Fund.....	32 20	
Special Surplus Fund.....	85 20	
Water Department Fund.....	498 73	
	290,370 96	
Town of Newtown—		
General Account.....	\$250 00	
School District No. 1—Building		
Fund.....	12,368 70	
School District No. 10—Building		
Fund.....	3,735 09	
School District No. 14—Building		
Fund.....	19,148 00	
	35,501 79	
Town of Jamaica—		
Redemptions.....	\$4,786 37	
School District No. 5—Building		
Fund.....	4,000 00	
School District No. 7—Building		
Fund.....	18,050 00	
School District No. 1—Building		
Fund.....	19,399 51	
School District No. 8—Building		
Fund.....	14,880 75	
School District No. 4—General		
Account.....	533 98	
	61,650 61	
Town of Flushing—		
Redemptions.....	\$10 14	
School District No. 1—Building		
Fund.....	530 00	
School District No. 2—Building		
Fund.....	3,803 00	
School District No. 5—Building		
Fund.....	17,766 00	
School District No. 7—Building		
Fund.....	7,600 00	
	29,709 14	
Village of Flushing—		
Street Opening and Improvement		
Fund.....	\$14,455 28	
Assessment Fund.....	300 00	
	14,755 28	
Village of College Point—		
Stand-pipe.....	\$7,275 00	
Water Fund.....	1,000 00	
Water Works.....	53 93	
	8,328 93	
Village of Whitestone—Sewerage Fund.....	2,443 30	
Village of Richmond Hill—Sidewalk Improvement		
Account.....	2,425 29	
Town of Hempstead—		
School District No. 23—Building		
Fund.....	\$11,587 50	
School District No. 27—Building		
Fund.....	7,196 22	
	18,783 72	
	\$468,024 51	

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Excise Taxes.....	\$1,591 64	
Refunding Taxes—Paid in error.....	144 62	
Refunding Assessments—Paid in error.....	1 78	
School Districts, various.....	232 10	
County of Richmond—		
General Account—County.....	\$1,174 13	
Road Account.....	38,857 62	
County Budget—Temporary Relief		
County Budget—Poor House.....	275 00	
County Budget—Maintenance of		
County Roads.....	3,886 94	
	1,843 15	
	46,036 84	
Town of Northfield—		
Road Account.....	\$53,896 64	
Truant Officers.....	1,000 00	
Town Abstract.....	8,250 66	
Town Abstract—Separate Road		
Account.....	712 00	
Town Abstract—Board of Health.		
	946 00	
	64,805 30	
Town of Middletown—		
Road Account.....	\$405 12	
Gold Road Bonds—5 per cent....	3,250 00	
Town Abstract.....	9,444 89	
Town Abstract—Board of Health,		
Expenses.....	1,301 00	
Fees of Justices and Constables...	6,514 32	
Salaries Attendance Officers.....	291 64	
	21,206 97	
Town of Westfield—		
Road Account.....	\$6,870 64	
Salaries Truant Officers.....	181 25	
Interest on Town Certificate—		
Myer's Ballot Machine.....	115 20	
Town Certificate—Myer's Ballot		
Machine.....	960 00	
Town Abstract.....	3,088 25	
Town Board of Health, etc.....	1,333 50	
	12,548 84	
Town of Southfield—		
Gold Road Bond Fund.....	\$3,500 00	
Justices and Constables.....	4,655 40	
Board of Health—Expenses.....	1,353 63	
Town Abstract.....	8,198 17	
Salaries School Attendance Officers		
	374 98	
Road Account.....	12 75	
	18,094 93	

*Transferred, by warrant, to the "Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds."

Town of Castleton—School District No. 3, Building Fund	\$9,934 70	
Village of Tottenville—		
Sewer Account	\$185 50	
Road Account	114 83	
	300 33	\$174,898 05

BOND ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund.....	\$650,778 41	
Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	268,278 31	
American Museum of Natural History—		
Erection and Equipment of Ad-		
dition	\$224,567 23	
Construction of West Wing.....	27,410 25	
	251,977 48	
Ambulance Station and Vaccine Laboratory.....	3,234 20	
Armory Fund—		
Seventh Regiment.....	\$442 00	
Twenty-second Regiment.....	500 00	
Salaries and contingencies.....	525 00	
	1,467 00	
Additional Public Park Fund—Public Park, Twenty-		
seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, Ninth and		
Tenth avenues.....	1,247 90	
Bridge over Harlem river at Third avenue (including		
approaches).....	46,826 44	
Bridge over Harlem river, between First and Willis		
avenues.....	122,633 65	
Bridge over tracks of New York Central and Hud-		
son River Railroad at Gerard, Walton and River		
avenues.....	21,027 72	
Bridge over tracks of New York and Harlem Rail-		
road at One Hundred and Fifty-third street ...	249 05	
Bridge over Bronx river at One Hundred and		
Seventy-seventh street	315 00	
Bridge over Bronx river at or near Westchester		
avenue.....	1,340 64	
Botanical Museum and Herbarium.....	42,625 64	
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund	1,699 94	
Bridge over Harlem river, One Hundred and Forty-		
fifth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street,		
Construction of.....	558 32	
Construction and Improvement of Public Park-		
ways—		
Bronx and Pelham parkway, con-		
struction of roadway.....	\$24,687 29	
Bronx and Pelham parkway, ex-		
tension through Bronx Park, ..	5,403 90	
Moshulu parkway, Van Cortlandt		
avenue, etc.....	5,348 64	
Pelham Bay Park, Prospect Hill		
road.....	6,314 96	
	41,754 79	
Croton Water Fund.....	52,693 08	
Court-house Fund—Appellate Division, Supreme		
Court.....	22,350 00	
Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-		
third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	3,798 44	
Central Park Construction—Laying Asphalt Walks.		
Construction of New Bridge, connecting Pelham Bay		
Park with City Island	3,084 48	
Dock Fund.....	730,158 05	
Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	74,572 03	
Department of Public Charities—Building Fund...	83,294 22	
East River Park, Improvement of Extension.....	9,452 40	
Eleventh Ward Park Fund	1,169 62	
Extension of Broadway or Kingsbridge road—		
Spuytten Duyvil Creek Bridge	5,134 25	
Extension of Riverside Drive to the Boulevard		
Lafayette.....	52,745 95	
Fire Department Fund—New sites and buildings...	67,302 56	
Fire Hydrant Fund.....	42 56	
Fort Washington Ridge Road, Improvement of.....	506 20	
Fort Washington Ridge Road Fund.....	9,585 13	
Gouverneur Slip Hospital—Building Fund.....	21,583 05	
Health Department, Condemnation of Buildings Fund		
Hester Street Park Fund.....	31,036 67	
Hall of Records, Building Fund	675 84	
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives,		
Chapter 11, Laws of 1894—		
Central Park, Improvement of—		
Resurfacing walks with asphalt,		
from Fifty-ninth street to Trans-		
verse Road No. 3.....	\$45 00	
Fifth Avenue—Paving with asphalt,		
from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street	89 26	
	134 26	
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives,		
Chapter 194, Laws of 1896—		
Central Park, Improvement of—		
Erecting additional greenhouses.		
St. Mary's Park, Improvement of.	\$292 33	
Cedar Park, Improvement of.....	6,474 20	
Cooper Union Park, Improvement		
of.....	5,984 93	
Repaving with asphalt the road-		
way, Fifty-ninth street and Fifth	47 51	
avenue.....	133 77	
	12,932 74	
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives,		
Chapter 643, Laws of 1897—		
Improvement of Bronx and Pelham		
parkways, from Bronx Park to		
Bear Swamp road.....	\$872 73	
Harlem River Driveway, ap-		
proaches near One Hundred and		
Seventy-fifth street	3,995 55	
Cycle and Bridle Paths—Bronx and		
Pelham Parkways.....	40 00	
Construction of small park, One		
Hundred and Fifty-third street,		
Seventh avenue and Macomb's		
Dam road.....	979 50	
Asphalt walks, etc., East River		
Park.....	1,227 56	
Paradise Park, Improvement of...	306 84	
	7,422 18	
Jerome Avenue Paving.....	56,219 05	
Metropolitan Museum of Art, Completion and Con-		
struction of Extension.....	108,171 57	
New East River Bridge Fund	905,692 82	
Public Driveway, Construction of.....	82,368 67	
Public Building for the Seventh District Police		
Court and Prison, and Eleventh Judicial Dis-		
trict Court	446 06	
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth		
Wards, Crotona Park—Addition to.....	38,921 06	
Public Park in Twelfth Ward, bounded by One Hun-		
dred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Four-		
teenth streets, First avenue and East river.....	746,140 43	

Revenue Bond Fund—For—

Judgments	\$248,397 82	
Burnside Avenue Archway	6,072 48	
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments	4,708 51	
Indexing Conveyances, County Clerk's Office...	2,599 98	
Expert Accountants	18,918 79	
Alterations, etc., City Hall.....	51,933 52	
Alterations, etc., Brown-stone Building.....	12,605 25	
Extension of Bridge over New York and Harlem		
Railroad, from Pelham Avenue to Kings-		
bridge Road.....	4,768 22	
Construction of Park, One Hundred and Ninety-		
second Street, Grand Boulevard and Kings-		
bridge Road.....	3,688 53	
Claim of W. S. Wynn and J. C. Wynn.....	1,870 00	
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen.....	6,906 60	
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2	33,983 10	
Repaving Third Avenue, from One Hundred and		
Thirty-eighth Street to the Twenty-third and		
Twenty-fourth Ward Line.....	100 00	
Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construc-		
tion—		
Grading and Construction of Drain-		
age, etc.....	\$27,996 18	
Planting and Developing Seventy-		
ninth to Eighty-sixth Streets.....	3,381 45	
Repaving under Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	31,377 63	
Repaving under Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	5,314 88	
Repaving under Chapter 475, Laws of 1895.....	2,134 56	
Repaving under Chapter 87, Laws of 1897.....	12,061 20	
Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-		
third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	224,733 53	
St. John's Park, Construction of.....	29,658 08	
Steel Beam Structure over Tracks of the Port Morris		
Branch of New York and Harlem Railroad at		
Brook Avenue.....	23,629 33	
School-house Fund No. 2.....	13,787 46	
Viaduct over Tracks of New York and Harlem Rail-		
road and Port Morris Branch of New York and		
Harlem Railroad connecting Melrose Avenue,		
from East One Hundred and Sixty-third Street,		
etc.....	911,101 39	
Water-main Fund No. 2.....	1 85	
Williamsbridge Sewer Fund.....	232,165 08	
Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of Taxes for		
1897 (Bonds redeemed).....	8,770 95	
Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of Taxes for		
1898 (Bonds redeemed).....	1,500,000 00	
	2,000,000 00	\$9,979,898 55

MISCELLANEOUS.

New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	\$108,692 55	
Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund.....	25,176 19	
Theatrical and Concert Licenses.....	44,942 95	
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	2,651 70	
	181,463 39	

Total "B" and "C" Warrants registered..... \$13,242,386 86

Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1898—

"B" Warrants	\$1,779,792 28	
"C" Warrants.....	86,380 36	
	1,866,172 64	

Total Warrants payable..... \$15,108,559 50

Deduct Warrants canceled during the quarter, "B" Warrants... 43,970 30

Net Warrants payable..... \$15,064,589 20

Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1898—

"B" Warrants	\$4,161,782 93	
"C" Warrants.....	30,699 49	
	4,192,482 42	

Total payments from the City Treasury on Special and Trust

Accounts..... \$10,872,106 78

Total payments from City Treasury..... \$24,823,260 02

SUMMARY OF CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.

CASH BALANCES.

Balance in City Treasury at close of business, June 30, 1898..... \$13,194,409 04

Add Cash Balances received during the quarter from former Treas-

urers, etc., of corporations consolidated with The Mayor,

Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York—

Borough of Queens..... \$1,090 80

Borough of Richmond..... 283 51

1,374 31

Total Cash Balances..... \$13,195,783 35

RECEIPTS.

Taxes—

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... \$888,538 68

Borough of Brooklyn..... 748,969 27

Borough of Queens..... 621,224 42

Borough of Richmond..... 34,897 00

\$2,293,629 37

Appropriation Accounts—

1897 and prior years..... \$395 42

1898 (Greater New York)..... 3,679 50

4,074 92

The General Fund (Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx)..... 242,427 45

* Miscellaneous Revenues—

Borough of Brooklyn..... \$173,358 79

Borough of Queens..... 27,463 92

Borough of Richmond..... 4,587 30

205,410 01

Special and Trust Accounts—

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... \$946,820 54

Borough of Brooklyn..... 787,471 71

Borough of Queens..... 57,717 49

Borough of Richmond..... 3,154 44

Bond Accounts| Miscellaneous | 21,178,468 52 | |
	144,967 05	
	23,118,600 35	
Total Receipts.....	\$25,864,142 10	
Total.....	\$39,059,925 45	

PAYMENTS.

Appropriation Accounts—"A" Warrants| Special and Trust Accounts—"B" and "C" Warrants..... | \$13,951,153 24 | |
	10,872,106 78	
Total Payments.....	24,823,260 02	
Balance in the City Treasury at close of business, September 30, 1898	\$14,236,665 43	

* These Revenues will be transferred to the credit of the General Fund, the various Sinking Funds and Special and Trust Accounts when the Corporation Counsel renders his opinion as to the proper distribution of the same.

* Loans—Moneys Borrowed on the Credit of the Corporation on Bonds and Stocks.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE ISSUE.	RATE PER CENT.	AMOUNT.
Revenue Bonds of 1898...	For payment of current expenses.	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	2	\$1,000,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1898...	For payment of current expenses.	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	2½	4,700,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds.	To provide for the indexing and reindexing mortgages and other instruments, etc., under the block tax and assessment map system.	Chap. 536, Laws of 1893.	3	10,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds.	For the payment of Expert Accountants and Assistants, etc.	Chap. 669, Laws of 1897.	3	25,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds.	For constructing an archway, tunnel, passageway and roadway for carriages and pedestrians under the old Aqueduct on the line of Burnside avenue.	Chap. 716, Laws of 1896.	3	140 12
Special Revenue Bonds.	For the payment of the expenses of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.	Chap. 4, Laws of 1891, and Chap. 752, Laws of 1894.	3	28,245 66
Special Revenue Bonds.	For the payment of judgments.	Sec. 188, Chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	3	450,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds.	For the payment of Counsel Fees and Disbursements of Edward J. H. Tamsen on the trial and in the defense of the indictment by The People of the State of New York against him while Sheriff of The City and County of New York.	Chap. 538, Laws of 1898, and Chap. 729, Laws of 1897.	3	6,906 60
Special Revenue Bonds.	For the payment of claim of William S. Wynn, for coal furnished the Department of Public Charities during the months of January and February, 1896.	Chap. 471, Laws of 1898.	3	1,870 00
Corporate Stock.	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.	Secs. 169 and 180, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	3	1,000,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.	Chap. 246, Laws of 1896.	3½	1,600,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For payment of expenses incurred by the Board of Health in the condemnation, etc., of buildings.	Chap. 57, Laws of 1897.	3	30,855 78
Corporate Stock.	For acquiring title to lands for a Public Park, bounded by Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.	Chap. 320, Laws of 1887, and chap. 69, Laws of 1895.	3	1,247 90
Corporate Stock.	For the construction and improvement of St. John's Park in the Ninth Ward.	Chap. 320, Laws of 1887, and chap. 295, Laws of 1896.	3	50,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the construction and improvement of parkways.	Chap. 471, Laws of 1892, and chap. 609, Laws of 1895.	3	20,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For constructing bridges over the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad at Gerard avenue, Walton avenue, at River avenue and over the tracks of the New York and Putnam Railroad at Fort Independence street.	Chap. 645, Laws of 1897.	3	15,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For constructing bridges over the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad at Gerard avenue, Walton avenue, at River avenue and over the tracks of the New York and Putnam Railroad at Fort Independence street.	Chap. 645, Laws of 1897.	3½	10,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the New Aqueduct.	Chap. 490, Laws of 1883.	3	300,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the extension of the sea-wall along East River Park, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-ninth street.	Chap. 320, Laws of 1887, and chap. 69, Laws of 1895.	3	35,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the new East River Bridge.	Chap. 789, Laws of 1895, as amended, secs. 169, and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	3½	2,000,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For construction and furnishing and equipping a Court-house for the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.	Chap. 196, Laws of 1897.	3½	250,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette.	Chap. 665, Laws of 1897.	3½	500,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the construction of an extension of the building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.	Chap. 347, Laws of 1895, and chap. 638, Laws of 1897.	3½	500,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For school-houses and sites therefor.	Chap. 458, Laws of 1884, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.	3½	1,620,785 41
Corporate Stock.	For repaving Jerome avenue.	Chap. 31, Laws of 1897.	3½	60,000 00
Corporate Stock.	To provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply in The City of New York.	Chaps. 189 and 515, Laws of 1893.	3½	350,000 00
Corporate Stock.	To provide for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply in The City of New York.	Chaps. 189 and 515, Laws of 1893.	3	50,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For constructing a bridge over Harlem river, from First to Willis avenue.	Chap. 147, Laws of 1894.	3½	554,844 83
Corporate Stock.	To provide for the construction of a building for hospital purposes in Gouverneur slip.	Chap. 703, Laws of 1894.	3½	50,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the erection of the necessary pumping machinery, etc., and to lay the necessary mains to deliver water at higher elevations in The City of New York.	Chap. 669, Laws of 1896.	3½	300,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the construction of the Melrose avenue viaduct, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.	Chap. 680, Laws of 1897.	3½	140,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the improvement and completion of Riverside Park in The City of New York.	Chap. 666, Laws of 1897.	3	70,000 00
Corporate Stock.	New buildings, etc., for the Department of Correction.	Chap. 626, Laws of 1896.	3½	300,000 00
Corporate Stock.	To provide for the construction of a temporary bridge and approaches over the Bronx river at or near Westchester avenue.	Chap. 24, Laws of 1897.	3	9,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For acquiring lands required for a public park, bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and the East river.	Chap. 746, Laws of 1894.	3½	1,738,362 12
Corporate Stock.	For new parks, parkways and public places in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and in Westchester County.	Chap. 79, Laws of 1889.	2½	2,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the erection of an addition to the public building in Crotona Park.	Chap. 404, Laws of 1896.	3½	75,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the construction of a public bath on Rivington street, between Goerck and Mangin streets.	Chap. 122, Laws of 1896.	3½	50,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the erection and equipment of additions to the present building of the American Museum of Natural History.	Chap. 213, Laws of 1897.	3½	250,000 00
Corporate Stock.	For the erection and equipment of an addition to the present building of the American Museum of Natural History.	Chap. 175, Laws of 1896.	3½	300,000 00

* These amounts are included in the receipts of the Special and Trust Accounts (Bond Accounts).

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE ISSUE.	RATE PER CENT.	AMOUNT.
Assessment Bonds.	To provide for the settling and establishing the location and boundaries of Fort Washington Ridge road and for the improvement thereof.	Sec. 181, Chap. 378, Laws of 1897, and Chap. 114, Laws of 1892.	3	\$10,181 33
Assessment Bonds.	For street improvements.	Sec. 181, Chap. 378, Laws of 1897.	3	150,000 00
Total receipts from loans.				\$20,654,439 75

II.—THE SINKING FUNDS.

Receipts.

SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 1.

Market Rents and Fees.	\$68,747 31
Market Cellar Rents.	948 32
Bonds and Mortgages.	65,000 00
Water Lot Quit Rent.	12 87
Licenses—	
Hackney coaches.	\$786 00
Pawnbrokers.	10,000 00
Second-hand dealers.	125 00
Junk dealers.	222 50
Sidewalk stands.	21 00
Stage coaches.	1,000 00
Street Vaults.	12,154 50
Dock and Slip Rents.	44,820 31
Assessments collected under chapter 550, Laws of 1880—	
Assessment Fund.	\$52 00
Street Improvement Fund.	1,359 89
Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund.	214 73
West Farms Gas Tax.	5 43
Interest on Deposits.	68,620 80
Revenue from Investments.	5,622 92
Chamberlain's Commission on State Taxes.	5,000 00
Total.	\$776,561 54

SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.	\$2,062 92
House Rent.	27,570 20
Ground Rent.	4,273 60
Ferry Rent.	93,830 93
Croton Water Rent—	
Water Register.	\$1,472,432 25
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.	31,398 08
Interest on Croton Water Rent.	1,503,830 33
Interest on West Farms Gas Tax.	4,659 56
Court Fees and Fines—	
Municipal District Courts.	\$14,206 52
City Magistrates' Courts.	17,970 60
City Court.	3,197 89
Appellate Division Supreme Court.	63 35
Court of General Sessions.	375 00
Court of Special Sessions.	1,648 00
Fines and Penalties—	
Assistant Corporation Counsel.	\$991 41
Warden, City Prison.	2,667 00
Warden, District Prison.	7,542 00
Warden, Workhouse.	558 00
Stenographer's Fees.	11,758 41
	1,107 00
Total.	1,686,560 98

SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Revenue from Investments.	\$107,306 41
Investments Paid Off—	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Bonds.	\$15,000 00
Contagious Disease Hospital Tax Certificates.	5,000 00
	20,000 00
Total.	127,306 41

SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.

Balance turned over by the Treasurer of Long Island City, with other Cash Balances, on January 5 and 6, 1898, and deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City—Transferred to the Sinking Fund during this quarter.	192,020 74
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Total Receipts of the Sinking Funds (including balance turned over) \$2,782,449 67

* Payments.

SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 1.

Warrants Drawn for Redemption of, viz.:	
Five Per Cent. Central Park Fund Stock.	\$359,800 00
Six Per Cent. Central Park Fund Stock.	273,000 00
	\$632,800 00
Warrants Drawn for Investments in New York City Bonds and Stocks, viz.:	
Three Per Cent. Assessment Bonds.	350,000 00
Three Per Cent. Assessment Bonds—Fort Washington Ridge Road.	18,181 33
Two and One-half Per Cent. Corporate Stock—For New Parks.	2,000 00
Three Per Cent. Corporate Stock for—	
Bridge over Tracks of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, at Gerard, Walton and River Avenues	15,000 00
Bridge over Bronx River at or near Westchester Avenue	9,000 00
Condemnation of Buildings—Board of Health.	32,505 78
Construction and Improvement of Public Parkways.	40,000 00
Department of Docks and Ferries.	1,000,000 00
East River Park—Improvement of Extension.	35,000 00
New Aqueduct.	150,000 00
Public Park, bounded by Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Streets, Ninth and Tenth Avenues.	1,247 90
Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction.	70,000 00
St. John's Park—Construction and Improvement of.	50,000 00
Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply.	50,000 00

* Exclusive of Bonds held as an investment by Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and canceled during the quarter, viz.:

Five per cent. Central Park Fund Stock.	\$39,500 00
Six per cent. Central Park Fund Stock.	2,000 00
Total.	\$41,500 00

—held for account of and payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1."

Warrants Drawn for Investments in New York City Bonds and Stocks, viz.:

Three Per Cent. Revenue Bonds—Special—For—	
Expert Accountants	\$25,000 00
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments	10,000 00
Judgments	350,000 00
Burnside Avenue Archway	140 12
Claim of W. S. & J. C. Wynn	1,870 00
	<u>\$387,010 12</u>
Total Warrants Registered	\$2,842,745 13
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1898	8,074 90
Total Warrants payable	\$2,850,820 03
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1898	341,716 40
Total Payments on account of the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1"	\$2,509,103 63

SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 2.

Warrants drawn for Investments in New York City Bonds and Stocks, viz.:	
Three per cent. Corporate Stock, for—	
New Aqueduct	\$150,000 00
Sanitary Protection of the Water Supply	50,000 00
Three per cent. Revenue Bonds—Special—for	
Judgments	\$100,000 00
Rapid Transit	28,245 66
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen	6,906 60
	<u>135,152 26</u>
Total warrants registered and paid	335,152 26

SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

Warrants drawn for Payment of Interest on the City Debt—	
On Bonds and Stocks payable from the Sinking Fund, under laws authorizing their issue	\$300 00
On Bonds and Stocks held as investments for account of the Sinking Funds (chap. 178, Laws of 1880)	5,273 75
Warrants drawn for amount of fines imposed and collected by the Courts of General Sessions and Special Sessions, deposited to the credit of this Fund, and payable, pursuant to law, to viz.:	
Dental Society of the State of New York	\$50 00
Medical Society of the County of New York	550 00
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	250 00
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	165 00
Health Department Pension Fund	2,150 00
State Department of Excise	100 00
	<u>3,265 00</u>

Warrants drawn for Refunding, viz.: Croton Water Rents paid in error	111 37
Total warrants registered	\$8,950 12
Add Warrants outstanding June 30, 1898	1,837 17
Total warrants payable	\$10,787 29
Deduct Warrants outstanding September 30, 1898	1,173 00
Total payments on account of "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt"	9,614 29

SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.

Warrants drawn for Redemption of viz.: Revenue Bonds	\$9,000 00
Total warrants registered and paid	9,000 00
Total payments on account of the Sinking Funds	\$2,862,870 18

Summary of the Sinking Funds.

	BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.			BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	BOROUGH OF QUEENS.	TOTALS.
	SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT (No. 1).	SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT (No. 2).	SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.	SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.	
Cash balances at close of business, June 30, 1898	\$4,967,047 46	\$365,803 92	\$1,465,757 06	\$507,284 41		\$5,705,892 85
Cash balances turned over during the quarter					\$192,020 74	192,020 74
Receipts	776,561 54		1,686,560 98	127,306 41		2,590,428 93
Total	\$3,743,609 00	\$365,803 92	\$3,152,318 04	\$1,034,590 82	\$192,020 74	\$8,488,342 52
Payments	2,509,103 63	335,152 26	9,614 29		9,000 00	2,862,870 18
Cash balances at close of business, September 30, 1898	\$1,234,505 37	\$30,651 66	\$3,142,703 75	\$1,034,590 82	\$183,020 74	\$5,625,472 34

GENERAL SUMMARY.

CASH BALANCES AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 30, 1898.

To the Credit of the City Treasury	\$13,194,409 04
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds—	
For the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1)	\$2,967,047 46
For the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 2)	365,803 92
For the Payment of Interest on the City Debt	1,465,757 06
Of the City of Brooklyn	907,284 41
	<u>5,705,892 85</u>
Total	\$18,900,301 89

CASH BALANCES TURNED OVER DURING THE QUARTER.

(Being the moneys received during the quarter as cash balances of the corporations consolidated with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York)—	
For account of the City Treasury	\$1,374 31
For account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds	192,020 74
	<u>193,395 05</u>
Total cash balances	\$19,093,696 94

RECEIPTS.

For account of the City Treasury	\$25,864,142 10
For account of the Sinking Funds—	
For Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1)	\$776,561 54
For the Payment of Interest on the City Debt	1,686,560 98
Of the City of Brooklyn	127,306 41
	<u>2,590,428 93</u>
Total receipts	\$28,454,571 03
Total	\$47,548,267 97

PAYMENTS.

On account of the City Treasury	\$24,823,260 02
On account of the Sinking Funds—	
For Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1)	\$2,509,103 63
For Redemption of the City Debt (No. 2)	335,152 26
For payment of Interest on the City Debt	9,614 29
Of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds	9,000 00
	<u>2,862,870 18</u>
Total payments	27,686,130 20

CASH BALANCES AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1898.

To the Credit of the City Treasury	\$14,236,665 43
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds—	
For the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1)	\$1,234,505 37
For the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 2)	30,651 66
For the Payment of Interest on the City Debt	3,142,703 75
Of the City of Brooklyn	1,034,590 82
Of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds	183,020 74
	<u>5,625,472 34</u>
Total cash balances	\$19,862,137 77

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 13, 1899.

JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Bookkeeper.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

FIFTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A. M., Tuesday, July 11, 1899.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:
Edward M. Grout, President, in the chair; Councilman Doyle, and Aldermen Kenney, and Keegan.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 57.)

Petition of Fred C. Cocheu and others, for opening various streets in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn for sewer purposes.

Report of the Chief Topographical Engineer, made to the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements under date of June 23, 1899.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Sixteenth avenue, between Flatbush line and Eighty-fourth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Seventeenth avenue, between Flatbush line and Bath avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Fifty-third street, between the former city line and West street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Sixty-second street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Seventy-seventh street, between the Shore road and Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Battery avenue, between One Hundred and Seventh street and Eighty-sixth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Twentieth avenue, between Eighty-sixth street and Gravesend Bay, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Seventieth street, between Fourteenth avenue and Twenty-second avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Seventy-third street, between Thirteenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Eightieth street, between Fourteenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to open Benson avenue, between Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Fourteenth avenue, between Eighty-sixth street and Cropsey avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The resolution of the Local Board, adopted on July 6, providing for the opening of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Eighty-third streets, and between Eighty-sixth street and Dyker Beach park, was amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth street and Eighty-third street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The matter of opening Sixty-second street, between Tenth avenue and West street, was laid over.

(No. 87.)

Petition of John Mackay for removing obstructions from the foot of Sixty-fifth street.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 11th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the Department of Highways be instructed to remove obstructions, consisting of railroad tracks and a building or buildings used by the company operating the railroad, and such other obstructions as there may be, from the foot of Sixty-fifth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 88.)

Petition of Christopher Osterheld for fencing vacant lots on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, known as lots Nos. 13, 14 and 15, Block 150, Eighth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 26, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—In answer to a letter dated June 1, from your Secretary, I beg to report that the estimated cost of fencing vacant lots on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, known as Lots Nos. 13, 14 and 15, Block 150, Eighth Ward Map, with a tight board fence six feet in height, is \$30, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$3,750.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, known as Lots Nos. 13, 14 and 15, Block 150, Eighth Ward Map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 89.)

Petition of Thomas McGrath, of No. 130 Forty-third street, and others, for the fencing of vacant lots on the south side of Forty-third street, between Second avenue and Third avenue, and on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-third street and Forty-fourth street, known as Lots Nos. 53, 54, 55, 56, 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 156, Eighth Ward Map.

Also fencing vacant lots on the north side of Forty-third street, between Second avenue and Third avenue, and on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-second street and Forty-third street, known as Lots Nos. 7, 8, 26, 27 and 28, Block 157, Eighth Ward Map.

Also flagging sidewalks on south side of Forty-third street, between Second avenue and Third avenue, known as Lots Nos. 36 to 48 inclusive, Block 156, Eighth Ward Map.

Following reports from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 26, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—As requested by the letter dated June 1 from your Secretary, I beg to report that the estimated cost of fencing vacant lots on the south side of Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, known as Lots Nos. 53, 54, 55, 56 and 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 156, Eighth Ward Map, with a tight board fence five feet in height, is \$120, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$7,750.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 26, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—As requested by the letter dated June 1, from your Secretary, I beg to report that the estimated cost of fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and on the west side of Third avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, known as Lots Nos. 7, 8, 26, 27 and 28, Block 157, Eighth Ward Map, with a tight board fence six feet in height, is \$90, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$4,600.

Very respectfully,
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CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 26, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the letter of June 1, from your Secretary, I beg to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalks on the south side of Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in front of Lots Nos. 36 to 48 inclusive, Block 156, Eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$415, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$7,500.

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BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

FIFTH AND EIGHTH DISTRICTS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

JOINT MEETING.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A.M., Tuesday, July 11, 1899.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names: Edward M. GROUT, President, in the chair; Councilman DOYLE and Aldermen KENNEY, KEAGAN, McINNES and WENTZ.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 57.)

Petition of Fred C. Cocheu and others for opening various streets in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn for sewer purposes.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Boards of the Fifth and Eighth Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Forty-fifth street, between the former city line and West street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth and Eighth Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Forty-fourth street, between the former city line and West street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

SIXTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A.M., Monday, July 10, 1899.

The roll was called, and the following members answered to their names:

Edward M. GROUT, President, in the chair, and Councilman EBBETS.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 52.)

Communication from the Board of Public Improvements relative to opening the Eighteenth street sand bank as a public dump.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby amends Resolution No. 52 of the minutes of the Local Board of April 14, 1899, so as to read:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the Department of Highways be directed to stop the digging of sand from what is known as the "Eighteenth street sandbank," encroaching on Sherman street and other streets, and that the Department of Street Cleaning be authorized to dump ashes in the excavation now existing there.

(No. 51.)

The Board was informed that the opening of Terrace place, between Gravesend avenue and Prospect avenue; Eleventh avenue, between Fifteenth street and Terrace place, and Tenth avenue, between Twentieth and Fifteenth streets, was required for sewer purposes; and also that the property-owners of the locality desired the construction of a sewer in Tenth avenue, between Fifteenth and Twentieth streets, instead of between Seventeenth and Twentieth streets, as recommended on April 14, 1899.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Terrace place, between Gravesend avenue and Prospect avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Eleventh avenue, between Fifteenth street and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Tenth avenue, between Twentieth street and Fifteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that a sewer be constructed in Tenth avenue, between Twentieth street and Fifteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 74.)

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 26, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—Complying with the request conveyed to me by a letter dated the 29th ultimo, from your Secretary, I would say that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the south side of St. John's place, between Eighth avenue and Plaza street, Borough of Brooklyn, in front of Lot No. 1, Block 118, Ninth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, is \$110, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$2,500.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the south side of St. John's place, between Eighth avenue and Plaza street, known as Lot No. 1, Block 118, Ninth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 46.)

Petition of Thomas O'Connor for flagging sidewalk on the northerly side of Twenty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in front of Lot No. 19, Block 113, Twenty-second Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, January 17, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—Investigation having been made of complaint made by Mr. Thomas O'Connor, of No. 333 Twenty-first street, relative to the condition of the sidewalk on Twenty-first street, I beg to submit the estimated cost and the probable area of assessment involved in the flagging of the sidewalk on the north side of Twenty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in front of Lot No. 19, Block 113, Twenty-second Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, as follows: Estimated cost, \$27; assessed value of lot, \$1,800.

Respectfully,
(Signed) THOS. R. FARRELL, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the northerly side of Twenty-first street, between Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, known as Lot No. 19, Block 113, Twenty-second Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 75.)

Petition of D. M. Somers, of Third avenue and Third street, for flagging sidewalks on both sides of Third avenue, between First and Seventh streets. Laid over.

(No. 76.)

Petition of A. J. Nutting and others for the repaving of South Oxford street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

Following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the

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safety, health and convenience of the public, that South Oxford street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

(No. 77.)

Petition of A. H. Campbell for fencing vacant lots on the south side of Park place, between Classon avenue and Franklin avenue, in front of Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16 and 16a, Block 50, Ninth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, May 10, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of a letter dated 29th ultimo from your Secretary, and to report that the estimated cost of fencing vacant lots on the south side of Park place, between Classon and Franklin avenues, known as Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16 and 16a, Block 50, Ninth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with a tight board fence six feet in height, is \$48, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$2,400.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the lots lying on the south side of Park place, between Classon avenue and Franklin avenue, known as Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16 and 16a, Block 50, Ninth Ward Map, be inclosed with a close board fence six (6) feet high, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 78.)

Petition of Joseph Bojette for fencing lots on the south side of Thirteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, known as Lots Nos. 43 and 44, Block 126, Twenty-second Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 79.)

Petition of W. H. Johnson, of No. 489 Sixteenth street, for flagging sidewalk on the north side of Sixteenth street, between Prospect Park, West, and Tenth avenue, in front of lots known as Nos. 69, 65 and 64, Block 178, Twenty-second Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 27, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—In answer to a letter dated June 21, from your Secretary, I beg to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the north side of Sixteenth street, between Prospect Park, West, and Tenth avenue, in front of Lots Nos. 69, 65 and 64, Block 178, Twenty-second Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, is \$85, while the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$2,120.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the north side of Sixteenth street, between Prospect Park, West, and Tenth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 69, 65 and 64, Block 178, Twenty-second Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 42.)

Communication from John Nolty of No. 501 Eighth street, requesting that the two blocks on Eighth avenue, between Seventh and Ninth streets, be included in the recommendation of the Local Board for repaving Eighth avenue.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that Eighth avenue, between Seventh street and Ninth street, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

(No. 80.)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that First street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

(No. 81.)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that Fifth street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

(No. 82.)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest, and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that Tenth street, between Prospect Park West and Fourth avenue, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

(No. 83.)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that Fifteenth street, between Fourth avenue and Sixth avenue, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

Adjourned.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A. M., Monday, July 10, 1899.

The roll was called, and the following members answered to their names:

Edward M. Grout, President, in the chair, and Alderman Wentz.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 202.)

Petition of John Keith and others for the construction of a water hydrant so as to provide proper fire protection in the neighborhood of Howard avenue and Park place.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that a water hydrant be constructed so as to provide proper fire protection in the neighborhood of Howard avenue and Park place, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A. M., Tuesday, July 11, 1899.

The roll was called, and the following members answered to their names:

Edward M. Grout, President, in the chair, and Aldermen McInnes and Wentz.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 203.)

Petition presented by Alderman McInnes for the repaving of Bergen street, between Albany and Bedford avenues, with asphalt.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 11th day of July, 1899, believes it to be for the public interest and required for the safety, health and convenience of the public, that Bergen street, between Albany and Bedford avenues, should be repaved with asphalt pavement, and it therefore requests that the Board of Public Improvements refer said matter to the Department of Highways for action.

Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

SIXTH AND EIGHTH DISTRICTS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

JOINT MEETING.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 11 A. M., Monday, July 10, 1899.

The roll was called, and the following members answered to their names:

Edward M. Grout, President, in the chair, Councilman Ebbets and Alderman Wentz.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 73.)

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 23, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—By a letter dated May 29, I am requested by your Secretary to furnish you with an estimate of the cost of grading and paving Twentieth street, between Tenth avenue and Vanderbilt street, with macadam pavement.

In reply, I beg to say that Twentieth street was opened from Gowanus bay to the city line, just north of Eleventh avenue, in 1852. There is no record of said street in the Twenty-ninth Ward having been opened, though it is doubtless an open street under the law, as there are buildings thereon. The street has a number of different grades. The original grade chart of the City of Brooklyn shows an elevation of 145 feet 7 inches at the city line. The street has been graded and paved with cobblestone up to this point, therefore, the property-owners could have petitioned for a repavement. No grades seem to have been established by the late Town of Flatbush. In the year 1896, however, a chart was prepared by Mr. E. C. Swezey to adjust the grades in the neighborhood to those of the city. As shown on the chart the grade of Twentieth street would fall from an elevation of about 149 at Tenth avenue to 118 at Terrace place, and the elevation at the old town line would be about 122½ feet, or about 22 feet lower than the old grade, according to which the street has been improved.

The buildings on the street are at the following locations:

Between Tenth avenue and the old city line; 8 feet on the west side and five on the east side of the street. Four of those on the west side are near the old town line, where the street would have to be dug down about 17 feet to conform to the present legal grade.

Between Seely street and Terrace place there are seven buildings, one on the east side and six on the west side.

Between Seely and Vanderbilt streets there are eighteen buildings, of which ten are on the east and eight on the west side.

To improve this street to the existing legal grade would result in serious complications, as the surface of the street would have to be lowered about seventeen feet. It is therefore suggested that the matter of grades be referred to the Board of Public Improvements for adjustment by the Topographical Bureau.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Boards of the Sixth and Eighth Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, proceedings be initiated to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Twentieth street, between Tenth avenue and Vanderbilt street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

NINTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 11, Borough Hall, at 2 P. M., Friday, July 7, 1899.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Edward M. Grout, President, in the chair, and Aldermen Schmitt, Lang and Helgans.

The President submitted the following:

(No. 132.)

Petition of Francis T. Underhill, by Edward M. Scudder, attorney, and others, for the construction of sewers in Wyckoff avenue, between Myrtle and Flushing avenues; thence through Gardner avenue to Johnson avenue; thence through Johnson avenue to Knickerbocker avenue.

Also petition of Joseph Riedmann and others, for the construction of sewer in Wyckoff avenue to relieve the present sewer.

Following report from the Department of Sewers:

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—In reply to your communication of May 31, transmitting copy of petition of J. Riedmann and others for the construction of a sewer in Wyckoff avenue, in place of the one already there, also petition of Martin Schaffer and others for the construction of a sewer through Wyckoff, Gardner and Johnson avenues,

I beg to report as follows:

The estimated cost of main sewer on Wyckoff avenue, from Myrtle avenue to Flushing avenue; thence through Gardner to Johnson avenue; thence through Johnson avenue to Knickerbocker avenue, is.....	\$39,400 00
Assessed valuation of property within the probable area of assessment is.....	2,077,640 00
The estimated cost of lateral sewer in Flushing avenue, from Irving to Gardner avenue, is.....	1,450 00
Assessed valuation of property within the probable area of assessment is.....	34,232 00

No record can be found of the opening of Gardner avenue, between Johnson and Flushing avenues.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that a sewer be constructed in Wyckoff avenue, between Myrtle avenue and Flushing avenue; thence through Gardner avenue to Johnson avenue; thence through Johnson avenue to Knickerbocker avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Gardner avenue, between Johnson avenue and Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 133.)

Petition of Alderman Lang for flagging sidewalk at the southeast corner of Bushwick avenue and Decatur street, in front of Lots Nos. 5 to 9 inclusive, Block 152, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 12, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—I beg leave to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk at the southeast corner of Bushwick avenue and Decatur street, in front of Lots Nos. 5 to 9 inclusive, Block 152, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$250, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$7,350.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the southeast corner of Bushwick avenue and Decatur street, known as Lots Nos. 5 to 9 inclusive, Block

152, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 134.)

Petition of George Closset for fencing vacant lot on the northwesterly side of Gates avenue, between Hamburg avenue and Central avenue, known as Lot No. 59, Block 49, Twenty-eighth Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 135.)

Petition of Albert Palmay, of No. 350 Hamburg avenue, for flagging sidewalk on the northwesterly side of Gates avenue, between Hamburg and Central avenues, known as Lot No. 59, Block 49, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 22, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of a letter dated the 5th instant, from your Secretary, and to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the westerly side of Gates avenue, between Hamburg and Central avenues, in front of Lot No. 59, Block 49, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$31, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$1,200.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the northwesterly side of Gates avenue, between Hamburg avenue and Central avenue, known as Lot No. 59, Block 49, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 5.)

Communication from the Board of Public Improvements inclosing copy of recommendation of the Local Board, dated April 28, providing for the flagging of lots lying on Flushing avenue, between Bushwick avenue and White street, known as Lots Nos. 74, 75, 68 and 29 to 32 inclusive, Block 165, Eighteenth Ward Map, said resolution being returned for correction. The Board was informed that the work had been done by the owner of the lots. Papers ordered on file.

(No. 136.)

Petition of Ditmas Jewell, of No. 18 Williams place, for fencing vacant lots on the east side of Williams place, between Fulton street and East New York avenue, known as Lots Nos. 47 to 54 inclusive, Block 34, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

Laid over, and Secretary instructed to notify the agent of the property that if the fence is not constructed the Local Board will order the work done.

(No. 137.)

Petition of Ditmas Jewell for flagging sidewalk on the east side of Williams place, between Fulton street and East New York avenue, in front of Lot No. 55, Block 34, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 22, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with a request conveyed to me by a letter dated the 5th instant, from your Secretary, I have the honor to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the east side of Williams place, between Fulton street and East New York avenue, in front of Lot No. 55, Block 34, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$25, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$700.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the easterly side of Williams place, between Fulton street and East New York avenue, known as Lot No. 55, Block 34, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

(No. 138.)

Petition of the New Lots Improvement Association for changing the grade of that section of the Twenty-sixth Ward between Van Siclen avenue and Fountain avenue and south of Pitkin avenue.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the Topographical Bureau be instructed to determine whether it is possible to lower the grade of the streets between Van Siclen avenue and Fountain avenue, south of Pitkin avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to report for adoption such grade as can be established at the lowest point consistent with the needs of said section.

(No. 139.)

Petition of James Williamson, of No. 657 Gates avenue, for flagging the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the north side of Gates avenue, between Irving avenue and Myrtle avenue, known as Lots Nos. 8, 9, 11, 12 and 14, Block 92, Twenty-eighth Ward Map; and also for fencing vacant lots on the north side of Gates avenue, between Irving avenue and Myrtle avenue, known as Lots Nos. 8 and 9, Block 92, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 12, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—As requested by you, I have the honor to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the north side of Gates avenue, between Irving and Myrtle avenues, in front of Lots Nos. 8, 9, 11, 12 and 14, Block 92, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$200, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$6,450.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the northerly side of Gates avenue, between Irving avenue and Myrtle avenue, known as Lots Nos. 8, 9, 11, 12 and 14, Block 92, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lots.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

The matter of fencing as specified above was laid over.

(No. 110.)

Petition of Henry Kuhn, of No. 39 Nichols avenue, and others for changing the grade of Nichols avenue, between Etna street and Jamaica avenue, and also for grading and paving Nichols avenue, between Jamaica avenue and Atlantic avenue.

Following reports from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 15, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of a letter, dated the 6th instant, from your Secretary, recalling to my attention, by direction of the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, the matter of changing the grade of Nichols avenue, between Etna street and Jamaica avenue.

The object of referring the matter back to this Department is to afford an opportunity to make a favorable report as a substitute for the adverse one submitted under date of May 9.

In reply, I beg to say that a re-examination of the matter has been made, and this Department is willing to withdraw its objection to the change of grade of Nichols avenue, because it is understood that the Department of Sewers make no objection to, and the property-owners are

satisfied with, a shallow sewer. Under these circumstances there is no reason why this Department should oppose the proposed change of grade.

The estimated cost of regulating, grading and paving with asphalt on concrete foundation, as well as setting curbstones, and flagging and reflagging the sidewalks where required on Nichols avenue, between Etna street and Jamaica avenue, is \$41,000; the asphalt pavement to be laid on concrete foundation.

The communications received with the letter of the 6th instant, from your Secretary, are herewith returned.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—As requested by a letter, dated March 16, from your Secretary, I submit reports on the following proposed improvements in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on concrete foundation, setting curbstones, on flagging and reflagging sidewalks where required, on Nichols avenue, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues:

The estimated cost is \$45,600, and the assessed value of the property is \$120,600.

Very respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, proceedings be initiated to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Nichols avenue, between Etna street and Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to regulate, grade and pave Nichols avenue with asphalt pavement, between Jamaica avenue and Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done.

(No. 140.)

Petition of Alderman Helgans for opening Glenmore, between Enfield street (or Eldert's lane) and the former city line.

Counsel for the property-owners stated that a deed of cession had been prepared, and as soon as it is accepted by the Corporation Counsel the title to the street will be vested in the City. Petition laid over.

(No. 141.)

Petition of the New Lots Improvement Association for the closing of Livonia avenue, between Schenck avenue and Barbey street. Laid over.

(No. 122.)

Petition of August Ehlers, of No. 2434 Pitkin avenue, for the construction of a sewer-basin at the southeast corner of Linwood street and Eastern parkway, or Pitkin avenue.

Following report from the Department of Sewers:

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—In reply to your communication under date of May 4, requesting to be furnished with the estimated cost, and the assessed valuation of real estate within the probable area of assessment, for the construction of a sewer-basin southeast corner of Linwood street and Pitkin avenue.

The estimated cost is \$110 00
Assessed valuation of property benefited thereby 5,200 00

I also desire to call your attention to report of Chief Engineer, from which I am led to infer that the construction of this basin will entail unnecessary expense upon the property to be benefited, as the Department has already constructed a sufficient number of basins to care for this intersection.

If Pitkin avenue at this point was brought to the established grade, there will be no necessity for this sewer-basin. I am,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of July, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that a sewer-basin be constructed at the southeast corner of Linwood street and Pitkin avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 142.)

Petition of William Wehler for fencing vacant lot on the south side of Putnam avenue, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, known as Lot No. 24, Block 143, Twenty-eighth Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 143.)

Petition of William Wehler for grading lot on the south side of Putnam avenue, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, known as Lot No. 24, Block 143, Twenty-eighth Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 144.)

Petition of William Wehler for flagging sidewalk on the south side of Putnam avenue, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, in front of Lot No. 24, Block 143, Twenty-eighth Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 125.)

Petition of Frank Dufferin for flagging sidewalk on the west side of Shepherd avenue, between Ridgewood avenue and Arlington avenue, in front of Lots Nos. 24, 25, 26, 28 to 37, inclusive, and 7, Block 282, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

Also, flagging sidewalk on the east side of Shepherd avenue, between Ridgewood avenue and Arlington avenue, and on the south side of Ridgewood avenue, between Shepherd avenue and Dresden street, known as Lots Nos. 28, 29, 49, 50, 51 and 53, Block 283, Twenty-sixth Ward Map.

Also, flagging sidewalk on the north side of Ridgewood avenue, between Shepherd avenue and Dresden street, in front of Lot No. 19, Block 280, Twenty-sixth Ward Map. Laid over.

(No. 145.)

Petition of Phillip Stander mann, of No. 16 Suydam street, for flagging sidewalk on the north side of Greene avenue, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue, in front of Lot No. 12, Block 16, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

Following report from the Department of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 9, 1899.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn:

DEAR SIR—Referring to a letter dated June 2, from your secretary, I have the honor to report that the estimated cost of flagging the sidewalk on the north side of Greene avenue, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, in front of Lot No. 12, Block 16, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, is \$19, and that the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$2,000.

The complaint addressed to you regarding the condition of the sidewalk is herewith returned.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby directs that the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the north side of Greene avenue, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, known as Lot No. 12, Block 16, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, be flagged with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, at the expense of the owner or owners of the said lot.

Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements for its approval.

Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending July 22, 1899.

Barometer.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN FOR THE DAY.			MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	16	29.826	29.753	29.780	29.788	29.900	0 A. M.	29.734	6 P. M.										
Monday,	17	29.780	29.762	29.730	29.757	29.786	9 A. M.	29.712	12 P. M.										
Tuesday,	18	29.780	29.812	29.812	29.801	29.832	12 M.	29.708	3 A. M.										
Wednesday,	19	29.750	29.754	29.810	29.785	29.850	12 P. M.	29.754	2 P. M.										
Thursday,	20	29.940	29.974	29.960	29.958	29.974	2 P. M.	29.850	0 A. M.										
Friday,	21	29.910	29.860	29.826	29.865	29.946	0 A. M.	29.800	4 P. M.										
Saturday,	22	29.874	29.900	29.952	29.909	29.984	12 P. M.	29.836	0 A. M.										

Mean for the week 29.838 inches.
Maximum " at 12 P. M., July 22d 29.984 "
Minimum " at 3 A. M., " 18th 29.708 "
Range "276 "

Thermometers.

DATE. JULY.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM.			
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.	
Sunday,	16	76	70	85	75	83	75	81.3	73.3	88	5 P. M.	77	5 P. M.	76	1 A. M.	69	0 A. M.	123.	4 P. M.
Monday,	17	77	70	86	72	80	71	81.0	71.0	86	2 P. M.	74	0 A. M.	76	12 P. M.	67	12 P. M.	130.	2 P. M.
Tuesday,	18	73	63	79	64	76	64	76.0	63.6	82	5 P. M.	67	0 A. M.	71	5 A. M.	62	10 A. M.	125.	3 P. M.
Wednesday,	19	70	60	82	67	74	64	75.3	63.6	83	5 P. M.	68	5 P. M.	68	5 A. M.	60	6 A. M.	127.	2 P. M.
Thursday,	20	67	56	73	60	70	62	70.0	59.3	74	5 P. M.	63	6 P. M.	66	6 A. M.	55	8 A. M.	122.	10 A. M.
Friday,	21	74	67	88	77	80	71	80.6	71.6	89	3 P. M.	77	3 P. M.	69	5 A. M.	63	0 A. M.	130.	1 P. M.
Saturday,	22	76	70	88	77	76	70	80.0	72.3	90	3 P. M.	78	3 P. M.	73	12 P. M.	67	12 P. M.	132.	11 A. M.

Mean for the week 77.7 degrees.
Maximum " at 3 P. M., 22d 90 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 20th 65 "
Range " 24 "

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week 67.8 degrees.
Maximum " at 3 P. M., 22d 78 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 20th 55 "
Range " 23 "

Wind.

DATE.	JULY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.
Sunday,	16...	SSE	WSW	WSW	57	43	50	150	1/4	1/4	1/4	2
Monday,	17...	WNW	WNW	W	48	56	43	147	0	1	0	1 1/4
Tuesday,	18...	NW	NW	W	83	97	61	241	1 1/4	3/4	0	5 1/2
Wednesday,	19...	W	WNW	NNE	54	70	46	170	1/4	1	0	2
Thursday,	20...	NE	NE	NE	32	37	25	94	1/4	1/4	0	3/4
Friday,	21...	SSW	S	SSW	4	31	52	87	0	3/4	0	2 1/4
Saturday,	22...	W	E	NE	66	18	34	118	0	0	3/4	2

Distance traveled during the week 1,007 miles.
Maximum force 5 1/2 pounds.

DATE.	JULY.	Hygrometer.				Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.
Sunday,	16	.652	.733	.760	.715	72	61	67	66	10	6 Cir.	8 Cu
Monday,	17	.639	.596	.637	.624	69	48	62	59	5 Cir.	3 Cir.	2 Cu
Tuesday,	18	.442	.396	.426	.424	54	40	48	47	3 Cir.	0	3 Cir.
Wed'sday,	19	.385	.460	.462	.435	52	42	55	49	5 Cir.	2 Cu	0
Thursday,	20	.303	.345	.449	.365	46	42	61	49	4 Cir.	8 Cu	7 Cu
Friday,	21	.568	.778	.637	.661	67	59	62	62	4 Cir.	3 Cu	0
Saturday,	22	.652	.778	.652	.694	72	59	72	67	3 Cir.	8 Cu	10

Total amount of water for the week98 inch.
Duration for the week 7 hours 45 minutes.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.				2 P. M.			
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.
Sunday,	16	Calm, raining.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.
Monday,	17	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.	Calm, sultry.
Tuesday,	18	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.	Warm, pleasant breeze.
Wednesday,	19	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.	Cool, pleasant breeze.
Thursday,	20	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.	Mild, pleasant.
Friday,	21	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.
Saturday,	22	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.	Close, hazy.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, }
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BATTERY PLACE, }
NEW YORK, July 24, 1899. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I beg to advise you of the following actions taken at a meeting of the Board of Docks held July 17, 1899, in regard to employees:

The resignation of Thomas Gallagher, Laborer, was accepted.

Graziano Conte was appointed Souder.

The compensation of James Blake, Laborer, was fixed at the rate of 33 cents per hour, to take effect July 20, 1899.

The titles of John McCarthy, Rigger, and of Henry P. Manheimer, Watchman, were changed to Laborer.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE MAYOR

JULY 25, 1899,

To be Inspectors of Common Schools in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for a Term of Five Years from July 1, 1899.

Henry Allen, for the Seventh School District.

Patrick J. Hughes, for the Fifteenth School District.

For an Unexpired Term.

George E. Smith, for the Fifteenth School District, in place of Charles W. Bauerdorf, resigned, and for the unexpired term of said Charles F. Bauerdorf, which ends July 1, 1900.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
JULY 24, 1899. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I herewith transmit, for publication in the CITY RECORD, a statement of the transactions of the Department of Sewers for the week ending July 15, 1899.

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

	NUMBER OF	AMOUNT.	AMOUNTS.	
			Appropriations.	Funds.
<i>Moneys Received.</i>				
For sewer permits.....	.....	\$1,881 94	.....	.....
Number of permits issued	179	.....	.....	.....
For new sewer connections.....	128
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	49
For other purposes.....	2
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Requisition drawn on Comptroller.....	16	\$32,201 74	\$10,666 31	\$21,535 43
Linear feet of sewer built.....	3,520
Number of basins built.....	10	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer cleaned	7,803	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins cleaned.	590	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	10,249	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins examined.....	921	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins repaired.....	22	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin heads set	1	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole catch-pans cleaned.....	274	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole heads and covers set.....	6	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole heads and covers reset.....	7	.....	.....	.....
Square yards of pavement relaid.....	50	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin hoods put in	7	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of pipe culvert laid	38	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin covers put on.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet culverts, drains and ditches repaired and cleaned.....	5,370	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins relieved	2	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes built.....	31	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole covers put on.....	8	.....	.....	.....
Cubic feet of brickwork built	139	.....	.....	.....
Cubic yards of excavating and refilling earth.....	3,726	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin grates put in.....	12	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of pipe sewer relieved.....	3,200	.....	.....	.....
Number of cart-loads of dirt removed	572	.....	.....	.....
Number of loads removed from sewers, basins and drains) (Queens)	199	.....	.....	.....
Cubic feet of wall built for culverts, drains, etc.....	1,568	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes raised.....	23	.....	.....	.....

Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.....	9	Assistant Foremen.....	24
Inspector of Pipe Laying.....	1	Firemen.....	11
Inspectors of Construction.....	50	Mechanics.....	18
Inspectors of Sewer Connections.....	22	Laborers.....	414
Foremen.....	35	Horses and Carts.....	88

Borough of Manhattan.

Appointments—12 Laborers, at \$2.25 per day.

Resigned—2 Laborers.

Died—2 Laborers.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
No. 29 ELM PLACE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, July 12, 1899.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 11, 1899.

July 5.

Reports of labor, census, etc., Hospital and Almshouse, for week ending July 4, 1899, approved.

Beatrice Page appointed Pupil Nurse, permanently, at the Kings County Hospital, at \$120 per annum.

Winnie Clarity, employed provisionally as Waitress, Kings County Hospital, at \$180 per annum.

Received bond in the matter of Jennie Colvin against Leo W. Stickles. On file.

July 6.

Approved the following bills for maintenance of dependent children, and transmitted same to Auditors:

Orphan Home.....	\$4,485 75
".....	1,002 75
The Wayside Home.....	353 50
Brooklyn Howard Colored Orphan Asylum Society.....	412 50
".....	51 50
St. Malachy's Home.....	4,694 00
".....	113 50

Approved weekly requisitions of the various institutions.

July 7.

Received notice of appeal in the matter of Nora Fackelman against William Alwang, and transmitted same to Corporation Counsel.

July 8.

Edward Kelly, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, discharged.

July 11.

Approved bills for general supplies, amounting to \$5,274.82, and transmitted same to Auditor.

Approved bills for burial of veterans amounting to \$1,050, and transmitted same to Auditor.

Approved bills for the relief of indigent veterans, amounting to \$268, and transmitted same to Auditor.

The following reports for week ending July 11, 1899, received and placed on file:

Dependent children committed.....	53	Commitments to Almshouse.....	53
" discharged.....	28	" Hospital.....	116
Orders for abandonment warrants.....	25	Burial permits issued.....	25
" bastardy warrants.....	8	Ambulance calls.....	19
Letters to delinquent husbands.....	38		

A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner, etc.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 662.

AN ORDINANCE for water-mains in Seventieth street and Seventy-first street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 19th day of April, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Seventieth street and Seventy-first street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

Adopted by the Council, May 16, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 11, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, July 18, 1899.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Whereas, There are frequent occasions when one branch of the Municipal Assembly communicates with the head of a Department, requiring prompt reply in order to prosecute some work of public necessity; and

Whereas, There has been error committed by the transmission of an answer to the house other than that from which the communication emanated, causing unnecessary delay; therefore

Resolved, That Commissioners and heads of Departments generally, are respectfully requested to cause answer to all official communications to be made to the particular branch of the Municipal Assembly from which said communication is received, and not to the said Assembly in its dual capacity.

Resolved, That a copy hereof be transmitted to all Departments of the City Government.

Adopted June 20, 1899.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE,
Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CENTRE,
ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the new Civil Service Law, I beg to notify you of the following appointments, reinstatements, etc., in the various City Departments:

APPOINTMENTS.

William Lyman, Clifton, S. I., Borough of Richmond, Laborer, Department of Highways, 18 1/2 cents per hour, from July 21.

Walter Donegan, New Brighton, S. I., Borough of Richmond, Laborer, Department of Highways, 18 1/2 cents per hour, from July 20.

August Bockelmann, Flushing, L. I., Borough of Queens, Stoker, Department of Water Supply, \$720 per annum, from July 12.

Owen Monahan, No. 228 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Laborer, Department of Sewers, \$2.25 per day, from July 17.

Joseph Schmalacker, No. 756 East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Bronx Borough, Carpenter, Department of Bridges, \$3.50 per day, from July 17.

REINSTATEMENTS.

James Gilday, No. 228 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Sounder, Department of Water Supply, July 14, 1899.

John Flaherty, No. 511 Washington street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, July 18, 1899.

Joseph Hogan, No. 40 Vandam street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, July 18, 1899.

Alexander Engel, No. 327 East Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Laborer, Department of Highways, July 20, 1899.

Respectfully yours,

F. A. SPENCER,
Labor Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
ROOM NO. 8, CITY HALL,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 24, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby notify you that I have increased the pay of the following employees:

July 15, 1899. James Lonergan, Laborer O., from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day.

July 15, 1899. Theodore Jackson, Laborer O., from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day.

Yours very truly,

GEO. V. BROWER,
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,
July 24, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that, by order of the Commissioner, Theodore Tompkins, No. 513 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, has been appointed Teamster with team in this Department.

Respectfully yours,

MAX K. KAHN,
Private Secretary.

CITY CLERK.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1899.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Committee on Railroads of the Council, on August 4, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, to consider the petition of the Central Taxpayers' Alliance Society in relation to alleged delinquency of the Union Railway Company.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

To whom it may concern:

A public hearing will be held on Friday, August 4, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, to consider the matter of a tunnel under the East river, considered by the former Board of Aldermen of the old City of New York on August 4, 1896.

All persons interested are invited to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1899.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor in the week ending Saturday, July 22, 1899:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, July 17, 1899	42	\$159 50
Tuesday, " 18, "	51	209 00
Wednesday, " 19, "	37	113 75
Thursday, " 20, "	35	179 75
Friday, " 21, "	27	388 75
Saturday, " 22, "	14	34 00
Totals.....	206	\$1,284 75

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Monday, July 17, 1899	6	\$42 50
Tuesday, " 18, "	11	96 00
Wednesday, " 19, "	8	72 00
Thursday, " 20, "	24	70 00
Friday, " 21, "	6	34 50
Saturday, " 22, "	3	12 00
Totals.....	58	\$327 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Monday, July 17, 1899	7	\$50 00
Tuesday, " 18, "	4	7 50
Wednesday, " 19, "	8	40 00
Thursday, " 20, "	..	.....
Friday, " 21, "	8	56 00
Saturday, " 22, "	..	.....
Totals.....	27	\$153 50

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Monday, July 17, 1899	3	\$12 00
Tuesday, " 18, "	..	.....
Wednesday, " 19, "	4	11 00
Thursday, " 20, "	..	.....
Friday, " 21, "	2	6 00
Saturday, " 22, "	..	.....
Totals.....	9	\$29 00

DAVID J. ROCHE,
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

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

DAVID J. ROCHE, 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 2, 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 BERRICK,

Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

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 COUNSEL, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUIR, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

The Mayor, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary; HENRY S. KEARNY, McCOSKEY BUTT and JAMES MCLEER, Commissioners.

Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Stewart Building. Office hours, 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. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL.

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

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

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Borough of Manhattan.

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HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK MCDAYITT, Clerk. Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day. Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

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

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

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

JOHN M. TIERNY, 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.

JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.

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

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM SCHNITZPAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.

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

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

ADOLPH H. GORTING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath 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 composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).

THOMAS C. KADIN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN, Justice; GEO. W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk. Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

ALBERT REYNOLD, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

CHANCE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

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

Dated New York, April 17, 1899.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
WARREN W. FOSTER,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Friday, July 28, 10 A. M. NURSE. Subjects of examination: Writing, duties, experience and arithmetic.

Monday, July 31, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. Subjects of examination: Writing, duties, experience and arithmetic.

Tuesday, August 1, 10 A. M. SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. Subjects of examination: Writing, duties, experience and arithmetic.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1612, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above-mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, TWELVE (12) IMPROVED SPRINKLING TRUCKS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, NINE HUNDRED THOUSAND (900,000) VITRIFIED PAVING BRICK.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS SIX (6) IMPROVED SPRINKLING TRUCKS.

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 no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF 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. 1636, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ALTERATIONS TO THE MEN'S DORMITORY ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned work, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the alterations to the Men's Dormitory on Randall'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 President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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 penal amount of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars.

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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the plans and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ADOLPH SMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
THOS. S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS "MATERNITY WAITING WARD" ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned work, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the erection of a building to be known as 'Maternity Waiting Ward' on 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 President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent and read.

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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 penal amount of Fifteen Thousand (15,000) Dollars.

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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS "PAVILION F," ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned work, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the

Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.,
MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the erection of a building to be known as 'Pavilion F.' on Randall'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 President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE INSTALLATION OF A PRESSURE WATER SYSTEM, FIRE LINES AND HOSE, THE LAYING OF CROTON WATER MAINS, THE ALTERATIONS TO COAL YARD AND PRESENT SURFACE RAILWAY TRACKS, THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW PLATFORM WEIGHING APPARATUS, DERRICK ENGINE, ETC., AND FURNISHING FOUR CHARGING CARS, ETC., AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL AND GROUNDS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned work, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.,
MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed

"Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required in the installation of a pressure water system, fire lines and hose, the laying of Croton water mains, the alterations to coal yard and present surface railway tracks, the construction of a new platform weighing apparatus, derrick engine, etc., and furnishing four charging cars, etc., at Bellevue Hospital and grounds," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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 penal amount of Fifteen Hundred (\$1500) Dollars.

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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the plans and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ADOLPH SMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
THOS. S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, in the

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

SEVENTH WARD.

MONROE STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Jackson and Grand streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Monroe street, between Grand street and a point situate about 290 feet west of Corlears street, and to the extent of half the block on south side of Grand street and the east side of Corlears street.

ELEVENTH AND SEVENTEENTH WARDS.

TENTH STREET—SEWER, between Avenue A and C; also SEWER IN AVENUE A, between Ninth and Tenth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Tenth street, from Avenue C to Second avenue; both sides of Ninth street, from Avenue A to Fourth avenue; west side of Avenue C, from 100 feet south of Tenth street to 100 feet north of

Tenth street; both sides of Avenue B, from Ninth to Tenth street; both sides of Avenue A, from Eighth to Tenth street; both sides of First avenue, from Eighth to Tenth street; both sides of Second avenue, from Eighth to Tenth street; both sides of Third avenue, from Eighth to Ninth street; also both sides of Stuyvesant street, from Fourth avenue to Ninth street; east side of Fourth avenue, from Eighth to Tenth street, and west side of Fourth avenue, from Ninth to Tenth street.

TWELFTH WARD.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Dyckman street to the intersection of Fort George and Wadsworth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Dyckman street to Fort George and Wadsworth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intervening and terminating streets and avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY- EIGHTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Amsterdam and Audubon avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Amsterdam and Audubon avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

TWELFTH AND TWENTY-SECOND WARDS.

BOULEVARD—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Eighth streets. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of the Boulevard and Sixty-first street; east side of Boulevard, from Sixty-first street to Sixty-third street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 116 feet north of Sixty-second street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 75 feet north of Sixty-third street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 175 feet north of Sixty-fourth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 50 feet south of Sixty-fifth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 47 feet north of Sixty-fifth street; west side of Boulevard, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, on Block 1237, lot numbers 40 and 42; east side of Boulevard, extending about 71 feet south of Sixty-seventh street; west side of Boulevard, extending north of Sixty-seventh street about 85 feet; west side of Boulevard, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, on Block 1239, Lot Nos. 51, 53 and 54; west side of Boulevard, from Sixty-eighth to Sixty-ninth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 112 feet north of Seventieth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 106 feet north of Seventy-first street; east side of Boulevard, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets, on Block 1166, lot numbers 26 and 41; east side of Boulevard, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, on Block 1167, lot numbers 26 and 43; west side of Boulevard, extending about 165 feet north of Seventy-fourth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 135 feet north of Seventy-fifth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 185 feet south of Seventy-seventh street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 105 feet south of Seventy-seventh street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 103 feet north of Seventy-ninth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 103 feet north of Eightieth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 103 feet south of Eighty-fifth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 101 feet north of Eighty-seventh street; both sides of Boulevard, from Eighty-ninth to Ninetieth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 101 feet north of Ninetieth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 41 feet north of Ninety-first street; west side of Boulevard, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets, on Block 1239, Lot No. 11; west side of Boulevard, extending about 31 feet south of Ninety-third street; west side of Boulevard, between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, on Block 1241, lot numbers 11, 12 and 13; west side of Boulevard, from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 127 feet north of Ninety-fourth street; east side of Boulevard, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-sixth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 101 feet south of Ninety-sixth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 101 feet north of Ninety-eighth street; west side of Boulevard, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets on Block 1871, lot numbers 12, 13 and 55; west side of Boulevard, extending about 27 feet north of One Hundredth street; west side of Boulevard, extending about 106 feet south of One Hundred and Second street; east side of Boulevard, extending about 102 feet north of One Hundred and Third street; east side of Boulevard, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, on Block 1877, lot numbers 52, 53, 54, 57, 58 and 60; east side of Boulevard, extending from One Hundred and Sixth street to a point about 110 feet north of One Hundred and Seventh street.

SIXTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH WARDS.

TWENTIETH STREET—SEWER, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues; also, SEWER IN ELEVENTH AVENUE, between Twentieth and Twenty-third streets; also, SEWER IN TWENTY-FIRST AND TWENTY-SECOND STREETS, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Twentieth street, from Broadway to Eighth avenue; both sides of Twenty-first street, from Fifth to Seventh avenue; both sides of Nineteenth street, from Broadway to a point distant about 435 feet west of Sixth avenue; both sides of Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, from Broadway to Sixth avenue; both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from a point distant about half-way between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets to Twenty-third street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Nineteenth street to a point distant about half-way between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets; both sides of Eighth avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; west side of Eighth avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; both sides of Seventh avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; both sides of Sixth avenue, from Sixteenth to Twenty-first street; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Sixteenth to Twenty-first street; west side of Broadway and Union Square, West, from Fifteenth to Twentieth street, including the southeast corner of Union Square.

NINETEENTH WARD.

PARK AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between Seventieth and Seventy-second streets; also, SEWER IN SEVENTIETH STREET, between Park and Lexington avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Park avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventy-second streets; both sides of Seventieth street and south side of Seventy-first street, between Park and Lexington avenues; also, west side of Lexington avenue, from a point situate in the middle of the block between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets to Seventy-first street.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

FORTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-ninth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on July 6, 1899, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before September 4, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 8, 1899.

VAN TASSEL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, under direction of the Comptroller, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, on

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1899,

at 12 o'clock noon, the following property belonging to The City of New York, viz.:

Black gelding, 5 years old, 15½ hands high, weighing about 1,000 pounds.

Extra grade Phaeton, with extra rubber apron and rubber tires and lamps, with lamp covers and whip.

Set single harness and blankets, etc.

Terms, cash on delivery.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.
NEW YORK, July 15, 1899.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, the 26th day of July, 1899, at noon, at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the premises known as No. 70 Grove street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, upon the following:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of the sale, and the balance, together with the expenses of such sale, and of the conveyance to be paid upon the delivery of the quit claim deed, within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms and conditions of the sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted June 8, 1899.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 19, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK NOW KNOWN AS THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS OF TAXES,
ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
May 6, 1899.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of The City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter:

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, on which assessments for local improvements, including those confirmed by a Court of Record, have been laid and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which were confirmed during the year 1895 and prior thereto, are required to pay the amount of the assessment or assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, Room No. 35, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 6th day of September, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid and the interest and charges thereon as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Department of Finance, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Borough of Brooklyn.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

CONTRACT, PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 239, 539 AND 541 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, FOR CLEANING BY SWEEPING MACHINES CERTAIN PAVED AVENUES, STREETS, LANES, ALLEYS AND PLACES IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE PERIOD FROM THE DATE OF EXECUTION UNTIL THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899, INCLUSIVE.

PROPOSALS FOR THE ABOVE CONTRACT, inclosed in sealed envelopes, indorsed with the

title of the work, and with the names and addresses of the persons making the same, and the date of the said proposals, will be received at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Nos. 11 to 21 Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF JULY, 1899.

at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read.

The person or persons to whom the said contract may be awarded will be required to execute the same within five (5) days of the receipt of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned the contract and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may readvertise and relet the said contract, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state under oath or affirmation in their proposals their names or places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, that fact shall be distinctly stated; also that the proposal is made without any connection with any other person or persons making a proposal for the same work; that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, deputy thereof, chief of a bureau or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any of the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is required that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties so interested. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any proposal, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all of the proposals, should he deem it for the interests of the City so to do. As the terms and conditions of this contract are required by law to be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the acceptance of any proposal by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning shall be conditioned on its approval by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

No proposal will be accepted from, nor will the contract be awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each proposal must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of two guaranty or surety companies, duly authorized by law to act as surety, incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making said proposal, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to The City of New York any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion and that which The City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the said contract may be subsequently awarded, the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the proposals are tested. The consent 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 security aforesaid for the completion of the contract over and above his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law, and a like affidavit as to sufficiency shall be required of an officer of a corporation so agreeing. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said city, for five percentum of the amount of the surety bond aforesaid, or money to that amount; such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be handed in separately at the time of presenting the said proposal.

On the award of the contract or the rejection of all the proposals, the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract, the check of the accepted bidder will likewise be returned to him.

The basis of all proposals for work under this contract will be the sum per mile for the work actually performed by the Contractor, and all increase or reduction such as is provided for in the contract will be upon the basis of the said amount per mile.

The estimated number of miles of streets, avenues and public places to be cleaned under the said contract is, for each of the districts and sections of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

On the award of the contract or the rejection of all the proposals, the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract, the check of the accepted bidder will likewise be returned to him.

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The estimated number of miles of streets, avenues and public places to be cleaned under the said contract is, for each of the districts and sections of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

The form of contract, with the specifications thereof, showing the method of work and the manner of payment therefor, and forms of proposals, may be obtained at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning.

N. B.—This public notice is and is to be taken to be a part of the said contract.

New York, July 11, 1899. F. M. GIBSON,

Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan, designated with full powers of Commissioner.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 11 to 21 Park row Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 17, 1899.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the provisions of the several laws of this State relative to the collection of taxes, water assessments, rents and extra rates, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the water assessments, rents and extra rates have been duly made, levied and assessed for the First Ward of the Borough of Queens (formerly known as Long Island City) for the year from May 1, 1898, to May 1, 1899, and that the same are now due and payable and must be paid to the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, at his office in the Hackett Building, First Ward (formerly known as Long Island City), Borough of Queens, City of New York; that the same may be paid without fee or charge from and beginning June 19, 1899, and up to July 22, 1899, and that during the next thirty days thereafter interest will be added at the rate of two-thirds of one per cent, and if not paid within sixty days such taxes, assessments, water rents and rates will be levied and collected in the manner provided by law together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from said June 19, 1899.

The office hours for receiving money are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. and on Saturday until 12 noon.

Taxpayers will please bring their last tax receipt or an exact description of their lots in order to avoid delay or paying on the wrong property.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 656.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WROUGHT-IRON SCREW-BOLTS, DOCK-SPIKES AND WASHERS AND CAST-IRON CLEATS.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING WROUGHT-IRON Screw-bolts, Dock-spikes and Washers and Cast-iron Cleats will be received by the Board of Docks, at the office of said Board, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, JULY 31, 1899.

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

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

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

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

Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, Dock-spikes and Washers.

Dock-spikes—

2 1/2 inch by 12 inches, about.....	14,000 pounds.
2 1/2 inch by 14 inches, ".....	1,600 "
2 1/2 inch by 16 inches, ".....	50,000 "
2 1/2 inch by 22 inches, ".....	50,000 "
2 1/2 inch by 26 inches, ".....	2,000 "
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POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY
OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Executive Committee for the care, government and management of the Normal College of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1899,

for Alterations, Repairs, etc., at the College Buildings, Sixty-eighth street and Park avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

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

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required when the amount of the bid is less than two thousand dollars. Whenever the bid exceeds two thousand dollars, the surety for the performance of the contract shall be a fidelity or surety company authorized to transact business by the laws of the State of New York, and authorized to become surety on such contract by a resolution of its Board of Directors.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Executive Committee of the Normal College render their responsibility doubtful.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 24, 1899.

GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN,

RICHARD H. ADAMS,

WALDO H. RICHARDSON,

JOHN GRIFFIN,

F. DE HASS SIMONSON,

HENRY W. MAXWELL,

JOSEPH J. KITTEL,

I. EDWARD SWANSTROM,

THOMAS HUNTER,

Executive Committee for the Care, Government and Management of the Normal College of the City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, July 29, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, ETC., TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the following Miscellaneous Articles, etc., to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, City, up to 11 A. M. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1899.

All goods to be delivered at once to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense.

1. 2 dozen 3/4-inch Elbows,
2. 2 dozen 1-inch Tees,
3. 1 dozen 1 1/2-inch Tees,
4. 6 2-inch Flanges,
5. 1 dozen 1/2-inch Lock Nuts,
6. 2 dozen 1/2-inch Right and Left Couplings,
7. 2 dozen 1-inch Right and Left Couplings,
8. 25 pounds Genuine Babbitt Metal,
9. 1 Side of Belt Lacing,
10. 1 dozen 3/4 by 12-inch Glass Water Gauges and Washers for Steam Boiler,
11. 1 dozen 3/4 by 16-inch Glass Water Gauges and Washers for Steam Boiler,
12. 1 ten-inch Stillson Wrench,
13. 1 fourteen-inch Stillson Wrench,
14. 1 eighteen-inch Stillson Wrench,
15. 1 twenty-four-inch Stillson Wrench,
16. 100 feet 1/2-inch Steam Pipe,
17. 100 feet 3/4-inch Steam Pipe,
18. 300 feet 1-inch Steam Pipe,
19. 200 feet 1 1/4-inch Steam Pipe,
20. 100 feet 2-inch Steam Pipe,
21. 2 dozen 1/4-inch Plugs,
22. 2 dozen 3/8-inch Plugs,
23. 2 dozen 1/2-inch Plugs,
24. 2 dozen 3/4-inch Plugs,
25. 3 three-inch Plugs,
26. 3 four-inch to 3-inch Bushings,
27. 2 dozen 1/2-inch to 3/4-inch Bushings,
28. 2 dozen 3/4-inch to 1-inch Bushings,
29. 1 quire of Emery Cloth, No. 60,
30. 1 quire of Emery Cloth, No. 1,
31. 10 square yards of Hair Felt, 1 inch thick,
32. 5 pounds Garlock Steam Packing, size rod, 1 1/4-inch, gland, 2 1/4-inch,
33. 15 feet of 1/2-inch Square Tucks Packing, rubber back,

34. 2 dozen Water-closet Valves (as per sample),
35. 1 dozen Man Hole Gaskets, 15 by 11 inch,
36. 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 4 1/2 by 3 inch,
37. 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 5 by 3 1/2 inches,
38. 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 6 by 4 inches,
39. 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 3 1/2 by 2 1/2 inches,
40. 1 square yard Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1-32 inch thick,
41. 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1-16 inch thick,
42. 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1/8-inch thick,
43. 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 3-16-inch thick,
44. 1 dozen 3/8-inch Tube Brushes,
45. 4 gross Screws, 1 1/4-inch, No. 10,
46. 4 gross Screws, 1 1/2-inch, No. 12,
47. 1 dozen pair White Porcelain Door Knobs,
48. 1 Hay Cutter,
49. 1 Excelsior Lawn Mower, No. 14,
50. 500 pounds White Lead (Atlantic),
51. 1 barrel Raw Linseed Oil,
52. 1 tub Putty (150 pounds),
53. 5 pounds Burnt Umber,
54. 1 barrel Turpentine,
55. 1 barrel Raw Linseed Oil,
56. 10 gallons Japan Dryer,
57. 4,000 feet Western Oil Grain Leather, 6 oz. B grade (as sample),
58. 1 barrel S. A. White O. G. Dressing, about 48 gallons,
59. 1 Eyelid Machine, Self Feeder, Foot Power,
60. 1 Eyelid Punch Machine (as per sample),
61. 200 pounds 1 1/2 oz. Lasting Tacks (as per sample),
62. 1 dozen Rub Stricks (as per sample),
63. 2,500 pounds G. D. Hemlock No. 2 Slaughter or equal, middle weights,
64. 1,000 pounds Wide Union Belles,
65. 3 gallons Best Belt Dressing,
66. 2 dozen Cutters Blades, Harrington,
67. 2,000 feet 1 1/2 by 4 inches Yellow Pine Flooring, tongued and grooved,
68. 200 feet 1/2 by 12 inches Quartered Oak, dressed two sides,
69. 200 feet 3/4 by 12 inches Quartered Oak (dressed two sides),
70. 200 feet 1 1/2 by 12 inches Quartered Oak (dressed two sides),
71. 100 feet 1 by 12 inches Hickory,
72. 100 feet 2 by 12 inches Hickory,
73. 500 feet 3/4 by 12 inches White Wood (dressed two sides),
74. 500 feet 1 1/2 by 12 inches White Wood (dressed two sides),
75. 420 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 27 inches, double thick,
76. 48 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 34 inches, double thick,
77. 20 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 20 inches, double thick,
78. 1 keg 20-penny Wire Finishing Nails,
79. 20 pounds 1-inch Wire Finishing Nails,
80. 20 pounds 3/4-inch Wire Finishing Nails,
81. 10 pounds 6 ounces Carpet Tacks,
82. 3 pounds 4 ounces Carpet Tacks,
83. 4 gross 3/4-inch Screws, No. 6,
84. 4 gross 1-inch Screws, No. 4,
85. 4 gross 1-inch Screws, No. 6,
86. 3 gross 1-inch Screws, No. 12,
87. 3 gross 1 1/4-inch Screws, No. 8,
88. 3 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 10,
89. 4 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 8,
90. 4 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 10,
91. 4 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 8,
92. 4 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 10,
93. 4 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws, No. 12,
94. 50,000 pounds Bass Light and Dry as per sample,
95. 10,000 pounds to be delivered on award of contract, remainder to be delivered 10,000 pounds weekly,
96. 15,000 18 by 3 1/2 by 1 1/2 Street Broom Blocks, 3/8 inch cover (as sample),
97. 250 gross 1-inch Blued Screws,
98. 250 feet 1/4-inch Round Belt,
99. 1/2 dozen Carpenters' Planes (as sample),
100. 2 dozen small files (as per sample),
101. 500 pounds No. 20 Brass Wire,
102. 1 part Boring Machine (as per sample),
103. 1 Broom Winder,
104. 1 Sewing Vise,
105. 4 Broom-maker's Hammers,
106. 600 12-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored),
107. 750 15-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored),
108. 500 14-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored),
109. 1 gross Whisk Broom Handles (as per sample),
110. 300 18-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (as per sample),
111. 500 pounds Live Black Horse Tail Hair, 7 to 8 inches,
112. 200 pounds Live Gray Horse Tail Hair, 7 to 8 inches,
113. 300 pounds Herberts mixture,
114. 3,000 11-inch Scrub Brush Blocks,
115. 1,000 Dander Brush Blocks, Roached Back Bored,
116. 200 pounds 1-inch Wire Nails Coated (as per sample),
117. 100 No. 5 Harness Needles,
118. 1 Set Stocks for 1/2-inch adjustable Dies and Taps for machine bolts U. S. Standard,
119. 15 dozen 2-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample),
120. 15 dozen 1 1/2-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample),
121. 15 dozen 1-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample),
122. 10 dozen 1 1/2-inch Tinned Ferrules and Handles (as sample),
123. 10 dozen 1-inch Tinned Ferrules and Handles (as sample),
124. 150 pounds 2 1/2-inch Bristles same sample as Brush Stock, to be cut 2 1/2 inches,
125. 75 pounds 6 degree White Okatka, Bristles dressed and bleached,
126. 25 pounds 3-inch Bristles, bleached, (as per sample),
127. 300 Counter Duster Blocks, holes bored (as per sample),
128. 175 pounds Gray Bristles, 3 1/4 inch, extra stiff (as per sample),
129. 10 dozen Window Brush Blocks, holes bored (as per sample),
130. 500 pounds Gray Bristles, 4 1/4 inches, extra stiff (as per sample),
131. 2,000 No. 24 Gauge Tuttle Knitting Needles,
132. 1 gross Belt Hooks,
133. 1 Splitting Knife, 26 inches (as per sample),
134. 10 parts Bronson Knitting Machine (as per sample),
135. 1 dozen Files, 6 inches x 1-16 x 1-16, smooth cut,
136. 1 roll Coarse Sand Paper,
137. 100 Stitching Awls (asst),
138. 25 pounds Crimping Nails,
139. 500 yards Carpet Remnants (as per sample),
140. 1 set of Stocks for 1-inch Pipe Dies,
141. 3 1-inch Pipe Dies Taps, right,
142. 3 1-inch Pipe Dies Taps, left,
143. 1 12-inch Stillson Wrench,
144. 2 18-inch Stillson Wrenches,
145. 3 1/2-inch Adjustable Dies for machine bolts, U. S. Standard,
146. 3 1/2-inch Taps for machine bolts, U. S. Standard, to fit stocks, ordered as above,
147. 1 Emery Stand, 2 Wheels, 1 fine and 1 very fine, 1 1/2 x 16 inches,
148. 40 pieces, 3 x 4 inches, Spruce, 20 feet long,
149. 60 pieces, 2-inch Spruce, plane,
150. 700 feet Fire Hose (as per sample),
151. 10 gallons G. P. & Co., Enamel,

152. 1 barrel Rosin,
153. 300 pounds Tampico Black (lengths as samples),
154. 30 gallons Turpentine,
155. 75 pounds White Lead, "Atlantic,"
156. 2 1-foot Steel Rules (Brown and Sharp),
157. 1 dozen File Cards,
158. 1,000 6 by 36 Needles (S. & W.),
159. 1,000 3 by 36 Needles (S. & W.),
160. 5 pounds of Garlock Steam Packing, size of Rod 2 1/2, Gland 4 inches,
161. 60 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 8 feet 6 inches,
162. 60 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 7 feet 6 inches,
163. 30 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 16-foot lengths,
164. 1,100 feet 1/2-inch Pipe, in lengths as required,
165. 2,300 feet Angle Iron in 20 foot lengths,
166. 1 Shoe Lining Stamp and Type (as per sample),
167. 3 parts for Carpenter's Vise (as per sample),
168. 50 pounds Camphor Flake,
169. No bond or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.

Samples on exhibition only at The Kings County Penitentiary.

If the goods are not delivered in ten days, the Commissioner reserves the right to purchase in open market and charge the difference, if any, to the contractor.

Bidders are requested to foot up their bids. Awards will be made on the lowest items. Goods will be received in one delivery.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter 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 penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the Kings County Penitentiary, or in the absence of samples, to the specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner, No. 5 City Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner of Correction.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, July 19, 1899.

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.,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

400,000 pounds No. 1 Hay,
100,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw,
375,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white clipped Oats, to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

35,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran.

To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, 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 transported 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 Bran.

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 Forty-five Hundred (4,500) 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 Two Hundred and Twenty-five (225) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

NEW YORK, July 19, 1899.

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.,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

600,000 pounds No. 1 Hay,
110,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw,
450,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white clipped Oats, to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

48,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran.

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 transported 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.

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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 his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Five Thousand (5,000) 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 Two Hundred and Fifty (250) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Eleventh avenue, from Forty-third street to New Utrecht avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 13 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 26th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed closing and discontinuing will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 12th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Eleventh avenue, from Forty-third street to New Utrecht avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Forty-third street where it intersects the eastern line of Eleventh avenue, being distant 600 feet from Twelfth avenue; running thence southerly and at right angles to Forty-third street to the northern line of Forty-fifth street for 460.74 feet; thence westerly along the northern line of Forty-fifth street and the eastern line of New Utrecht avenue for 92.22 feet; thence northerly on a line parallel to the eastern line of Eleventh avenue and 80 feet distant therefrom to the southern line of Forty-third street for 438.47 feet; thence easterly along the southern line of Forty-third street for 80 feet to the point of beginning, excepting the area included in crossing of Forty-fourth street,

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 26th day of July, 1899.

Dated New York, July 12, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and discontinuing Avenue F, from Ocean Avenue to Foster Avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 2d day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed closing and discontinuing will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 12th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Avenue F, from Ocean Avenue to Foster Avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The area of the street to be closed is bounded as follows:

The northern line to be 880 feet northerly of the northern line of Avenue G, as laid down on the map of the Town of Flatlands, filed in office of the Register of Kings County, June, 1874, and extending from Ocean Avenue westerly for a distance of about 646.56 feet to Foster Avenue.

The southern line to be 800 feet northerly of the northern line of Avenue G, as laid down on the map of the Town of Flatlands, filed in office of the Register of Kings County, June, 1874, and extending from Ocean Avenue westerly for a distance of about 781.56 feet to Foster Avenue and East Seventeenth Street.

Avenue F is 80 feet wide and parallel to Avenue G. The proposed discontinuing and closing of Avenue F is to exclude all the street crossings of East Seventeenth Street, East Eighteenth Street, East Nineteenth Street.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named avenue, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 2d day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and Corporation newspapers, for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 2d day of August, 1899.

Dated New York, July 18, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, WHITE AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 11, 1899.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Department of Health, held July 5, 1899, the following amendment to the Sanitary Code was adopted:

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

Section 194. Spitting upon the floors of public buildings, and of railroad cars and of ferry-boats is hereby forbidden, and officers in charge or control of all such buildings, cars and boats shall keep posted permanently, in each public building, and in each railroad car and in each ferry-boat a sufficient number of notices forbidding spitting upon the floors, and janitors of buildings, conductors of cars and employees upon ferry-boats shall call the attention of all violators of this ordinance to such notices.

And it shall be the duty of all persons or corporations manufacturing cigars or conducting the business of printing, where ten or more persons are employed on the premises, in The City of New York, to provide, and they are hereby required to provide, proper receptacles for spitting, in proportion of one to every two persons employed by them, and that said receptacles be disinfected and cleaned at least once during each working day. That a copy of the second paragraph of this section be kept permanently posted in a conspicuous place in all cigar manufactories, and in printing offices where ten or more persons are employed.

M. C. MURPHY,
President.

C. GOLDERMAN,
Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
July 15, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Five Hundred Tons of White Ash Coal, egg size, for the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Department of Health, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

JULY 26, 1899.

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

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, it 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. The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about Five Hundred (500) Tons of White Ash Coal, egg size, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance

with the specifications attached to and which form a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, near the foot of East Sixteenth Street, at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract, and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be required by the Department, no allowance will be made for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of One Thousand and Two Hundred Dollars.

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 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 therein stated 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.

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in The City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract, 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 shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be received or 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.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the form of contract and the specifications for particulars before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin Streets.

MICHAEL C. MURPHY,
WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.,
JOHN B. COSBY, M. D.,
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
BERNARD J. YORK,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
July 15, 1899.

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 offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1899.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND LABOR FOR ERECTING COMPLETE THE APPROACH TO THE PUBLIC BUILDING, ALSO GRADING AND IMPROVING THE GROUNDS SURROUNDING, IN CROTONA PARK, AT THIRD AND TREMONT AVENUES, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, FROM THE SWEDISH SCHOOLHOUSE IN CENTRAL PARK, NEAR THE WEST DRIVE, OPPOSITE SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, TO THE EXISTING SEWER IN MANHATTAN SQUARE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO ERECT AND COMPLETE A GREENHOUSE IN BRONX PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER IN CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSE MANURE FOR RIVERSIDE PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The contracts must be bid for separately. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of the work or materials, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount 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 so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

Specifications and blank forms for proposals for the contract and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park.

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

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH."
Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."
Weekly—"Weekly Union."
Semi-weekly—"Harlem Local Reporter."
German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor, City Record.

NOVEMBER 28, 1898.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5733, No. 1. Paving East Street, from Rivington Street to Water Street, with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of lands under water).

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5852, No. 2. Outlet sewer and appurtenances in Jerome Avenue, from the Harlem River to Elliott Street; also trunk sewer and appurtenances in Cromwell Avenue, from Jerome Avenue to Inwood Avenue; in Inwood Avenue, from Cromwell Avenue to Belmont Street (Wolf Place); in Belmont Street, from Inwood Avenue to Jerome Avenue, and in Jerome Avenue, from Belmont Street to the existing sewer south of Featherbed Lane; also sewer and appurtenances in Jerome Avenue, from a point 96 feet south of Featherbed Lane to St. James Street.

List 5916, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-first Street, from the existing sewer in Brook Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of East Street, from Rivington Street to Water Street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; also the corporation known as the Metropolitan Street Railway Company.

No. 2. Both sides of Jerome Avenue, from the Harlem

river to One Hundred and Seventieth Street; also both sides of Cromwell Avenue, from Jerome Avenue to Inwood Avenue; both sides of Inwood Avenue, from Cromwell Avenue to Belmont Street; both sides of Belmont Street, from Inwood Avenue to Jerome Avenue, and both sides of Jerome Avenue, from Belmont Street to St. James Street, including all the several pieces and parcels of land within the following area: Beginning at a point on the east side of Cromwell's Creek, at the Harlem River, and extending in a northeasterly direction along the line of said creek to the Spuyten Duyvel and Port Morris Branch Railroad; thence in a southeasterly direction along the line of said railroad to River Avenue; thence northerly along River Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-first Street; thence easterly along One Hundred and Sixty-first Street to Walton Avenue; thence northerly along Walton Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street; thence in a northeasterly direction to the intersection of the Concourse and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street; thence easterly along One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street to Carroll Place; thence northerly along Carroll Place to McClellan Street; thence westerly along McClellan Street to the Concourse; thence northerly along the Concourse to One Hundred and Seventy-second Street; thence easterly along One Hundred and Seventy-second Street to Fleetwood Avenue; thence northerly along Fleetwood Avenue to Belmont Street; thence easterly along Belmont Street to Monroe Avenue; thence northerly along Monroe Avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-third Street; thence easterly along One Hundred and Seventy-third Street to Topping Avenue; thence northerly along Topping Avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street to Monroe Avenue; thence northerly along Monroe Avenue to the Concourse; thence northerly along the Concourse to One Hundred and Eighty-third Street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Eighty-third Street to Creston Avenue; thence northerly along Creston Avenue to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth Street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Ninety-fourth Street to Morris Avenue; thence northerly along Morris Avenue to St. James Street; thence westerly along St. James Street to the west side of Jerome Avenue; thence southerly along Jerome Avenue to Fordham Road; thence westerly along Fordham Road to Aqueduct Avenue; thence southerly along Aqueduct Avenue, following the line of the Croton aqueduct till the same reaches the intersection of Tremont Avenue and Aqueduct Avenue; thence southerly along Aqueduct Avenue to the southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street and Ogden Avenue; thence in a southerly direction to the south side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street at a point distant about half way between Nelson Avenue and Ogden Avenue; thence easterly along One Hundred and Sixty-eighth Street to the southeasterly corner of said street and Nelson Avenue; thence in a southerly direction to the southwesterly corner of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh Street and Woodcrest Avenue; thence southerly along Woodcrest Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Street; thence westerly along One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Street to Lind Avenue; thence southerly along Lind Avenue to Sedgwick Avenue; thence along Sedgwick Avenue to Jerome Avenue; thence southerly along Jerome Avenue to the Harlem River; thence southeasterly along the Harlem River to the place of beginning.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first Street, from Brook Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue and extending about 100 feet north and south of said street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before August 22, 1899, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,
EDWARD CAHILL,
THOMAS A. WILSON,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
JOHN B. MEYENBORG,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
July 15, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1899,

at 12 o'clock P. 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 Queens:

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth to Fifth Avenue, and THROUGH FIFTH AVENUE to connect with the system constructed by the Old Drainage Commission, late Village of Whitestone.

No. 2. SEWER IN TAYLOR STREET, from Van Alst Avenue to Hopkins Avenue, and in HOPKINS AVENUE, from Taylor Street to Grand Avenue.

No. 3. SEWER IN HIGH STREET, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth Streets, College Point.

No. 4. SEWER IN PARK PLACE, between Potter and Woolsey Avenues.

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

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JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 20, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1899,

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

FOR SEWER IN ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Hart street and Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

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JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 20, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1899,

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 IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue.

No. 2. SEWER ON BOTH SIDES OF TREMONT AVENUE, about 121 feet west of Anthony avenue to the Concourse, and in MONROE AVENUE, from Tremont avenue to Mount Hope place.

No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue.

No. 4. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, between Washington avenue and Third avenue.

No. 5. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN SEDGWICK AVENUE, between Jerome avenue and Lind avenue, and in LIND AVENUE, between Sedgwick avenue and Summit north of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street (Devos street).

No. 6. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-

SEVENTH STREET (Tremont avenue), from Southern Boulevard to Belmont avenue and in CLINTON AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Crotona Park, North.

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 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

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JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1899,

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

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN WASHINGTON STREET, between Park place and Murray street.

No. 2. FOR SEWERS IN WASHINGTON STREET, between Murray and Chambers streets.

No. 3. FOR SEWERS IN WASHINGTON STREET, between Corlear and Fulton streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWERS IN WASHINGTON STREET, between Park place and Vesey street.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues, with curves in Audubon avenue.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN SIXTY-THIRD STREET, between East river and Avenue A, with overflow at Avenue A.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, between East river and First avenue, with overflow at First avenue.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN UNIVERSITY PLACE, between Waverley place and Eighth street.

No. 9. FOR SEWERS IN UNIVERSITY PLACE, between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets.

—all in the Borough of Manhattan.

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JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1899,

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

FOR SEWER IN HOWARD AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to St. Mark's avenue.

FOR SEWER IN SARATOGA AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Dean street.

FOR SEWER IN HOPKINSON AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Pacific street.

FOR SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, north side, from Pitkin avenue to Howard avenue.

FOR SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, north side, from St. John's place to Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, south side, from Howard avenue to Summit east of Sterling place.

FOR SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION, south side, from Hopkinson avenue to Prospect place.

FOR SEWER IN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE, from Pitkin avenue to Saratoga avenue.

FOR SEWER IN DEAN STREET, from Summit west of Hopkinson avenue to Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN BERGEN STREET, from Summit west of Saratoga avenue to Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN ST. MARK'S AVENUE, from Howard avenue to Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN PROSPECT PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN PARK PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Eastern Parkway Extension.

FOR SEWER IN STERLING PLACE, from Ralph avenue to Eastern Parkway Extension.

FOR SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, north side, from Ralph avenue to Howard avenue.

FOR SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, south side, from Ralph avenue to Howard avenue.

FOR SEWER IN ST. JOHN'S PLACE, from Howard avenue to Saratoga avenue.

FOR SEWER IN DEGRAU STREET, from Ralph avenue to Eastern Parkway Extension.

FOR SEWER IN PITKINS AVENUE, south side, from Barrett street to Saratoga avenue.

FOR SEWER IN PITKINS AVENUE, north side, from Hopkinson avenue to Summit east of Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN PITKINS AVENUE, south side, from Hopkinson avenue to Summit east of Hopkinson avenue.

FOR SEWER IN BARRETT STREET, from Pitkin avenue to East New York avenue.

All in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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JAMES KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morningside avenue to Riverside avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 19, 1899.

JOHN PAUL BOCKO,
WILBER MCBRIDE,
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 30th day of June, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 20, 1899.

JAMES R. ELY,
BENJAMIN T. RHODES, JR.,
JOHN MURPHY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, for a site for the erection of a building for court purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on or before the 2d day of September, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 5th day of September, 1899.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

The premises acquired in this proceeding are designated on the tax maps of The City of New York by the old Ward Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in old Block No. 1558, and by new Ward Nos. 35, 42 and 39 in new Block No. 2355.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, June 30, 1899.

GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN, Chairman,
JOSEPH FREEDMAN,
PATRICK H. WHALEN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred

by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 14, 1899.

FRANKLIN BIEN,
HENRY GRASSE,
WM. H. MCCARTHY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 13, 1899.

ASA A. ALING,
MAYER SHOENFELD,
SYLVESTER J. O'SULLIVAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of July, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 7, 1899.

JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
JOHN FRANKENHEIMER,
LOUIS B. VAN GAASBEK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 5th day of August, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of August, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 14th day of August, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the easterly side of Forest Avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Forest Avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Hall place and distant 135 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its continuation northeasterly at said same distance northwesterly from Intervale Avenue and said continuation prolonged northwardly to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Intervale

avenue and distant 135 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence southwesterly on a straight line to the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Intervale Avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 285 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Intervale Avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Dongan Street and Westchester Avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Rogers place and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Dawson Street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Dawson Street to the middle line of the block between Stebbins Avenue and Rogers place; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block to the point of origin of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our Benefit Maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, June 29, 1899.

ROBERT STURGIS, Chairman,
SYLVESTER J. O'SULLIVAN,
FREDERICK D. MAHONEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 17th day of July, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 17, 1899.

CHARLES L. GUY,
EDWARD D. FARRELL,
EDWARD B. WHITNEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 30th day of June, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 14, 1899.

JOHN G. H. MEYERS,
JAMES F. DONNELLY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to any easement, right of way over, under or through any land that may be required by law for the purposes of the construction of a bridge and approaches, with everything that is necessary thereto, over the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad within the lines of One Hundred and Fifty-third street (although not yet named by proper authority), between Railroad Avenue, East (now Park Avenue), and Sheridan Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 650 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of December, 1897, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or

interested in any easements or right of way over, under or through any land that may be required by law for the purposes of the construction of a bridge and approaches, with everything that is necessary thereto, over the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad within the lines of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Railroad Avenue, East, now Park Avenue, and Sheridan Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, in accordance with chapter 650 of the Laws of 1897 and pursuant to the several acts of the Legislature of the State of New York relative to the premises, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the order appointing commissioners, which said petition and order were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 29th day of May, 1899; and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken therefor, and to perform the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 650 of the Laws of 1897, and the acts, or parts of acts, supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof and the several acts of the Legislature of the State of New York relative to the premises.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate easements or rights of way over, under or through all the lands and premises mentioned in said petition and order and particularly described therein, required for the purposes of the aforesaid act, or affected by this proceeding, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants or parties and persons interested may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of July, 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said owners or claimants, parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, June 23, 1899.

THEODORE E. SMITH, Chairman,
HARRY T. COGGESHALL,
MICHAEL J. McDERMOTT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 17, 1899.

CHARLES F. WELLS,
LLOYD COLLIS,
GEORGE H. EPSTEIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

In the matter of the application and petition of William Brookfield, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1893, to acquire certain real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said act, for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York—Byram.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the First Separate Report of Eugene B. Travis, Francis Larkin, Jr., and John J. Quinlan, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by order of this Court duly made and entered herein, bears the date May 29, 1899, and was filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office, May 31, 1899; and that the parcels covered by said report are: Parcels Nos. 30, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 50, 52, 53, 53½, 54, 54½ and 55; and that the special claims of Charles Lambert for loss of spring, and Andrew S. Mills and others, mortgagees, are included in said report.

Notice is further given that an application will be made to confirm the said report at a Special Term of said Court to be held at the County Court-house, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, on the 29th day of July, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated June 21, 1899.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 90 of the Laws of 1883, and the laws amendatory thereof, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under said acts.

CORNELL DAM, SEVENTH SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE UNDER-signed, as attorney for the petitioner, will present the Second Separate Report of the Commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding, heretofore filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 6th day of June, 1899, to the above Court, at a Special Term thereof, appointed to be held in White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on the 29th day of July, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for confirmation. Said report includes and affects Parcels Nos. 99, 105, 109, 111, 120, 121, 130, 134, 145, 149, 153 and 157.

NEW YORK, June 21, 1899.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening a PUBLIC PARK, pursuant to the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the acquisition and construction of a public park at the junction of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Sedgwick Avenue and Cedar Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York," being chapter 654 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 23d day of June, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements, and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening a Public Park at the junction of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Sedgwick Avenue and Cedar Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 654 of the Laws of 1897, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 26th day of June, 1899; and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken therefor, and to perform the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 654 of the Laws of 1897.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said public park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of July, 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

G. M. SPEIR, Chairman,
SAMUEL McMILLAN,
ALBERT SANDERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands required for the opening of a PUBLIC PARK (although not yet named by proper authority), at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1898, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1899, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, section 1, Block 166, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands required for the opening of a Public Park (although not yet named by proper authority), at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 8th day of May, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said Public Park so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, and lying within a radius of 500 feet from the centre of the land required for said park, and benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and to perform the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said public park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 15, 1899.

JAMES OLIVER, Chairman,
WM. E. VAN WYCK,
THOMAS J. BARRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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