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THE COUNCIL.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, November 28, 1899,
2 o'clock P. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT: COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley,
Vice-Chairman,
Thomas F. Foley,
Martin Engel,
Frank J. Goodwin,
Patrick J. Ryder,
Harry C. Hart,
George B. Christman,
John J. Murphy,
Eugene A. Wise,

Stewart M. Brice,
Herman Sulzer,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,
Francis F. Williams,
Conrad H. Hester,
Adam H. Leich,
Henry French,

Charles H. Ebbets,
John J. McGarry,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly,
David L. Van Nostrand,
Joseph Cassidy,
Joseph F. O'Grady,
Benjamin J. Bodine,
George H. Mundorf.

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read, and, on motion of Councilman Wise, were approved as read.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following message from his Honor the Mayor:
No. 1203.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
November 28, 1899.

To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, an ordinance adopted by you on August 9, 1899, entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for a forty-eight-inch conduit for the improvement of the water supply of Brooklyn."

My objection to this ordinance is that the Board of Public Improvements is not authorized to act upon the issue of Corporate Stock, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has not authorized the issue of such stock.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance in favor of providing for a 48-inch conduit for the improvement of the water supply of Brooklyn (Minutes of August 15, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JEREMIAH KENNEFICK, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., BERNARD SCHMITT,
FRANK GASS, JAMES F. ELLIOTT, Committee on Water Supply.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing a 48-inch conduit for the Brooklyn Water Supply (page 71, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for a 48-inch conduit for the improvement of the water supply 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 28th day of June, 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 furnishing and laying of a forty-eight-inch cast-iron pipe for the conduit line from the Millburn Engine-house to the Gate Chamber at Spring creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with the necessary valves, standpipe and appurtenances, and the necessary alterations and improvements to culverts, conduits and other structures on the conduit line, under the direction of 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 from the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York. And the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not to exceed the sum of one million ten thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,010,300) to provide for the cost of the improvement herein authorized.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

The Honorable Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at their regular meeting on the 28th day of June in relation to the furnishing and laying of a 48-inch cast-iron pipe for the conduit line from the Millburn Engine-house to the Gate Chamber at Spring Creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

COMMUNICATIONS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOARD OF ALDERMEN—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Friday, November 24, 1899, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 3883, 3893.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

The communications were as follows:

No. 2240.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and sodawater, and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Schneider—

Fruit Stands—Giovanni Tomei, No. 1814 Third avenue; Peter Mack, No. 1788 Third avenue; Nicholas Martolle, No. 1514 Madison avenue.

Which was adopted.

No. 2241.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish a new and suitable national flag for display on the City Hall.

Which was adopted.

No. 2242.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Fishel to erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the northwest corner of East Broadway and Rutgers square, Borough of Manhattan, provided said bay-windows shall conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2243.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harris P. Fpandlt to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for a period of thirty days from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2244.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Peter Mahlen to erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, Malbone street and Washington avenue, Borough of Brooklyn; provided said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height, two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house line. The work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2245.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Gordon Clary to place and keep a show-case within the stoop-line in front of his premises Nos. 41 and 43 New street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said show-case shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2246.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Burns to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Weehawken and Christopher streets, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2247.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. H. Rosenfeld to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 156 Second avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2248.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk near the curb on all streets and avenues in The City of New York with holiday goods, Christmas trees, toys, etc., with the consent of the property-owners, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalks for all pedestrians; such permission to continue only from December 10, 1899, to January 3, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 2249.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James M. Harris to erect and keep an express office, within the stoop-line, in front of No. 200 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the consent of the property-owner thereto having been granted, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2250.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis A. Clark to erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2251.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sam Glass to erect, place and keep bay-windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, on the first, second, third, fourth fifth, sixth and seventh stories of his premises on the southeast corner of Lexington avenue and Ninety-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2252.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh Smollen to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for two months from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2253.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Beck to parade with a horse and wagon through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, from November 30, 1899, to January 5, 1900, inclusive, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

Which was adopted.

No. 2254.

Resolved, That, upon the annexed petition, it is hereby recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that the carriageway of Seventeenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt or vitrified brick pavement.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—We the undersigned hereby petition that you recommend to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that Seventeenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt or vitrified brick pavement.

William Hamilton, 227 Seventeenth street.	Edward E. Hand, 232 Seventeenth street, 20 feet.
John V. Hinman, 200 Seventeenth street.	D. C. Gedney, 223 Seventeenth street, 25 feet.
George Garriger, 206 Seventeenth street.	Martin Will, 219 Seventeenth street, 22 feet.
Thomas Pitblads, 213 Seventeenth street, 115 feet.	Martin Will, 150 and 152 Seventeenth street, 50 feet.
Kern L. Brower, 163 Seventeenth street, 75 feet.	H. Slender, 209 Seventeenth street, 22 feet.

Elizabeth V. Sullivan, 157 Seventeenth street.
 Mary W. Keeler, 173 Seventeenth street.
 Louis W. Michel, 169 Seventeenth street.
 May P. Will, 167 Seventeenth street.
 John H. Enrich, 177 Seventeenth street.
 Annie C. Moore, 182 Seventeenth street.
 George Ingram, 188 Seventeenth street.
 W. D. C. Boggs, attorney, 186 Seventeenth street.
 Edward F. Mullen, 233 Seventeenth street.
 E. H. Wellman (for Church of the Atonement), 100 feet front.
 Morris Nason, 216 Seventeenth street.
 W. H. Williams, 207 Seventeenth street, 100 feet.
 John H. K. Green, 229 Seventeenth street.
 J. B. Lanning, 181 Seventeenth street.
 Rob F. Mackellar, 202 Seventeenth street.

Which was adopted.
 No. 2255.
 Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Edward T. Chambers Musketeers to parade through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Brooklyn on Thanksgiving day, Thursday, November 30, 1899, under the direction of the Chief of Police.
 Which was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 2256.

No. 51 WEST SEVENTIETH STREET,
 NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Municipal Assembly:

DEAR SIR—Permit me to call the attention of the Municipal Assembly to the City's need of public baths, where the laboring people may have the opportunity to procure soap, warm water and towels, free of charge, in all seasons of the year.

For the past ten years I have labored for this object, and have succeeded in inducing several charitable societies to construct such baths. These are compelled to make a charge, which however moderate, is a tax upon the struggling masses. Moreover the number of these baths is very small in proportion to their need.

In April, 1895, the State Legislature was so far convinced by the arguments in favor of such free baths, that a law was passed making it mandatory upon cities of first and second class to build free public baths, furnishing hot and cold water, etc.

On March 22, 1896, another law was passed, providing for free public baths. In pursuance of the latter the City is now building a free bath on Rivington street, near Goerick street, on land owned by the City. Unfortunately, these baths will be available only for people in that district, and quite inaccessible to the people in other parts of the city.

It is not necessary to build such large structures. These baths should be located (according to a large observation of their workings in other parts of the world), in the most crowded tenement districts. They should contain facilities for about 1,000 or 1,500 bathers daily, and be so constructed that they can be enlarged as required.

The locations where they are most needed, are usually those which offer the cheapest building sites, and as their construction requires only the most modest building material, their cost need not be very large. The sum of \$300,000 would suffice to buy land for, and build six baths in the crowded parts of Greater New York.

The health of the toilers is not only of great import to themselves and their dependent families, but the distress arising from sickness and death throws upon your government an enormous burden in the care of the sick, the dead and those made destitute thereby. Therefore not humane considerations only, but also good and economical government demands that provisions be made to preserve the health of the community by all known means. All governments recognize this necessity by the enactment of laws against adulteration of food, bad ventilation and bad plumbing; and also by providing public parks for breathing space. Just as the latter aid in cleansing the inside of the body, by furnishing pure air, so do baths furnish the means of cleaning the outside of the body. We breathe through the skin as well as through the lungs.

The ready access of the working people to both warm water and soap will not only improve their health and prevent sickness and death, but will improve their morals as well. Experience has proved the truth of good old John Wesley's saying, that "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Thus the security and comfort of the community over which you preside will be enhanced without additional expense.

If necessary it can be shown that the cost of public baths is trifling when compared with that of parks, and that aside from the practical results of the former are greatly enhanced by the latter.

Before whom I argued in favor of such baths several years ago, replied: "He did not think the people would patronize them. The fact that one of our small baths (The Riverside Association) gave 155,244 in three years, and increased its patronage 100 per cent. during that time, prove that the working people gladly use them, even when they have to pay for them."

I am ready to appear before you and offer you the results of ten years' observation on this subject.

Trusting that you will without delay signalize the beneficence and practical utility of your administration by voting the amount necessary for this important hygienic enterprise, I am

Yours respectfully,
 SIMON BARUCH, M. D.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 2257.

By Councilman Foley, by request—

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
 Section 1. No person shall peddle or hawk any wares in the streets of The City of New York within two hundred and fifty feet of any school or court-house, church or hospital, between the hours of eight o'clock in the morning and four o'clock in the afternoon of each day or at any time in the following-named streets: Nassau street, between Spruce and Wall streets; Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre street; Fulton street, between Broadway and the East river.

Sec. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any magistrate, either upon confession of the party or by competent testimony, may be fined for each such offense any sum not less than one dollar or more than ten dollars, and in default of the payment of such fine, may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid, but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Dated NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

No. 2258.

By Councilman Ryder—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. Vogel to erect, place and keep a show-window, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of his premises No. 79 Wall street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said show-window shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2259.

By Councilman Brice—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Loton Horton to erect, place and keep a lamp in front of his premises No. 371 Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, said lamp to be placed over the entrance to said premises and not to project more than two feet from the house-line, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

man laid before the Council the following communications from the Board of

No. 2260.

and the same is hereby given to Jacob Schapiro to place and and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad and Spring place (One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the ordinance of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance

to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2261.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove the iron drinking fountain for man and beast now in front of No. 3455 Third avenue, and erect the same in position in front of No. 3233 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 2262.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Bethany Lutheran Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of The Bronx:

Southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Boston road;
 Northeast corner of Teasdale place and Boston road;
 Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Third avenue;
 Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Third avenue;
 And on the two lamp-posts on Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Teasdale place

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until December 10, 1899.

Which was adopted.

No. 2263.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Charities be and he is hereby respectfully requested to investigate the inadequate ambulance facilities in the Borough of The Bronx and increase the service of the same at his earliest convenience.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinance:

No. 2264.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
 NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 NEW YORK, November 25, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with a resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, adopted October 19, 1899, a resolution was adopted by this Board on the 22d instant authorizing the laying of water-mains in Marcher avenue, between Boscobel avenue and Featherbed lane, and in One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between Southern Boulevard and West Farms road, Borough of The Bronx, and an ordinance approving the said resolution is inclosed herewith for the action of your Honorable Body.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the laying of said main.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Marcher avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-second street, Borough of The Bronx.

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 22d day of November, 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 Marcher avenue, between Boscobel avenue and Featherbed lane, and in One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between the Southern Boulevard and West Farms road, 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 from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, October 19, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting October 19, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Morris K. Jessup and others, submitted the 19th day of October, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a water-main be laid in Marcher avenue, from the present water-main to Featherbed lane, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinance:

No. 2265.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
 NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 NEW YORK, November 25, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 22d instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in Prospect avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Boston road, Borough of The Bronx.

The laying of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that there are twenty houses on the street to be supplied with water. The estimated cost of the work is \$3,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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 22d day of November, 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 Prospect avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Boston road, Borough of the Bronx, 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 from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinance:

Nos. 2266 and 2267.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
 NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 NEW YORK, November 25, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving resolution of this Board adopted on the 22d instant authorizing the laying of water-mains in Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth streets, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues, in Nott avenue and Thirteenth street, between Vernon and Ely avenues, Borough of Queens.

The resolution above referred to was adopted by this Board on the recommendation of the Local Board of the district, as per copy of resolution herewith inclosed.

I also inclose, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$17,000 to pay the expenses of laying said mains.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

No. 2266.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth streets and Nott avenue, Borough of Queens.

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 22d day of November, 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 the following streets, in the Borough of Queens:

- Ninth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Tenth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Eleventh street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Twelfth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Nott avenue, between Vernon and Ely avenues;
- Thirteenth street, between Vernon and Ely avenues;

—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 from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

No. 2267.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize issue of \$17,000 Corporate Stock to pay for water-mains in Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth streets and Nott avenue, Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to issue bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of seventeen thousand dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost of laying water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Queens:

- Ninth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Tenth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Eleventh street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Twelfth street, between Vernon and Van Alst avenues;
- Nott avenue, between Vernon and Ely avenues;
- Thirteenth street, between Vernon and Ely avenues.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS, LONG ISLAND CITY, September 23, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, Hon. M. F. HOLAHAN, President: GENTLEMEN—The undersigned hereby certifies that the annexed copy of preamble and resolution, relative to petition of property-owners for the extension of public water-mains as therein set forth was duly adopted by the Local Board of this borough, at its meeting of the 22d, in approval of said petition, copy of which is hereto annexed.

Very truly,

FRÉDÉRIC BOWLEY, President.

Resolved, That this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, having, at meeting held this September 22, 1899, given due consideration to the petition of the New York Land and Warehouse Company, that the City extend the public water-mains along the lines of the premises therein described, and as it appears to this Board that compliance with the wishes of the petitioners would be to the best interests of this City as therein submitted, therefore recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it favorably entertain, initiate and progress the matter promptly.

LONG ISLAND CITY, September 6, 1899.

Hon. WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply, City of New York, through Hon. FRÉDÉRIC BOWLEY, President, Borough of Queens, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned respectfully represents that they are the owners of blocks of lands, extending from Ninth street to Nott avenue, and from Nott avenue to Thirteenth street, and from Van Alst avenue across East avenue to Vernon avenue, in First Ward, late Long Island City.

That although such lands are situated in the heart of said ward, that they have ever lain dormant on several accounts, one being that they were below the grade of the public sewers along same, and would entail a large expenditure of money to fill them up so as prevent water remaining and becoming stagnant thereon. That they are at present engaged in having said blocks of lands filled in and drained, so as to make them suitable for manufacturing and building purposes. That in order to make such lands marketable, the existence of public water-mains along said avenue and in Nott avenue, in Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, from Van Alst avenue to Vernon avenue, is most essential as a preliminary requisite thereto.

Now, in view of the past undesirable condition of said premises, the means which are being applied to redeem said lands, the great benefit to the immediate neighborhood which such betterment of condition will be productive of, and the needs of public water-mains to be laid in order to induce the purchase thereof for building purposes, the undersigned feel that the City should have sufficient interest in the improvement and advancement of this section as to lend its aid towards accomplishing this most desirable object by promptly causing the public water-mains to be extended in the streets and avenues aforesaid, for which petition is hereby made.

Yours respectfully,

NEW YORK LAND AND WAREHOUSE COMPANY,

By WILLIAM HALLS, JR., President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from The Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinance:

No. 2268.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, November 25, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 22d instant, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, providing for the paving of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Broadway and Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, by resolution dated May 16, 1899, copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Seventh street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Broadway and Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and fifty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

NEW YORK CITY, May 16, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held May 16, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that West One Hundred and Seventh street, between Broadway and Riverside drive, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Commissioner of Bridges, together with ordinance:

No. 2269.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., November 28, 1899.

To the Honorable the Council:

I transmit herewith for adoption by the Municipal Assembly an ordinance, the form of which

has been approved by the Corporation Counsel, providing for the building of a bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, according to plans therefor on file in this office.

The preliminary work for the construction of this bridge is completed, and I am ready to proceed with the building of the main structure when thereunto authorized by your Honorable Body.

I therefore respectfully request your Honorable Board to take such action as will enable me to enter upon the work at an early day.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The building of a permanent bridge across Blackwell's Island and over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, from, at or near the foot of Sixtieth street in said Borough of Manhattan to, at or near the foot of Charles street in said Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, in accordance with plans prepared under the direction of the Commissioner of Bridges and approved by the Board of Public Improvements, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Bridges on the day of , 1899, is authorized and approved.

Sec. 2. The work of constructing said bridge and approaches, with the necessary piers and abutments, and of furnishing all material and labor necessary therefor, shall be done by contract let to the lowest responsible bidder by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter regulating the letting of contracts in The City of New York.

Sec. 3. The Comptroller of The City of New York shall, from time to time, when thereunto authorized by resolutions of this body and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prepare and issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the extent limited by such resolutions, bearing interest at not more than three and one-half per centum per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years after the date thereof, for the purpose of defraying the expense of constructing the said bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and appurtenances, and for the payment of salaries and wages of officers, engineers, surveyors and other subordinates, and the expense of any and all condemnation proceedings and any land condemned in said proceedings, and the costs of any land which may be purchased for said abutments and approaches. Such Corporate Stock shall not be sold for less than par value thereof, and the moneys received from the sale of the said Corporate Stock shall be deposited in the City Treasury, and shall be drawn and paid by the Comptroller of said City of New York for the several objects and purposes provided in this ordinance, upon vouchers in a form to be prescribed by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 4. The said bridge, when completed, shall be and become a public highway for the purpose of rendering travel between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens safe and certain at all times.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Commissioner of Bridges, together with ordinance:

No. 2270.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., November 18, 1899.

To the Honorable the Council:

I transmit herewith, for adoption by the Municipal Assembly, an ordinance, the form of which has been approved by the Corporation Council, providing for the building of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, according to plans therefor on file in this office.

The preliminary work for the construction of this bridge is completed, and I am ready to proceed with the building of the main structure when thereunto authorized by your Honorable Body.

I therefore respectfully request your Honorable Board to take such action as will enable me to enter upon the work at an early day.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The building of a permanent bridge over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, from, at or near the foot of Pike slip, in said Borough of Manhattan, to, at or near the foot of Washington street, in said Borough of Brooklyn, and the approaches thereto, in accordance with plans prepared under direction of the Commissioner of Bridges, and approved by the Board of Public Improvements, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Bridges on the day of , 1899, is authorized and approved.

Sec. 2. The work of constructing said bridge and approaches, with the necessary piers and abutments, and of furnishing all material and labor necessary therefor, shall be done by contract let to the lowest responsible bidder by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter regulating the letting of contracts in The City of New York.

Sec. 3. The Comptroller of The City of New York shall, from time to time, when thereunto authorized by resolutions of this body and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prepare and issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the extent limited by such resolutions, bearing interest at not more than three and one-half per centum per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years after the date thereof, for the purpose of defraying the expense of constructing the said bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and appurtenances, and for the payment of salaries and wages of officers, engineers, surveyors and other subordinates and the expense of any and all condemnation proceedings and any land condemned in said proceedings and the costs of any land which may be purchased for said abutments and approaches. Such corporate stock shall not be sold for less than par value thereof, and the moneys received from the sale of the said corporate stock shall be deposited in the City Treasury, and shall be drawn and paid by the Comptroller of said City of New York for the several objects and purposes provided in this ordinance, upon vouchers in a form to be prescribed by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 4. The said bridge, when completed, shall be and become a public highway for the purpose of rendering travel between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn safe and certain at all times.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Comptroller:

No. 2271.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
November 25, 1899.

To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws, 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office from January 1 to December 31, 1899, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$2,200 00	\$1,348 70	\$851 30
Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,300 00	1,107 92	192 08
The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries.	196,552 00	159,140 97	37,411 03
Total.....	\$200,052 00	\$161,597 59	\$38,454 41

Which was ordered on file.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—

No. 2189.

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen permitting Alexander & Co. to erect an awning (page 622, Minutes, November 22, 1899), respectfully

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REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission may be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander & Co. to erect, place and keep an awning of iron and glass, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of their premises on the north side of Nineteenth street, seventy-five feet east of Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

MARTIN ENGEL, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Councilman Goodwin moved that this report receive immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered, and the report was adopted.

ORDER OF SECOND READING.

No. 2110.—(S. R. 663.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$4,000,000 for the new East River Bridge (page 576, Minutes, November 14, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

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

FRANK J. GOODWIN, GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, ADAM H. LEICH, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed report and resolution in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$4,000,000 for expenses connected with the new East River Bridge (see Minutes, July 25, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization should be granted.

They therefore recommend that the said report and resolution be concurred in.

PATRICK H. KEAHON, HECTOR McNEIL, WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., EMIL NEUFELD, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the issue of \$4,000,000 Corporate Stock for new East River Bridge, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution adopted July 13, 1899, authorized the Comptroller, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of four million dollars, for expenses connected with the new East River Bridge;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of expenses incurred by the Commissioners of the new East River Bridge for the purposes specified in chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. DUNPHY, JOSEPH GEISER, JOHN T. McMAHON, PATRICK S. KEELY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, Committee on Finance.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000), in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be expended by the Commissioners of the new East River Bridge for the purposes specified in chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 13, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—27.

No. 1932.—(S. R. 665.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Thomas Graham to erect bay windows (page 69, Minutes, October 4, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission may be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Graham to erect bay-windows on the basement, first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth floors of the building located on the northeast corner of Ninety eighth street and Madison avenue and the southeast corner of Ninety-ninth street and Madison avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, said bay-windows not to extend more than twelve inches beyond the building line, and to conform in all respects to the ordinance made and provided relative to bay-windows, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Which was adopted.

No. 1535.—(S. R. 666.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting W. C. Martin to replace an ornamental lamp in front of No. 112 East Thirty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 592, Minutes, September 5, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission may be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. C. Martin to replace an ornamental lamp-post now in front of No. 112 East Thirty-eighth street with a handsomer construction according to plan submitted, to conform in all respects to the ordinances relating to lamp-posts and not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Which was adopted.

No. 1482.—(S. R. 667.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen permitting Elias Kempner to erect a bay-window (page 985, Minutes, December 20, 1898), respectfully recommend that the said resolution be placed on file.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Elias Kempner to construct and maintain bay windows upon the apartment house now being constructed by him upon West Eighty-fifth street, between West End avenue and Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, said bay-windows to commence from the second story of said building, and shall each be constructed according to the annexed diagram hereunto annexed, and in compliance with all ordinances relating thereto, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Which was adopted.

No. 1877.—(S. R. 670.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen designating Court-house for Third District, Borough of Queens (page 10, Minutes, October 4, 1899), respectfully recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the building known as the Village Hall, situated on the northeast corner of Central and Mott avenues, in the former Village of Far Rockaway, be and it is hereby set apart to be used for the sessions of the City Magistrate's Court of the Third District, Borough of Queens, in place of the building known as the old Court-house, on south side of Mott avenue, in said former Village of Far Rockaway, heretofore set apart for sessions of said court, such change to take effect on and after December 1, 1899.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Which was adopted.

No. 976.—(S. R. 418.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Kelly street, Borough of The Bronx (page 827, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Kelly street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet in width, laying of crosswalks where necessary, of Kelly street, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being forty-five thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and twenty-nine thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at meeting held on May 24, 1899, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Kelly street, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the district recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, March 25, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 278, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on March 24 last, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of Arthur Richardson and others, and hearing given thereon this the 24th day of March, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and Municipal Assembly that Kelly street be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, and crosswalks be laid where necessary, from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, O'Grady, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 977.—(S. R. 419.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Jessup place, Borough of The Bronx (page 829, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Jessup place, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and laying of crosswalks where necessary, of Jessup place, from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being six thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty-three thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—Inclosed herewith please find a form of ordinance approved by this Board at meeting held May 24, 1899, for the action of your Honorable Body, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Jessup place, from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with resolution adopted at the above-named meeting on the recommendation of the Local Board of the district.

I also inclose the resolution of the Local Board.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, September 9, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting September 8, 1898, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of James H. Leddy and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 8th day of September, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Jessup place, from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks laid where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 978.—(S. R. 420.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, Borough of The Bronx (page 830, Minutes, June 13, 1899) respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet in width, laying of crosswalks where not already laid, of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twelve thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty thousand four hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held May 24, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the district affected, recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, July 8, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting July 7 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of James E. Hussey and others, duly advertised, and submitted this the 7th day of July, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, that East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks laid where necessary ; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 979.—(S. R. 421.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating and paving with granite block, etc., Forest avenue from Home to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 831, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Forest avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, in Forest avenue, from Home street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being two thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy-one thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on May 24, 1899, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Forest avenue, from Home street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Presented by President, Borough of The Bronx :

Resolved, That, on petition of John F. Bullwinkle and others, and hearing given thereon, this the 3d day of March, 1898, the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Forest avenue, between Home and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets, be paved with granite block, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Referred to Commissioner of Highways.

MARCH 9, 1898.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 985.—(S. R. 423.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 841, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Twelfth avenue, from the south side of Fifty-second street to the north side of Fifty-eighth street, and the setting of curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and eighty-two thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 7th instant, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, providing for the regulating and grading of Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan.

This improvement was recommended by resolution of the Local Board of the Seventeenth District, adopted March 28, 1898, copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Local Board, Seventeenth District.—Meeting held in the Borough Office, City Hall, March 28, 1898, at 3 P. M.

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan approve the recommendation of the Commissioner of Highways that Twelfth avenue, from the south side of Fifty-second street to the north side of Fifty-eighth street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged thereon.

Adopted.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS.

Communication attached :

I. E. RIDER.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Conly, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

At this point Councilman Wise moved to recur to the order of reports of standing committees. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

No. 1100.—(S. R. 671.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating and paving One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, Borough of Manhattan (page 1005, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with asphalt-block pavement of the carriage-way, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to Kingsbridge road, Borough of Manhattan, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for a period of five years, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being eight thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant providing for the paving of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan. I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, recommending this improvement to be made.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Local Board, Nineteenth District.—Meeting held in the Borough Office, City Hall, March 18, 1898, at 2 P. M.

Resolved, That, as One Hundred and Eighty-first street is the approach to Washington Bridge, and this block being the only one not already paved, the Local Board of Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that the proper department be instructed to pave and place in proper condition One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, with asphalt-block pavement.

Adopted.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Councilman Wise moved that this report be given immediate consideration.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Foley, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—15. Negative—Councilmen Cassidy, Conly, Ebbets, and Hyland—4.

Councilman Wise then moved the adoption of the report.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—19.

Negative—Councilmen Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Hyland, and Leich—6.

Councilman Wise moved that the vote by which the above report was lost be reconsidered. Which was adopted.
Councilman Wise then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting. Which was adopted.

No. 1424.—(S. R. 672.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving, etc., Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 417, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave, etc., Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation of the carriageway of Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-five thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the paving with asphalt-block pavement of Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of a resolution adopted by the Local Board, recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, May 16, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held May 16, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

No. 1107.—(S. R. 673.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, (page 1013, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement of the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand and seventy-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-three thousand six hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, on April 7, 1898, copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Local Board, Nineteenth District—Meeting held in Borough Office, City Hall, April 7, 1898, at 2 P. M.

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, be paved with asphalt-block pavement. Adopted.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

Communication attached.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Councilman Wise moved that the report be given immediate consideration.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Conly, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, McGarry, Mundorf, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, and Wise—10.

Negative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, French, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Van Nostrand, and Williams—13.

The report was then placed on the order of second reading.

No. 1106.—(S. R. 674.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Manhattan street, Borough of Manhattan (page 1012, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June,

1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Manhattan street, Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt-block pavement, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant providing for the paving of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between the Boulevard and Manhattan street, Borough of Manhattan. I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, recommending said improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.
NEW YORK CITY, February 7, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held February 7, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Manhattan street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement and street lamps placed thereon.

Respectfully,
JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

At this point Councilman Christman moved to recur to the order of special orders. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Councilman Christman called up

No. 1865.—(S. R. 631.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen authorizing issue of \$152,302.50 Corporate Stock for heating, etc., for the Board of Education (page 3, Minutes, October 4, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$152,302.50, for heating apparatus (Minutes of August 2, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in and approves of the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 31, 1899, and authorizes the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty cents (\$153,302.50), for the purposes therein set forth:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1899, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the requisition of the Board of Education, by resolution adopted July 10, 1899, for one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty cents (\$153,302.50), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Committee on Buildings, for and on behalf of the Board of Education of The City of New York, with Thomas Cockerill & Son, for supplying heating and ventilating apparatus, electric lighting, elevators, plumbing, etc., for the new Hall of the Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty cents (\$153,302.50)."

ROBERT MUH, JOHN T. McMAHON, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, PATRICK S. KEELY, JAMES J. DUNPHY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, Committee on Finance.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1899, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the requisition of the Board of Education, by resolution adopted July 10, 1899, for one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty cents (\$153,302.50), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Committee on Buildings, for and on behalf of the Board of Education of The City of New York, with Thomas Cockerill & Son, for supplying heating and ventilating apparatus, electric lighting, elevators, plumbing, etc., for the new Hall of the Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty cents (\$153,302.50).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 31, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

Councilman O'Grady called up

No. 2106.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 25th instant authorizing the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to place a steam heating plant in the New Brighton Village Hall, Borough of Richmond.

This is to take the place of the ordinance submitted to your Honorable Body in December, 1898, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen on September 26 last. As the resolution provided for the cost (\$2,000) to be paid out of the appropriation for 1898, it is necessary to adopt this amended ordinance, making the said cost payable from the appropriation for 1899.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the placing of an automatic low-pressure steam heating apparatus in the New Brighton Village Hall, Borough of Richmond.

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 25th day of October, 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 placing of an automatic, low-pressure steam heating apparatus in

the New Brighton Village Hall, Borough of Richmond, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs, 1899, Borough of Richmond."

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Doyle, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

Councilman French called up from the files

Nos. 1327 and 2167.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Council in favor of approving resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorizing the sale of certain property of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn (Minutes of August 2, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed sale should be authorized. It is recommended, however, that the ordinance be amended by giving it a title as follows: "An Ordinance approving resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in relation to the sale of certain property of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn," and by adding the letter "s" at the end of the word "resolution" in the fourth line thereof.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance, as amended, be adopted.

(Ordinance as amended in Board of Aldermen).

AN ORDINANCE approving resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in relation to the sale of certain property of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 76 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted on the 17th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the sales therein provided for are hereby authorized; namely,

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized and directed to sell at public auction, after due advertisement, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the City in and to a strip of land formerly part of Reid's lane or road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, running through certain lots known as Nos. 278, 280, 284 and 286 Reid avenue, and Nos. 530 and 532 Macon street, which lots are bounded as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Macon street and Reid avenue; thence southwesterly along the westerly side of Reid avenue one hundred feet; thence westerly parallel with Macon street one hundred and twenty-five feet; thence northerly parallel with Reid avenue one hundred feet to the southerly side of Macon street; thence easterly along the southern side of Macon street one hundred and twenty-five feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the minimum or upset price of the said strip of land be and hereby is appraised and fixed at one dollar (\$1). The purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fee and seventy-five dollars (\$75) for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, May 17, 1899.

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized and directed to sell at public auction, after due advertisement, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the City in and to a parcel of land formerly part of the Flatbush Turnpike road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, included within the boundaries of certain lots designated by the Nos. 6381 to 6385, both inclusive, in Block 126, which lots are described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northeasterly side of Flatbush avenue one hundred and twenty-eight and forty one-hundredths feet southeast of the southeasterly corner of Flatbush avenue and Avenue K, which point is three hundred and seventy-five feet northwest of the northerly corner of Flatbush avenue and Hubbard place; thence southeasterly along Flatbush avenue ninety-six feet; thence northeasterly at right angles to Flatbush avenue one hundred feet; thence northwesterly parallel with Flatbush avenue ninety-six feet; thence southwesterly at right angles to Flatbush avenue one hundred feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the minimum or upset price of the said land be and hereby is appraised and fixed at one dollar (\$1). The purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fee and seventy-five dollars (\$75) for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, May 17, 1899.

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized and directed to sell at public auction, after due advertisement, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the City in and to the portion of the Old Hunter Fly road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, running through certain lots on Ralph avenue, which lots are bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Ralph avenue distant forty feet from the southeasterly corner of Ralph avenue and Butler street; running thence southerly along Ralph avenue sixty feet; thence easterly along and at right angles to Ralph avenue one hundred feet; thence northerly and parallel to Ralph avenue sixty feet; thence westerly and at right angles to Ralph avenue one hundred feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the minimum or upset price of the said piece of land be and hereby is appraised and fixed at one dollar (\$1). The purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fee and seventy-five dollars (\$75) for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, May 17, 1899.

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.

ROBERT MUH, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, PATRICK S. KEELY, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

ORDER OF SECOND READING RESUMED.

No. 1998.—(S. R. 658.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Board of Aldermen authorizing issue of \$65,000 Corporate Stock on account of Jefferson Park, Borough of Manhattan (page 389, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue of bonds to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, ADAM H. LEICH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock, in the sum of \$65,000, to provide for the necessary expenses to be incurred in improving Jefferson Park, in the Borough of Manhattan (page 195, Minutes of April 25, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary and that the said issue of Corporate Stock should be authorized.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide for the necessary expenses to be incurred in improving Jefferson Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1895.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly as follows:

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 1899, reading as follows: "Whereas, The Municipal Assembly, by a resolution approved by the Mayor, March 3, 1899, requested the Comptroller and the Commissioners of the Park Department to immediately sell and remove the buildings upon the lands bounded by the north side of East One Hundred and Eleventh street, south side of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, east side of First avenue and the Harlem river, being the premises acquired by the City and set aside for the purposes of a public park, to be known as Jefferson Park, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894; and

"Whereas, The removal of said buildings should be followed by a partial improvement of said park;

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the improvement of Jefferson Park, as acquired under the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894; and

"Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and is hereby requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter."

Sec. 2. That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof shall be applied by the Comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOSEPH GEISER, JOHN T. MCMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Whereas, The Municipal Assembly, by a resolution approved by the Mayor, March 3, 1899, requested the Comptroller and the Commissioners of the Park Department to immediately sell and remove the buildings upon the lands bounded by the north side of East One Hundred and Eleventh street, south side of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, east side of First avenue and the Harlem river, being the premises acquired by the City and set aside for the purposes of a public park to be known as Jefferson Park, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894; and

Whereas, The removal of said buildings should be followed by a partial improvement of said park;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the improvement of Jefferson Park, as acquired under the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and is hereby requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of preamble and resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 21, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1549.—(S. R. 615.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Fifty-second street, New York avenue and President street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 605, Minutes, September 5, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvements to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for laying water-mains in Fifty-second street, in New York avenue and in President street, 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 16th day of August, 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 Fifty-second street, between Eighteenth and Twentieth avenues; in New York avenue, between Park place and St. John's place; in New York avenue, between Eastern parkway and President street, and in President street, between New York and Brooklyn avenues, all in the 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 from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, HARRY C. HART, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 16th instant authorizing the laying of water-mains in Fifty-second street, between Eighteenth and Twentieth avenues; in New York avenue, between Park place and St. John's place; in New York avenue, between Eastern parkway and President street, and in President street, between New York and Brooklyn avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

This form of ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, which recommendation is based on petitions transmitted to him through the President of the Borough. The estimated cost of the proposed work is \$6,500.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 2109.—(S. R. 662.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$250,000 for the "Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Arch" (page 576, Minutes, November 14, 1899), respect fully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$250,000 Corporate Stock for "Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Arch" (Minutes of July 3, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution adopted June 29, 1899, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for the purpose of providing means for carrying into effect chapter 522 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act to provide for a Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Arch in The City of New York";

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be authorized, pursuant to the authority of said chapter 522 of the Laws of 1893 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), for the purpose of providing the necessary means therefor.

ROBERT MUH, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. DUNPHY, JOSEPH GEISER, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOHN T. MCMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners designated by chapter 522 of the Laws of 1893 has certified, in writing, that they have selected the site, plan and design, and are ready to begin the erection of the arch or monument as a memorial to the soldiers and sailors of New York who died in the service of their country in the late war for the Union, as provided in said act;

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority of said chapter 522 of the Laws of 1893 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), for the purpose of providing means for carrying into effect said chapter 522 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act to provide for a Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Arch in The City of New York."

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 29, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1506.—(S. R. 603.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving the gutters on both sides of Jansen avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 544, Minutes, August 15, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.
AN ORDINANCE to authorize the paving of the gutters on both sides of Jansen avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of August, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the gutters on both sides of Jansen avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, four hundred feet south from the curb-line of Terrace View avenue, North, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty-two thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 11, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 9th instant providing for the paving of the gutters on both sides of Jansen avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 400 feet south from Terrace View avenue, North.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, under date of May 23, 1899, as per copy of resolution inclosed.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, May 23, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held May 23, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that the gutters of Jansen avenue on both sides be paved 400 feet south from the curb-line of Terrace View avenue, North, so as to prevent surface material from being washed into Spuyten Duyvil Creek.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 987.—(S. R. 425.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Twelfth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan (page 843, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Twelfth avenue, from the northerly side of Forty-seventh street to the southerly side of Fifty-second street, and the setting of curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space of four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-three thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with the action taken by this Board at meeting held on the 7th instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved at said meeting, providing for the regulating and grading of Twelfth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Seventeenth District, dated March 28, 1898, recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Local Board, Seventeenth District—Meeting held in Borough Office, City Hall, March 28, 1898, at 3 P. M.

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District, of the Borough of Manhattan, approve that a recommendation of the Commissioner of Highways that Twelfth avenue, from the northerly side of Forty-seventh street to the southerly side of Fifty-second street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged.

Adopted.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 913.—(S. R. 429.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the laying of water-mains in Stebbins avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 741, Minutes, June 6, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Stebbins avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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 17th day of May, 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 Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets; in One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, between Webster avenue and Fordham road, and in Brook avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, all in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes,' boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1899."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, May 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 17th instant, in accordance with resolution adopted at said meeting, authorizing the construction of water-mains in

Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets;

One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, between Webster avenue and Fordham road;

Brook avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets;

—all in the Borough of The Bronx.

These water-mains were recommended to be constructed by the Local Board of the borough (as per copies of resolutions inclosed), and the cost of construction is estimated by the Commissioner of Water Supply at \$4,300, which is payable from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1899.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President of the Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 13, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of John O'Leary and others, duly advertised and submitted the 13th day of April, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in Stebbins avenue, where necessary, from existing main in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to existing main at a point about two hundred feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 13, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That this Board hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, on petition of Thomas G. Holland and others, that water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, between Webster avenue and Fordham Landing road, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 28, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 27, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Jacob Pfeiffer and others, submitted the 27th day of April, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in Brook avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

At this point Councilman Ebbets asked for unanimous consent to take up the order of motions and resolutions.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 2272.

By Councilman Ebbets—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Russell to erect a show window on the Fifteenth street side of his premises, on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Fifteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, said window to be erected within the area line, and not to extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

ORDER OF SECOND READING AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 1111.—(S. R. 434.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in West Farms road, etc., Borough of The Bronx (page 1017, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in West Farms road, etc., Borough of The Bronx.

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 14th day of June, 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 West Farms road, from Boston road to and across West Farms bridge to Morris Park avenue, and in Morris Park avenue, from West Farms bridge to Bear Swamp road, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1899.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, JOSEPH J. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith form of ordinance approved by this Board, at the meeting held on the 14th instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in West Farms road, etc., Borough of The Bronx. I also transmit herewith copy of the resolution of the Local Board recommending that these mains be laid.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, February 16, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-second District, at its meeting February 16, 1899:

Resolved, That, on petition of Van Nest Property Owners' Association, submitted this the 16th day of February, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-second District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid from the intersection of Boston road and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, through West Farms road, across the West Farms road bridge, to Morris Park avenue, to Bear Swamp road to Bronxdale, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, and Wise—22.

At this point the Vice-Chairman called Councilman Goodwin to the chair.

No. 1112.—(S. R. 435.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Beach avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 1018, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Beach avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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 7th day of June, 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 Beach avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, Borough of The Bronx, 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 from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1899.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 7th day of June, 1899, providing for the laying of water-mains in Beach avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of resolution of Local Board recommending said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 23, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Paul M. Herzog and others, submitted this 23d day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in Beach avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President of the Borough.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 606.—(S. R. 441.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing contract for telephone connections with pumping stations, etc., of the Department of Water Supply (page 455, Minutes, May 17, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize contract for telephone connections with pumping stations, etc., of the Department of Water Supply.

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 7th day of December, 1898, 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 entering into a contract by the Commissioner of Water Supply with the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, for the furnishing and use of a private telephone wire along the conduit line of the water supply for the Borough of Brooklyn, and the necessary connections and instruments at the several pumping stations, the offices of the Department of Water Supply in the Borough of Brooklyn and the Central Office in the Borough of Manhattan, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of five thousand dollars per annum, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the fund which consists of the moneys collected for water rates in the Borough of Brooklyn, and applicable to "Water Supply, Maintenance and Repairs—Supplies and Materials, Borough of Brooklyn."

And the Board further approves and authorizes the making of said contract without advertisement and public letting, as prescribed by section 419 of the City Charter.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 1123.—(S. R. 442.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of placing a drinking-fountain on the grounds of the Union Settlement, Borough of Manhattan (page 11, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of a drinking-fountain for the Union Settlement public playground, One Hundred and First street, Manhattan (Minutes of June 16, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed on the free public playground of the Union Settlement, on One Hundred and First street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Water Supply.

JEREMIAH KENNEFICK, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., WILLIAM T. JAMES, JAMES F. ELLIOTT, FRANK GASS, Committee on Water Supply.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1201.—(S. R. 445.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in St. Nicholas avenue and Prescott place, Borough of Brooklyn (page 68, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in St. Nicholas avenue and Prescott place, 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 28th day of June, 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 St. Nicholas avenue, between Hart street and Flushing avenue, and in Prescott place, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue, in the 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 from the proceeds of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—Inclosed herewith please find, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on June 28, providing for the laying of water-mains in St. Nicholas avenue, between Hart street and Flushing avenue, and in Prescott place, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The resolution authorizing the laying of water-mains in St. Nicholas avenue was adopted on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Ninth District, indorsed by the Commissioner of Water Supply, and the cost is estimated at \$2,000. I inclose herewith copy of the resolution of the Local Board recommending the improvement.

The resolution authorizing the laying of water-mains in Prescott place was adopted on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, on a petition made to his Department, and the cost is estimated at \$550.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
June 6, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 3, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 3d day of June, 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 water-mains be laid in St. Nicholas avenue, between Hart street and Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

Proceedings for the grading and paving of St. Nicholas avenue, between Hart street and Flushing avenue, have been suspended by the Board of Public Improvements, in order that the water-mains herewith petitioned for may be laid and sewer constructed and gas mains laid in the street before the paving is completed. It is desired, therefore, that the water-mains may be laid as speedily as possible.

Attached:

Copy of petition;

Copy of report from the Department of Water Supply;

Copy of blue print.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1202.—(S. R. 446.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Trowbridge and North William streets and in East avenue, Borough of Queens (First Ward), (page 69, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believed the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for water-mains in Trowbridge street, etc., Borough of Queens.

Be it 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 28th day of June, 1899, be and the same is hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

The laying of water-mains in Trowbridge street, from Van Alst avenue to Willow street; in North William street, from Van Alst avenue to Willow street, and in East avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets, all in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, 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 from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, two forms of ordinance which were approved by this Board at the meeting held June 28, one authorizing the laying of water-mains in Trowbridge street, North William street and East avenue, in the Borough of Queens, and the other authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to pay for the cost of the said work, which the Commissioner of Water Supply estimates at \$2,250.

The laying of mains in the above-mentioned streets was recommended by the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, and I also inclose herewith copies of resolutions recommending same.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Copy of resolution transmitted by the President of the Borough of Queens under date of June 2, 1899:

Whereas, Petition for the laying of public water-mains in Trowbridge street, from Van Alst avenue to Willow street, in the First Ward, this borough, was received by this Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, at its meeting on June 2, 1899, and the same approved; now, accordingly, it is

Resolved, That recommendation be and the same is hereby made to the Board of Public Improvements, this city, that it give to the matter such action as will promptly cause said main to be laid, with fire-hydrants erected in connection therewith, in street and to the extent as aforesaid.

Copy of resolution transmitted by the President of the Borough of Queens under date of June 9, 1899:

Resolved, That the petition for the extending of City's water-mains in North William street, First Ward, Borough of Queens, be and the same is hereby approved, and recommendation made to the Board of Public Improvements, this city, that it extend to the subject its prompt and favorable action.

Copy of resolution transmitted by the President of the Borough of Queens under date of June 10, 1899:

Whereas, This the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did heretofore recommend to the Board of Public Improvements, said city, the paving of East avenue, from a stated point up to Ninth street, in First Ward, said borough; and

Whereas, It has since come to the knowledge of this Board that there is no water-main in said avenue, from Eighth to Ninth street, although dwellings exist on both sides of said avenue; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and is hereby made to the Board of Public Improvements, this city, to give the subject of having such water-main laid in advance of paving said avenue its favorable consideration and action.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1202A.—(S. R. 452.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$2,250 to provide for the cost of laying water-mains in Trowbridge and other streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens (page 69, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the issue of \$2,250 to provide for water-mains in Trowbridge street, etc., Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding the sum of two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250), to provide for the cost of laying water-mains in Trowbridge street, from Van Alst avenue to Willow street; in North William street, from Van Alst avenue to Willow street; and in East avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Borough of Queens.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—24.

No. 1196.—(S. R. 465.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving with granite-block the carriageway of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brown place to Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 62, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite-block pavement of the carriageway of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brown place to Brook avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy-nine thousand eight hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance which was approved by this Board at the meeting held June 28 providing for the paving of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brown place to Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the district, recommending that the street be paved.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, April 28, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, April 27, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of John P. Petty, duly advertised, and submitted the 27th day of April, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brown place to Brook avenue, be paved with granite blocks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 1104.—(S. R. 467.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving with granite block the carriageway of Twelfth avenue within the lines of West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 1010, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of so much of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy-four thousand seven hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—At a meeting of this Board held on the 21st instant, a resolution was adopted authorizing the paving, with granite-block pavement, of so much of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan; and I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance, approved at said meeting, covering this improvement.

The paving of this section of Twelfth avenue was recommended by a resolution of the Local Board, copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan held March 13, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that as much of Twelfth avenue as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street be paved.

Adopted.

Respectfully,
JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 1194.—(S. R. 472.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Perot street, between Boston and Sedgwick avenues, Borough of The Bronx (page 60, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Perot street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary on Perot street, between Boston avenue and Sedgwick avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirteen thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—Please find herewith inclosed, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held June 28, in accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board on the recommendation of the Local Board of the District (copy of which resolution is also inclosed), authorizing the regulating and grading, etc., of Perot street, between Boston and Sedgwick avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Estate of Hugh N. Camp, Fred E. Camp, executor, and others, duly advertised and submitted, the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Perot street, between Boston avenue and Sedgwick avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 1094.—(S. R. 477.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving the roadway of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtlandt to Brook avenues, Borough of The Bronx (page 998, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to pave East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the roadway of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx, with granite blocks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seven thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and nine thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant in regard to paving East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx; and also a copy of the resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.
NEW YORK, October 6, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting October 6, 1898, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Francis Keil and others, duly advertised, and submitted this the 6th day of October, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the roadway of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue, be paved with granite block, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 1197.—(S. R. 478.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Cypress to Locust avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 63, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-first street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of the roadway of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, Borough of The Bronx; the setting of curbstones, the flagging of sidewalks a space of four feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks where required, fences built where necessary and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-two thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is four hundred and seventy-three thousand four hundred and five dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on June 28, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the District recommending that this improvement be made.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 30, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 30, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of W. R. Beal Land Improvement Company and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 30th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, that crosswalks be laid where necessary, and fences built where necessary; that trees be planted on the sidewalks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

COMMUNICATIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

The Chairman pro tem. laid before the Council the following communications from the Board of Aldermen:

No. 2273.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Journeymen Bakers and Confectioners' National Union of North America to hold public meetings in various thoroughfares in the Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, New York County, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until January 1, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 2274.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Marks & Benson Company to place and keep an electric sign on the outside of their premises at No. 138 East Fourteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, said sign or electric light to be placed within the stoop line on an arm or bracket extending from the front wall of said premises, the work to be done and electric current supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 2275.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William J. Daly to parade with an advertising wagon through the thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

ORDER OF SECOND READING AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 1402.—(S. R. 571.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Boone street, Borough of The Bronx (page 386, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Boone street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Boone street, from Freeman street to Woodruff street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirty-five thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and twelve thousand three hundred and ten dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I herewith inclose, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Boone street, from Freeman street to Woodruff street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Copy.)
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, November 17, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on November 17 last, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Charles F. Ritch and others, dated September 26 last, for regulating and grading Boone street, from Lillian place to Freeman street, duly advertised and submitted this the 17th day of November, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, finding that the dimensions mentioned in said petition do not correspond with the map lay-out, hereby amend said petition in this respect, to read 'Boone street regulating and grading, from Freeman street to Woodruff (One Hundred and Seventy-sixth) street,' and hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Boone street be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, and crosswalks laid where necessary, from Freeman street to Woodruff (One Hundred and Seventy-sixth) street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements."

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—23.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Councilman Brice moved that the Council do now adjourn.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Council would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Chairman pro tem. (Hon. Frank J. Goodwin, Councilman, Second District) declared that the Council stood adjourned until Friday, December 1, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, November 28, 1899,
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

ALDERMEN

William H. Gledhill,

Vice-President,

Oscar S. Bailey,

Abraham L. Bennett,

James J. Bridges,

John L. Burleigh,

George A. Burrell,

Jeremiah Cronin,

John Diemer,

Matthew E. Dooley,

Frank Dunn,

James J. Dunphy,

James F. Elliott,

Frederick F. Fleck,

Joseph A. Flinn,

James E. Gaffney,

Frank Gass,

Henry Geiger,

Joseph Geiser,

Bernard Glick,

Elias Goodman,

Dennis J. Harrington,

Elias Helgans,

Frank Hennessey,

William T. James,

Patrick H. Keahon,

William Keegan,

Patrick S. Keely,

Jeremiah Kenefick,

Francis P. Kenney,

John P. Koch,

John T. Lang,

Michael Ledwith,

John T. McCall,

Thomas F. McCaul,

Edward F. McEneaney,

Lawrence W. McGrath,

James H. McInnes,

Stephen W. McKeever,

John T. McMahon,

Hector McNeil,

Charles Metzger,

Robert Muh,

Emil Neufeld,

Joseph Oatman,

John S. Roddy,

Bernard Schmitt,

William F. Schneider, Jr.,

P. Tecumseh Sherman,

James J. Smith,

David S. Stewart,

John J. Vaughan, Jr.,

Jacob J. Velton,

Moses J. Wafer,

Joseph E. Welling,

William Wentz,

Collin H. Woodward.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes.

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

No. 3897.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
November 28, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on November 14, 1899, permitting the Exempt Engine Company of The City of New York to place a hand fire-engine on the ground floor of the Jefferson Market Building, corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

My objection to this resolution is, that it appears from the report of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that the space sought to be occupied is a stall in the market which should be used only for market purposes, and that the Exempt Engine Company already is occupying a large space, to wit, three rooms on the second floor of the same building.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Exempt Engine Company of The City of New York to place their old hand fire-engine in one of the vacant places on the ground floor of the Jefferson Market Building on the corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Clerk :
No. 3898.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Esq., Clerk to the Board of Aldermen :

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith documents relative to matters which were adopted by the Council at their stated meeting on Friday, November 24, 1899, as scheduled below :

Int. Nos. 598, 1093, 1271, 1439, 2225, 2226.

Very respectfully,
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The papers above referred to are as follows :

No. 3899.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinance in favor of changing the grades of Bay street, Borough of Richmond (page 114, Minutes, April 11, 1899; page 745, Minutes, June 6, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grade of Bay street, in the Borough of Richmond (page 114, Minutes, April 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they find no record of approval by the Local Board. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be referred back to the Board of Public Improvements for certificate of Local Board.

AN ORDINANCE to change the grades of Bay street, in the Borough of Richmond. Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 5th day of April, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, 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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house-line of Maple avenue, to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades of the aforesaid street as follows :

1st. Beginning at a point distant 50 feet northerly from the northern house-line of Maple avenue, the elevation to be 5.5 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

2d. Thence to a point 300 feet southerly, the elevation to be 3.5 feet above mean high-water line.

3d. Thence to a point 100 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.0 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

4th. Thence to a point 350 feet southerly, the elevation to be 5.6 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

5th. Thence to a point 290 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.3 feet above mean high-water line.

6th. Thence to a point 160 feet southerly, the elevation to be 7.7 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

All grades refer to the mean high-water line as is established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Richmond.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

Sirs—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 5th of April, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point fifty (50) feet north of the north house-line of Maple avenue to a point twelve hundred (1,200) feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, on the request of the Commissioner of Highways and on the recommendation of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board. No objections were offered at the public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 5th day of April, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 15th day of March, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house-line of Maple avenue, to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 5th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grades would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades was duly considered by this Board; now, therefore, be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house-line of Maple avenue, to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades of the aforesaid street, as follows :

1st. Beginning at a point distant 50 feet northerly from the northern house-line of Maple avenue, the elevation to be 5.5 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

2d. Thence to a point 300 feet southerly, the elevation to be 3.5 feet above mean high-water line.

3d. Thence to a point 100 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.0 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

4th. Thence to a point 350 feet southerly, the elevation to be 5.6 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

5th. Thence to a point 290 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.3 feet above mean high-water line.

6th. Thence to a point 160 feet southerly, the elevation to be 7.7 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

All grades refer to the mean high-water line as is established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of Bay street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 3900.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out and extending Sullivan street, Borough of Manhattan (page 996, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to lay out and extend Sullivan street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, 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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows :

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West Third street distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Macdougall street; thence northerly and parallel with said street, distance 209 feet, to the southerly line of West Fourth street; thence easterly and along said line, distance 50 feet; thence southerly, distance 209 feet, to the northerly line of West Third street; thence westerly, and along said line, distance 50 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street, to be 50 feet wide between the lines of West Third and West Fourth streets.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 22, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York :

Sirs—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 21st day of June, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan and on the recommendation of the Engineer for Street Openings of this Board. A protest was submitted at the public hearing in the matter given by the Board, a copy of which is herewith inclosed.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of June, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 31st day of May, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 21st day of June, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of June, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out and extending, who have appeared, and such proposed laying out and extending was duly considered by this Board; now, therefore, be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows :

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West Third street distant 200 feet easterly from easterly line of Macdougall street; thence northerly and parallel with said street, distance 209 feet, to the southerly line of West Fourth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 50 feet; thence southerly, distance 209 feet, to the northerly line of West Third street; thence westerly and along said line, distance 50 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 50 feet wide between the lines of West Third and West Fourth streets.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Sullivan street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

(Copy of Protest.)

Resolved, That the Board of Managers for the Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls respectfully protest against the extension of Sullivan street, from Third street to South Washington square, as proposed by the Board of Public Improvements, for the reason that if the street should be extended it will take from the Home one-half of its property, to wit, the building No. 49 South Washington square, leaving the Home with its building No. 50 South Washington square, which is insufficient for its work. For many years the Home has been engaged, in its present location, as a public institution in sheltering and caring for fallen and friendless girls. Its location is well known to the public and any change would lessen the usefulness of the Home and be a distinct loss to the City.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be presented to the Board of Public Improvements through the counsel of the Home.

The above is a true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Managers of the Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls (otherwise known as the Wetmore Home) at a meeting of the Board held June 15, 1899.

Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1899.

Attest :
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

CHAS. H. KNICH, Acting Secretary.

No. 3901.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing grades of Fort Hamilton avenue, etc., Borough of Brooklyn (page 155, Minutes, July 18, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to change the grades of Fort Hamilton and other avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 12th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, 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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Fort Hamilton avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Twelfth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Thirteenth avenue, between Thirtieth and Fortieth streets; Fourteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, and Fifteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades of the aforesaid streets as follows :

"A."

Fort Hamilton avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets :

1st. Beginning at the intersection of Fort Hamilton avenue and Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above main high-water datum, as heretofore ;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 74.25 feet above mean high-water datum ;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection with Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above mean high-water datum ;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 71.33 feet above mean high-water datum.

"B."

Twelfth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets :

1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 66.35 feet above mean high-water datum ;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 65.75 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 65.60 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 65.45 feet above mean high-water datum.

"C."

Thirteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 58.55 feet above mean high-water datum;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 56.39 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 59.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 59.32 feet above mean high-water datum.

"D."

Fourteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 49.97 feet above mean high-water datum;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 50.25 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection with Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 51.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 51.58 feet above mean high-water datum.

"E."

Fifteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 45.31 feet above high-water datum, as heretofore;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 44.50 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 47.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 48.30 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

NOTE—The grade on Fortieth street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, 65.50, is herewith discontinued.
All elevations referred to the mean high-water datum, as adopted by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 12th day of July, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of Fort Hamilton and other avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York. The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn, and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board, Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 12th day of July, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 14th day of June, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of Fort Hamilton avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Twelfth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Thirteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Fourteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, and Fifteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 12th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting each proposed change of grades would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grades would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 12th day of July, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of July, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Fort Hamilton avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Twelfth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Thirteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets; Fourteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, and Fifteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades of the aforesaid streets as follows:

"A."

Fort Hamilton avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Fort Hamilton avenue and Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 74.25 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection with Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 71.33 feet above mean high-water datum.

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2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 65.75 feet above mean high-water datum;
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"C."

Thirteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 58.55 feet above mean high-water datum;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 56.39 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 59.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 59.32 feet above mean high-water datum.

"D."

Fourteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 49.97 feet above mean high-water datum;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 50.25 feet above mean high-water datum;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection with Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 51.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 51.58 feet above mean high-water datum.

"E."

Fifteenth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets:
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Thirty-seventh street, the elevation to be 45.31 feet above high-water datum, as heretofore;
2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-eighth street, the elevation to be 44.50 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Thirty-ninth street, the elevation to be 47.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Fortieth street, the elevation to be 48.30 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

NOTE—The grade on Fortieth street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, 65.50, is herewith discontinued.

All elevations referred to the mean high-water datum, as adopted by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of the above-named streets, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 3902

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 439 Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

An ORDINANCE to lay out East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx. Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, 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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Prospect avenue to Stebbins avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Prospect avenue distant 165.56 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the eastern line of Prospect avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Prospect avenue for 50.0 feet.
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 258.88 feet to the western line of Stebbins avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Stebbins avenue for 52.14 feet.
4th. Thence westerly for 244.11 feet to the point of beginning.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 29, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 278, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 26th day of July, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of The Bronx, and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

At a hearing given by the Board the petitioners presented an agreement to cede to the City free of cost all the land required for the laying out of the said new street. A copy of this agreement is herewith inclosed.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 26th day of July, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 21st day of June, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street to be known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Prospect avenue to Stebbins avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which said proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 19th day of July, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolution and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of July, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now, therefore, be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Prospect avenue to Stebbins avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Prospect avenue distant 165.56 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the eastern line of Prospect avenue.

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Prospect avenue for 50.0 feet.
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 258.88 feet to the western line of Stebbins avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Stebbins avenue for 52.14 feet.
4th. Thence westerly for 244.11 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

COPY OF AGREEMENT.

In the matter
of
The proposed laying out of a new street between East One Hundred and Sixty-third and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets and Prospect and Stebbins avenues.

Opposition having been made to the proposed laying out of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Prospect and Stebbins avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx,

We, The Palen-Thompson Corporation, of No. 55 Liberty street, New York City, the petitioners herein, and the owners of the property on both sides of said proposed street, do hereby agree that, as soon as said street is legally laid out and adopted by the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly, in accordance with our petition to dedicate or cede the land within such proposed street for the use of the general public and to open, sewer, gutter and pave said street at our own expense.

Dated JULY 25, 1899.

PALEN-THOMPSON CORPORATION.

By GEO. PALEN, President, petitioners.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On the 26th day of July, in the year 1899, before me personally came George Palen, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resided in The City of New

York; that he is the President of the Palen-Thompson Corporation, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

HENRY R. HAM, Notary Public, Kings County.
Cert. filed in New York County.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 3903.

Whereas, It is publicly announced that certain gas companies in The City of New York have determined to raise the price of gas from fifty-five and sixty-five cents per one thousand cubic feet to one dollar and ten cents per one thousand cubic feet; and

Whereas, Such companies enjoy a public franchise, granted to them by The City of New York in the interests of the citizens of said city; and

Whereas, Every franchise carries with it a corresponding duty to the public which granted it; and

Whereas, The contemplated increase in the price of gas is an act of unjust corporate extortion against which the consumer has no adequate remedy; and

Whereas, The Democratic party of The City of New York has, in all its platforms, advocated the passage of such legislation as will prevent in the future such acts of extortion as are now contemplated by various gas companies in The City of New York; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby requested to pass the resolution or ordinance heretofore passed by the Council in favor of the reduction of the price of gas to seventy-five cents per one thousand cubic feet.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 3904.

Whereas, The Municipal Assembly is authorized to establish public hack stands in the present City of New York; and

Whereas, Petitions for the exercise of this authority have been received; and

Whereas, It is manifestly desirable that there should be uniformity in the designation and regulation of such stands in and throughout the city;

Resolved, That a committee of five members of the Council, at least one from each borough, be appointed by the President, and that such committee when appointed be and hereby is directed and empowered to hold public hearings for the purpose of ascertaining the needs and desires of the public as to the location and extent of such stands, and regulations necessary for the proper use thereof, to the end that standing ordinances be framed and duly enacted.

Resolved, further, That the Board of Aldermen be and hereby is requested to have a like committee appointed to act jointly with the said committee of the Council.

Alderman Woodward moved that the Board concur in said resolution, except so far as it applied to the appointment of a special committee, and that for all other purposes the Committee on Streets and Highways be instructed to act as provided therein.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Bridges:

No. 3905.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., November 28, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I transmit herewith for adoption by the Municipal Assembly an ordinance, the form of which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel, providing for the building of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, according to plans therefor on file in this office.

The preliminary work for the construction of the bridge is completed, and I am ready to proceed with the building of the main structure when thereunto authorized by your Honorable Body.

I, therefore, respectfully request that your honorable Board take such action as will enable me to enter upon the work at an early day.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The building of a permanent bridge over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, from, at or near the foot of Pike slip in said Borough of Manhattan to, at or near the foot of Washington street in said Borough of Brooklyn and the approaches thereto, in accordance with plans prepared under direction of the Commissioner of Bridges and approved by the Board of Public Improvements and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Bridges on the day of , 1899, is authorized and approved.

Sec. 2. The work of constructing said bridge and approaches, with the necessary piers and abutments, and of furnishing all material and labor necessary therefor, shall be done by contract let to the lowest responsible bidder by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter regulating the letting of contracts in The City of New York.

Sec. 3. The Comptroller of The City of New York shall from time to time, when thereunto authorized by resolutions of this body and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prepare and issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the extent limited by such resolutions, bearing interest at not more than three and one-half per centum per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years after the date thereof, for the purpose of defraying the expense of constructing the said bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and appurtenances, and for the payment of salaries and wages of officers, engineers, surveyors and other subordinates and the expense of any and all condemnation proceedings and any land condemned in said proceedings and the costs of any land which may be purchased for said abutments and approaches. Such Corporate Stock shall not be sold for less than par value thereof, and the moneys received from the sale of the said Corporate Stock shall be deposited in the City treasury, and shall be drawn and paid by the Comptroller of said City of New York for the several objects and purposes provided in this ordinance, upon vouchers in a form to be prescribed by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 4. The said bridge, when completed, shall be and become a public highway for the purpose of rendering travel between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn safe and certain at all times.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Bridges:

No. 3906.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., November 28, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I transmit herewith, for adoption by the Municipal Assembly, an ordinance, the form of which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel, providing for the building of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, according to plans therefor on file in this office.

The preliminary work for the construction of this bridge is completed, and I am ready to proceed with the building of the main structure when thereunto authorized by your Honorable Body.

I therefore respectfully request that your Honorable Board take such action as will enable me to enter upon the work at an early day.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The building of a permanent bridge across Blackwell's Island and over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, from, at or near the foot of Sixtieth street, in said Borough of Manhattan, to, at or near the foot of Charles street, in said Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, in accordance with the plans prepared under the direction of the Commissioner of Bridges, and approved by the Board of Public Improvements, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Bridges on the day of , 1899, is authorized and approved.

Sec. 2. The work of constructing said bridge and approaches, with the necessary piers and abutments, and of furnishing all material and labor necessary therefor, shall be done by contract, let to the lowest responsible bidder by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter regulating the letting of contracts in The City of New York.

Sec. 3. The Comptroller of The City of New York shall, from time to time, when thereunto authorized by resolutions of this Body and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prepare and issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the extent limited by such resolutions, bearing interest at not more than three and one-half per centum per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years after the date thereof, for the purpose of defraying the expense of constructing the said bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and appurtenances, and for the payment of salaries and wages of officers, engineers, surveyors and other subordinates and the expense of any and all condemnation proceedings and any land condemned in said proceedings and the costs of any lands which may be purchased for said abutments and approaches. Such corporate stock shall not be sold for less than par value thereof, and the moneys received from the sale of the said corporate stock shall be deposited in the City Treasury, and shall be drawn and paid by the Comptroller of said City of New York for the several objects and purposes provided in this ordinance, upon vouchers in a form to be prescribed by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 4. The said bridge, when completed, shall be and become a public highway for the purpose of rendering travel between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens safe and certain at all times.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from Mr. Charles A. Walsh:

No. 3907.

BROOKLYN BOROUGH, November 27, 1899.

President WOOD:

DEAR SIR—Will you kindly see to it that a resolution is offered whereby Hausman street, Block 237, Ward No. 17, east side of street from corner of Nassau avenue, running 300 feet southerly, is flagged. We are compelled to walk in the middle of the street through mud and slush. Wrote you some time since in reference to this matter. I trust you will give this your kind attention. I presume this is the proper course of procedure.

I am yours most respectfully,

CHAS. A. WALSH, No. 48 Hausman street, Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Alderman of the district.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 3908.

By the President—

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

By the President—

William R. Keese, No. 151 East Fifty-fourth street, Manhattan.

Herman Oppenheimer, No. 1410 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Burrell—

Henry C. Hirschberg, No. 419 East Eighty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Fleck—

Giovanni Maccarrone, No. 267 Elizabeth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gass—

Joseph Troman, Eleventh street, east of White Plains avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Geiger—

John J. Hickey, No. 3233 Third avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Geiser—

John F. Auburn, No. 2 Tryon row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—

Henry Heres, No. 984 First avenue, Manhattan.

Rudolph Schloss, No. 722 Quincy street, Brooklyn.

Garniss E. Baker, No. 76 Nassau street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Thomas F. McCaul—

Elkan L. Wassermann, No. 165 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McEneaney—

William C. Butler, No. 151 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Minsky—

Herman Tolk, No. 288 Grand street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Muh—

Page M. Alger, No. 64 West Seventieth street, Manhattan.

Charles E. F. McCann, No. 146 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Neufeld—

John H. Conway, County Clerk's Office, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

J. C. Guggenheimer, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Welling—

Max Altermayer, No. 290 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wentz—

Gustave Levy, No. 768 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

James P. Tossing, No. 215 Reid avenue, Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunn, Fleck, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keegan, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Schneider, Sherman, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Wentz, Woodward, the Vice-President, and the President—41.

No. 3909.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Glick—

Bootblack Stand—Francisco Marsiola, No. 20 Rutgers street, Henry street side.

By Alderman Goodman—

Newspaper Stand—Paul Goldstein, No. 1706 Madison avenue.

By Alderman Keegan—

Newspaper Stand—Henry Hentzenroad, No. 1073 Third avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Minsky—

Soda-water Stands—Elias Rosenblum, No. 1 Essex street; Davis Gerber, southwest corner Eldridge and Houston streets.

By Alderman Roddy—

Newspaper Stand—James L. McGlynn, No. 708 Columbus avenue.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3910.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Beck to parade with a horse and wagon through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, from November 30, 1899, to January 5, 1900, inclusive, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3911.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William J. Daly to parade with an advertising wagon through the thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3912.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh Smollen to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for two months from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3913.

By Alderman Wentz—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William A. Funsch to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the northeast corner of Fulton and McDougall streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3914.

By Alderman Sherman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harriett G. Coogan to erect, place and keep show-windows in front of her premises on the northeast corner of Twenty-sixth street and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said show-windows shall be erected so as to conform in all respects to the provisions of the ordinance in such cases made and provided, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3915.

By Alderman Schneider—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sam Glass to erect, place and keep bay-windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, on the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh stories of his premises on the southeast corner of Lexington avenue and Ninety-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3916.

By Alderman Roddy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis A. Clark to erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3917.

By Alderman McInnes—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Mahlen to erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, Malbone street and Washington avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height, two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3918.

By Alderman McEneaney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sigmund Lewy to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until January 1, 1900.

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

No. 3919.

By Alderman Thomas F. McCaul—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James M. Harris to erect and keep an express office, within the stoop-line, in front of No. 200 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the consent of the property-owner thereto having been granted, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3920.

By Alderman McMahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. H. Rosenfeld to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 156 Second avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3921.

By Alderman John T. McCall—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk near the curb on all streets and avenues in The City of New York with holiday goods, Christmas trees, toys, etc., with the consent of the property-owners, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalks for all pedestrians; such permission to continue only from December 10, 1899, to January 3, 1900.

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

No. 3922.

By Alderman Keahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Burns to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Weehawken and Christopher streets, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3923.

By Alderman Hennessy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Edward T. Chambers Musketeers to parade through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Brooklyn on Thanksgiving day, Thursday, November 30, 1899, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

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

No. 3924.

By the same—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed petition, it is hereby recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that the carriageway of Seventeenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt or vitrified brick pavement.

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

No. 3925.

By Alderman Goodman—

Whereas, There is a well founded desire and a growing demand that the name of Seventh avenue, north of Central Park, be changed, conformably to the established tendency to name our prominent avenues in the upper portion of the city different than at the lower end; and

Whereas, The Harlem Board of Commerce, which represents the commercial interests of that part of the Borough of Manhattan in which Seventh avenue north of the park is located, has passed resolutions favoring the name "Central;" and

Whereas, Other names have been suggested, notably "Dewey;" therefore,

Resolved, That the communication of the said Harlem Board of Commerce, hereto attached, be and the same is hereby referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways, with instructions to give the same proper consideration, and to invite all persons interested to a public hearing, in order to obtain a fair consensus of opinion on this matter.

Resolved, That said Committee on Streets and Highways be and is directed to report an ordinance that will provide a change of name conforming to the expressed sentiment of the residents of the district affected.

(Copy of letter addressed to Alderman Goodman, referred to above.)

THE HARLEM BOARD OF COMMERCE,
No. 50 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET,
NEW YORK, October 27, 1899.

Hon. ELIAS GOODMAN, Alderman:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Harlem Board of Commerce, held on Monday evening, October 9, 1899, it was resolved that this Board accept the report of the Committee recommending that the name of Seventh (7) avenue be changed to "Central avenue." Will you kindly bring this before the Board of Aldermen for their action?

Yours very respectfully,

H. C. F. KOCH, ISAAC A. HOPPER, ATMORE L. BAGGOT, H. B. CHOFFIN,
CHARLES BLANDY, Committee.

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

No. 3926.

By Alderman Glick—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Fishel to erect and keep bay-windows in front of his premises on the northwest corner of East Broadway and Rutgers square, Borough of Manhattan, provided said bay-windows shall conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3927.

By Alderman Geiger—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Charities be and he is hereby respectfully requested to investigate the inadequate ambulance facilities in the Borough of The Bronx and increase the service of the same at his earliest convenience.

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

No. 3928.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove the iron drinking-fountain for man and beast now in front of No. 3455 Third avenue, and erect the same in position in front of No. 3233 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

No. 3929.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Bethany Lutheran Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of The Bronx:

Southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Boston road;

Northeast corner of Teasdale place and Boston road;

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Third avenue;

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Third avenue; and on the two lamp-posts on Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Teasdale place, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until December 10, 1899.

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

No. 3930.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Schapiro to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals, under the stairs of the elevated railroad, on the northeast corner of Third avenue and Spring place (One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street station), in the Borough of The Bronx, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3931.

By Alderman Flinn—

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that Thompson street, from Washington square to Third street, Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt.

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

No. 3932.

By Alderman Cronin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Gordon Clary to place and keep a show case within the stoop-line in front of his premises Nos. 41 and 43 New street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said show case shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3933.

By Alderman Byrne—

Resolved, That the rooms known as Nos. 17, 18 and 19, in the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, be and the same are hereby assigned to the use of the Board of Coroners of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 3934.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harris P. Fpandlt to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for a period of thirty days from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

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

No. 3935.

By the same—

Resolved, That Room 13 in the County Court House, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby set aside for the use of the Sheriff of Kings County, when said room shall have been vacated by the Coroners.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 3936.

By the same—

Resolved, That Rooms Nos. 17, 18, 19, on the second floor of the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, now occupied by the Department of Finance, be and the same are hereby set aside for the use of the Coroners of the Borough of Brooklyn, when said rooms shall have been vacated by the Department of Finance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

REPORTS.

No. 3060.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of changing the grade of Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth and Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, Borough of The Bronx (Minutes of June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, FRANK DUNN, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOHN S. RODDY, JAMES J. BRIDGES, Committee on Streets and Highways

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grades of Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth and Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, Borough of The Bronx (page 266, Minutes, April 25, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to change the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 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, 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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Katonah avenue and Martha avenue, and changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street between Kepler avenue and Katonah avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid streets as follows:

(a) East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street—
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.
2d. Thence to a point three hundred and fifty feet easterly from the eastern curb of Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty-three feet above mean high-water datum.
3d. Thence easterly to the intersection with Martha avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and thirty-five feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

(b) East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Kepler avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and eighty-two feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2d. Thence to a point four hundred feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Kepler avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and eighty-six feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.
3d. Thence to a point one hundred and sixty feet easterly, the elevation to be one hundred and seventy-six feet above mean high-water datum.

4th. Thence easterly to the intersection with Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 19th of April, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Katonah avenue and Martha avenue, and changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Kepler avenue and Katonah avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, on the petition of property-owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of The Bronx and of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board. No objection was offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 19th day of April, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 29th day of March, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Katonah avenue and Martha avenue, and changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Kepler avenue and Katonah avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 19th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grades would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 19th day of April, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of April, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades, who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Katonah avenue and Martha avenue, and changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Kepler avenue and Katonah avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades of the aforesaid streets, as follows:

(a) East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street—
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.
2d. Thence to a point three hundred and fifty feet easterly from the eastern curb of Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty-three feet above mean high-water datum.
3d. Thence easterly to the intersection with Martha avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and thirty-five feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

(b) East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street—
1st. Beginning at the intersection of Kepler avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and eighty-two feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2d. Thence to a point four hundred feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Kepler avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and eighty-six feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.
3d. Thence to a point one hundred and sixty feet easterly, the elevation to be one hundred and seventy-six feet above mean high-water datum.

4th. Thence easterly to the intersection with Katonah avenue, the elevation to be one hundred and forty feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of East Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth and East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dunn, Elliott, Fleck, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keegan, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schmitt, Schneider, Sherman, Smith, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

No. 3744.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of grading, etc., of Stanhope street, Brooklyn (Minutes of October 31, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.
JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, FRANK DUNN, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOHN S. RODDY, JAMES J. BRIDGES, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of grading, etc., Stanhope street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 413, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Stanhope street, Borough of Brooklyn.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading and paving with granite-block pavement of the carriageway of Stanhope street, between Myrtle avenue and Hamburg avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, setting of bridgestones and the flagging or reflagging of the sidewalks, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the grading, paving, etc., of Stanhope street, between Myrtle avenue and Hamburg avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn. I also inclose copy of the resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
May 9, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on April 29, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 29th day of April, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Stanhope street with granite-block pavement, between Myrtle avenue and Hamburg avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, set bridgestones and flag or reflag sidewalks where not already done."

Attached:

1. Copy of petition.
2. Copy of report from Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dunn, Elliott, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keegan, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schmitt, Schneider, Sherman, Smith, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

At this point Alderman McKeever asked unanimous consent to call up G. O. 366, being a report of the Committee on Finance in favor of adopting a resolution providing for an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$300,000, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the erection of an addition to the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.

No. 3518.—(S. O. 77.)

Alderman Bridges having raised objection, the paper was, on motion of Alderman McKeever, made a special order for next meeting, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

No. 3735.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Kingsbridge avenue, Manhattan (Minutes of October 31, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, FRANK DUNN, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOHN S. RODDY, JAMES J. BRIDGES, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Kingsbridge avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 390, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Kingsbridge avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, on Kingsbridge avenue (on Marble Hill), from Terrace View avenue to War Department line, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being two thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-six thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant, providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Kingsbridge avenue, from Terrace View avenue to War Department line, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.
NEW YORK CITY, June 6, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:
SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 6, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan approve the recommendation of the Common Council, approved November 23, 1897, providing for the regulating, grading, curbing and flagging of Kingsbridge avenue, from Terrace View avenue to the War Department line.

Yours truly,

(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Alderman Woodward moved that the report receive immediate consideration.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunn, Elliott, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Helgans, James, Keahan, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schneider, Sherman, Smith, Stewart, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, and the President—43.

Negative—Alderman Wafer—1.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Elliott, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, McCall, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schneider, Sherman, Smith, Stewart, Velton, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, and the President—45.

At this point Alderman Muh took the chair.

No. 3564.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Rose street, Borough of The Bronx (Minutes of October 10, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN S. RODDY, HENRY GEIGER, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Rose street, Borough of The Bronx (page 759, Minutes, June 6, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the regulating, grading, etc., of Rose street, between Bergen and Brook avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, flagging the sidewalks a space of four (4) feet in width, the laying of crosswalks and constructing approaches where necessary, and building fences where required, of Rose street, from Bergen avenue to Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board, an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being two thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is forty-two thousand seven hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 5, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 3d day of May, 1899, providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Rose street, between Bergen avenue and Brook avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with the recommendation of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, under date of March 25, 1898, a copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK, March 25, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President of the Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on March 24 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition submitted of Charles Schneider and others, and hearing given this the 24th day of March, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly that Rose street, between Bergen avenue and Brook avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Burrell, Cronin, Dooley, Dunphy, Elliott, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schmitt, Schneider, Sherman, Smith, Stewart, Velton, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, and the President—48.

No. 3745.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Avenue D, Brooklyn (Minutes, October 31, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, FRANK DUNN, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOHN S. RODDY, JAMES J. BRIDGES, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Avenue D, Borough of Brooklyn (page 414, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Avenue D, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Avenue D, between Ocean parkway and Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriage-way with macadam pavement, and the setting or resetting of curb, paving of gutters with vitrified brick, laying of crosswalks and the flagging or reflagging of sidewalks of the said street, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Avenue D, between Ocean parkway and Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose copy of the resolution of the Local Board, recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
June 30, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 29, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this twenty-ninth day of June, 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 Avenue D, with macadam pavement, between Ocean parkway and Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, pave gutters with vitrified brick, lay crosswalks and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Attached:

1. Copy of petitions.
2. Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunphy, Elliott, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCaul, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schmitt, Schneider, Sherman, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Woodward, and the President—50.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The hour of 2.30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman John T. McCall called up S. O. 71, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

No. 3130.—(S. O. 71.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was recommended the annexed resolution and report in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$100,000, expense of constructing a new covered dump for the Street Cleaning Department, with instructions to find the proposed location for same, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having made inquiry as directed, they ascertained from the Department of Street Cleaning that the said dump is to be located at or near the foot of Stanton street, Borough of Manhattan.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution and report be adopted.

ROBERT MUH, JOHN T. McMAHON, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOSEPH GEISER, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$100,000, expense of constructing new covered dump for Street Cleaning Department (Minutes of July 3, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 29, 1899, authorized the Comptroller, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) to provide for the expenses of constructing a new covered dump for the Department of Street Cleaning upon plans approved by the Board of Public Improvements on June 14, 1899;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be authorized, pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for the purpose of providing the necessary means therefor.

ROBERT MUH, JAMES J. DUNPHY, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the plans and drawings for a new covered dump for the Department of Street Cleaning, approved by the Board of Public Improvements on June 14, 1899, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), in the manner provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 29, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burrell, Dooley, Dunn, Dunphy, Elliott, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Glick, Goodman, Harrington, Keahon, Kennefick, Koch, Ledwith, McCaul, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McKeever, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Schneider, Smith, Welling, Woodward, and the President—34.

Negative—Aldermen Burleigh, Cronin, Diemer, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Kenney, Lang, McInnes, McNeil, Schmitt, Sherman, Stewart, and Wafer—14.

Alderman John T. McCall moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and resolution was lost be reconsidered.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman John T. McCall the paper was made a special order for Tuesday, December 5, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M.

REPORTS RESUMED.

No. 3875.—(S. O. 78.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of authorizing a contract for soundings, etc., for proposed bridges over the East river (Minutes of November 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

PATRICK H. KEAHON, HENRY GEIGER, EMIL NEUFELD, WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., JOHN T. LANG, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The Joint Committee on Finance and Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the making of a contract by the Commissioner of Bridges for necessary soundings, etc., for proposed bridges over the East river (page 418, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, ADAM H. LEICH, CONRAD H. HESTER, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Finance.

MARTIN F. CONLY, ADAM H. LEICH, WILLIAM J. HYLAND, JOSEPH CASSIDY, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the making of a contract by the Commissioner of Bridges for necessary soundings, etc., for proposed bridges over the East river (page 36, Minutes, October 4, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the making of a contract by the Commissioner of Bridges for the necessary soundings, etc., for the proposed bridges over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, and between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens. 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 27th day of September, 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 making of a contract by the Commissioner of Bridges for the necessary soundings, borings, and examinations for the proposed bridges over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, and between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the proceeds of the sale of bonds authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 1, 1898.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, STEWART M. BRICE, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on September 27 authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to enter into contracts for the necessary borings, soundings, and examinations in relation to the proposed bridges over the East river.

The estimated cost of this work is \$50,000, payable from the issue of bonds authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in December, 1898.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

Pending a vote on the foregoing report, Alderman John T. McCall directed attention to the presence of Commissioner of Bridges John L. Shea. The President pro tem. then invited Commissioner Shea to the floor, who explained the details of the measure under consideration and urged its immediate passage.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Burleigh, Burrell, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunn, Elliott, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Helgans, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kenefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McLines, McKeever, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Schmitt, Schneider, Sherman, Velton, Welling, Woodward, and the President—42.

Negative—Aldermen Bridges, Hennessy, McNeil, Stewart, and Wafer—5.

Alderman John T. McCall then moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman John T. McCall moved that the report be made a special order for Friday, December 1, 1899, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

Alderman Wafer moved that the report be recommitted to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, with instructions to ascertain from the companies holding franchises, or from the Corporation Council, what the probable cost of right of way would be to the City.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Wafer.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Diemer, Flinn, Goodman, Helgans, Hennessy, Keely, McNeil, Schmitt, Stewart, Velton, Wafer, and Woodward—13.

Negative—Aldermen Burleigh, Burrell, Dooley, Dunn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, James, Keegan, Kenefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McLines, McKeever, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Schneider, Sherman, Welling, and the President—29.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman John T. McCall.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL RESUMED.

The President pro tem. laid before the Board the following communication transmitted from the Council:

No. 3937.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Russell to erect a show-window on the Fifteenth street side of his premises, on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Fifteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, said window to be erected within the area line and not to extend more than five feet from the house line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

REPORTS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 3728—(S. O. 79.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Fourth avenue, between north and south sides of Ninety-seventh street, Manhattan (Minutes of October 31, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES F. ELLIOTT, JOHN L. BURLEIGH, FRANK DUNN, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOHN S. RODDY, JAMES J. BRIDGES, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving with granite blocks the carriageway of Fourth avenue, between the south side of Ninety-seventh street and the north side of Ninety-seventh street and the east side of Park avenue, by the railroad bridge, Borough of Manhattan (page 1006, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for paving Fourth, etc., avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite-block pavement of that portion of the carriageway of Fourth avenue between the south side of Ninety-seventh street and the north side of Ninety-seventh street, and the east side of Park avenue, by the railroad bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work of improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being three hundred and fifty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty-five thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with the resolution adopted by this Board at the meeting held on the 4th instant I inclose herewith form of ordinance approved at the said meeting providing for the paving of Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Twentieth District, Borough of Manhattan, by the resolution adopted on August 16, 1898, a copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, August 16, 1898.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held August 15, 1898, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that that portion of Fourth avenue between the south side of Ninety-seventh street and the north side of Ninety-seventh street and the east side of Park avenue, by the west side of the railroad bridge, being a portion of land about thirty feet by thirty feet, be paved.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

By unanimous consent the report was moved to immediate consideration.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Burrell, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunn, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Helgans, Hennessy, James, Keegan, Keely, Kenefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McLines, McInnes, McMahon, McNeil, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Schneider, Sherman, Stewart, Velton, Wafer, Woodward, and the President—42.

Alderman Schneider moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Schneider the paper was then made a special order for Friday, December 1, 1899, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 3938.

By Alderman Neufeld—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Journeymen Bakers and Confectioners National Union of North America to hold public meetings in the various thoroughfares in the Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, New York County, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until January 1, 1900.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3939.

By Alderman McMahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Marks & Benson Company to place and keep an electric sign on the outside of their premises at No. 138 East Fourteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, said sign or electric light to be placed within the stoop-line on an arm bracket extending from the front wall of said premises, the work to be done and electric current supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

The hour of 2.30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman John T. McCall called up S. O. 74, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

No. 3631.—(S. O. 74.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and report of the Council in favor of providing payment of the Building Code Commission, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution and report be concurred in.

ROBERT MUH, JAMES J. DUNPHY, JOHN T. MCMAHON, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred back the annexed resolution in favor of providing for payment of expenses of the Building Code Commission to further consider the question of compensation for the Commissioners (page 170, Minutes, April 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having again carefully examined the subject, they believe the proposed resolution hereunto annexed, providing for the payment as compensation to each expert Commissioner at the rate of \$500 per month from January 17 to July 11, 1899, amounting to the sum of \$19,000, to be necessary and proper.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, CONRAD H. HESTER, STEWART M. BRICE, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of providing for the payment of the expenses of the Building Code Commission by an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$28,450 (page 920, Minutes, March 14, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the sum of nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000) be and hereby is further provided for payment toward the expenses of the Commission heretofore duly appointed and employed by the Municipal Assembly to prepare a code of ordinances to be known as the Building Code, pursuant to the provisions of section 647 of the Greater New York Charter, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to concur in the above provision, which amount shall be used for salaries to the seven expert Commissioners upon said Commission.

Resolved, further, That the following regular expenses of the said Commission be and hereby are authorized: For each expert Commissioner, at the rate of five hundred dollars per month, from January 17 to July 11, 1899, to be in full for the services that may be rendered by said Commission at any time.

Resolved, further, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to make payments according to the foregoing provisions from time to time upon warrants certified by the signature of the Chairman of said Commission.

Resolved, further, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to concur in the above authorization, and that thereupon special revenue bonds to provide for the payment of expenses as aforesaid be issued, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be and hereby is provided for the payment of the expenses of the Commission heretofore duly appointed and employed by the Municipal Assembly to prepare a code of ordinances to be known as the Building Code, pursuant to the provisions of section 647 of the Greater New York Charter, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to concur in the above provision.

Resolved, further, That the following regular expenses of the said Commission be and hereby are authorized: For each expert Commissioner at the rate of five hundred dollars per month from January 17 to July 11, 1899, to be in full for the services that may be rendered by said Commission at any time.

Resolved, further, That the said Commission be and hereby is authorized to incur for regular monthly expenses for clerical and other help at the rate of eight hundred and twenty-five dollars per month, as follows: For an Assistant Secretary, at the rate of two hundred dollars per month; for a Stenographer, at the rate of two hundred dollars per month; for a Clerk, at the rate of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month; for a Messenger, at the rate of one hundred dollars per month; for two Typewriters, at the rate of one hundred dollars per month each.

Resolved, further, That the said Commission be and hereby is authorized to incur contingent expenses not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars.

Resolved, further, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to make payments from time to time as may be necessary and within the foregoing provisions upon warrants drawn in accordance with resolutions of said Commission, certified by the signature of the Chairman thereof and incurred in accordance therewith.

Resolved, further, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to concur in the above authorization, and that thereupon special revenue bonds to provide for the payment of expenses as aforesaid be issued, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, HENRY FRENCH, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

Alderman John T. McCall moved that the report and resolution be amended by striking out the words and figures "nineteen"—"19," wherever they appear, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-one"—"21."

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman John T. McCall the paper was then made a special order for Tuesday, December 5, 1899, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL AGAIN RESUMED.

The President pro tem. laid before the Board the following communication transmitted from the Council.

No. 3940.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. Vogel to erect, place and keep a show-window, as shown on the accompanying diagram, in front of premises No. 79 Wall street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said show-window shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Stewart moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned until Friday, December 1, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending November 22, 1899.

Respectfully,
W. N. SHANNON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Highways.

	BOROUGH.				
	MANHATTAN	THE BRONX	BROOKLYN	QUEENS	RICHMOND
Public Moneys Received during the Week.					
For restoring and re-paving pavement.....	.....	\$22 00	\$104 00	\$24 00	.....
Water connections, openings.....	.....	80 00	168 00	26 00	.....
Sewer connections, openings.....	.....	.....	352 12	.....	.....
General account.....	\$2,843 50	26 83	.....	.....	.....
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	1 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
For vault permits.....	7,058 92	.....	57 60	.....	.....
For shed permits.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$9,923 92	\$128 83	\$981 72	\$50 00	\$10 00
Permits Issued.					
Permits to open streets, to tap water-pipes.....	.....	34	34	13	8
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections.....	.....	13	55	4	17
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections.....	96	42	49	5	5
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections.....	.....	1	13	1	.....
Permits to place building material on streets.....	81	10	22	1	1
Permits to construct street vaults.....	3	.....	6	.....	.....
Permits, special.....	38	63	204	24	27
Permits to construct sheds.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	7	9	16	2	.....
Permits for subway, steam and various connections.....	168	2	.....	.....	.....
Permits for railway repairs and construction.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....
Obstructions Removed.					
Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....	11	.....	12	.....	.....
Repairs to Pavement.					
Square yards of pavement repaired.....	9,423	352	4,659	229	6,696

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$176,433 05

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways during week ending November 22, 1899.

NATURE OF WORK.	BOROUGH.									
	MANHATTAN.		THE BRONX.		BROOKLYN.		QUEENS.		RICHMOND.	
	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Mechanics.	Laborers.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	246	285	4	92	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of.....	20	133	30	8	15	658	99	4	77	141
Roads, streets and avenues.....	4	22	7	1	.....	4	89	12	45	130
Steam-roller.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Viaducts and Bridges, maintenance of.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	10	4	3
Total.....	270	446	41	101	15	694	99	12	81	230

REPORT IN CHANGES OF FORCE FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22, 1899.

Borough of Manhattan.

Reappointed—2 Toolmen.
Removed—20 Teams; 3 horse and carts.
Resigned—1 Laborer.
Reappointed—2 Teams; 1 Laborer.
Increased from \$2 to \$2.50—1 Laborer.

Borough of Queens.

Suspended—3 Laborers.

Borough of The Bronx.

Increased from \$2.50 to \$3—1 Laborer.

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, assembled at the temporary Borough Hall on November 3, 1899.

Present—Councilmen Van Nostrand and Cassidy with the President of the Borough Frederick Bowley.

Minutes of the previous meeting approved.

The following matters were considered and action taken thereon, as hereinafter appears, viz.:
Petition to extend the City's water-mains into Lincoln street, from Hopkins avenue to Van Alst avenue, First Ward.

Petition that permit be granted to the Jamaica Water Supply Company, and it be thereby required to extend its water-mains in Elm street, from Myrtle avenue to Central avenue, Richmond Hill, Fourth Ward.

Petition to have Vogel avenue, in the Fourth Ward, included in the Queens Water Supply District.

Petition to have Third avenue, from Eighteenth street, in College Point, to Whitestone, all in Third Ward, widened.

Petition to have Carlton avenue, from Columbus avenue to Cedar avenue, in Far Rockaway, Fifth Ward, placed upon contemplated official city map of such section, so as to show same on same lines and width as other portion of said avenue now is, or to be made uniform throughout as to such width as may be finally determined upon.

Petition to have electric light set on Potter avenue, midway between Ninth and Tenth avenues, First Ward.

The following was duly adopted:

Whereas, The property-owners along Lincoln street, between Hopkins avenue and Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, delivered to the President of this borough petition to have the public water-mains extended through said street; and

Whereas, The granting of aforesaid petition would meet one of the many requirements of the locality for public improvement; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it take prompt action toward having the desires of the petitioners complied with; also,

Whereas, Property-owners on Elm street, between Central and Myrtle avenues, Richmond Hill, Fourth Ward, this Borough, have submitted in writing their desire to have water-mains extended through said street; and

Whereas, This Board is disinclined to do otherwise than indorse their application to be furnished with such essential, notwithstanding the fact that water should be supplied to the inhabitants of this Borough by The City of New York wherever practical so to do, and should not be dependent upon private water corporations; therefore

Now, in view of the needs of the petitioners and the existing circumstances as to the source of water supply in said district, be and it is hereby

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it extend to the petitioners such favorable action in the premises as will fully respond to their requirements.

On motion, the Chair appointed Councilman Van Nostrand and Alderman James a Committee to investigate and report upon the following petitions:

To include Vogel avenue in the Queens Water Supply District of the Fourth Ward.

To place Carlton avenue, Far Rockaway, Fifth Ward, on City Map as of uniform width in its entire length.

To widen Third avenue, from Eighteenth street, College Point to Whitestone, all in Third Ward.

There was also adopted the following:

Whereas, Petition from the property-owners on Potter avenue, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, to have an electric-light placed thereon about midway between Ninth and Tenth avenues, as submitted to this the Local Board of Borough aforesaid at meeting held this 3d day of November, 1899; and

Whereas, The request contained therein is reasonable and hence should be complied with; therefore

Resolved, That the matter be and hereby is recommended to the favorable consideration and action of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

On motion, the action taken by the Board on July 28, 1899, in favor of construction of public sewers in De Bevoise avenue, between Newtown avenue and Broadway, First Ward, this Borough, was rescinded as to the form in which same is worded and the following in lieu thereof duly adopted:

Whereas, On this 28th day of July, 1899, at meeting of this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, it did in accordance with notice published in the CITY RECORD, afford public hearing on petition submitted by the President of aforesaid borough for the construction of public sewer in De Bevoise avenue, from Newtown avenue to Grand avenue, and from a point about five hundred and forty-four feet southerly from the central line of Grand avenue, to run northerly toward Grand avenue and to discharge into public sewer already existing in Grand avenue, crossing said De Bevoise avenue, and also through De Bevoise avenue from Jamaica avenue public sewer to the Broadway public sewer, all in the First Ward, Borough of Queens and City of New York; and

Whereas, At such public hearing no objections were presented against the desires of the petitioners; and

Whereas, It appears to this Board that compliance with the wishes of the petitioners would be to the best interests of this city; therefore be and it is hereby

Resolved, That recommendation be and is hereby made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it gives the subject matter as aforesaid its prompt and favorable action.

Adjourned to November 17, 1899.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SYNOPSIS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 25, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending November 25, 1899, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

Central Office—Appointments, resignations, dismissals, etc., as per list attached. Proposals accepted as per list attached.

ALMSHOUSE.

Appointments.

Nov. 21, 1899. Walsh, Mary, Hospital Helper..... \$72 00
" 22, " Clarke, Mary, Hospital Helper..... 144 00
" 22, " Herman, Joseph, Hospital Helper..... 72 00

Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 16, 1899. McCabe, James, Stoker (declined appointment)..... \$360 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 20, 1899. McCarthy, Mary, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... \$72 00
" 21, " Heraghty, Annie, Hospital Helper (intoxication)..... 144 00
" 21, " Hughes, Michael, Hospital Helper (incompetency)..... 72 00

CITY HOSPITAL.

Appointments.

Nov. 15, 1899. Hill, Maggie, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00
" 16, " Judge, Mary, Hospital Helper..... 60 00
" 20, " Bradley, Edward, Hospital Helper..... 60 00
" 17, " Welstead, Kate, Hospital Helper..... 120 00
" 20, " Lewis, Ellen, Hospital Helper..... 144 00
" 20, " Isler, Annie, Hospital Helper..... 120 00
" 20, " Toumey, Nellie, Hospital Helper..... 120 00

Salary Increased.

Nov. 20, 1899. Cashuback, Johanna, Hospital Helper, from \$120 to..... \$144 00

Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 19, 1899. Finnel, James, Hospital Helper (deceased)..... \$60 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 19, 1899.	Nolan, Mary, Hospital Helper (overstaying pass).....	\$144 00
" 17, "	Reilly, Mary, Hospital Helper (intoxication).....	144 00

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

Appointments.

Nov. 17, 1899.	McDermott, Mary, No. 2, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
" 18, "	Seeley, Delia, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 10, "	Carroll, Ellen, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 10, "	Duffy, Nellie, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 10, "	Moore, Ellen, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 13, "	Cheevers, Jane, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 19, "	Reilly, Bridget, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 15, "	Hamilton, May, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 20, "	Egan, Fannie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 11, "	Raferty, Margaret, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 20, "	Murphy, Bridget, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 21, "	Armstrong, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 20, "	Donohue, Ann, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 22, "	Cosgrove, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 21, "	Smith, Fannie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 22, "	Stilling, Ellen, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 21, "	Foley, Norah, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 23, "	Gilligan, Lizzie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 22, "	Shay, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 22, "	Reilly, Mary, No. 3, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 21, "	Armstrong, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 21, "	McIlroy, Cassie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
Oct. 17, "	Tyrell, Mary, Cook.....	240 00
Nov. 1, "	Brosnan, Margaret, Pupil Nurse.....	120 00
" 1, "	Crawford, Elizabeth, Pupil Nurse.....	120 00
" 1, "	Millender, Nora, Pupil Nurse.....	120 00
" 1, "	McCarthy, Esther, Pupil Nurse.....	180 00

Salary Increased.

Nov. 1, 1899.	Alvarez, Alfonso D., Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	\$144 00
" 6, "	Alexander, Edward, Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	144 00
" 6, "	Forrester, Channing M., Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	144 00
" 6, "	Hayworth, Hubert O., Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	144 00
" 6, "	Small, Sherman W., Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	144 00

Resignation.

Nov. 18, 1899.	Case, G. D., Pupil Nurse.....	\$144 00
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Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 13, 1899.	McCarthy, Mary, No. 1, Hospital Helper (failed to report for duty).....	\$120 00
" 21, "	Naughton, John, Hospital Helper (deceased).....	150 00
" 3, "	Austin, Charles F., Pupil Nurse (course finished).....	144 00
" 3, "	Lahey, Robert, Pupil Nurse (course finished).....	144 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 16, 1899.	Conley, Maggie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	\$120 00
" 18, "	Hope, Amelia, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 17, "	Delaney, Annie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 9, "	Oates, Celia, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 18, "	Cheevers, Jane, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 18, "	McIntyre, Jane, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 14, "	Frazier, Cassie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 19, "	Kenny, Jane, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 10, "	Egan, Fannie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 19, "	Herring, Susan, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 19, "	Stewart, James, Pupil Nurse (absence without leave).....	144 00
" 20, "	Walsh, Mary (No. 2), Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00

LODGING HOUSE.

Appointment.

Nov. 22, 1899.	Weisz, Charles E., Investigator (certified by Civil Service November 20, 1899).....	\$600 00
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METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

Appointment.

Nov. 4, 1899.	King, Ervie, Pupil Nurse.....	\$120 00
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Resignations.

Nov. 6, 1899.	Saxton, Ella, Pupil Nurse.....	\$120 00
" 11, "	Burr, Alice, Pupil Nurse.....	120 00

NEW YORK CITY TRAINING SCHOOL.

Salary Increased.

Nov. 9, 1899.	Jamieson, Bertie, Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	\$180 00
" 14, "	Panton, Katherine H., Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	180 00
" 16, "	Vanderhoef, Ida, Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	180 00
" 24, "	Oechslin, Hermine, Pupil Nurse, from \$120 to.....	180 00

Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 25, 1899.	Callender, Dora E., Pupil Nurse (course finished).....	\$180 00
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OUTDOOR POOR.

Transfer.

Nov. 20, 1899.	Kelly, Frank, Clerk (from Department of Correction).....	\$1,000 00
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FORDHAM HOSPITAL.

Appointment.

Nov. 23, 1899.	Ferry Eva, Hospital Helper.....	\$144 00
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Resignation.

Nov. 20, 1899.	Matthews, George, Hospital Helper.....	\$150 00
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HARLEM HOSPITAL.

Appointment.

Nov. 21, 1899.	Patterson, Frank, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
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Resignation.

Nov. 20, 1899.	Mulligan, Nicholas, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
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RANDALL'S ISLAND ASYLUMS AND SCHOOLS.

Appointments.

Oct. 24, 1899.	Mahoney, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
Nov. 1, "	Esherry, Annie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 5, "	Morrell, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 7, "	Lane, Ellen, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 3, "	Trainor, John, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 14, "	Walters, W. H., Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 24, "	Crowe, John, Orderly (certified by Civil Service November 18, 1899).....	300 00
" 24, "	McNamara, James, Orderly (certified by Civil Service November 18, 1899).....	300 00
" 21, "	O'Brien, John, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 24, "	Sperry, Henry V., Hospital Helper.....	120 00

Transferred and Increased.

Nov. 14, 1899.	Regan, William, Hospital Helper (to Infants' Hospital), from \$120 to.....	\$150 00
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Resignations.

Nov. 12, 1899.	Rooney, Lizzie, Orderly.....	\$216 00
Oct. 31, "	Myers, Ann, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 31, "	Bracken, Nellie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 25, "	Reilly, Eliza, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
Nov. 15, "	McCarthy, Maria, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 15, "	Errighi, Sarah, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 13, "	Reid, Thomas F., Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 20, "	Sammon, John, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 22, "	Abieniste, Florence, Hospital Helper.....	120 00

Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 1, 1899.	Connell, Mary, Seamstress (unable to operate machine).....	\$192 00
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Dismissals.

Nov. 2, 1899.	Trainor, James, Hospital Helper, (absence without leave).....	\$120 00
Oct. 23, "	Oates, Celia, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
Nov. 14, "	Tracey, Margaret, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 14, "	Smith, Mary, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 13, "	Mack, Ellen, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 19, "	Croghan, John J., Hospital Helper (intoxication and absence without leave).....	120 00

INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

Appointments.

Nov. 14, 1899.	Boyd, John, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
" 22, "	Bevine, B. J., Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 14, "	Holliver, Rose, Wet Nurse.....	120 00
" 18, "	Devine, Kate, Wet Nurse.....	120 00

Reappointments.

Nov. 24, 1899.	McDonough, Michael, Stoker (certified by Civil Service June 17, 1898; appointed July 2, 1898, Randall's Island Asylum and School; discharged September 15, 1898; reappointed October 18, 1898, Almshouse, at \$300; increased January 1, 1899, from \$300 to \$360; discharged October 17, 1899).....	\$360 00
" 22, "	Mertens, Alfred, Stoker (certified March 21, 1899, application No. 6328; appointed February 17, 1899, at \$360, Almshouse; resigned November 12, 1899).....	360 00

Transferred and Increased.

Nov. 14, 1899.	Regan, William, Hospital Helper (from Randall's Island Asylum and School), from \$120 to.....	\$150 00
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Resignations.

Nov. 13, 1899.	Ryan, Nellie, Orderly.....	\$120 00
" 13, "	Steinberg, Freda, Wet Nurse.....	120 00
" 13, "	Callucci, Katherine, Wet Nurse.....	120 00
" 14, "	Whelan, Mary, Wet Nurse.....	120 00
" 17, "	Woods, Mamie, Wet Nurse.....	120 00
" 18, "	Green, Mary A., Nurse.....	240 00
" 20, "	Gauzie, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 10, 1899.	Corcoran, John, Stoker (absence without leave).....	\$360 00
" 16, "	Byrnes, Louis, Stoker (absence without leave and intoxication).....	360 00
" 13, "	O'Brien, James, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 17, "	Feeley, Terence, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00

STORE-HOUSE.

Appointment.

Nov. 25, 1899.	Brady, Edward J., Watchman (certified by Civil Service November 24, 1899).....	\$500 00
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The following proposals of October 30 were accepted November 20, 1899:

M. C. Sullivan, for	Labor and material necessary to repair and put in operation the Watchman's clock and fire-alarm system at City Hospital, etc., for the sum of ninety-four dollars.....	\$94 00
	Labor and material necessary for installing fire-alarm and Watchman's clock system and auxiliary fire-alarm at Bellevue Hospital, etc., for the sum of thirty-three hundred and sixty-six dollars.....	3,366 00

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1899.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending November 4, 1899:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

During the week 3 new lamps were relighted and 20 discontinued; 50 lamp-posts were removed, 57 reset and 173 straightened; 2 columns were refitted and 31 releaded; 17 service and 21 stand pipes were refitted.

ELECTRICAL WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

249 certificates were issued for interior wiring; 135 permits were issued for outside electrical work; 1,152 inspections were made.

CHANGE IN FORCE.

Borough of Manhattan.

Appointments—3 Junior Clerks, 1 Painter.
Reinstatements—2 Carpenters, 1 Cleaner (female).

Borough of Brooklyn.

Appointments—1 Painter, 1 Tinsmith.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week is \$23,683.58.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks, held Friday, October 27, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M. Present—The full Board.
The Board proceeded to open estimates on Contract No. 668, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

Three estimates were received as follows:

	Per 1,000 feet, B. M.
William Simmons, with security deposit of \$750.....	\$22 95
Charles S. Hirsch, " 750.....	24 38
Naughton & Company " 750.....	24 28

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits submitted by the above bidders, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for furnishing and delivering sawed yellow pine timber, under Contract No. 668, be and hereby is awarded to William Simmons, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company and the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, by the Comptroller. The minutes of the meeting held October 20, 1899, were approved.

The communications from the Engineer-in-Chief, in relation to the proposed erection of a shed on the pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street, and recommending the removal of Pier, old 54, East River, foot of Jackson street, were tabled.

The communication from John Gallagher, requesting a reduction in the rental of the bulkhead, foot of East Thirty-sixth street, he having been deprived of the use of same during the laying of a sewer thereat by the Department of Highways, was referred to the Treasurer.

The following permits were granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Brown & Fleming, to dredge under the dumping boards, foot of Broome and Jackson streets, East river.

New York Steam Company, to repair the inner end of Pier 6, North river, the work to be kept within existing lines.

Hoboken Ferry Company, to make general repairs to its ferry premises foot of Barclay, Christopher and Fourteenth streets, North river, during the ensuing six months, the work to be kept within existing lines and at least twenty-four hours' notice to be given the Engineer-in-Chief before the commencement of any repairs.

Mary Ann Beasley, to repair the breakwater and plank approach leading thereto and adjoining her property at Westfield, Staten Island, the work to be kept within existing lines.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Comptroller—Approving sureties on Contract No. 667, for building a new pier west of Rutgers slip, East river.

From the Corporation Counsel—Transmitting approved form of renewal lease of Pier, new 34, North river, to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. Commissioners authorized to execute same.

From the Consul for Uruguay—Requesting information in relation to the government of the docks in the Port of New York. Secretary directed to furnish same.

From J. Edward Ogden—Transmitting consent of sureties to the extension of time granted for the completion of Contract No. 656.

From Naughton & Company—Transmitting consent of sureties to the extension of time granted for the completion of Contract No. 658.

From the Joy Steamship Company—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolutions adopted October 20, 1899, agreeing to lease to said company Pier, new 27, East river. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of lease.

From the Hammond Typewriter Company—Requesting permission to use the sewer main crossing the exterior street near the foot of East Sixty-ninth street. Permit granted, the consent of the Department of Sewers having been obtained.

From John C. Shaw, attorney, on behalf of Archibald Watt—Requesting permission to berth the steam yacht "American" on the south side of the recreation pier, foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. Application denied.

From Howard Gould—Requesting permission to berth the steam yacht "Niagara" at the pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street. Application denied, the pier being required for the use of general commerce.

From the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique—Requesting that an asphalt pavement be laid in front of and adjoining Pier, new 42, North river.

On motion, the report of the Engineer in Chief on Secretary's Order No. 19576, stating that the cost of the work will be about \$14,000, was placed on file and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to prepare plans and specifications for repairing the pavement extending from the southerly side of Pier, new 42, North river, produced, to the southerly side of Pier, new 43, North river, produced, by laying an asphalt pavement over the present granite pavement thereat, the work to be done under Treasurer's Order, otherwise than by contract, in accordance with the provisions of section 821 of the Greater New York Charter.

From the President:

1st. Recommending that the landing formerly located at the foot of West Forty-second street, be removed to the pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street, for the accommodation of the men-of-war and other vessels using the anchorage opposite. Engineer-in-Chief directed to place said landing on the southerly side of the pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street.

2d. Recommending that the lessees of Pier, new 41, North river, be directed to extend same out to the newly established pierhead line, and that the Department offer to construct such extension and to charge for same, when completed, the sum of five per cent. on the gross cost of the work. Recommendation adopted.

From the Treasurer—Recommending that permission be granted James J. Mooney to use and occupy, during the pleasure of the Board, the dump at the foot of East Seventy-third street, compensation to be paid therefor at the rate of \$250 per annum, commencing from the time said Mooney begins to use the premises. Recommendation adopted.

From the Dock Superintendent—Report for the week ending October 21, 1899.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report for the week ending October 21, 1899.

2d. Reporting the completion of the work of extending Pier, new 45, North river, out to the new pierhead line, and stating that said extension covers an area of land under water of 10,430 square feet. Treasurer authorized to collect rental for the land under water covered by said extension, in accordance with the resolution adopted June 2, 1899.

3d. Recommending that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company be directed to make necessary repairs to the pavement on the bulkhead between Piers, old 26 and 27, East river. Recommendation adopted.

4th. Recommending that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company be directed to make necessary repairs to the fender piles on the outer northerly corner of Pier, new 61, North river, and on the outer southerly corner of Pier, new 62, North river, in accordance with the terms of the leases of said piers. Recommendation adopted.

5th. Reporting dredging required at the north side of the pier foot of Thirteenth street, North river, at the berth occupied by the fireboat "Zophar Mills." Engineer-in-Chief directed to draw requisition and the Treasurer authorized to issue an order for the necessary dredging thereat.

6th. Recommending that dredging be ordered under Contract No. 662, in front of the bulkhead foot of Eightieth street, between Eightieth and Eighty-first street, and in front of the bulkhead foot of Eighty-first street, North river, in order to make the premises available for wharfage purposes. Recommendation adopted.

7th. Recommending that repairs be made by the force of the Department to Piers, old 56½ and old 58½, North river, and to the piers foot of West Twentieth, West Thirtieth and West Fifty-first streets. Recommendation adopted.

The Engineer-in-Chief submitted the following reports on Secretary's Orders:

No. 18010. Stating that the Long Island Railroad Company does not intend to avail itself of the privilege granted March 25, 1898, to construct a bulkhead southerly of Eighth street, East river, and recommending that said permit be revoked. Recommendation adopted.

No. 19568. Submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for building a platform at the foot of Railroad avenue, Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract submitted this day by the Engineer-in-Chief for building a platform at the foot of Railroad avenue, Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx, be and hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Corporation Counsel as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of contract printed and proper advertisements, inviting estimates, inserted in the newspapers designated by law.

No. 19575. Stating that arrangements have been made to temporarily discontinue all work that might interfere with the laying of a Croton water-main across the Harlem river, at the Fordham Landing Dock, as requested by the Department of Water Supply.

No. 19579. Submitting map-plan showing the proposed change and enlargement of the breakwater south of Pier "A," North river. Secretary directed to transmit copy of same to the Secretary of War and to the New York Harbor Lin Board for approval.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Murphy, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending October 27, 1899, amounting to \$4,268.97, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.
1899.			
Oct. 20	Consumers Brewing Co.....	3 mos. rent, bhd., N. of 54th st. (100 ft.), E. R.....	\$37 50
" 20	Peter J. Moran.....	" bath-houses, etc., ft. W. 151st st.....	40 00
" 20	Shanley & Ryan.....	" bhd. and l. u. w. pier at Delancey st., E. R.....	125 00
" 24	John Gallagher.....	" bhd ft. E. 42d st.....	20 84
" 24	Brown & Fleming.....	" dumping-bd. on Pier, old 42, N. R.....	233 34
" 24	"	" " S. side Pier ft. W. 55th st., N. R.....	104 17
" 24	Naughton & Co	" 100 ft. bhd. N. of E. 125th st., with improved land, 10,000 sq. ft.....	250 00
" 24	John Kress Brewing Co.....	3 " bhd. S. of 55th st., E. R. (100 ft.).....	50 00
" 23	J. J. Connors.....	Storage of truck.....	3 00
" 25	Atlas S. S. Co.....	Cost of relaying pavement at Pier, new 55, N. R.....	43 25
" 25	Union Ice Co.....	" " ft. W. 25th st., N. R.....	15 13
" 24	Dock Masters.....	Wharfage, Manhattan, October, 1899.....	1,572 30
" 24	"	" Brooklyn, "	54 62
" 24	Collectors.....	" Manhattan, August, 1899.....	285 03
" 24	Collectors.....	" Brooklyn, August, 1899.....	3 38
" 24	"	" Manhattan, September, 1899.....	1,290 34
" 24	"	" Brooklyn, "	138 57
" 24	"	" Manhattan, October, 1899.....	2 50
Date deposited, October 27, 1899.....			\$4,268 97

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee submitted a report of 11 bills or claims, amounting to \$14,859.05, which had been approved and audited. The report was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes as follows:

Audit No.	Names.	Construction.	Amount.	Total.
18150.	Naughton & Co., Estimate No. 3, and Final Contract No. 658....		\$9,763 66	
18151.	Consolidated Ice Company, ice.....		43 59	\$9,807 25
General Repairs.				
18152.	George E. Plunkitt, paving.....		\$1,964 80	
18153.	The American Band, services of band.....		672 00	
18154.	Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, services of band.....		441 00	
18155.	Thomas H. Joyce, services of band.....		441 00	
18156.	Thomas F. Usher, services of band.....		441 00	
18157.	Newmeyers' Band, services of band.....		336 00	
18158.	John A. Boswald, services of band.....		336 00	
18159.	Thomas Kelly, services of horse, cart and driver.....		210 00	
18160.	Peter McGrath, services of horse, cart and driver.....		210 00	
Total.....				5,051 80
				\$14,859 05

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES F. MURPHY, } Auditing Committee.
PETER F. MEYER, }

The action of the Secretary in transmitting the same, with requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment approved.

The following requisitions were passed:

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
17090.	Dredging.....	\$5,000 00
17091.	White oak timber, per 1,000.....	50 00
17092.	Towing, per hour.....	5 00
17093.	Granite, per cubic foot.....	1 00
17094.	Asphalt pavement, per square yard.....	3 00
17095.	Steel hoisting rope.....	195 00
17096.	Blacksmith shop supplies.....	35 00
17097.	Piles, each.....	8 00
17098.	Piles, each.....	18 00
17099.	White oak piles, each.....	18 00
17100.	Dredging.....	6,000 00
17101.	Sand, per cubic yard.....	70
17102.	Gunny bags.....	625 00
17103.	Printing, etc.....	50 00
Requisition No.		
267Z.	Services of horse, cart and driver.....	210 00
268Z.	Services of horse, cart and driver.....	105 00

The Secretary reported that, in accordance with the order of the Board of October 6, 1899, Philip A. Smyth, auctioneer, offered for sale the lease of the franchise of the ferry from the foot of Grand street, East river, to the foot of Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of ten years from May 1, 1899, at the upset price of \$20,000 per annum, but that no bid was received therefor.

The action of the Secretary in transmitting to the Corporation Counsel the application of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company for an injunction restraining this Department from proceeding with the improvement of the water front between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, North river, was approved.

On motion, the permit granted Richard J. Foster to maintain scales and office near the foot of Morton street, North river, was revoked, to take effect immediately, and said Foster directed to remove the structures at once.

On motion, the Hudson Tunnel Railway Company was directed to remove the structure covering the shaft of the tunnel at the foot of Morton street, North river, and to place thereat a permanent covering on a level with the street.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to notify the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to remove the old iron pipe and debris from the bulkhead in front of Pier, new 29, North river.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Dock Superintendent and Dock Masters of this Department, be and are hereby directed to keep clear of freight and other obstructions, a strip extending fifty feet westerly from the easterly side of the marginal wharf, street or place along the North river, and to strictly enforce the provisions of rule 5, of the Rules and Regulations of this Department, and also to notify the owners of freight left on this strip of land that in case the same be not removed immediately, it will be removed and stored at their cost and expense.

The Secretary reported that the pay-roll for the General Repairs and Construction Force for the week ending October 20, 1899, amounting to \$13,982.36, had been approved, audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance for payment.

The Board went into executive session at 2.20 P. M.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

1st. Advising that Walter S. Graham, William J. Graham, James Gilligan and Joseph Wonneburg have complied with the provisions of the new Civil Service Rules and Regulations in relation to the change of their titles.

2d. Submitting the name of William McVey for appointment as Dock Builder, from the Borough of Richmond.

On motion, said McVey was appointed Dock Builder, with compensation at the rate of 37½ cents per hour while employed.

3d. Submitting list of persons eligible for appointment as Boatman.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That James J. Nedley and John J. McManus, having been certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as eligible, be and they are hereby appointed Boatmen in this Department, with compensation at the rate of \$15 per week while employed.

From the Dock Laborers' Protective Association, in relation to the wages of Laborers.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Stating that the Department requires the services of additional Assistant Engineers.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to request the Municipal Civil Service Commission to hold an examination for persons eligible for promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer.

2d. Recommending that John O'Brien, Dockbuilder, be discharged for incompetency and absence from duty without leave. Recommendation adopted.

3d. Recommending that the Municipal Assembly be requested to consent to the reappointment of John W. Ingalls, Clerk, as Commissioner of Deeds.

On motion, said recommendation was approved, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the compensation of John W. Ingalls, Clerk, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of seventy-six dollars per month, to take effect November 1, 1899.

On motion, the compensation of Samuel Hearn, John H. Ames and James Gilligan, Deckhands, and of William Kiesler, Oiler, was fixed at the rate of \$60 per month, each, commencing November 1, 1899.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That Adam Albrecht be and hereby is temporarily appointed Blacksmith in this Department, in accordance with the provisions of Rule 66 of the Municipal Civil Service Rules and Regulations, there being no Civil Service eligible list for said position.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Report for the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, October 31, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor of The City of New York:

DEAR SIR—Herewith I have the honor to transmit to you a report of the operations of the Department of Buildings of The City of New York for the quarter ending September 30, 1899.

Respectfully,

T. J. BRADY, President, Board of Buildings.

Plans and Specifications for New Buildings Filed and Acted Upon during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	NUMBER OF PLANS.	NUMBER OF BUILDINGS.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses, estimated cost over \$50,000	5	8	\$530,000 00
Dwelling-houses, estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000	5	9	239,000 00
Dwelling-houses, estimated cost less than \$20,000	70	302	2,331,250 00
Flat-houses, estimated cost over \$15,000	166	325	12,508,500 00
Tenement-houses, estimated cost less than \$15,000	80	167	1,420,000 00
Hotels and boarding-houses	5	5	391,500 00
Stores, estimated cost over \$30,000	18	19	3,929,000 00
Stores, estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000	2	2	40,000 00
Stores, estimated cost less than \$15,000	24	28	127,700 00
Office buildings	12	12	1,006,550 00
Manufactories and workshops	58	60	2,370,100 00
School-houses	2	2	106,000 00
Churches	7	7	207,000 00
Public buildings—municipal	3	3	846,000 00
Public buildings—places of amusement, etc.	5	5	199,000 00
Stables	43	45	210,167 00
Frame buildings	535	906	2,594,443 00
Frame tenements and other structures	281	393	1,194,038 00
Totals	1,321	2,298	\$30,250,257 00

Location.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	495	899	\$24,038,815 00
Borough of Brooklyn	543	1,084	5,124,078 00
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	283	315	1,066,464 00
Totals	1,321	2,298	\$30,250,257 00

Plans and Specifications for Alterations to Buildings Filed and Acted Upon during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	NUMBER OF PLANS.	NUMBER OF BUILDINGS.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses	252	268	\$481,936 00
Flats	46	51	87,230 00
Tenements	126	142	175,055 00
Hotels and boarding-houses	38	39	57,300 00
Stores	118	124	246,770 00
Office buildings	22	23	362,060 00
Manufactories and workshops	103	109	229,103 00
School-houses	40	42	157,370 00
Churches	14	14	21,880 00

LOCATION.	NUMBER OF PLANS.	NUMBER OF BUILDINGS.	ESTIMATED COST.
Public buildings	23	27	\$69,900 00
Stables	55	60	70,790 00
Frame buildings	636	693	343,185 00
Totals	1,473	1,591	\$2,302,609 00
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	709	762	\$1,628,599 00
Borough of Brooklyn	471	515	479,397 00
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	293	314	194,613 00
Totals	1,473	1,591	\$2,302,609 00

In addition to the foregoing, applications for ordinary repairs and for the erection of reviewing stands were made as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	720	\$292,301 00
Borough of Brooklyn	429	24,385 00
Totals	1,149	\$316,686 00

Location of New Buildings and Alterations to Buildings Commenced and Completed during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

	COMMENCED	COMPLETED
New Buildings.		
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	904	766
Borough of Brooklyn	1,144	742
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	315	357
Totals	2,263	1,865
Alterations.		
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	845	777
Borough of Brooklyn	528	468
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	314	303
Totals	1,687	1,548

New Buildings in Progress September 30, 1899.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	2,879
Borough of Brooklyn	3,495
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	624
Totals	6,998

Alterations in Progress September 30, 1899.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	756
Borough of Brooklyn	825
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	242
Totals	1,823

Proceedings of the Board of Examiners in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

Number of meetings held	13
Number of cases acted upon	430

Petitions for Modifications of the Law.

	APPROVED.	DISAPPROVED.	TOTAL.
New buildings	264	36	300
Alterations	47	9	56
Iron shutters	62	12	74

Violations of Law and Unsafe Buildings during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

NATURE.	Pending June 30, 1899.	Received Since.	Total for Disposition.	Removed before Action by Courts.	Dismissed.	Total Final Disposition.	Pending Sept. 30, 1899.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective construction, materials, etc.	2,921	2,107	5,118	2,057	14	2,071	3,047	1,991
Erecting, altering or removing without permit, or after disapproval	538	822	1,360	747	3	750	610	738
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes, aisles obstructed, etc.	1,683	753	2,436	1,045	24	1,069	1,367	950
Defective light and ventilation	152	74	226	52	....	52	174	67
Defective plumbing and drainage	824	532	1,356	468	16	484	872	406
Unlicensed plumbers	114	....	114	....	....	....	114	....
Unsafe buildings	1,349	787	2,136	897	54	951	1,185	88
Totals	7,581	5,165	12,746	5,266	111	5,377	7,369	4,240

Location.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	6,194	4,174	10,368	4,166	52	4,218	6,150	3,705
Borough of Brooklyn	1,207	842	2,049	1,039	59	1,098	951	535
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	180	149	329	61	....	61	268	....
Totals	7,581	5,165	12,746	5,266	111	5,377	7,369	4,240

Notices Issued during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

To place fire-escapes on buildings	906
To remove violations of law	5,393
To repair passenger elevators	248
To remove unsafe buildings	1,918
Letters delivered (including notices of disapproval of plans)	10,742
Total	19,207

Location.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	17,976
Borough of Brooklyn	1,082
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond	149
Total	19,207

Complaints Received and Investigated during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

NATURE.	Pending last Report, June 30, 1899.	Received Since.	Total.	Unfounded.	Remedied on Verbal Notice.	Notices to be Issued.	Total.	Now Pending, Sept. 30, 1899.
Defective flues.....	1	5	6	1	..	5	6	..
Defective construction and materials.....	1	121	122	65	4	52	121	1
Defective leaders.....	20	221	241	64	5	165	234	7
Defective plumbing and drainage.....	4	16	20	7	2	9	18	2
Erecting and altering without permit.....	2	66	68	43	..	22	65	3
Fences over ten feet high.....	..	2	2	1	..	1	2	..
Frame structures erected and removed without permit.....	..	49	49	16	..	53	49	..
Front iron shutters which cannot be opened from the outside.....	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes out of repair, etc.....	14	307	321	47	3	252	302	19
No iron shutters.....	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..
Unsafe buildings.....	59	873	932	709	5	161	875	57
Unsafe passenger elevators.....	..	2	2	1	..	1	2	..
Weight that floor will sustain not posted.....	2	3	5	1	..	4	5	..
Woodwork too near flues.....	..	2	2	..	1	1	2	..
Totals.....	103	1,670	1,773	955	20	709	1,684	89
Location.								
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	90	1,249	1,339	833	4	433	1,270	69
Borough of Brooklyn.....	13	257	270	122	16	147	265	5
Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.....	..	164	164	..	..	149	149	15
Totals.....	103	1,670	1,773	955	20	709	1,684	89

Inspection of Passenger Elevators during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

	MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	TOTAL.
Found to be in good order and fit for use.....	1,992	420	2,412
Found not in compliance with the law.....	180	4	184
Number inspected.....	2,172	424	2,596

Disposition of Cases Found Not in Compliance with Law.

NATURE.	Pending last Report, June 30, 1899.	Received Since.	Total.	Law complied with.	Now Pending, Sept. 30, 1899.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective cylinders.....	2	3	5	4	1	1
Defective guide rails, posts and gibs.....	1	3	4	3	1	..
Defective running gear.....	10	24	34	25	9	9
Doors and door locks out of repair.....	10	25	35	16	19	10
Fronts of cars unprotected.....	10	2	12	8	4	4
Generally unsafe.....	9	11	20	12	8	4
New ropes required.....	19	66	85	62	23	10
Run by persons under 18 years of age and incompetent persons.....	..	2	2	1	1	..
Safety attachments out of order.....	21	36	57	40	17	7
No grating under overhead machinery.....	20	12	32	12	20	7
Totals.....	102	184	286	183	103	52
Location.						
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	87	180	267	176	91	48
Borough of Brooklyn.....	15	4	19	7	12	4
Totals.....	102	184	286	183	103	52

Pieces of Iron and Steel Inspected during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

PIECES INSPECTED.	BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	TOTALS.
Beams.....	48,667	3,588	52,255
Columns.....	7,874	982	8,856
Girders.....	593	53	646
Lintels.....	369	65	434
Mullions.....	306	.....	306
Bases.....	1,062	93	1,155
Angles.....	3,798	105	3,903
Channels.....	2,402	306	2,708
Trusses.....	60	.....	60
Tees.....	627	.....	627
Brackets.....	8	.....	8
Plates.....	1,084	.....	1,084
Totals.....	66,850	5,192	72,042

Total Number of Inspections, with Reports Thereon, Made by Inspectors during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

	BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	BOROUGH OF QUEENS AND RICHMOND.	TOTALS.
By Construction Inspectors.....	86,535	103,601	3,115	193,251
By Iron and Steel Inspectors.....	6,052	5,611	.....	11,663
By Elevator Inspectors.....	2,172	424	.....	2,596
By Plumbing and Drainage, and Light and Ventilation Inspectors.....	66,275	11,372	645	78,292
Totals.....	161,034	121,008	3,760	285,802

Number of Buildings Inspected and Total Number of Inspections during the Quarter ending September 30, 1899, in Relation to Plumbing and Drainage and Light and Ventilation.

	IN THE BOROUGH OF	TENEMENTS.		MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTALS.
		As to Light and Ventilation.	As to Plumbing and Drainage.	As to Plumbing and Drainage.	
Under Inspection June 30, 1899.....	Manhattan and The Bronx....	1,429	1,124	695	5,025
	Brooklyn.....	.....	408	1,204
	Queens and Richmond.....	.....	.....	175
Commenced during the quarter.....	Manhattan and The Bronx....	764	505	891	3,647
	Brooklyn.....	.....	199	1,164
	Queens and Richmond.....	.....	.....	124
Completed during the quarter.....	Manhattan and The Bronx....	227	238	302	2,115
	Brooklyn.....	.....	149	978
	Queens and Richmond.....	.....	.....	221
Under inspection September 30, 1899.....	Manhattan and The Bronx....	1,966	1,391	1,284	6,567
	Brooklyn.....	.....	458	1,391
	Queens and Richmond.....	.....	.....	78

Total Number of Inspections during the Quarter.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	66,275
Borough of Brooklyn.....	11,372
Borough of Queens and Richmond.....	645
Total.....	78,292

Petitions for Modifications of the Law acted on by Board of Buildings during Quarter ending September 30, 1899.

	APPROVED.	DISAPPROVED.	TOTALS.
New buildings.....	12	4	16
Alterations.....	3	0	3
Total.....	15	4	19

Comparative Statement, Third Quarter, 1898 and 1899.

	MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS AND RICHMOND.	TOTAL, 1898.	MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS AND RICHMOND.	TOTAL, 1899.
Applications filed for new buildings and alterations.....	1,819	1,735	774	4,328	2,381	2,028	629	5,038
Estimated cost of new buildings and alterations.....	\$18,012,533	\$4,466,095	\$742,060	\$23,220,688	\$25,979,715	\$5,628,750	\$1,261,077	\$32,869,552
New buildings commenced.....	832	750	276	1,858	904	1,044	315	2,263
New buildings completed.....	771	656	203	1,630	766	742	357	1,865
Alterations commenced.....	692	502	476	1,670	845	528	314	1,687
Alterations completed.....	610	463	441	1,514	777	468	303	1,548
Number of cases acted upon by the Board of Examiners.....	322	.....	.....	322	430	.....	.....	430
Fire-escape cases reported by Inspectors.....	160	20	.....	180	485	119	149	753
Fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	80	13	.....	93	707	183	.....	950
Inspections made of passenger elevators.....	2,184	390	.....	2,574	2,172	424	.....	2,596
Defective passenger elevators reported by Inspectors.....	94	3	.....	97	180	4	.....	184
Defective passenger elevators made safe on notice from Department.....	104	10	.....	114	176	7	.....	183
Defective passenger elevator cases forwarded for prosecution.....	18	.....	.....	18	48	4	.....	52
Unsafe buildings made safe or taken down.....	743	47	.....	790	828	69	.....	897
Violations removed.....	1,324	272	.....	1,596	2,702	655	.....	3,357
Complaints received and investigated.....	1,193	156	.....	1,349	1,249	257	164	1,670
Notices issued.....	13,327	1,417	.....	14,744	17,976	1,182	149	19,207
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	65,206	3,146	.....	68,352	66,850	5,192	.....	72,042
Inspections of plumbing and drainage and light and ventilation.....	51,529	9,496	.....	60,955	66,275	11,372	645	78,292

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

IN BOARD OF EXAMINERS, NOVEMBER 14, 1899.

The Board of Examiners met this day at 3.15 P.M.
Present—Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx (in the chair), and Messrs. Dobbs, Croker, D'Oench, Conover, O'Reilly, Fryer and Moore.

Absent—Mr. McMillan.

The minutes of November 9, 1899, were read and, on motion, approved.

Petitions were then submitted for approval, as follows:

Plan 1523, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the main hall partitions to be constructed of 4-inch I beams set vertical 30 inches on centres and filled in between with 4-inch porous terra-cotta or hard-burnt brick; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch angle or tee irons, 24 inches apart and filled in with 2-inch fireproof clay blocks, as stated in petition; Nos. 1517 and 1519 Third avenue. Petitioners, Sass and Smallheiser. Approved.

Plan 1508, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow partitions inclosing first story entrance hallway to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee iron frame, spaced 30 inches apart, filled in with 4-inch terra-cotta blocks and plastered on both sides; ceiling to be constructed of 2-inch tee iron, spaced 24 inches apart, filled in between with 2-inch terra-cotta blocks and plastered on under side, as stated in petition; Nos. 230 and 232 East Twenty-fifth street. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 1512, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the main entrance hall to be constructed of 4-inch I beams, 30 inches on centres, filled in with 4-inch thick hollow fireclay blocks and plastered; ceiling of said hall to be constructed of 2-inch by 2-inch angles, 24 inches on centres and filled in with 2-inch thick hollow fireclay blocks, as stated in petition; Nos. 117 and 119 Avenue C. Petitioner, Michael Bernstein. Approved.

Plan 1623, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the first-story entrance hall to be inclosed by fireproof partitions, constructed of 4-inch I beams and channels, set not more than 30 inches on centres and properly braced, built in with 4 inches of hard burnt brickwork laid in cement mortar and plastered on both sides; ceiling in said hall to be constructed of 2-inch hard burnt blocks supported on 2-inch tees laid 2 feet apart and plastered on under side; also to allow the second-story staircase wall at light court to be built 12 inches thick and laid in cement mortar, said wall being non-bearing and about 53 feet high from the second floor to top of roof, all as stated in petition; No. 117 Mott street. Petitioners, Horenburger and Straub. Approved.

Plan 1627, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow partitions inclosing first-story entrance hallway to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee-iron frame, spaced 30 inches apart, filled in between with 4-inch terra-cotta blocks and plastered on both sides; ceiling to be constructed of 2-inch tee-iron, spaced 24 inches apart, filled in between with 2-inch terra-cotta blocks and plastered on under side, as stated in petition; Nos. 231 and 233 East Twenty-fourth street. Petitioner, Geo. Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 589, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, in place of brick arches; the under side of I beams to be covered with wire lath; also to allow the same system of fireproofing to be used over vestibule on first floor and bulkhead on roof, all as stated in petition; northwest corner of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street. Petitioners, Neville and Bagge. Approved. Mr. D'Oench voting No.

Plan 995, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, in place of brick arches; the under side of I beams will be covered with wire lath, as stated in petition; Nos. 320 and 322 East Fifth street. Petitioner, Michael Bernstein. Approved. Mr. D'Oench voting No.

Plan 1599, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow walls shown to be built of thickness as indicated, which are 8 inches and 12 inches, to the height of 51 feet; also to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, in place of brick arches; the under side of I beams to be covered with wire lath, as stated in petition; No. 145 Second avenue. Petitioner, Charles B. Meyers. Denied.

Plan 823, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the Roebing fireproof construction to be used throughout for construction of floor arches, as stated in petition; east side of Sedgwick avenue, 100 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street. Petitioners, Schickel and Ditmars. Laid over.

Plan 1312, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the omission of fireproofing around elevator shaft and, instead, cover the top and bottom of car with metal, as stated in petition; north side of Eighty-seventh street, 95 feet west of Broadway. Petitioner, Frank H. Presby. Approved; Messrs. Croker and D'Oench voting No.

Plan 1178, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches; the lower flanges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath; also to allow the same system of fireproofing to be applied to vestibule on first story and bulkhead on roof, all as stated in petition; north side of Sixty-ninth street, 345 feet west of Amsterdam avenue. Petitioner, Wilber M. Gaige. Approved.

Plan 1464, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the omission of the 8-inch brick wall in front part of basement where shaft is omitted in house No. 2, and put in place a row of 2 to 8 inch 18-pound beams supported on two 7-inch diameter 3/4-inch metal columns, covered with fireclay blocks and resting on 8-inch thick stone bases, as stated in petition; Nos. 118 and 120 Elizabeth street. Petitioner, Charles Rentz. Approved.

Plan 653, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow a covered passage to be constructed on roof of building, the same to connect the easterly elevator with No. 14 Cortlandt street, said passage to be constructed of tee and angle irons, filled in with 4-inch partition blocks in the usual way, and covered on the outside with copper, as stated in petition; Nos. 16, 18 and 20 Cortlandt street. Petitioner, Cyrus L. W. Eidlitz. Approved.

Plan 2264, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow a column consisting of 1/2-inch metal to be used instead of 3/4-inch column, being cast-iron, 12 inches by 12 inches, as stated in petition; north side of One Hundred and Fourth street, 150 feet east of Second avenue. Petitioner, W. C. Dickerson. Denied.

Plan 2383, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow building to be used as an office for filing records, without increasing thickness of walls, as new piers, posts and girders will be of ample strength to safely sustain the floors without the assistance of walls, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; west side of Park avenue, 25 feet south of Forty-ninth street. Petitioner, George A. Nichols. Approved.

Plan 2444, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow front wall to be built as shown on plan and section, said wall to be of brick, laid up in cement mortar and is non-bearing; wall to be supported by two 20-inch 80 pound steel I beams at first story ceiling level; also to allow the building of new wall connecting passageways, all as shown and as stated in petition; Nos. 225 and 227 Fifth avenue. Petitioners, George Edward Harding and Gooch. Approved.

Plan 2455, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the building of an 8-inch wall 23 feet 4 inches long and not exceeding 15 feet high to coping, as stated in petition; No. 516 West Twenty-fourth street. Petitioner, Henry Davidson. Approved on condition that the wall is laid in cement mortar.

Plan 2456, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow iron columns to be used as marked on plan and as stated in petition; No. 415 Hudson street. Petitioners, McBrien and Peckworth. Approved.

Fireproof Shutters—Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on windows of the second, third and fourth stories of the north and south walls, for reason as stated in petition; Nos. 97 and 99 Greenwich street. Petitioner, J. E. Scattergood. Petition granted on recommendation of Mr. Fryer.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on windows of the south front of extension, for reason as stated in petition; No. 329 West Twelfth street. Petitioner, Mary E. Plummer, Trustee. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, 6.20 P.M.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk to Board.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

EXPENDITURES FOR OCTOBER, 1899.

Coal and wood.....	\$15,788 74
Land.....	107,878 52
Laying mains.....	37,010 65
Miscellaneous supplies.....	22,826 00
Oil.....	2,356 32
Pay-rolls.....	117,218 29
Rent.....	1,193 10
Repairs.....	2,103 39
Taxes.....	1,343 08
Transportation.....	1,573 20
Water contracts.....	37,754 11
	<u>\$347,045 40</u>

LIABILITIES FOR OCTOBER, 1899.

Coal and wood.....	\$735 65
Laying mains.....	48,639 00
Miscellaneous supplies.....	24,586 14
Repairing pavement.....	548 36
Repairs.....	6,970 80
Transportation.....	1,958 50
High Service Works.....	74,556 90
	<u>\$157,995 35</u>

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 1111.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Union M. E. Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

Northeast corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-eighth street;
Northwest corner of Broadway and Forty-eighth street; and
One in front of the church edifice or building, No. 227 West Forty-eighth street;
—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until December 10, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 14, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, November 17, 1899.

No. 1112.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Albert H. Bischof to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises at the northwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the said lamp-post and lamp shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, and shall not be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 14, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, November 21, 1899.

No. 1113.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Russell to erect a show window on the Fifteenth street side of his premises on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Fifteenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, said window to be erected within the area line and not to extend more than four feet six inches from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Council, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, November 21, 1899.

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, November 28, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of law, I beg leave to notify you of the following appointments, reinstatements, etc., in the various city departments:

APPOINTMENTS.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Barnet Cohn, No. 109 Ridge street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 22, 1899.
Andrew Flynn, No. 111 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Harry P. Kyle, No. 238 West Sixty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Jacob Landusky, No. 237 West Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Bernard Cosgrove, No. 484 Ninth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
James Doyle, No. 237 East Forty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Napoleon Williams, No. 227 East Seventy-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Anthony J. Warner, No. 571 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Patrick Walsh, No. 419 West Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Vincenzo Vichio, No. 306 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Pietro Taverna, No. 315 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
George Stickler, No. 606 East Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Edward Sullivan, No. 847 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
James McLoughlin, No. 161 East Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Nicola Cammarano, No. 342 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Robert M. Caffrey, No. 27 Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Michael McGrath, No. 631 Eleventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Edward Marshall, No. 230 West Sixty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Rafaelo Masuchio, No. 308 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Michael Keely, No. 91 Sheriff street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 13, 1899.
James E. Glynn, No. 119 West Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Francesco Farrara, No. 314 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Edward Connolly, No. 223 West Sixty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Max Fruchthandler, No. 42 Pitt street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Arthur F. Duffy, No. 440 West Thirty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Michael Clifford, No. 64 Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 13, 1899.
Hugh Reid, No. 443 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Henry Berry, No. 406 West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Peter Carroll, No. 343 West Forty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Philip Sheridan, No. 526 West Forty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Joseph Mandere, No. 541 Ninth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
Joseph Handy, No. 250 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Pasquale Papa, No. 134 1/2 Thompson street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Samuel Hausman, No. 115 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
William Traynor, No. 312 East Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Timothy J. Sheehan, No. 307 East Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
William Dillard, No. 246 West Sixty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
James Dolan, No. 336 East Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
Charles H. Barnes, No. 230 West Sixty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.

Christopher Masterson, No. 600 East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 James Williamson, No. 621 East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Frank Gilligan, No. 543 East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Edward Reilly, No. 145 East Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 James P. Maher, No. 605 West Forty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Michael H. Eagan, No. 1053 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Fred Galoway, No. 529 West Forty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Caspar Zwald, No. 418 West Forty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Thomas Cunningham, No. 539 West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 George R. Ransom, No. 512 West Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Patrick Murphy, No. 180 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Charles J. Hoffman, No. 2347 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 Anthony J. Brennan, No. 155 West One Hundredth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Joseph Fallon, No. 200 East One Hundred and Ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 John P. Jaques, No. 3 James slip, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Bosh Mitchell, No. 18 Minnetta lane, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 Edward P. Greene, No. 170 Perry street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 Jacob C. Meisel, No. 157 East Eighty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Michael Killeen, No. 4 Hamilton street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 Donato Piciano, No. 59 Bayard street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 Edward J. Degnan, No. 306 East Forty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 James Mitchell, No. 313 East Thirty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 John L. Higgins, No. 1463 Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from Nov. 13, 1899.
 John Tarrent, No. 314 East Forty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 John J. Cowen, No. 234 East Seventy-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.
 Napoleon Williams, No. 227 East Seventy-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 13, 1899.

Department of Highways.

Michele Corio, Rosebank, Borough of Richmond, Laborer, \$2 per day, from November 4, 1899.
 Pasquale Remonillo, Rosebank, S. I., Borough of Richmond, Laborer, \$2 per day, from November 4, 1899.
 Reinhard, Deibel, Clifton, S. I., Borough of Richmond, \$2 per day, from November 4, 1899.
 Antonio Stabile, Rosebank, S. I., Borough of Richmond, Laborer, \$2 per day, from November 4, 1899.

Department of Water Supply.

Edward A. Earle, Rockville Centre, Borough of Brooklyn, Cleaner, \$2 per day, from November 10, 1899.
 John Galvin, Huntington, L. I., Borough of Brooklyn, Cleaner, \$2 per day, from November 10, 1899.
 Edward E. Lyons, Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx, Laborer, from November 17, 1899.

Department of Education.

Joseph Connor, No. 432 Pearl street, Cleaner, \$20 per month, from November 13, 1899.
 Anna T. Durkin, No. 251 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Waitress, \$20 per month, from November 1, 1899.

Brooklyn Library.

Hattie Gallinagh, No. 74 Cedar street, Borough of Brooklyn, Cleaner, \$12 per month, from November 27, 1899.

Police Department.

Henry Michke, No. 615 East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Harness Maker, from November 1, 1899.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nellie McCarthy, New Dorp, S. I., Borough of Richmond, Cleaner, \$30 per month, from December 1, 1899.

REINSTATEMENTS.**Department of Street Cleaning.**

Frank D. George, No. 58 James street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 25, 1899.
 William Roberts, No. 805 Washington street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 27, 1899.
 Nicolo Demato, No. 307 Monroe street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 23, 1899.
 Julius Sans, No. 265 West Thirty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, under date of November 23, by order of the Court.
 Dennis Goss, No. 243 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 24, 1899.
 Roco Mansella, No. 274 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from November 24, 1899.

Department of Highways.

Michael Frabasilio, No. 31 Crosby street, Borough of Manhattan, Toolman, \$2 per day, from November 22, 1899.
 John Conrad, No. 149 William street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, Laborer, \$2 per day, from November 20, 1899.
 John Horan, No. 38 North William street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, Laborer, \$2 per day, from November 27, 1899.

Department of Sewers.

Hugh W. McCormack, No. 145 West One Hundred street, Borough of Manhattan, Assistant Foreman, \$3 per day, from November 24, 1899.

CHANGE OF TITLE.**Department of Street Cleaning.**

John Flannagan, No. 500 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to Sweeper, from November 24, 1899.
 Walter P. Ward, No. 1262 Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx, from Assistant to Stable Foreman to Assistant to Section Foreman, from November 24, 1899.
 William J. Curtin, No. 761 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx, from Assistant to Section Foreman to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from November 24, 1899.
 Peter Link, No. 652 East Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to Sweeper, from November 20, 1899.
 Patrick Levines, No. 1636 Second avenue, William O'Callaghan, No. 244 East Eighty-fourth street, James Cooney, No. 369 Pleasant avenue, and William Johnson, No. 163 East One Hundred and Fourth street, all in the Borough of Manhattan, from Mechanic's Helper to Harness Makers, from November 17, 1899.

Department of Docks.

John Mulleady, Borough of Manhattan, from Dock Builder to Ship Carpenter, from November 12, 1899.
 John Mullins and Peter J. Kearny, Borough of Manhattan, from Dock Builders to Ship Carpenters, from November 24, 1899.
 Daniel Bremmer, Martin J. Delaney, Patrick Rigney, John M. Sonza, Alexander Baird, Stephen J. Collins, James Harrigan, Barnett Sanders, Charles A. Bond, Mathew J. Drum, John F. Gately, Albert Lyons and John Vesey, Borough of Manhattan, from Dockbuilders to Ship Carpenters, from November 10, 1899.

Department of Water Supply.

Michael J. Donnelly, No. 555 DeKalb avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, from Laborer to Pipe Caulker, from November 24, 1899.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Edward A. Schneer, No. 176 Eldridge street, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Foreman of Cleaners, from November 27, 1899.

Respectfully yours,

F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
 NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, 2 P. M., November 22, 1899.

The Hons. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor; Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, and John Whalen, Corporation Counsel, the officers designated by section 1526, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, met this day.

The minutes of the meeting of October 27, 1899, were approved as printed.

The Supervisor presented a letter from the "Irish American," making application to be placed upon the list of newspapers designated to publish city official notices.

On motion of the Comptroller, and by concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the said letter was ordered to be placed on file.

The Supervisor presented for audit and approval the bill of P. J. Collison & Co., amounting to \$75, for printing 400 copies assignments of Justices, Supreme Court, Kings County.

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, and by concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the Supervisor was directed to forward the bill to the Finance Department for payment.

On motion of the Comptroller, and by concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That, dating on and after November 22, 1899, the compensation of William H. Levett, Bookbinder, in the office of the City Record, detailed to the office of the Register, New York County, be and the same hereby is fixed at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and

Resolved, That, dating on and after November 22, 1899, the compensation of John McMahon, Bookbinder, in the office of the City Record and detailed to the Department of Health, be and the same hereby is fixed at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and

Resolved, That, dating on and after November 22, 1899, the compensation of Robert McManus, Bookbinder, in the office of the City Record and detailed to the Department of Finance, be and the same hereby is fixed at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

The Supervisor submitted estimates received for supplying the courts, departments and bureaus of the Government of The City of New York with the books required for use on January 1, 1900.

On motion of the Mayor, and by concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is authorized to procure, by direct order, the books required for the use of the various departments, courts and bureaus on January 1, 1900; and be it further

Resolved, That in case there should be any change in the specifications for the books required before January 1, 1900, by any of the departments, courts and county offices, as per the lists submitted, or if a smaller or larger number should be required than that embraced in the lists submitted, the difference in price shall be adjusted by the Supervisor of the City Record, subject to the approval of the Board of City Record.

The Supervisor submitted requisition from the Supreme Court, First Department, for stationery supplies required for immediate use.

On motion of the Mayor, and by concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is authorized to procure, by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by said requisition, not exceeding the estimate this day submitted by the Supervisor, as shown thereon, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

Adjourned.

WM. A. BUTLER, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR

NOVEMBER 28, 1899.

William P. Schoen, residing at No. 65 East Ninety-third street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, an Inspector of Common Schools for the Twenty-eighth School District of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx of said city, for the unexpired portion of a term of five years from July 1, 1899.

NEW YORK, November 28, 1899.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—The Mayor directs me to transmit to you herewith, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the above memorandum of appointment made by him this day.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
 OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE
 BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
 ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,
 November 28, 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 I have this day accepted the resignation of William Kennedy, Laborer in this Department.

Respectfully yours,

AUGUST MOEBUS,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
 BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
 ROOM NO. 14, CITY HALL,
 BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
 November 27, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby notify you that I have made the following appointment in this Department:
 November 20, 1899. John F. Maillie, Steam Roller No. 3, at \$10 per day.

Yours very truly,

GEO. V. BROWER,
Commissioner.**BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.**

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS,
 NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, ROOM 1911,
 BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 NEW YORK, November 28, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that, in accordance with Rules Nos. 29 and 33 of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, which relates to appointments for a temporary period of those graded highest in the open, competitive examinations, conducted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, any person willing to accept such temporary appointment, etc., I have appointed temporarily and on probation, at one hundred dollars per month, on condition that they furnish their own typewriting machines, and subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by section 134, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the following named typewriters of the Muni-

cipal Civil Service Commission, to take effect on December 1, 1899, viz.:

Henry V. Winans, No. 204 South Fourth street, Brooklyn.
 William Connell, No. 96 South Elliot place, Brooklyn.
 Jacob T. Koenig, No. 27 First avenue, N. Y.
 James T. Fitzwilliam, No. 49 Prince street, Brooklyn.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN T. NAGLE,

Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
 CITY OF NEW YORK,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 PARK ROW BUILDING,
 MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
 November 24, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I respectfully notify you of the following reinstatement in the Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx:
 John Clark, Dock Builder, at \$2.50 per day, to take effect November 27, 1899. Resigned October 4, 1899.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA,

Commissioner of Bridges, City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
 CITY OF NEW YORK,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 PARK ROW BUILDING,
 MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
 November 24, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I respectfully notify you of the following permanent appointments in the Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with notice from Civil Service, dated November 22, 1899:

William Stapleton, No. 476 Brook avenue, Carpenter.
 Michael J. Barry, No. 523 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, Painter.

Andrew J. Walsh, No. 898 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Painter.
 —at \$3.50 per day, to take effect November 27, 1899.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA,

Commissioner of Bridges, City of New York.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, November 28, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held to day, the compensation of John Kenny, Jr., Inspector of Masonry, was increased from \$4 per day to \$4.50 per day.

Very respectfully,
HARRY W. WALKER,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 29, 1899.

To whom it may concern:

The Committee on Law Department of the Council will hold a public hearing at 1 o'clock P. M., on Friday, December 1, 1899, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, to hear objections to proposed changes in the ordinances relative to plumbers and licenses for drivers.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor
ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

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 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. MCCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON 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. ADER, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.
The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KENAN, 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. KEARNEY, 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.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

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

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JAMES J. COOGAN, President.
IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 1 Borough Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HORS, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 200 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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

Auditing Bureau.

JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Manhattan.
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of The Bronx.
WILLIAM McKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Queens.
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
JOHN KELLEHER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
JAMES E. STANFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.
MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.
JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.
JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.
JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.
MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.
JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 18th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.
THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.
JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.
MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.
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WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner Sewers, Borough of Queens.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN L. SHRA, Commissioner.
THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy.
SAMUEL R. PROBASCO, Chief Engineer.
MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.
HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
W. G. BYRNE, Water Register.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough Brooklyn, Municipal Building.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.
THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner.
F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan, No. 346 Broadway.
PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37 Municipal Building.
JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.

GEO. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.
WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.
JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.
EDWARD I. MILLER, Deputy Commissioner for Richmond.

LAW DEPARTMENT.*Office of Corporation Counsel.*

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.
THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.
WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.
ADRIAN T. KIRKMAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.*Central Office.*

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD J. YORK, President of the Board; JOHN B. SEXTON, JACOB HESS, HENRY E. ABELL, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.*Central Office.*

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioners for Manhattan and Bronx.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.
ADOLPH SIMS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
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JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.*Central Office.*

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.
N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.*Headquarters.*

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph.
JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
GEORGE E. MURPHY, Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan The Bronx and Richmond.
ALONZO BRYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
Central Office open at all hours.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.
J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., THE PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, *ex-officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex-officio*, Commissioners.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.
CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.
EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.
ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.
OBER L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.
JOHN L. FERRY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUST MORBUS, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Main Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
THOMAS J. BRADY, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
JOHN GUILFOYLE, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.
DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.
A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.
Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
THOMAS L. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHEEHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Room 1911. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Chief of Bureau.

Municipal Statistical Commission: FREDERICK W. GRUBE, LL.D., HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY, ANTONIO RASINES, JULIUS G. KUGELMAN, RICHARD T. WILSON Jr., ERNEST HARVIER.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ALEXANDER T. MASOP and WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, Commissioners.
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.*BOARD OF EDUCATION.*

No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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JOSEPH J. LITTLE, President; ARTHUR McMULLEN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, President; GEORGE BROWN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Queens.

Flushing, L. I.
F. DE HAAS SIMONSON, President; JOSEPH H. PATRICK, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Richmond.

Stapleton, Staten Island.
JOHN T. BURKE, President; FRANKLIN C. VITT, Secretary.

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Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff; HENRY P. MULVANY, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
FRANK D. CREAMER, Sheriff; WILLIAM J. BOGENSHUTZ, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM CAS BAKER, Sheriff; WILLIAM METHVEN, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS ACKER, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.
HENRY F. HAGGERTY, Register.
WILLIAM BARRE, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES WELDE, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue.
H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

3 Court-house.
WILLIAM A. FURRY, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 325 Fulton street.
EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.

EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, RICHMOND COUNTY.

CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
J. HOWARD VAN NAME, Deputy.

NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SOMMER, County Clerk.
GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. WUEST, County Clerk.
WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Deputy.

QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens. Office hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN H. SUTPHIN, County Clerk.
CHARLES DOWNING, Deputy County Clerk.

RICHMOND COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH SIMONSON, County Clerk.
CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASA BIRD GARDNER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McKenna, Chief Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn.
Hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HIRSH R. STEELE, District Attorney; ARTHUR H. WALKLEY, Chief Clerk.

QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

GEORGE W. DAVISON, District Attorney.

RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan.
Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.
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SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway.
Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; WARREN W. FOSTER, CHARLES A. JACKSON, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, W. H. OLMSTED, LUDWIG F. THOMA, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STERKS, Magistrate.
Eighth District—Coney Island. J. LOTT NOSTRAND, Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.
Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LUKE J. CONNORTON, Magistrate.
Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CROAK, Magistrate.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.
Secretary to the Board, FRANK J. GARDNER, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
GEORGE B. ABBOTT, Surrogate; MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

KINGS COUNTY TREASURER

Court-house, Room 14.
JOHN W. KIMBALL, Treasurer; THOMAS F. FARRELL, Deputy Treasurer.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF RECORDS.

Kings County—Room 7, Hall of Records.
GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.
FRANK M. THORBURN, Deputy Commissioner.

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SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 2.
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III, Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V, Room No. 23.
Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 31.
Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 30.
Special Term, Part VIII, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Part IX, Room No. 23.
Special Term, Part X, Room No. 22.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.

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CITY COURT.

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

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, JR., County Judges.
CHARLES Y. VAN DOREN, Chief Clerk.

QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.
HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at 11 o'clock.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and JAMES A. BLANCHARD, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Supreme Court, Part I, Criminal Trial Term.
Held in the building for Criminal Courts. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.
EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOLZ, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFEGLE, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

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

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

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

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-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. TIERNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
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 GOHLING-ROST, 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 FURGUSON, 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. KADIER, 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. DASON, 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 REYNAUD, 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.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record.
SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

CHANGE 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.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF THE CITY OF New York hereby give notice that the cost of the following named local improvements is greater than the estimate heretofore made therefor, viz:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
List 6133, No. 1. Grading West Seventeenth street, from Canal avenue to Surf avenue, Thirty-first Ward (Town of Gravesend). \$540.25.

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 West Seventeenth street, from Canal avenue to Surf avenue, and blocks bounded by Stillwell avenue, Canal avenue, Neptune avenue and West Twenty-first street; Neptune avenue, Surf ave-

nue, West Nineteenth street and West Sixteenth street, including Block Nos. 678, 679, 685, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739 and 740. Thirty-first Ward (Town of Gravesend).—and that said Board of Assessors has added to the assessments heretofore laid for said improvements, the said excess of the cost over said estimate and apportioned the same upon the several parcels of land according to their respective proportions of the original assessment, and the said Board of Assessors has prepared lists showing the amounts of such additions, and the same are now on file in the office of said Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, where the same can be examined by all persons interested, and that the said Board will meet in the said office on the 26th day of December, 1899, at 11 A. M., to hear objections (if any) to the same.

EDWARD McCUE, EDWARD CAHILL, THOS. 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, November 23, 1899.

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 BROOKLYN.

List 6072, No. 1. Grading Seventh avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to old city line.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5992, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street), from Webster avenue to Jerome avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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 Seventh avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to Fifty-ninth street and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, from Webster to Jerome avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before December 26, 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, THOS. 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, November 23, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, November 17, 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

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1899.

FOR 500 CUBIC YARDS OF MARCELLUS SHALE SANDSTONE SCREENINGS TO BE DELIVERED, WHERE AND WHEN REQUIRED, ON PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AND WITHIN ONE MILE OF PROSPECT PARK.

The above to be equal in quality to the stone taken from the shale beds near Matamoras, Pike County, Pennsylvania.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.
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 was 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 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.

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 hereinafter called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not hereinafter 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.

Blank forms for proposals for the contract, and information relative thereto, can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
AUGUST MOEBUS,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with three copies of the Enrollment Books used on the days of Registration at the last General Election will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York until 12 o'clock M.

FRIDAY, THE 8th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Copies of Enrollment Books," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

Bidders will state a price for the work and materials furnished in accordance with the specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity is to be delivered as stated in the specifications and as shall be directed by the Superintendent of Elections of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Board of Police reserves the right to reject all the bids received if deemed for the best interests of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the Superintendent of Elections of The City of New York, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.
WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, November 25, 1899.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, 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.

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

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: Boots, 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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
No. 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 laying out and locating a Public Park and approach to the First Avenue Bridge, bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 6th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and locating 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 15th day of November, 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 laying out and locating a public park and approach to the First Avenue Bridge, bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and locating of the above-named public park and bridge approach, at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 6th day of December, 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 laying out and locating of the above-named public park and bridge approach 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 for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of December, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated New York, November 21, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX,
November 29, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR WHISKEY AND BRANDY TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Whiskey and Brandy, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

All goods to be delivered to Dr. Charles A. Rice, Chemist, Department of Public Charities, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First avenue.

4 barrels Pure Rye Whiskey, copper-distilled, two-stamp, not less than four years old from date of warehouse entry stamp, to be consigned by bill of lading to the Department of Correction. Upon its arrival in the City at the terminal of the Transportation Company, the contractor is to notify the Department, which will provide for its cartage. All expenses, except cartage from terminal, to be borne by contractor. A gauger's certificate is to accompany the bill. Price per proof gallon.

25 gallons (more or less, California Brandy, not less than four years old, in quantities of 4½ gallons, as required. Price per proof gallon: No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.

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 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the per-

son 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 in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall 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 State or National Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to 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 will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

The terms of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, 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.

MEATS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING all the Meats required for the year 1900 to the Department of Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

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and to be as follows, viz:

750,000 pounds, more or less, of beef. Deliveries to be 5 forequarters to a hindquarters. To be of good merchantable quality well fattened native steer beef, New York State dressed, forequarters not to weigh less than 185 pounds, hindquarters not to weigh less than 155 pounds.

No Bull or Cow Beef will be received.

150,000 pounds more or less of Mutton by the carcass to weigh not less than 45 nor more than 60 pounds.

No backs or stags will be received.

4,000 pounds more or less of Veal by the carcass to weigh not less than 100 pounds nor more than 150 pounds.

All to be more or less.

ALL BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL USED BY THIS DEPARTMENT TO BE FROM ANIMALS KILLED AND DRESSED IN NEW YORK STATE.

See specifications for full details.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, 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 TWENTY THOUSAND (20,000) 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. 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 trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they 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 articles 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Thousand Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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 will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS WHITE ASH COAL, 2,240 POUNDS TO THE TON FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 1,000 tons Coal for the year ending December 31, 1900, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

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The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,000 Tons Coal for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, 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.

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

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

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 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 and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

TEN THOUSAND TONS COAL.

PROPOSALS FOR TEN THOUSAND (10,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Department of Correction, during the year 1900, as may be required, and in accordance with the specifications ten thousand (10,000) tons (2,240 pounds each) of White Ash Coal, consisting of grate or broken, egg and stove coal; deliveries to be made to Blackwell's, Riker's and Hart's Islands alongside, *free of all expense and no allowance for demurrage* (see specifications for full details), will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A.M. of

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The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 10,000 Tons of White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (10,000) 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. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, deposit or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 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 articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as 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 Hundred Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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 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 or other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED AND FRESH COWS' MILK FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with 9,000 quarts Condensed and 6,000 quarts Fresh Cows' Milk during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. Quantities allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

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at 11 A.M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed and Fresh Cows' Milk for 1900 for the Kings County Penitentiary," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, 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 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of EIGHT HUNDRED (800) 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. 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 trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 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 Condensed and Fresh Cows' Milk by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 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 Forty Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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 will write 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 and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, Room 27, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

FISH

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING during the year ending December 31, 1900 the following Fresh Fish, etc.:

Common Fish.....	100,000 pounds.
Boston Steak Cod.....	5,000 "
Blue Fish.....	2,000 "
Black Fish.....	1,000 "
Fresh Mackerel, No. 1.....	1,000 "
Halibut.....	5,000 "
Shad.....	3,000 "
Salmon Trout.....	1,000 "
Flounders.....	5,000 "
White Fish.....	2,000 "
Sea Bass.....	2,000 "
Lobsters.....	1,000 "
Hard Clams.....	30,000 "
Soft Clams.....	2,000 "
Box Oysters.....	10,000 "
"Culls".....	20,000 "
Scallops.....	200 quarts.

all to be more or less (see specifications for full details), will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A.M. of

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department 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 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 contracts will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of the Department of Correction, 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. 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 trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Fresh Fish, etc., by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Hundred Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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 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 will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK, November 23, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC. FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY (BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN), 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries, Provisions, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary (Borough of Brooklyn), during the year 1900, in conformity with Samples and Specifications, will be received at the office of The Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899,

at 11 A.M. sharp. All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense, and quantities allowed as received there. Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

1. 15 pounds Allspice.
2. 800 pounds Barley, No. 3.
3. 200 pounds Baking Powder (Royal).
4. 4,000 pounds Butter, known as Western Extra Creamery or Fancy State Creamery.
5. 1,500 pounds Bacon, prime quality City Cured, to average 6 pounds each.
6. 28,000 pounds Beans, not older than the crop of 1899.
7. 25 pounds Ground Cinnamon.
8. 1,800 pounds Cheese, State Factory, full cream, fine, and bearing State Brand stenciled on box.
9. 150 pounds Corn Starch (1 pound Packages).
10. 15 pounds Cloves.
11. 100 pounds Dried Currants.
12. 16,000 pounds Rio Coffee (roasted).
13. 4,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).
14. 75 barrels Crackers. (Empty barrels to be returned.)
15. 150 dozen Canned Corn.
16. 150 dozen Canned Peas.
17. 150 dozen Canned Peaches.
18. 150 dozen Canned Pears.
19. 150 dozen Canned Salmon.
20. 65 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
21. 5 dozen Chili Sauce.
22. 1,500 dozen Eggs, are to be fresh and candied at time of delivery, to be furnished in cases of usual size.
23. 5,200 pounds Ham, prime quality, City cured, to average 14 pounds each.
24. 7,500 pounds Currant Jelly (in 30-pound pails).
25. 6,500 pounds Lard Prime Kettle rendered, in packages of about 50 pounds each.
26. 30 pounds Ground Ginger.
27. 12 dozen Gelatine.
28. 100 dozen Thyme.
29. 6 dozen Extract of Lemon.
30. 6 dozen Extract of Vanilla.
31. 150 barrels Pillsbury's Best Flour.
32. 250 barrels No. 1 Flour.
33. 250 barrels No. 2 Flour.

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

500 empty barrels to be returned to and delivered from Kings County Penitentiary, and the price at which said empty barrels are awarded to the contractor to be deducted from the price of the Flour.

34. 75 pounds Pure Mustard.
35. 5 pounds Nutmegs.
36. 600 pounds Prunes.
37. 12 boxes Raisins.
38. 13,000 pounds Rolled Oats.
39. 250 pounds Ground Pepper (pure in 1/4 pound tins).
40. 125 sacks Salt (Fine).
41. 40 bushels Salt (coarse).
42. 1,800 pounds Rice.
43. 40,000 pounds Granulated Sugar (Standard).
44. 4,000 pounds Powdered Sugar (Standard).
45. 600 gallons Syrup.
46. 4,000 pounds Oolong Tea, Black, in 1/2 chests, free from all admixtures and in original packages.
47. 10 dozen Olive Oil.
48. 500 gallons Malt Vinegar, prime quality, empty barrels to be returned.
49. 50 barrels Apples, good and sound.
50. 13,000 heads Cabbage, good size and solid heads.
51. 20 bushels Cranberries.
52. 250 dozen Lemons.
53. 32,000 pounds Onions.
54. 6,000 bushels White Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size, 60 pounds to bushel, empty barrels or sacks to be returned.
55. 75 bushels Sweet Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size.
56. 15,000 pounds Turnips (White and Russia).
57. 100 pounds Saltpetre.
58. 2 dozen Bath Brick.
59. 3 barrels Chloride of Lime.
60. 15 pounds Indigo.
61. 60 bags Charcoal.
62. 50 barrels Sal Soda, prime quality, about 340 pounds each.
63. 48 dozen Sapolio (Morgan's).
64. 240 pounds Laundry Starch.
65. 200 pounds Castile Soap.
66. 3,000 pounds Laundry soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure settled Family Soap," to be delivered within 90 days after the award has been made. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Kings County Penitentiary, an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material. It must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts alcohol of ninety-four per cent., and contain not more than thirty-three per cent. of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

8,000 pounds Soap Chips.
200 pounds Roll Sulphur.
4,000 pounds Plug Tobacco.
20,000 pounds Best English Hay, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.

12,000 pounds Rye Straw, long, bright, tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.

72. 800 bushels No. 1 Oats, bags to be returned.
73. 50 Bags Wheat Bran (50 pounds to bag).
74. 24 cakes Stove Polish.
75. 24 boxes Shoe Blacking.
76. 25 boxes Tanglefoot Fly Paper.
79. 32,000 pounds, more or less, Salt Pork, in barrels, including barrels, cooperage, salting and packing, of a grade known as "Family Mess."
80. 8,000 pounds Bologna Sausage.
Goods to be delivered as required during the year 1900.

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

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Supplies 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 1893.

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 THREE THOUSAND (3,000) 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. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 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 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 and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or Deputy Commissioner of Correction, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough 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.

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. 22 Borough 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.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS PEA COAL, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with Fish, etc., consisting of

300 pounds Boston Steak Cod.
300 pounds Blue Fish.
300 pounds Black Fish.
3,000 pounds Salt Mackerel, No. 1.
300 pounds Halibut.
500 pounds Shad.
300 pounds Smelts.
400 pounds Salmon Trout.
300 pounds Flounders.
300 pounds White Fish.
300 pounds Sea Bass.
165,000 Hard Clams.
67,000 Oysters, medium size.

—all more or less, during the year 1900, as per contract specifications. All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR 1900, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with Meats during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street) for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899, until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 2,000 tons Pea Coal, for the Kings County Penitentiary, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, 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 410, 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of THREE THOUSAND (3,000) 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. 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 articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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 and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or Deputy Commissioner of Correction, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough 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, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR 1900, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with Meats during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street) for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899, until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary, for the year ending December 31, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, 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 410, 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.

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, 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 ONE THOUSAND (1,000) 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. 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 trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 Fresh Fish, etc., by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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 and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or Jas. J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner of Correction, Room 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR 1900, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with Meats during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, New York, November 27, 1899.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street) for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

ALL BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL USED BY THIS DEPARTMENT TO BE FROM ANIMALS KILLED AND DRESSED IN NEW YORK STATE.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899 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 day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent of said Department, and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, 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 SEVEN THOUSAND 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. 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 trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at the office of Deputy Commissioner of Correction, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough 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.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street) for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

- REQUISITION No. 12.
Central Office Stable.
- Line. 12. 1/2 dozen pair Handcuffs.
14. 1/2 dozen Feather Dusters.
- City Prison.
27. 1 dozen Round Whistles, No. 6.
24. 500 feet 1/2-inch Clear Pine, dressed two sides.
25. 1 keg rod. Cut Nails.
26. 1 keg 6d. Cut Nails, large heads.
27. 2 boxes Glass, 18 inches by 20 inches.
30. 1/2 dozen Sailmakers' Leather Pails.
31. 2 galvanized-iron Boilers, 5 feet high, 20 inches diameter.
32. 2 sets Bent Boiler Couplings for iron pipe.
33. 1 20-inch Boiler Stand.
36. 3 dozen Brass Gas Pillars for gas tips.
- Work-House.
42. 2 gross screws, 1 gross 1-inch by 8-inch, 1 gross 1/2-inch by 6-inch.
43. 1 dozen Dietz Tubular Lanterns, No. 6.
44. 1 dozen Dietz Tubular Lantern Globes.
45. 1 barrel Benzine.
46. 1 set Graining Combs.
47. 2-12 dozen Brown & Sharp's Hair Clippers, No. 1.
48. 3-12 dozen Miller's No. 2 Parlor Lamps, complete.
49. 2-12 dozen Tinsmith's Shears, No. 8.
50. 2 gross Pearl Dress Buttons, line 20.
51. 2 kegs Cut Nails, 1 keg rod, 1 keg 20d.
52. 6 pieces White Wood, 1/2 inch by 16 inches by 16 feet, dressed two sides.
53. 2 Heavy Iron Wire Steak Broilers, 12 inches by 18 inches.
54. 18 pair Rubber Boots, 5 pair No. 8, 5 pair No. 9, 5 pair No. 10, 3 pair No. 11.
- Penitentiary.
64. 2 gross Pioneer Heel Ball No. 1, 1 gross white and 1 gross black.
65. 2 dozen Sewing Awl Hatts.
66. 5,000 Shoe Rivets for side of uppers.
67. 1 Keg Hypsulphate of Soda.
69. 20 feet 2-inch Lead Waste-pipe.
70. 2 dozen 5 inch Plain Globes.
71. 25 pounds Plumbers' Solder.
74. 2 dozen 14-inch Flat Bastard Files.
75. 5 gallons Drilling Oil.
76. 6 lengths 1 1/2-inch by 1/2-inch flat Iron.
77. 6 lengths 1 1/2-inch by 1/2-inch flat Iron.
78. 6 lengths 3/4-inch round Iron.
79. 1 dozen 6 1/2-inch half round Bastard Saw Files.
80. 3 pounds Job Black Ink.
81. 1 pound Medium Yellow Ink.
83. 2 barrels Chloride of Lime.
85. 1 dozen Pointing Trowels.
86. 25 dozen Victor Chumneys for prison lamps.
87. 4 pairs Double Blocks for 1/2-inch fall.
88. 4 pairs Single Blocks for 1/2-inch fall.
89. 400 feet Manila Boat Rope, 3/4-inch diameter.
90. 50 Spruce Joists, 3 inches by 4 inches.
91. 1 keg rod. Cut Nails.
92. 100 White Pine Boards, 9 1/2 inches, dressed two sides.
93. 30 pair T Hinges, 12 inches.
94. 12 pair Strap Hinges, 24 inches.
- District Prisons.
102. 1 Cooking Range, Sam No. 8, Second District.
103. 5 gallons Crude Oil, Third District.
105. 5 pounds Chrome Green, in oil, Fourth District.
110. 1 package Wax Tapers, Fifth District.
111. 2 Steel Chisels, 1 gross 1/2-inch, 1 gross 1-inch, Fifth District.
119. 2-12 dozen Feather Dusters, Sixth District.
120. Repair Door Main Prison with new Lock and 2 Keys, Sixth District.
121. 5 pounds Yellow Ochre, in oil, Seventh District.
- Steamboats.
126. 1 4-gallon Agate Saucepan, "Minnahan-onck."
127. 1 dozen 3/4-inch Water Gauge Glasses 12 1/2 inches long, "Strong."
128. 1 8-inch brass finished Steam Gauge up to 400 pounds.
129. 2 dozen Globes for B Pinatone Burners.
130. 1 1-gallon Agate Saucepan.
131. 1 1/2-gallon Agate Saucepan.
132. 1 1/2-gallon Agate Coffee Pot.
133. 1 1/2-gallon Agate Tea Pot.
134. 1 1/2-inch Whistle Valve.
138. 1 pair Rubber Boots, No. 8.
139. 25 pounds Drop Black, ground in oil.
141. 2 50 feet lengths 1 1/2-inch Soft Cotton Hose, with coupling.
142. 2 Star Swinging Ho e Reels to hold a 50-foot length 1 1/2-inch hose, each.
143. 1 No. 7 Cooking Stove with fire irons and fittings complete, "Gilroy."
144. 2 1-gallon Agate Saucepans.
145. 20 feet 3/4 inch Brass Tubing.
- Storeroom.
153. 2 6-foot lengths Flexible Gas Tubing for Gas Stove.
- District Prisons.
160. 1 Work Horse, 16 hands high, not over six years old, sound and kind in all harness, to weigh about 1,300 pounds. Trial to last until same proves satisfactory.

No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest terms.

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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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will 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 and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, 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.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1899.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, in the Engineer's Office at Katanah, Westchester County, N. Y., the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
570 W.	Edward B. Brady.	Stable and shea	\$5 00
	"	Carriage house	5 00
	"	Corn-crib and store-house	5 00
	"	Corn-crib	1 00
498	Antoinette Turner	Dwelling	15 00
405	Niles F. Smith...	"	20 00
	"	Barn	5 00
236	M. E. Church...	Dwelling	325 00
228	"	Shed	10 00
218	"	Church, including organ, and all fixtures	650 00
	"	Shed	15 00
	"	Dwelling	2 00
133	John Mullhall...	Shed	1 00

TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by April 1, 1900.

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

Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of the City of New York on or after the first day of April, 1900, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the buildings or any part of building so left, and also to the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of April, 1900, resell said buildings, or parts of buildings, or remove or destroy the same.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of the City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,
President.

HARRY W. WALKER,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 28, 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

at No. 21 Park Row, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department at the hour above-mentioned.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BOULEVARD AND PARK AVENUE, AND IN EIGHTY-SIXTH, EIGHTY-FIFTH AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREETS, AND IN TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 3, ACROSS CENTRAL PARK.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH TAPS, CALKING YARN, LEAD, SHOVELS, COMPOSITION AND IRON CASTINGS, FIRE-HYDRANT CAPS AND NOZZLES.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, HAY, STRAW, OATS, FEED, OIL MEAL AND CORN MEAL.

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 be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall 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 included 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.

THE COMMISSIONER OF WATER SUPPLY 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. 1521.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 1, 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, DECEMBER 13, 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 Manhattan.

No. 1. SEWER IN SEVENTH AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets, connecting with sewer in One Hundred and Forty-third street.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from existing sewer in River avenue to Walton avenue, and in Walton avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CRANE STREET, from Concord avenue to Robbins avenue, and in ROBBINS AVENUE, from St. Joseph's street to Dater street.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 4. SEWERS IN REID AVENUE, from Putnam avenue to DeKalb avenue, in STUYVESANT AVENUE, between Greene and Gates avenues, and in MONROE STREET, between Ralph and Patchen 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 be awarded to the person making the estimate they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall 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 included 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.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 23, 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, DECEMBER 6, 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 AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Third avenue to Cauldwell avenue, WITH BRANCH IN EAGLE AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BROADWAY, from the City Line to Riverdale avenue, THENCE THROUGH EXTERIOR STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET, AND THROUGH EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET TO THE HARLEM RIVER.

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 be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall 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 included 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.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—MAIN OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN PURSUANCE OF the provisions of section 547, of the Greater New York Charter, and subject to the conditions, limitations, and requirements of section 419 and 420 of said Charter, for furnishing new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the **Borough of Brooklyn**, will be received at the main office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 12 M. on the

12TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899.

The items to be bid for are:

1. 28 Two-horse Sweeping Machines.
2. 100 Can-carriers.

The form of agreement, including specifications and showing the manner of payment and surety required, may be seen and blank forms of proposals, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the main office of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for delivering supplies to the schools in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and returning to the depositories such material as is not needed in the schools during the year 1900, according to the terms of a contract to be approved by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education.

Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Delivering Supplies." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid or bids it deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for delivering Supplies to the Schools in the **Borough of Brooklyn**, and returning to the depositories such material as is not needed in the schools during the year 1900, according to the terms of a contract to be approved by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education.

Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Delivering Supplies." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid or bids if deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

DATED November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for delivering supplies to the schools in the **Borough of Richmond**, and returning to the depositories such material as is not needed in the schools, during the year 1900, according to the terms of a contract to be approved by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education.

Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Delivering Supplies." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for delivering Supplies to the schools in the **Borough of Queens**, and returning to the depositories such material as is not needed in the schools during the year 1900, according to the terms of a contract to be approved by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education.

Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Delivering Supplies." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for Printing required by the said Board for the year 1900, for the **Borough of Queens**.

Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, where blank forms of proposals may be obtained.

Bids will be considered only from persons or firms paying the recognized and prevailing scale of printers' wages in this city, and all bidders, in order to have their proposals considered, must state in their proposals that they are paying their printers according to that scale.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Printing."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or part of any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for Printing required by the said Board for the year 1900, for the **Borough of Richmond**.

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JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for Printing required by the said Board for the year 1900, for the **Borough of Brooklyn**.

Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, where blank forms of proposals may be obtained.

Bids will be considered only from persons or firms paying the recognized and prevailing scale of printers' wages in this city, and all bidders, in order to have their proposals considered, must state in their proposals that they are paying their printers according to that scale.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Printing."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or part of any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for Printing required by the said Board for the year 1900, for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, where blank forms of proposals may be obtained.

Bids will be considered only from persons or firms paying the recognized and prevailing scale of printers' wages in this city, and all bidders, in order to have their proposals considered, must state in their proposals that they are paying their printers according to that scale.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Printing."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or part of any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for Printing required by the said Board for the year 1900, for the Board of Education.

Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, where blank forms of proposals may be obtained.

Bids will be considered only from persons or firms paying the recognized and prevailing scale of printers' wages in this city, and all bidders, in order to have their proposals considered, must state in their proposals that they are paying their printers according to that scale.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Printing."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or part of any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for supplying, for the use of the schools in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of said Board, Books, Stationery and other articles required for one year commencing on the first day of January, 1900.

All publishers of books and dealers in the various articles required are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the prices of the articles bid for.

Each contractor will be required to furnish two responsible sureties for the faithful performance of his contract.

A list of the articles required, with the conditions upon which the bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies."

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

Dated New York, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for supplying for the use of the schools in the **Borough of Brooklyn**, under the jurisdiction of said Board, Books, Stationery and other articles required for one year commencing on the first day of January, 1900. All publishers of books and dealers in the various articles required are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the prices of the articles bid for.

Each contractor will be required to furnish two responsible sureties for the faithful performance of his contract.

A list of the articles required, with the conditions upon which the bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies."

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for supplying for the use of the schools in the **Borough of Richmond**, under the jurisdiction of said Board, Books, Stationery and other articles required for one year commencing on the first day of January, 1900. All publishers of books and dealers in the various articles required are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the prices of the articles bid for.

Each contractor will be required to furnish two responsible sureties for the faithful performance of his contract. A list of the articles required, with the conditions upon which the bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies."

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid, if deemed for the public interest.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for supplying for the use of the schools in the **Borough of Queens**, under the jurisdiction of said Board, Books, Stationery, and other articles required for one year, commencing on the first day of January, 1900.

All publishers of books and dealers in the various articles required are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals; the committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the prices of the articles bid for.

Each contractor will be required to furnish two responsible sureties for the faithful performance of his contract.

A list of the articles required, with the conditions upon which the bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies."

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid, if deemed for the public interest.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 4 P. M., for furnishing the Truant School in the Borough of Manhattan with supplies, such as Meat, Provisions, etc., etc., for one year ending December 31, 1900.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for furnishing the Truant School with Meat, Provisions, etc."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or any part of any bid not deemed for the public interest.

Specifications and all other information may be obtained by applying to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
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Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1899,

for grading, paving, etc., at Public Schools 42, 43 and 44, Borough of Queens; also for Furniture for Addition to Public School 63, Borough of Brooklyn, and for Furniture for Public School 20, Borough of Richmond; also for Pianos for Public Schools in the **Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.**

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 29, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 27, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1899,

for Erecting New Public School 5, Long Island City, also for Alterations in and Erecting an addition to Public School 67, Newtown, **Borough of Queens.**

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
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Committee on Buildings.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 27, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1899,

for Erecting New Public School 124, **Borough of Brooklyn**; also for Erecting a New Public School at Whitestone, **Borough of Queens.**

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 24, 1899.

PLACING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE HANDLING OF WASHINGTON AVENUE BRIDGE.

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

Blank forms of proposals, forms of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and surety required, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Bridges, No. 179 Washington street, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

COMMISSION NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE,
CITY OF NEW YORK, November 9, 1899.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Proposals will be received by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, at their office, at No. 49 Chambers street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the

7th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899,
indorsed "Proposal for Construction of Steel Cables, Suspenders, etc., of the New East River Bridge," for furnishing the materials for and constructing the steel cables, suspenders, cable bands, coverings, sheaves, and their appurtenances of the New East River Bridge, in accordance with the proposed form of contract and the drawings and specifications therefor. All bids shall be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to Lewis Nixon, President of the Board of Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, and presented to him on that day and at that hour at said office, and such bids will be opened in public meeting by the said Commissioners on that day, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Copies of the specifications and the general drawings for the work, with the proposed forms for the bid, bond and contract, may be seen and further information will be given at the office of the Chief Engineer, No. 84 Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on and after the 13th day of November, 1899.

The Commissioners require that all bidders shall carefully examine the specifications, drawings and proposed form of contract, in order that no question as to their meaning may arise hereafter. It must be distinctly understood that no changes in the quality of the materials or of the workmanship will be allowed, and that the specifications will be adhered to strictly.

The contract is to be completely performed within ten months after the cable saddles are set in place upon the steel towers of the bridge.

Proposals will be made upon a form provided therefor, and only those proposals will be considered which are complete, in proper form, comply with the requirements herein stated, and are offered by parties of known reputation, experience and responsibility.

Each bidder will be required to deposit, with his proposal, in the office of the Commissioners, a certified check for \$12,000, payable to the order of Julian D. Fairchild, as Treasurer of the New East River Bridge Commissioners, as security for the execution by him of the contract and the giving of the required bond, if his bid is accepted, within two weeks after notice of the acceptance of his bid.

The contractor will be required to give a bond in the penal sum of \$400,000, in the form annexed to the proposed form of contract, with an approved surety company doing business in the City of New York, conditioned for the prompt and faithful performance of the contract and its covenants and the work thereunder.

As by far the greater part of this work can be executed only by bridge establishments of the first-class, bids will be received only from such parties as have the requisite plant and facilities, which have been in successful operation on work of similar character for at least one year. The bidders must be, in the opinion of the Commissioners, fully qualified, both by experience and in appliances, to execute work of this character and importance, according to the highest standard of such work at the present time.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all of the proposals offered, and to accept any proposal offered.

LEWIS NIXON,
President.

JAMES D. BELL,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

THOMAS A. KERRIGAN, AUCTIONEER, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction, at the Hospital and Training Stables, Canton and Bolivar streets, Borough of Brooklyn,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1899,

at 1:30 P. M., the following-named property:

- Lot No. 1. 7 Old Desks.
- " 2. 270 Old Bedsteads in pairs; 5 lots of 54 each.
- " 3. Old Bedclothes.
- " 4. 2 Old Boilers, upright, small.
- " 5. Old Cast Iron; about 8,000 pounds.
- " 6. Old Scrap Iron; about 7,500 pounds.
- " 7. Old Brass; about 900 pounds.
- " 8. Old Brass Couplings.
- " 9. Old Copper and Copper Dress; about 1,500 pounds.
- " 10. Old Wheels.
- " 11. Old Rope and Jumping Nets.
- " 12. Old Battery Zincs; about 1,600 pounds.
- " 13. Old Tires; about 6,000 pounds.
- " 14. Old Hose, 1/2 inch and 3/4 inch.
- " 15. Old Rubber Valves and Old Rubber.
- " 16. 7 Old Hay Cutters.
- " 17. 2 Old Bell Striking Apparatus and 2 Weights.
- " 18. 2 Old Fire Extinguishers.
- " 19. 3 Old Chester Gongs.
- " 20. 5 Old Clock in pairs.
- " 21. 1 box Parts of Gongs.
- " 22. 320 pounds Iron Cable.
- " 23. 8 carboys of Electropoin Fluid.
- " 24. 5 Fresh Water Tanks.
- " 25. 250 pieces Old Rubber Hose, 2 1/2 inch.
- " 26. 120 pieces Old Cotton Hose, 2 1/2 inches.
- " 27. 15 pieces Old Rubber Hose, 3 1/2 inches.
- " 28. 8 pieces Old Rubber Hydrant connections.
- " 29. 28 pieces Old Chemical Hose, 3/4 inch.
- " 30. 10 pieces Old Chemical Hose, 1 inch.
- " 31. Rotary Engines, Reg. Nos. 2231 and 2243.
- " 32. Clapp & Jones Horizontal Engine, Reg. No. 508.
- " 33. Amoskeag Engine, Reg. No. 473.
- " 34. Horse Wagons, Reg. Nos. 1, 3, 7, 16, B.
- " 35. 1 Two-wheel Chemicalizer.
- " 36. 1 Old Light Wagon.

Each lot will be sold separately.
The right to reject all bids is reserved.
The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bids are accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale, and must remove the articles within twenty-four hours thereafter.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the place above mentioned.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

THOMAS A. KERRIGAN, AUCTIONEER, on behalf of the Fire Department of the City of New York, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Hospital and Training Stables, corner of Canton and Bolivar streets, Borough of Brooklyn, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1899,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following ten horses, no longer fit for service in the Department, and known as Nos. 60, 174, 253, 311, 358, 509, 532, 539, 558 and 567.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at their sales stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1899,

at 12 o'clock noon, the following property belonging to the Fire Department of the City of New York:
Two horses, no longer fit for use in the Department, Nos. 875 and 965.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, November 21, 1899.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

1. Five thousand (5,000) feet 2 1/2-inch Cotton, Rubber-lined Fire Hose, "Elephant" brand or equal thereto.
2. Two thousand (2,000) feet 3 1/2-inch Rubber and Duck-woven Fire Hose, "Conqueror" brand or equal thereto.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars in each case, and the time for delivery thirty days.

Separate bids must be made for each brand of hose. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the security required.

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, November 21, 1899.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 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.

1. Twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet 2 1/2-inch wax and gum treated, rubber-lined Fire Hose, known as "Unique" brand; or equal thereto.
2. Fifteen hundred (1,500) feet 3-inch rubber and duck-woven Fire Hose, known as "White Star" brand, or equal thereto.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars in each case and the time for delivery thirty days.

Separate bids must be made for each brand of hose. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the security required.

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, November 21, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the Fire Apparatus 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, in the City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

1. One (1) second size La France Steam Fire-engine, or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Twenty-three Hundred Dollars (\$2,300).
2. One (1) third size La France Steam Fire-engine, or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Twenty-one Hundred Dollars (\$2,100).
3. One (1) second size Metropolitan Steam Fire-engine, or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Twenty-three Hundred Dollars (\$2,300).
4. One (1) third size Metropolitan Steam Fire-engine, or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Twenty-one Hundred Dollars (\$2,100).
5. One (1) Large-size Eighty-five foot Hayes Extension Ladder Truck and Fire Escape, or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,900).

The time for the delivery of the apparatus in each case is ninety days, and separate bids must be made for each.

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

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 23, 1899.

SALE OF OLD IRON, BARRELS, ETC.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction, by order of the Commissioners of Public Charities, at their office, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1899,

at 12 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:

- 50,000 pounds Old Iron.
- 4 Horizontal Tubular Boilers.
- 2 Tanks.
- 100 Iron Bound Barrels.
- 25 Kerosene Oil Barrels.

All quantities to be "more or less." All qualities to be "as are." All the above, except the Iron Boilers and Tanks, to be received by the purchaser at Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

Iron to be received at Pier on Metropolitan Hospital grounds, east side, near north end of Blackwell's Island, in a lighter to be provided by the buyer, immediately upon being notified that the same is ready for delivery.

Boilers and tanks to be removed from premises on notification from Storekeeper.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the General Storekeeper, at Blackwell's Island, in cash or certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioners reserve the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Public Charities the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale.

THOS. M. CAMPBELL,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 20, 1899.

LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 1 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE below-mentioned Hospital Supplies will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1899,

at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

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

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, or group of items (see Note at end of specifications).

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

If two or more bids are alike, the Department reserves the right to allot the article or articles among the bidders, or to make the award to any one of them. Bidders are not compelled to furnish more than 20 per cent. of any article in excess of the mentioned amount. But if they are willing, and the Department deems it advantageous, further purchases of the respective articles may be made, at the contract price, during the balance of the year.

The Department reserves the right to take more or less, or all of any of the articles, according as the demand therefor may be.

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

Samples will be on exhibition at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, from Thursday, November 23, until the bids are opened.

LIST A.

FOUR OR SIX MONTHS' CONTRACT ARTICLES.

N. B.—Deliveries of the following articles, or of such quantities thereof only as may be required, are to be made in instalments, as ordered, within a period of four months, but may be extended to six months, during which time the Department will not purchase any of these articles from any but the successful bidders, except in case of a default of the latter, or of the contract being exhausted. It is understood that the quantities are approximate only, and may be more or less than the specified amounts, but the contractor is not bound to deliver more than 20 per cent. in excess of the amounts mentioned.

Line Numbers.

2. 7,000 pounds Acid, Carbolic, cryst., U. S. P., white (colorless), and remaining 50 for at least three months, in 10-lb. screw-cap tins, packed 50 in a case.
4. 200 pounds Acid, Carbolic, like preceding, in 1-lb. bottles, packed 50 in a case.
6. 300 pounds Bismuth Subnitrate, U. S. P., 1-lb. orig. cart.
8. 80 ounces Cocaine Hydrochlorate, U. S. P., 1/2-oz. orig. v.
10. 100 ounces Codeine, cryst., U. S. P., 1/2-lb. bottles.
12. 300 pounds Iodoform, pure, powd., 1-lb. bottles.
14. 400 pounds Mercury Bi. chloride, C. P., powd., 1-lb. boxes.
16. 100 pounds Mercury Mild Chloride (Calomel), 1-lb. cart.
18. 75 ounces Morphine Sulphate, 1/2-oz. orig. v.
20. 15 barrels Oil, Cod Liver, pure, non-freezing L-foden, orig. bbls. (30 gallons each), about 5 bbls. at a time, directly out of bond.
22. 500 pounds Potassium Iodide, U. S. P., cryst., 1-lb. orig. bott.
24. 1,200 ounces Quinine Sulphate, U. S. P., in 100-oz. orig. tins.
26. 250 ounces Quinine Hydrochlorate, U. S. P., 50-oz. orig. tins.
28. 5/1000 of 1-grain.
30. 40/1000 of 2-grain.
32. 25/1000 of 3-grain.
34. 50/1000 of 5-grain.

LIST B.

TWELVE MONTHS' CONTRACT ARTICLES.

1.—CHEMICALS.

N. B.—No bids for any article in this list will be accepted from any one who is not known in the drug trade as a bona-fide manufacturer, or wholesale dealer or importer, of the respective articles he bids on, nor from any one who does not keep stock in the territory of Greater New York.

40. 50 pounds Acetanilid, powd., 1-lb. cart.
42. 2 pounds Acid, Arsenous, pure, powd., Merck, 1-lb. orig. tott.
44. 10 pounds Acid, Benzoic, fr. Toluol, 1-lb. cart.
46. 6 barrels Acid, Boric, fine powd., ab. 300 lbs. each.
48. 20 ounces Acid, Camphoric, Merck, 1-oz. orig. v.
50. 200 gallons Acid, Carbolic, crude, best (90%), in 5-gall. cans.
52. 20 ounces Acid, Chromic, C. P., Merck, 1-oz. orig. v.
54. 300 pounds Acid, Citric, in 1-lb. bott.
56. 2 pounds Acid, Gallic, in 1-lb. cart.
58. 10 pounds Acid, Hydrobromic, 1-1/2% in 1-lb. bott.
60. 100 pounds Acid, Hydrochloric, strictly C. P., in 1-lb. orig. bottles.
62. 12 carboys Acid, Hydrochloric, comm., pale, P. & W.'s.
64. Carboys, returnable at option of Department. If kept, price, each.
66. 4 pounds Acid, Hydrocyanic Dil., 2%, 1-lb. orig. corked bott.
68. 100 pounds Acid, Nitric, strictly C. P., in 1-lb. orig. bott.
70. 200 pounds Acid, Oxalic, prime, white, 1-lb. c.
72. 10 pounds Acid, Phosphoric, Syrupy, U. S. P., 10-lb. orig. b.
74. 30 ounces Acid, Pyrogallol, C. P., 1-oz. orig. p.
76. 75 pounds Acid, Salicylic, C. P., 1/2-lb. c.
78. 1 pound Acid, Succinic, C. P., orig. b.
80. 50 pounds Acid, Sulphuric, strictly C. P., in 1-lb. orig. b.
82. 75 pounds Acid, Tannic, 1/2-lb. orig. c.
84. 150 pounds Acid, Tartaric, powd., 25-lb. boxes.
86. 16 ounces Aloin, pure, 1-oz. v.
88. 100 pounds Alum (Potash Alum), gran., 1-lb. c.
90. 12 dozen Alum Cones, unmounted, 1 doz. in a box.
92. 8 kegs Ammonium Carbonate, pure, about 112 lbs. each.
94. 2 pounds Ammonium Benzoate, 1-lb. b.
96. 50 pounds Ammonium Bromide, 1-lb. b.
98. 200 pounds Ammonium Chloride, U. S. P., gran., 1-lb. bott.
100. 2 pounds Ammonium Iodide, U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
102. 25 ounces Amyl Nitrite, Fritzsche Bros., 1-oz. orig. v.
104. 20 ounces Amylene Hydrate, Merck, 1-oz. orig. v.
106. 1 pound Antimony and Pot. Tartrate, powd., 1-lb. b.
108. 300 ounces Antipyrine, 1-oz. p.
110. 2 ounces Apomorphine Hydrochlorate, cryst., Merck, 1/2-oz. v.
112. 100 ounces Aristol, 1-oz. or g. p.
114. 20 ounces Argonin, 1-oz. orig. v.
116. 8 ounces Atropine Sulphate, 1/2-oz. v.
118. 2 pounds Barium Sulphide, Merck, 1-lb. orig. b.
120. 4 ounces Benzonal, 1-oz. orig. v.
122. 4 ounces Bethol, 1-oz. orig. p.
124. 4 ounces Bismuth Betanaphthol, 1-oz. orig. p.
126. 2 pounds Bismuth Salicylate, 1-lb. b.
128. 5 pounds Bismuth Subcarbonate, 1-lb. c.
130. 15 pounds Bismuth Subgallate, 1-lb. c.
132. 20 pounds Bromine, 1/2-lb. b.
134. 2 pounds Bromoform, C. P., 1-lb. b.
136. 2 pounds Caffeine, 1-lb. orig. c.
138. 30 pounds Caffeine, Citrated, U. S. P., 1-lb. c.
140. 50 pounds Calcium Carbonate, Prepared (chalk, drops, paper).
142. 50 pounds Calcium Carbonate, Precipitated, 1-lb. c.
144. 40 pounds Calcium Hypophosphite, 1-lb. c.
146. 3 pounds Calcium Lactate, Merck, 1-lb. b.
148. 25 pounds Calcium Phosphate, precip., 1-lb. c.
150. 2 pounds Camphr, Monobromated, 1-lb. b.
152. 4 ounces Celluloid, 1-oz. orig. box.
154. 10 pounds Cerium Oxalate, 1-lb. c.
156. 150 pounds Chloral Hydrate, U. S. P., 1/2-lb. glass-st. b.
158. 100 ounces Chloralamine, 1-oz. orig. p.
160. 1,000 pounds Chloroform, U. S. P., 10-lb. screw cap cans.
162. 20 ounces Chrysarobin, 1-oz. v.
164. 50 pounds Copper Sulphate, cryst., paper.
166. 5 pounds Copper Sulphate, C. P., Merck, 1-lb. b.
168. 20 dozen Copper Sulphate Cones, Merck, not mounted, 1 doz. in a box.
170. 125 pounds Creosote, fr. Beechwood Tar, U. S. P., 5-lb. b.
172. 40 pounds Creosote Carbonate, 1/2-lb. orig. b.
174. 50 ounces Diuretin, 1-oz. orig. v.
176. 2 ounces Elaterin, cryst., Merck, 1-oz. orig. v.
178. 800 pounds Ether, U. S. P., 1890, Mallinckrodt's, in 1/2-lb. orig. tins.
180. 400 pounds Ether, strictly U. S. P., 1890, in 1-lb. orig. tins.
182. 150 pounds Ether, Washed, 1-lb. orig. tins.
184. 50 pounds Ether, Nitrous, Concent. (1:9), 1-lb. orig. b.
186. 300 tubes Ethyl Chloride, C. P., 10 Gm. each, screw cap.
188. 4 ounces Eucaïne (Beta), Hydrochlorate, 1-oz. orig. v.
190. 1 pound Eucalyptol, pure, Fritzsche Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
192. 6 ounces Euphorin, 1-oz. orig. c.
194. 20 ounces Exalgin, 1-oz. orig. v.
196. 500 pounds Formaldehyde, 40 per cent, 56-lb. pack.
198. 8,000 pounds Glycerin, C. P., in 5-gall. hinge-cover cans, Garrison's pattern.
200. 2 dozen Gold and Sodium Chloride, 30-gr. orig. v.
202. 15 pounds Guaiacol, Liquid, 1-lb. orig. b.
204. 20 ounces Guaiacol Carbonate, 1-oz. orig. p.
206. 25 Grams Holocaine Hydrochlorate, 1-Gm. orig. v.
208. 5 Grams Homatropine Hydrobromide, 1-Gm. orig. v.
210. 14,000 pounds Hydrogen Dioxide Solution, U. S. P., not falling below "10 volumes" within four weeks after delivery. In 1-lb. brown bottles, packed 25 in a box.
212. 150 pounds Hydrogen Dioxide Solution, responding to tests of U. S. P., but of "15 volumes." In 1-lb. brown bottles, packed 25 in a box.
214. 8 dozen Hydrozone, Marchand's, 4-oz. orig. b.
216. 15 Grams Hyoscine Hydrobromate, 1-Gm. orig. v.
218. 3 Grams Hyoscyamine Sulphate, C. P. cryst., 1-Gm. or v.
220. 3,500 ounces Ichthyol (Ammonium Salt), orig. b.: 100/1-lb., 200/1/2-lb., 300/1-oz.
222. 20 pounds Iodine, Resublimed, 5-lb. b.
224. 1 pound Iron Carbonate, Saccharated, U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
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242. 10 pounds Iron and Potassium Tartrate, 1-lb. b.
244. 15 pounds Iron and Quinine Citrate, U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
246. 5 pounds Iron and Strychnine Citrate, U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
248. 10 ounces Lactophenin, 1-oz. orig. c.
250. 300 pounds Lead Acetate, U. S. P., gran., 1-lb. c.
252. 4 ounces Lead Iodide, 1-oz. v.
254. 10 pounds Lead Oxide (Litharge), paper.
256. 4 pounds Lithium Carbonate, 1-lb. b.
258. 2 pounds Lithium Salicylate, 1-lb. b.
260. 15 pounds Magnesium Carbonate, K. & M., 2-oz. pack.
262. 2 pounds Magnesium Oxide (heavy), 1-lb. b.
264. 15 barrels Magnesium Sulphate (Epsom Salt), about 230 lbs. each.
266. 8 ounces Manganese Hypophosphite, 1 oz. v.
268. 30 pounds Menthol, C. P., 1-lb. b.
270. 10 pounds Mercury Ammoniated, U. S. P., 1-lb. c.
272. 40 ounces Mercury Iodide, Red, 1 oz. v.
274. 5 pounds Mercury Nitrate, Ointment, U. S. P., 1-lb. jars.
276. 500 pounds Mercury Ointment, U. S. P. (50%). 1-lb. tins.
278. 5 pounds Mercury Oleate, 2oz., 1-lb. jars.
280. 1 pound Mercury Oxide, Red, 1-lb. b.
282. 1 pound Mercury Oxide, Yellow, 1-lb. b.
284. 1 pound Mercury with Chalk, 1-lb. b.
286. 3 pounds Naphthalin, U. S. P., 1-lb. c.
288. 2 pounds Naphthol, Beta, U. S. P., 1-lb. c.
290. 35 pounds Paraldehyde, C. P., Merck, 1-lb. b.
292. 2 Grams Pelletierine Tannate, 1-Gm. orig. v.
294. 800 ounces Phenacetin, 1-oz. orig. v.
296. 5 Grams Phloroglucin, 1-Gm. orig. v.
298. 3 Grams Physostigmine Salicylate, 1-Gm. orig. v.
300. 40 Grams Pilocarpine Hydrochlorate, 1-Gm. orig. v.
302. 40 pounds Potassa, Caustic, White, sticks, 1-lb. b.
304. 400 pounds Potassium Acetate, U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
306. 100 pounds Potassium Bicarbonate, 1-lb. c.
308. 175 pounds Potassium Bitartrate, Pure, powd., 1-lb. c.
310. 300 pounds Potassium Bromide, Gran., 1-lb. c.
312. 150 pounds Potassium Chlorate, Powd., 1-lb. c.
314. 100 pounds Potassium Citrate, 1-lb. b.
316. 1 pound Potassium Cyanide, at least 93%, 1-lb. c.
318. 20 pounds Potassium Hypophosphite, 1-lb. c. ns.
320. 112 pounds Potassium Permanganate, large cryst., 1-lb. c.
322. 3 barrels Potassium and Sodium Tartrate, Powd., ab., 225 pounds each.
324. 20 ounces Protargol, 1-oz. orig. v.
326. 8 ounces Pyroxilin, U. S. P., 1-oz., orig. p.
328. 25 pounds Resorcin, 1-lb. orig. c.
330. 4 pounds Safrol, C. P., Fritzsche Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
332. 3 pounds Salicin, 1-lb. c.
334. 120 pounds Salol, 1/4-lb. b.
336. 120 ounces Salophene, 1 oz. orig. p.
338. 100 pounds Seidlitz Mixture, 25-lb. box.
340. 4 ounces Silver Citrate, 1-oz. orig. v.
342. 15 pounds Silver Nitrate, cryst., C. P., 1-lb. orig. b.
344. 30 pounds Soda, Caustic, White, sticks, 1-lb. b.
346. 1 pound Sodium Arsenate, C. P., cryst., 1-lb. b.
348. 30 pounds Sodium Benzoate, 1-lb. c.
350. 2 barrels Sodium Borate (Borax), ab. 300 lbs. each.
352. 10 kegs Sodium Bicarbonate, 112 lbs. each.
354. 350 pounds Sodium Bromide, 1-lb. b.
356. 100 pounds Sodium Carbonate, C. P., Merck, 5-lb. b.
358. 10 pounds Sodium Chloride, C. P., Merck's Reagent 1-lb. b.
360. 20 pounds Sodium Hypophosphite, 1-lb. cans.
362. 6 kegs Sodium Hyposulphite, 112 lbs. each.
364. 2 pounds Sodium Iodide, 1-lb. orig. b.
366. 200 pounds Sodium Phosphate, U. S. P., 1/2-lb. c.
368. 350 pounds Sodium Salicylate, U. S. P., 1/2-lb. c.
370. 25 pounds Sodium Sulphate, recryst., Mallinckrodt, 1-lb. b.
372. 2 pounds Sodium Sulphocarbonate, 1-lb. b.
374. 4 ounces Sparteine Sulphate, 1/2-oz. orig. v.
376. 40 ounces Strychnine Acetate, 1/2-oz. orig. v.
378. 20 ounces Strychnine Sulphate, powd., 1/2-oz. orig. v.
380. 400 ounces Sulfonal, 1-oz. orig. p.
382. 16 ounces Tannalbin, 1-oz. orig. c.
384. 2 ounces Tannigen, 1 oz. orig. v.
386. 5 pounds Terebene, optically inactive, 1-lb. b.
388. 1 pound Terpin Hydrate, 1-lb. b.
390. 2 pounds Thymol, C. P., 1-lb. b.
392. 200 ounces Uronal, 1-oz. orig. p.
394. 1 pound Urethane, C. P., 1-lb. b.
396. 25 ounces Urotropin, 1-oz. orig. v.
398. 1 ounce Vanillin, 1-oz. orig. p.
400. 50 carboys Water, Ammonia, U. S. P. (10%), about 80 lbs. each, carboys returnable at option of the Department. If kept, price, each.
402. 5 pounds Water, Ammonia, Stronger, U. S. P., 1-lb. glass-st. b.
404. 400 pounds Zinc Oxide, white, in bbls.
406. 100 pounds Zinc Sulphate, C. P., gran., 1-lb. c.
II.—DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICALS.
NOTE.—No bid for any article in this list will be accepted from any one who is not known in the drug trade to be a bona fide manufacturer, or wholesale dealer, or importer of the respective articles he bids on, nor from any one who does not keep stock in the territory of Greater New York.
420. 75 pounds Adeps Lanæ Hydrosus, U. S. P., 1-lb. tins.
422. 50 pounds Albolene Liquid, 5-lb. b.
424. 5 bottles Antitoxin, Streptococcus, 10 Cc. each, Paris Pasteur Institute.
426. 4 ounces Antitoxin, Streptococcus, P. D. & Co.
428. 5 bottles Antitoxin, Tetanus, 10 Cc. each, Paris Pasteur Institute.
430. 5 bottles Antitoxin, Tetanus, 10 Cc. each, P. D. & Co.
432. 360 pounds Balsam Copaiba, Central Amer., orig. p.
434. 550 pounds Balsam Peru, orig. drums of ab. 50 lbs.
436. 50 pounds Balsam Tolu, 10-lb. tins.
438. 6 gallons Bay Rum, imported, 1 gall demij.
440. 10 gallons Benzine, 5-gall. cans.
442. 20 pounds Butter Cacao, Baker, 1-lb. p.
444. 1 pound Cantharides, powd., tin.
446. 20 gross box. Capsules, Empty, P. D. & Co., Nos. 00 to 5.
448. 50 pounds Ceresin, Yellow, paper.
450. 20 pounds Charcoal, Willow, powd., 1-lb. c.
452. 3 pounds Cocchineal, paper.
454. 200 pounds Colloidal, strictly U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
456. 280 pounds Creolin, Pearson's, 56-lb. orig. p.
458. 15 pounds Digitalis Leaves, German, pressed, 1-oz. p.
460. 3 dozen Extract Beef, Armour & Co.'s, 1/2-lb. jars.
462. 10 pound Extract Liquorice, powd., paper.
Extracts Fluids.
NOTE.—Bids for the following fluid and solid extracts (lines 464 to 550) all of which must be fresh and of standard quality, and must be delivered in the original unbroken containers, will be accepted only from manufacturers of these preparations, recognized as such in the drug trade, and keeping stock in the territory of Greater New York. Where "gallons" are mentioned, it is understood that 8 pounds are equal to 1 gallon.
464. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Agaric, 1-lb. b.
466. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Angelica Seed, 1-lb. b.
468. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Belladonna Root, 1-gall. b.
470. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Buchu, 1-gall. b.
472. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Calamus, 1-lb. b.
474. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Cannabis Indica, 1-lb. b.
476. 150 gallons Ext. Fl. Cascara, strictly U. S. P., containing the resin and made with official diluted alcohol. In 10 gallon kegs.
478. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Convallaria Root, 1-lb. b.
480. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Cubebe, 1-lb. b.
482. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Elecampane, 1-lb. b.
484. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Fennel, 1-lb. b.
486. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Gentian, 1-lb. b.
488. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Geranium, 1-lb. b.
490. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Ginger, 1-gall. b.
492. 3 gallons Ext. Fl. Grindelia Robusta, 1-gall. b.
494. 8 pounds Ext. Fl. Hamamelis, 1-lb. b.
496. 3 gallons Ext. Fl. Hydrastis, 1-gall. b.
498. 2 gallons Ext. Fl. Ipecac, 1-gall. b.
500. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Jaborandi, 1-lb. b.
502. 4 gallons Ext. Fl. Liqueurice Root, 1-gall. b.
504. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Lobelia, 1-lb. b.
506. 2 pounds Ext. Fl. Mezerium, 1-lb. b.
508. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Orange Bitter, 1-gall. b.
510. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Orange, Sweet, 1-gall. b.
512. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Pareira, 1-lb. b.
514. 5 gallons Ext. Fl. Rhubarb, U. S. P., 1-gall. b.
516. 2 gallons Ext. Fl. Rumex, 1-gall. b.
518. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Sarsaparilla (Mex), simple, 1-gall. b.
520. 30 gallons Ext. Fl. Senega (U. S. P. menst.), 5-gall. demij.
522. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Senna, 1-gall. b.
524. 20 gallons Ext. Fl. Squill, U. S. P., 5-gall. demij.
526. 4 pounds Ext. Fl. Stillingia, 1-lb. b.
528. 2 pounds Ext. Fl. Sumbul, 1-lb. b.
530. 1 gallon Ext. Fl. Taraxacum, 1-gall. b.
532. 5 gallons Ext. Fl. Veratrum Viride, 1-lb. b.
534. 3 pounds Ext. Fl. Wormseed, 1-lb. b.
536. 2 gallons Ext. Fl. Yerba Santa, 1-gall. b.
Extracts, Solid.
538. 16 ounces Extract Aloes, powd., 1-oz. v.
540. 6 pounds Extract Belladonna Leaves, 1-lb. orig. jars.
542. 8 ounces Extract Ca-cara, powd., 1-oz. v.
544. 5 pounds Extract Gentian, 1-lb. jars.
546. 8 ounces Extract Hyoscyamus, powd., 1-oz. v.
548. 4 ounces Extract Opium, U. S. P., assayed, 1-oz. orig. v.
550. 2 pounds Extract Stramonium, 1-lb. orig. jars.
552. 50 pounds Flaxseed, whole, paper.
554. 10 pounds Gelatin, Cooper's Shreds, 2-oz. p.
556. 20 pounds Glue Cooper's, A Extra, paper.
558. 2 pounds Glyciste Bone Marrow, Armour, 1-lb. b.
560. 2 dozen Granum, Imperial, large.
562. 25 pounds Gum Aloes, Socotrine, powd., 5-lb. tins.
564. 250 pounds Gum Arabic, true, II., 50-lb. box.
566. 20 pounds Gum Arabic, true, II., powd., 1-lb. c.
568. 5 pounds Gum Asafoetida, prime, tin.
570. 25 pounds Gum Benzoin, marbled, extra, paper.
572. 400 pounds Gum Camphor, refined, square, 4-lb. p.
574. 24 pounds Gum Catechu, refined, Wells, Richardson & Co., 1-lb. c.
576. 75 pounds Gum Myrrh, "Turkey," select, paper.
578. 90 pounds Gum Opopon, Smyrna, prime, U. S. P., paper.
580. 3 pounds Gum Opium, powder, U. S. P., assayed, 1-lb. orig. b.
582. 10 pounds Gum Shellac, orange, best, paper.
584. 2 pounds Gum Tragacanth, "Turkey," No. 1, powd., 1-lb. b.
Homœopathic Medicines.
NOTE.—No bid for Homœopathic Medicines will be accepted from any but regular manufacturers thereof, recognized by the profession, and keeping stock in the territory of Greater New York.
2,000 ounces Domestic or Imported Tinctures (except of rare drugs) in cork-stoppered vials.
1,000 ounces each Ordinary Triturate Tablets.
10 ounces each Special Triturate Tablets, as follows:
Agaricin 1 X.
Bacillin 12 X.
Au. Mur. Natr. 2 X.
Coclein 2 X.
Hyoscyne H' Brom. 3 X.
Nux. Vom. 1 X et Pepsin 1 X (mixed).
Plat. Chlor. 30 X.
Santonin 1 X.
Spartein. S. 1 X.
Cactus Grand., mother tinct.
Cedron, mother tinct.
Arsenic Iod., 2 X.
Aurum Mur. 2 X.
Coclein 1 X.
Colchicin 2 X.
Merc. Dole. 1 X.
Sanguin. Nit. 1 X.
Siphylin 200 X.
Tuberculin 12 X.
3 dozen Hydrastis, Colorless, Lloyd's.
5 pounds Insect Powder, Dalmatian, pure, paper.
1 dozen Lactopeptin, 1-oz. v.
200 pounds Lard, pure, U. S. P., 25-lb. tins.
200 Leeches, best Swedish.
150 pounds Lime, Chlorinated, at least 35%, in 1-lb. cans.
30 pounds Lycopodium, paper.
10 dozen Lysol, orig. p.
100 pounds Moss, Irish, best, cleaned and bleached, bags.
25 pounds Nutmegs, No. 1, Penang, select, paper.
Oils, Essential.
612. 8 ounces Oil, Almond, Bitter, natural, Fr. Bros., 1-oz. orig. p.
614. 16 pounds Oil, Anise, conc. ("Anethol"), Fr. Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
616. 5 pounds Oil, Anise, Star, pure, 1-lb. b.
618. 1 bottle Oil, Bay, Fr. Bros., orig. 22-oz. b.
620. 2 pounds Oil, Bergamot, Fr. Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
622. 2 pounds Oil, Cassia, Synthetic ("Schimmel & Co."), 1-lb. orig. b.
624. 2 pounds Oil, Cloves, pure, 1-lb. b.
626. 1/2 pound Oil, Coriander, Fr. Bros., 1/2-lb. orig. b.
628. 3 pounds Oil, Eucalyptus Glob., rect., Fr. Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
630. 1 pound Oil, Fennel Seed "Sweet," pure, 1-lb. b.
632. 200 pounds Oil, Gaultheria, Synth., pure (sp. gr. 1.180), 25-lb. cans.
634. 80 pounds Oil, Lavender, Spike, "extra fine," Fr. Bros., 27 1/2-lb. orig. cans.
636. 20 pounds Oil, Lemon, hand-pressed, Fr. Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
638. 3 pounds Oil, Orange, Bitter, Fr. Bros., 1-lb. orig. b.
640. 3 pounds Oil, Peppermint, twice rect., F. S. & Co., 5-lb. orig. b.
642. 20 pounds Oil, Pine Needles (Pinus Sylv.), Fr. Bros., 5-lb. orig. b.
644. 10 pounds Oil, Rosemary Flowers, French, extra, Fr. Bros., 5-lb. b.
646. 8 bot les Oil, Santal Wood, E. I., Fr. Bros., orig. 24-oz. b.
648. 2 pounds Oil, Sassafras, pure, natural, 1-lb. b.
650. 55 pounds Oil, Thyme, "Red I," Fr. Bros., orig. 27 1/2-lb. cans.
652. 50 gallons Oil, Turpentine, refined, 10-gall. cans.
Oils, Fixed.
654. 10 pounds Oil, Almond, Sweet, U. S. P., 5-lb. b.
656. 1,000 pounds Oil, Castor, "Crystal," 40-lb. cans.
658. 2 barrels Oil, Cotton Seed, best, refined.
660. 2 pounds Oil, Croton, pure, 1-lb. b.
662. 1 barrel Oil, Linseed, raw.
664. 5 gallons Oil, Olive, "Tuscan Cream," D. & O., 1-gall. orig. cans.
666. 2 barrels Oil, Olive, "Malaga," yellow, pure.
668. 2 pounds Oleoresin, Male Fern, 1-lb. orig. b.
670. 30 pounds Oxgall, inspissated (1=7), 10-lb. jars.
672. 40 ounces Pancreatin, powd., U. S. P., 1-oz. v.
674. 12 dozen Pepsin, Essence, F. Bros. & F., 8-oz. 1-lb. b.
676. 6 pounds Pepsin, Webber's (1:6000), powd., 1-lb. b.
678. 12 dozen boxes Peptonizing Tubes, F. Bros. & F., 1 doz. in box.
680. 1,000 pounds each Petrolatum, pale yellow, "Petrolina" brand, in original packages. In 5 lbs., in 25 lbs., in 50 lbs.
Pills.
All to be coated, but not with sugar. To be delivered in original bottles of manufacturer. D stands for 500.
682. 300 D Pills, Aloin, Belladonna and Strychnine No. 3.
684. 5 D Pills, Asafoetida, U. S. P.
686. 20 pounds Pills, Bland, 5 gr., 1-lb. b.
688. 20 D Pills, Calcium Sulphide, up to 1 grain.
690. 5 D Pills, Cascara Extract, 3 grains.
692. 150 pounds Pills, Cathartic Comp., U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
694. 5 pounds Pills Cathartic, Veget., U. S. P., 1-lb. b.
696. 8 kil. Pills, Mercury, Protiodide, G-L, 0.01 Gm.
698. 4 D Pills, Phosphorus, up to 1/2 grain.
700. 4 D Pills, Silver Nitrate, 1/4 grain.
702. 20 D Pills, Warburg's Tincture (1 drachm).
704. 150 pounds Plaster, Lead, U. S. P. (perfectly dry), 1-lb. rolls.
706. 20 barrels Plaster of Paris, Dentists' best, fresh, Knickerbocker Mills, in lots of two barrels at a time, directly from mills.
Powdered Vegetable Drugs.
NOTE.—These drugs must be of strictly standard quality, freshly powdered, and of the stated degree of fineness.
708. 25 pound. Aconite Root, No. 60 powd., box.
710. 25 pounds Arnica Flowers, No. 20 powd., box.
712. 25 pounds Belladonna Leaves, No. 60 powd., box.
714. 25 pounds Capsicum, African, No. 40 powd., box.
716. 4 pounds Cardamom, No. 30 powd. (includ. capsules), 1-lb. b.
718. 75 pounds Cassia Bark, No. 20 powd., 25-lb. box.
720. 150 pounds Cinchona, Red, U. S. P., assayed, No. 30 powd., 25-lb. box.
722. 10 pounds Cloves, powd., paper.
724. 25 pounds Colo-nbo Root, No. 20 powd., box.
726. 20 pounds Coriander, No. 20 powd., paper.
728. 75 pounds Digitalis, German, No. 60 powd., 2-lb. box.
730. 12 barrels Flaxseed, Ground, U. S. P., ab. 225 lbs. each.
732. 100 pounds Gentian Root, No. 20 powd., keg.
734. 10 pounds Ginger, African, No. 40 powd., 25-lb. box.
736. 5 pounds Hyoscyamus Leaves, No. 60 powd., 25-lb. box.
738. 2 pounds Ipecac Root, No. 60 powd., paper.
740. 10 pounds Jalap Root, fine powd., paper.
742. 10 pounds Krameria Root, fine powd., paper.
744. 200 pounds Liquorice Root, Russian, No. 40 powd., 100-lb. kegs.
746. 100 pounds Mustard Seed, White, ground, pure, keg.
748. 10 pounds Nutgalls, fine powd., paper.
750. 200 pounds Orange Peel, Bitter, No. 20 powd., 50-lb. kegs.
752. 6 pounds Pepper, Black, pure, ground, 1-lb. tins.
754. 50 pounds Quassia Wood, No. 20 powd., 25-lb. box.
756. 25 pounds Quillaja Bark, No. 20 powd., box.
758. 10 pounds Red Saunders Wood, No. 20 powd., paper.
760. 300 pounds Rhubarb, Shensi, No. 30 powd., 100-lb. kegs.
762. 10 pounds Sanguinaria Root, No. 60 powd., paper.
764. 50 pounds Sarsaparilla Root, Mexican, No. 30 powd., 25-lb. box.
766. 200 pounds Senega Root, No. 40 powd., 100-lb. kegs.
768. 50 pounds Serpentina Root, No. 60 powd., 25-lb. box.
770. 50 pounds Senna Leaves, Alex., No. 30 powd., 25-lb. box.
772. 100 pounds Squill Root, No. 20 powd., fresh from mill, keg.
774. 50 pounds Stavesacre Seed, No. 30 powd., 25-lb. box.
776. 200 pounds Triticum Root, cut, bags.
778. 50 pounds Valerian Root, German, No. 20 powd., 25-lb. box.
780. 100 pounds Wild Cherry Bark, No. 20 powd., keg.
782. 25 pounds Resin, best, white, paper.
784. 25 ounces Resin Podophyllum, U. S. P., 1-oz. orig. v.
786. 2 cakes Sal Soda (ab. 375 lbs. each).
790. 2 pounds Soap, Castile, Cont's, powd., 1-lb. b.
792. 12,000 pounds Soap, "Green" (Sapo Molis, U. S. P.), free from impurities, in kegs, marked with gross weight and tare.
794. 6 dozen Soap, Toilet, aseptic, like sample.
796. 3 pounds Solution Glonoin 10 (ten) per cent., 1-lb. tins.
798. 2 dozen Solution Iron Peptomanganate (Gude).
800. 75 gallons Solution Iron Peptomanganate, Dieterich, bulk, demijohns to be returned.
802. 25 gallons Solution Iron Peptomanganate, L. & F., bulk, demijohns to be returned.
804. 5 pounds Stearax, Liquid, U. S. P.
806. 100 pounds Sugar of Milk, purified, powd., 1-lb. c.
808. 10 pounds Sulphur, precipitated, U. S. P. (not Lac Sulphuris).
810. 2,000 pounds Sulphur, Roll, 100-lb. kegs.
812. 100 pounds Sulphur, Washed, keg.
814. 6 dozen Suppositories of Glycerine, U. S. P. (1 doz. in box).
Tablets.
NOTE.—Must be delivered in the original bottles of the manufacturer, D stands for 500, M for 1,000.
816. 6 D Tablets Ammonium Chloride, 3 grains.
818. 2 pounds Tablets Corrosive Sublimate, 7 grains, "Bernays' Special," 1-lb. b.
820. 2 pounds Tablets Lithium Citrate, Efferv., 5 gr., 1-lb. b.
822. 30 pounds Tablets, Nasal, Oppenheimer's, 1-lb. b.
824. 4 ounces Tablets, Pituitary Gland, Armour's, 1-oz. orig. v.
826. 6 D Tablets, Potassium Chlorate, 5 gr., 1-lb. b.
828. 6 D Tablets, Soda Mint, 5 gr.
830. 4 ounces Tablets, Suprarenal Gland, Armour, 1-oz. orig. v.
832. 4 ounces Tablets, Thymus Gland, Armour, 1-oz. orig. v.
834. 3 dozen bottles Tablets, "Thyreoids," P. D. & Co's, 100 each.
836. 2 M Trit. Tablets Aconitine (cryst.), 1/200 gr.
838. 4 M Trit. Tablets Arsenous Acid, up to 1/20 grain.
840. 200 M Trit. Tablets, Calomel, up to 1/4 grain.
842. 20 M Trit. Tablets, Calomel: 1/2 gr., 1 gr.
844. 4 M Trit. Tablets, Digitalin (Merck's German), 1/60 gr.
846. 15 M Trit. Tablets, Iron (1), Arsenic (1/100) and Strychnine (1/60).
848. 4 M Trit. Tablets, Santonin, 1/2 grain.
850. 80 M Trit. Tablets, Strychnine Sulph., up to 1/30 gr.
852. 500 pounds Talcum, powd., 100-lb. kegs.
854. 25 pints Tar, North Carolina, 1-pint cans.
856. 8 ounces Unguentum Crepe, F. von Heyden, orig. p.
858. 200 pounds Vaseline, Yellow, 5-lb orig. cans.
860. 200 siphons per week, Water, Carbonated, plain, in boxes.
862. 200 siphons per week, Water, Carbonated, Selters, Vichy or Lithia, Schultz's, in boxes.
864. 1 case Water, Apena, 50 quarts.
866. 1 case Water, Hunyadi Janos, 50 quarts.
868. 50 gallons Water, Witchhazel, contain. 15 per cent. alcohol, 5-gall. kegs.
870. 25 pounds Wax, White, Bees', pure, paper.
872. 25 pounds Wax, Yellow, Bees', pure, paper.
874. 800 ounces Zinc Stearate Co., McK. & R's 1-oz. v.
Squibb's Preparations in Original Packages.
880. 5 cases Acid Acetic, 80 per cent., 16 kilos each.
882. 1 kilo Acid Acetic, Glacial, C. P.
884. 4/500-Gm. Acid Sulphurous, 6 1/2 per cent.
886. 40/2-kilos Alcohol, Absolute.
888. 30/500-Gm. Boroglyceride.
890. 300/500-Gm. Chloroform I. Anaesthesia.
892. 10,000/100-Gm. Ether I. Anaesthesia.
894. 8/25-Gm. Extract Ergot.
896. 20/25-Gm. Extract Indian Hemp.
898. 15/500-Gm. Extract Nux Vomica, Acet. powd.
900. 15/25 Grams Extract Nux Vomica, Acet., powd.
902. 2 gallons Fl. Extract Coca, Acetic.
904. 3 gallons Fl. Extract Colchicum, Acetic.
906. 4 gallons Fl. Extract Ergot, Acetic.
908. 2 gallons Fl. Extract Hydrastic, Acetic.
910. 2 gallons Fl. Extract Ipecac, Acetic.
912. 5 gallons Fl. Extract Rhubarb, Acetic.
914. 20 gallons Fl. Extract Sarsaparilla (Mex.), Compound, Acetic, in 5-gall. demij.
916. 40 gallons Fl. Extract Squill, Acetic, in 5-gall. demij.
NOTE.—In the case of these Fluid Extracts, 8 pounds are to be considered equal to 1 gallon.
918. 150 25-Gram Silver Nitrate, Cones, with 5% Chloride.
920. 10 2-kilos Tincture Strophanthus.
III.—ALCOHOLS, LIQUORS AND SUGARS.
930. 75 barrels Alcohol, U. S. P., 94%. To be delivered in installments, each lot with a gauger's certificate. Price to be irrespective of disposition to be made of empty barrels.
932. 10 barrels Alcohol, Wood, colorless, and free from disagreeable odor. At least 94%.
934. 10 barrels Alcohol, Wood, "Columbia Spirits."
936. 2 one-eighth casks Brandy, French—Otard, or Hennessy, or Martell, or Remy-Martin, vintage of 1890, duty paid, directly out of bond, with gauger's certificate.
938. 4 half-barrels Brandy, California, not less than four years old, with gauger's certificate.
940. 6 barrels Port Wine, California.
942. 4 barrels Sherry Wine, California.
NOTE.—Both of the preceding must possess a good sound flavor and taste, and must contain not less than 20 per cent. by volume of absolute alcohol.
944. 60 barrels Pure Rye Whiskey, copper distilled, two-stamp, not less than four years old from date of warehouse entry stamp; to be delivered in lots of not less than 10 barrels at a time. Must be consigned by bills of lading to the Department of Public Charities. Upon arrival in the city the barrels are to be carted, at the expense of the contractor, directly to the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital. Bill to be accompanied by a gauger's certificate. Price to be irrespective of disposition to be made of the empty barrels.
946. 20,000 pounds Sugar, extra coarse, granulated, in lots of about 10 barrels at a time.
948. 300 pounds Sugar, finest confectioner's, freshly powdered, in 25-lb. tins.
IV.—CHEMICAL AND CLINICAL APPARATUS AND MATERIAL.
NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
960. 12 Aluminometers, Esbach's, in box.
962. 2 dozen each Beakers, lipped, E. & A. 5573: No. 00, No. 0, No. 1, No. 2, No. 3.
964. 6 Burners, Acme, improved, like sample.
966. 1 Centrifuge, Kny's 1939.
968. 2 dozen each Centrifuge Sediment Tubes for preceding, graduated, plain.
970. 200 each, Filters, white, round, W. T. & Co's, 4-inch, 6-inch, 8-inch, 10-inch, 15-inch, 18-inch.
972. 200 each, Filters, S. & S's, No. 588, folded, 5-lb. 7 1/4-inch, 9 1/2-inch, 12 1/2-inch.
974. 12 Flasks, Erlenmeyer, 1/2-gall., extra wide m. (sample).
976. 1 dozen each Funnels, Glass, E. & A. 6388, 3-inch, 4-inch, 5-inch, 6-inch, 8-inch, 9-inch, 10-inch, 12-inch.
978. 1 Haemocytometer, Thoma's, Leitz's.
980. For Haemocytometer, separately: 1 Red Corpuscle Pipette.
982. For Haemocytometer, separately: 1 White Corpuscle Pipette.
984. For Haemocytometer, separately: 1 Counting Cell.
986. 1 Haemoglobinometer, Fleischl's.
988. For Haemoglobinometer, separately: 4 Capillary Tubes.
990. 4 Lactometers, with Thermometer, N. Y. Board of Health pattern, like sample.
992. 2 dozen Lamps, Spirit, E. & A. 6692A, 6-oz., with six extra wicks each.
994. 200 sheets Litmus Paper, blue, red or neutral, 8 by 10 inches, paper fine, unsized, like sample.

996. 10 ounces Microscope Cover Glasses No. 1, round, $\frac{3}{4}$ or 1 inch.
998. 10 ounces Microscope Cover Glasses No. 1, square, $\frac{3}{4}$ or 1 inch.
1000. 1 dozen Needles, Platinum (in glass rod, like sample).
1002. 5 pounds Rubber Stoppers, E. & A. 8010, any size.
1004. 2 Saccharometers, Einhorn's, set of 2, with graduated tube in box.
1006. 1 dozen Test Glasses, conical, E. & A. 8268: 6 oz., 8 oz.
1008. 6 dozen each Test Tubes, best, E. & A. 8270: 3-inch, 4-inch, 5-inch, 6-inch by $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 8-inch.
1010. 2 dozen each Test Tubes, on foot, E. & A. 8274: 4-inch, 5-inch, 6-inch, 8-inch.
1012. 4 each Thermometers, Chemical, with milk scale, E. & A. 8285: 100°C, 250°C, 350°C.
1014. 20 dozen Thermometers, Clinical, 4 inches long, to be substantially made, with single bulb, plain front, indestructible (non-receding) index; each even degree plainly numbered, the graduation between 94° and 110° F. extending over a space of not less than $\frac{1}{4}$ in., and to be correct within 0.2 of a degree, as determined by the standard thermometer at the General Drug Department. Without cases.
1016. 2 gross Thermometer Cases, h. r., for preceding.
- V.—GLASSWARE IN GENERAL.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1020. 6 boxes, each, Bottles, Flint, narrow-mouth, to be made in the Department moulds, and packed in boxes containing respectively: 5 gro. of 1 oz.; 5 gro. of 2 oz.; 3 gro. of 4 oz.; 2 gro. of 8 oz.; 1 gro. of 16 oz.; $\frac{1}{2}$ gro. of 32 oz. Bottles to have the so-called "prescription lip": 1 oz., 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz., 32 oz. See note to number 1026 below.
1022. 4 gross, each, Bottles, Flint, wide-mouth, "round prescription," W. T. & Co.'s: 1 oz., 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz.
1024. 2 gross Bottles, Green, Acid, 16 oz., glass stoppered, like sample.
1026. 369 gross Bottles, Green, narrow-mouthed, to be made in the Department moulds, packed, and with lip, like those under No. 1020. The quantities probably required are mentioned in square brackets with each size: Round—[25 gro.] 1 oz.; [100 gro.] 2 oz.; [120 gro.] 4 oz.; [80 gro.] 8 oz.; [12 gro.] 16 oz.; [12 gro.] 32 oz.; Union Oval—[10 gro.] 16 oz.; [10 gro.] 32 oz.
- NOTE.—(Applying to lines 1020 and 1026.) Until bottles made in the Department moulds can be delivered, the Contractor must furnish flint or green (as the case may be) round-shoulder, Boston style, W. T. & Co.'s ware, at same price as he has bid for the former. It is to be distinctly understood that the quantities above mentioned are only approximate. The Department will, from time to time, order such quantities of the several sizes required as will be most convenient to both the contractor and the Department.
1028. 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ gross Bottles, Green, Round Presc. or Selters, extra size and weight, W. T. & Co.'s. The quantities probably required are given in square brackets: Wide Mouth—[5 gro.] 1 oz.; [5 gro.] 2 oz.; [6 gro.] 4 oz.; [4 gro.] 8 oz.; [2 gro.] 16 oz.; [2 gro.] 32 oz. Narrow Mouth—[1 gro.] 5 pints; [$\frac{1}{2}$ gro.] 1 gallon; [$\frac{1}{2}$ gro.] 2 gallon; [1 doz.] 3 gallon. 39 gro. Bottles, Flint or Blue, "Poison," like samples. The quantities probably required are given in square brackets: [5 gro.] $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.; [5 gro.] 1 oz.; [10 gro.] 2 oz.; [12 gro.] 4 oz.; [4 gro.] 8 oz.; [3 gro.] 16 oz.
1032. 2 dozen, each, Bottles, Shop, W. T. & Co.'s round Recess Ware, except sizes over $\frac{1}{2}$ gal., which are to be of XX ware, labelled with W. T. & Co.'s glass label No. 107, lettering as directed. Salt-mouths and Tinctures. Sizes: 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz., 32 oz., $\frac{1}{2}$ -gall., 1 gall.
1034. 12 gross, each, Bottles, Sterilizing, Flint, graduated: 6 oz., 8 oz.
1036. 4 gross Bottles, Sterilizing, Flint, 16 oz., to be made in the Department's own mould, at least two gross at a time.
1038. 2 each, Bottles, Irrigator, tubulated, W. T. & Co.'s 15010, with fittings: 1 gall., 2 gall., 3 gall., 5 gall.
1040. 30 gross Droppers, Eye, W. T. & Co.'s, "Barclay Pipettes," 1 dozen in a box.
1042. 4 sets Glasses, Cupping, plain, 3 in set (1 $\frac{1}{2}$ —2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)
1044. 50 pounds Glass Tubing and Rods, light or heavy, assorted sizes.
1046. 1 dozen, each, Graduates, Phenix, Conical, Apothecaries' (ounces)—64, 32, 16, 8, 4, 2, 1, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$. Metric (Cc.)—1000, 500, 350, 120, 60, 30.
1048. 1 dozen, each, Jars, Cylindrical, W. T. & Co.'s No. 15310: 2 by 2 in., 4 by 4 in., 5 by 5 in., 6 by 6 in.
1050. 1 dozen, each, Jars, Glass, Patent, Globe, like sample: 3 in., 4 in., 5 in., 6 in.
1052. 1 gross, each, Jars, "Glycerin Jelly," W. T. & Co.'s: 1 oz., 2 oz.
1054. 2 dozen, each, Jars, Museum, W. T. & Co.'s No. 2600: $\frac{5}{8}$ by 6 in., $\frac{5}{8}$ by 11 in., $\frac{7}{8}$ by 8 in., $\frac{7}{8}$ by 12 in.
1056. 2 dozen, each, Jars, Museum, W. T. & Co.'s Special, like sample. Lids with knobs, no clamps: $\frac{3}{4}$ by 6 in., $\frac{5}{8}$ by 6 in., $\frac{5}{8}$ by 11 in., $\frac{7}{8}$ by 8 in., $\frac{7}{8}$ by 12 in.
1058. 50 dozen, each, Syringes, Glass, Acme, Screw, Cap, Male: No. 1, No. 4.
1060. 10 dozen, each, Syringes, Glass, Acme, S. rew, Cap, Female: No. 3, No. 4.
1062. 12 dozen, Syringes, Glass, French Jet Cap, Cone-pointed: No. 0, No. 1.
1064. 4 gross, each, Vials, Homoeopathic, Flint, short style: 2 drachms, 4 drachms, 6 drachms, 8 drachms.
- VI.—DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1066. 4 gross Boxes, Paper, Sliding, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ by 2 by 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, like samples.
1068. 100 gross, each, Boxes, Paper, Pill, Plumly's, like sample: No. 20, No. 30, No. 31, No. 31 Ex.
1070. 30 gross, each, Boxes, Paper, Pill, Randolph Paper Box Co.: 3A, 5A, 7A.
1072. 50 gross, each, Boxes, Paper, Pill, E. N. Rowell Co., "Calico," No. 25.
1074. 3 dozen, each, Boxes, Tin, round, like samples: 10 lbs., 25 lbs.
1076. 5 gross, each, Boxes, Tin, Gill's seamless, deep, round: 1 oz., 2 oz., 4 oz., 8 oz., 16 oz., 32 oz.
1078. 3 dozen, each, Boxes, Tin, Gills, square, lacquered: 18 oz., 36 oz., 96 oz.
1080. 100 gross, each, Boxes, Wood, Turned, Estes' "Onida," in cartons, 1-oz., 2-oz., 3-oz.
1082. 10 gross Brushes, Bottle, W. T. & Co.'s, regular style.
1084. 1 dozen, each, Cans, jacketed, Garrison's, 10-gall., 5-gall., 3-gall., 2-gall., 1-gall.
1086. 2 dozen, each, Demijohns, Banker's boxed, full measure, $\frac{1}{2}$ -gall., 1-gall., 2-gall., 3-gall., 5-gall.
1088. 3 dozen, each, Demijohns, wicker-covered, full measure, like samples, 5-gall., 3-gall., 2-gall., 1-gall., $\frac{1}{2}$ -gall.
1090. 3 gross Droppers, Medicine, graduated, 30 minims, like sample.
1092. 20 gross Glasses, Medicine, graduated, like sample.
1094. 2 barrels Gravel, like sample.
1096. 4 dozen, each, Jars, Earthen, White, flat top, like samples, 4-lbs., 2-lbs., 1-lb., $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb.
1098. 20 packages Labels, Dennison's, No. 201.
1098. 200 packages Labels, Druggists', printed on best gummed (white or tinted) paper, from electros belonging to the Department. In lots of not less than 50 packages at a time. Each package to contain 500 labels. See sample.
1100. 2 dozen Measures, Seidlitz, Boxwood.
1102. 6 each, Mortars and Pestles, Wedgewood, No. 0 (4-inch), No. 2 (5-inch), No. 3 (6-inch), No. 5 (7-inch), No. 6 (8-inch), No. 8 (9 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch), No. 10 (12-inch), No. 12 (14-inch).
1104. 50 gross Pencils, Hair, like sample.
1106. 2 Scales, Counter, Ebony Box, Marble Top, Nickel-plated Pans, 9 inches.
1108. 2 Scales, Prescription, Troemner's, No. 61.
1110. 1 dozen, each, Spatulas, Lawrence's, plated, like samples. 3-in., 4-in., 5-in., 6-in., 7-in., 8-in.
1112. 1 dozen, each, Shears, Bent Trimmers, like samples. 10-in., 12-in., 13-in.
1114. 2 gross Spoons, Mustard, Wooden, like sample.
1116. 1,000 each, Tags, Dennison's, No. 4 P, No. 8 P, No. 4 P. C. (red).
1118. 50 pounds Tow, best, like sample.
1120. 50 pounds Twine, Linen, assorted, like sample.
1122. 10 sets Weights, Prescription, Brass, Coin (drachms and scruples).
1124. 10 sets Weights, Prescription, Aluminum (grains).
- VII.—OXYGEN AND NITROUS OXIDE.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1130. 200 charges of Oxygen, in cylinders belonging to the Department. The contractor, whose place of business must be on Manhattan Island, and who must be connected by telephone, upon being notified, is to call for empty cylinders and return them within twenty-four hours, filled with oxygen gas at a pressure of 200 pounds. The oxygen must not contain more than 105 of air and must be free from all injurious contaminations. All cartage to be at the expense of the contractor.
1132. 40 Cylinders (property of the contractor) of Compressed Oxygen Gas, of a capacity of about 11 wine gallons, and at a pressure of 200 pounds. Empty cylinders will be returned to the contractor. Other conditions to be the same as under the preceding.
1134. 4 Nitrous Oxide Seamless Steel Cylinders, cap. 100 gallons, S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.
1136. 8 Nitrous Oxide Charges for preceding.
1138. 1 Nitrous Oxide Upright Surgeon's Case, No. 5, S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.
- VIII.—PAPER.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1140. 2 reams Paper, Blue Seidlitz, 20 x 25, like sample.
1142. 200 pounds Paper, Bond, Napier, 17 by 22, No. 16.
1144. 500 pounds Paper, Manila, best, like sample, in reams, various sizes and weights.
1146. 500 pounds paper, Manila, best, like sample, in rolls, 12 and 24 inches wide.
1148. 2 reams Paper, Paraffin, like sample, 24 by 26 inches.
1150. 2 reams Paper, Red, like sample, 20 by 25 inches.
1152. 20 reams Paper, Straw, Wrapping, like sample, 20 by 30 inches.
1154. 1,000 pounds Paper, White, Druggists' Powder, like sample, cut in any one of four different sizes as ordered ($\frac{1}{4}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$; $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$; 6 by $\frac{5}{8}$; 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{5}{8}$ inches), and put up in packages of 1,000 each, securely wrapped.
1156. 4 reams Paper, White, Druggists' Wrapping, like sample, uncut, 24 by 38 inches.
1158. 200 pounds Paper, White, Druggists' Folio, ruled, various weights, quality and ruling like sample.
1160. 4 reams Paper, White or Tinted, Gummed, Folio, like sample.
- IX.—PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1162. 100 sheets Cardboard, Collins' Photographic No. 1 (22 by 28 inches), to be cut, before delivery, into pieces, if required.
1164. $\frac{1}{2}$ ream Paper, Albumen, Photographic, "Three Crowns."
1166. 6 dozen, each, Plates, Photographic, Hammer's best, "Extra Rapid," 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ by 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 8 by 10 inches.
- X.—BATTERIES AND ELECTRIC SUPPLIES.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1170. 4 Batteries, Far, Vetter's No. 3, complete.
1172. 2 Batteries, Galv., Vetter's No. 2, complete.
1174. 1 Battery, Far and Galv. combined, Wappler's No. 2.
1176. 12 Battery Cells, Dry, "Standard," No. 2.
1178. 12 each, Battery Handles, w. Sponge Tips, plain, interrupting.
1180. 12 Battery Renewals for the Edison-Lalande Battery, Type S.
1182. 24 Battery Zincs for the Leclanche Battery (like sample).
1184. 6 Renewals of Willy Meyer's Storage Battery, 2-cell, 4-volt, 60 ampere hours, for Bottini's Incisor.
- XI.—MISCELLANEOUS SURGICAL AND CLINICAL SUPPLIES.
- Agate and Blue and White Ware. All to be L. & G's.
1190. 6 dozen Basins, blue and white, "Pudding Pans," 5 quart.
1192. 1 dozen Basins, Pus, agate, Dr. Smith's.
1194. 9 Douche Pans, agate, No. 2, each in box.
1196. 4 each, Kettles, flat-bottom, Tea, agate, No. 2 (1 qt.), No. 3 (2 qts.), No. 4 (3 qts.).
1198. 2 each, Kettles, Fish, agate, with side handles, 18-inch, 20-inch, 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.
1200. 6 each, Measures, agate, 4-qt., 2-qt., 1 qt., $\frac{1}{2}$ -qt., graduated lipped, 1 qt.
1202. 4 Pitchers, funnel-lipped, agate, No. 502, 2-qt.
1204. 4 each, Saucepans, seamless, convex, covered, agate, No. 101 (1-qt.), No. 102 (2-qt.), No. 104 (4-qt.), No. 108 (8 qt.).
1206. 4 each, Trays, "Favorite," blue and white, seamless, square, 10-inch, 12-inch, 14-inch, 18-inch.
1208. 1 dozen Applicators, Uterine, all metal, plated.
1210. 1 dozen Applicators, Teets', p. dated.
1212. 2 Aspirators, Potain's best, with Billroth's Trocar, in case.
1214. 2 each, Aspirators, Dieulafoy's, small, best, in case (Reynd, pg. 679), 6 drachms, 9 drachms, 18 drachms.
1216. 2 Aspirators, Tiemann's own make, Cat. No. 1735.
1218. 1 dozen Atomizers, Abolene.
1220. 4 dozen Atomizers, Barclay No. 21.
1222. 1 dozen Atomizers, Davidson's No. 61.
1224. 6 Bandages, Esmarch, w. Chain.
1226. 2 dozen Bandages, Suspensory, "Perfection."
1228. 4 dozen Bistouries, best imported, aseptic, solid handle, hollow ground, all sizes and shapes.
1230. 4 dozen Bistouries, all sizes and shapes, Tiemann's own make.
1232. 2 gross Bobbins for Catgut, like sample.
1234. 2 dozen, each, Bottles, Flushing (Kny, 18063): 2-quart; 4-quart.
1236. 6 dozen, each, Bougies, English Web, No. 1 to 12; above 12.
1238. 6 dozen, each, Bougies, Lisle Thread, Lee's. A bougie (No. 4478); cylind. (4475); olivary (4477); oisoph. (4482); cyl. rectal (4479).
1240. 6 dozen Bougies, Linen, vermilion, Gouley's.
1242. 3 dozen each, Bougies, Filiform, in cases, plain, olivary or corkscrew.
1244. 24 dozen Brushes, Nail, Adams' No. 156.
1246. 1 doz. n Brushes, Nail, Adams' No. 1011.
1248. 6 each, Buttons, Murphys, ordinary, ex. large, oval.
1250. 12 Canulas for Transfusion, like sample.
1252. 6 dozen, each, Catheters, English Web, Nos. 1 to 12; above 12.
1254. 2 Catheters, Eustachian, virgin silver, with set of Bougies.
1256. 2 gross Catheters, Glass, Female, like sample.
1258. 4 dozen, each, Catheters, Silk, Lee's, cylind. (No. 4540), oliv. (4541) prostatic, or Mercier's (4543) to 4546.
1260. 6 each, Catheters, virgin silver, Male. 9 to 12 Fr., 13 to 16 Fr., 17 to 20 Fr.
1262. 6 Catheters, virgin silver, Female.
1264. 4 Catheters, virgin silver, Male, Double-current.
1266. 4 Catheters, Male, Tunneled.
1268. 2 dozen Catheters, Self-retaining, Holt's.
1270. 75 dozen Catheters, Velvet-eye, Tiemann's own make.
1272. 2 Cauteries, Reynders.
1274. 4 sets Cautery bulbs, for above.
1276. 6 Clamps, Hysterectomy, Jacobs' best, heavy, large, med.
1278. 2 Clamps, Pedicle, Spencer-Wells', best.
1280. 2 each, Clamps, Pile, Smith's, Tuttle's.
1282. 12 Curettes, Sims', best, any kind.
1284. 12 Curettes, Volkman's (Spoons), double, assorted sizes.
1286. 1 Cystoscope Set, Kelly's (Reynd, pg. 723, No. 690).
1288. 12 Depressors, Tongue, Smith.
1290. 12 Dilators, Hanks', H. R., assorted.
1292. 2 Dilators, Ellinger-Goodell's, best.
1294. 2 Dilators, Sims-Wylie's, best, with corrugated blades and set screws.
1296. 2 dozen Directors, Grooved, Steel, plated, 5 to 6 inches, 8 inches.
1298. 6 Douches, Uterine, Bozeman-Fritsch, best.
1300. 1 dozen Dusters, Iodoform, H. R. top, like sample.
1302. 6 Elevators, Periosteal, Goodwillie's.
1304. 6 each, Endoscope Tubes, metal, plated ord. size, Klotz's, Otis.
1306. 10 yards Felt, 36 inches wide, like sample.
1308. 12 dozen Forceps, Artery, Halstead's best, with French lock, straight or curved.
1310. 1 dozen Forceps, Artery, Tait's best, w. French lock.
1312. 2 dozen Forceps, Dental, best, any shape.
1314. 2 dozen Forceps, Dissecting, 6-in., mouse or rat toothed.
1316. 10 Forceps, dressing, Uter., Bozeman's, str or curved, w. catch.
1318. 1 Forceps, Haemostatic, Wylie's.
1320. 1 Forceps, Tenaculum, Emmett's.
1322. 1 Forceps, Tenaculum, Skene's.
1324. 1 Forceps, Tenaculum, Wylie's.
1326. 2 dozen, each, Forceps, Thumb, serrated, $\frac{1}{4}$ -in., $\frac{3}{4}$ -in.
1328. 2 dozen, each, Forceps, Thumb, mouse-toothed, $\frac{1}{4}$ -in., $\frac{3}{4}$ -in.
1330. 5 Forceps, Tongue, St. Luke's, like sample.
1332. 4 Forceps, Vulsellum, curved, 10-in., w. catch.
1334. 100 yards Gauze, Iodoform, 10% in 1 yard aseptic containers.
1336. 12 Inhalers, Esmarch's, complete.
1338. 6 Inhalers, Allis' (aseptic metal cover).
1340. 1 Inhaler, Clover's, complete in case.
1342. 1 Inhaler, Ormsby, best (Kny, B/122).
1344. 12 Irrigators, Glass (Kny, 16997) 2000 Gm.
1346. 4 Irrigators, Glass (Kny, 17007) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ quarts.
1348. 2 Irrigators, Valentine's, each with 12 extra nozzles. Tiemann's own make.
1350. 4 Kettles, Croup, like sample.
1352. 2 dozen Knives, 3-blade, like sample.
1354. 2 doz n knives, Pruning, IXL, like sample.
- Ligatures (Catgut, Silk, etc.).
1356. 220 boxes Catgut, German, polished, equal to samples, in boxes of 30 strings each, each string tied with thread which will not give up its color to solvents, and to have, approximately, a length and bearing limit as given below. The amounts are given in about the proportion in which the several sizes are wanted:
- | BEARING LIMIT. | KINDS. | LENGTH. | | | | | AMOUNTS. |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| | | 32 lbs. | 24 lbs. | 18 lbs. | 8 lbs. | 5 lbs. | |
| 10 boxes | Violin D. | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 10 boxes |
| 50 boxes | Violin A. | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 50 boxes |
| 50 boxes | Violin E. | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 50 boxes |
| 100 boxes | Band 2. | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 100 boxes |
| 100 boxes | Band 1. | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches | 100 boxes |
1358. 4 dozen bottles Catgut, Chromicized, S. & J., 3 spoons in bottle.
1360. 20 dozen pat. pack. Catgut, in Alcohol, Lee's No. 2000.
1362. 4 dozen box. Catgut, J. & J., Aseptic, 1 dozen strings in box.
1364. 2 dozen bott. Horsehair, Aseptic, Lee's 5034, 50 in a bottle.
1366. 400 tubes Kangaroo Tendons, Aseptic, 4 strings in alcohol, in flame-sealed tubes.
1368. 4 dozen Ligature Tubes, Fowler's (catgut or silk), Lee's.
1370. 20 dozen pat. pack. Silk, Braided, White, Lee's 2030.
1372. 80 dozen reels, Silk, Braided, White, assorted sizes, like sample.
1374. 80 dozen reels Silk, Twisted, White or Black, assorted sizes, like sample.
1376. 40 spools Silk, Twisted, White, assorted sizes (according to Lee's numbers) $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. on spool.
1378. 40 skeins Silk, Cable-twist, like sample.
1380. 30 ounces Silk, Cable twist, English, to be imported from Krohne & Sesemann, London, to order.
1382. 30 hanks Silk Worn Gut (1,000 strigs each), like sample.
1384. 4 Ligature Carriers, Cleveland's, with catch.
1386. 4 Mallets, best: Lead-filled, raw-hide, wooden.
1388. 6 Measures, Tape, Steel, double scale, 6 ft.
1390. 6 Mirrors, Head, with Band, best, 3-inch.
1392. 2 dozen Mirrors, Throat, in Handles, best, Nos. 0 to 5.
1394. 4 each Mouth Gags: Denhardt's, Gross's, Screw.
1396. 6 dozen Nail Cleaners, Steel, like sample.
1398. 4 dozen Nail Cleaners, Bone, like sample.
1400. 2 Needles, Aneurism, Mott's.
1402. 20 Needles, Aspirating, various sizes, like samples, to be fitted if necessary.
1404. 4 gross Needles, Cervix (Emmett's), assorted.
1406. 10 dozen Needles, Eye, assorted.
1408. 10 gross Needles, Hagedorn, ord. assorted.
1410. 2 gross Needles, Hagedorn, ord. assorted, self-threading, like sample.
1412. 10 gross Needles, Hagedorn, genuine English, Krohne & Sesemann's, in original packages, to be imported to order.
1414. 4 gross Needles, Hypodermic, best, Green's reinforced, long or short, like samples.
1416. 4 sets Needles, Perineal, Peaslee's, 3 in detachable handle.
1418. 10 dozen Needles, Post-mortem, assorted.
1420. 30 gross Needles, Surgical, t. general use, assorted.
1422. 2 gross Needles, Surgical, assorted, self-threading.
- Needles, Special—
1424. 12 dozen Needles, Bryant's, assorted, Ford's own make.
1426. 12 dozen Needles, Coe's, assorted, Tiemann's own make.
1428. 4 Needle Holders, Crosby-Mathieu's.
1430. 4 Needle Holders, Hagedorn's best (3 sizes).
1432. 2 Needle Holders, McBurney's.
1434. 2 Needle Holders, Otis.
1436. 4 Needle Holders, Russian ("New," Kny, 1844).
1438. 2 Needle Holders, Sims', with catch.
1440. 2 dozen each, Nipple Shields, Phenix: No. 1, No. 2, No. 4.
1442. 2 gross Nozzles, Glass, Vaginal, like sample.
1444. 6 Oil Sones, best Arkansas, mounted, 6-inch, No. 1 hard.
1446. 2 dozen, each, Pessaries, h. r., assorted: Hodge's, A. Smith's.
1448. 6 Powder Blowers, Robinson's (Reynd, 249-105).
1450. 2 dozen, each, Pumps, Breast, "Protector": No. 2, No. 4.
1452. 4 Razors, Skin-grafting.
1454. 6 Razor Straps, Repenhagen's No. 17.
1456. 6 Retractors, Bull's double.
1458. 6 Retractors, Markoe's Abdominal, Ford's own make.
1460. 4 each Retractors, Volkman's: 2-prong, 3-prong, 4 prong.
1462. 2 Saws, Jeffrey's, aseptic, complete.
1464. 20 each, Saws, Gigli's: 12-inch, 20-inch.
1466. 4 pairs Saw Handles for preceding.
1468. 4 Saws for Plaster dressings, Engel's.
1470. 4 dozen Scalpels, best imported, aseptic, solid handle, hollow ground, assorted sizes.
1472. 10 dozen Scalpels, assorted, Tiemann's own make.
1474. 2 dozen Scissors, Bandage, heavy, like sample.
1476. 6 dozen each, Scissors, General Surgical, best, with Collins' lock, straight, curved, or angular, blunt or sharp pointed: 5-inch, $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch, 6-inch, $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch.
1478. 12 each, Scissors, Gynecological, best, with Collins' lock. Reynd, page 353: No. 379, No. 380, No. 382.
1480. 12 each, Scissors, Emmett's best, with Collins' lock: Kny, 9313, 9315, 9317.
1482. 4 Scissors, wire-cutting, Smith's or Boldt's.
1484. 2 dozen Scissors, 4-inch, in sheaths, like sample.
1486. 6 Screws, Tampon, like sample.
1488. 4 Searchers, Thompson's.
1490. 2 Shears for Plaster Dressings, Wright's.
1492. 1 dozen Sounds, Uterine, Simpson's, graduated.
1494. 2 dozen Sounds, Uterine, Sims' aseptic.
1496. 6 Sounds, Tunneled, Gouley's, each with 3 Filiforms.
1498. 2 dozen Sounds, Urethral, best steel, plated.
1500. 2 dozen Spectacles, Eye-protecting, like sample.
1502. 10 Spectacles, with Frames and Cases, like sample; lenses from 0.25 to 8.0, Dioptrics, to be furnished as may be ordered by prescribing oculist.
1504. 4 Specula, Vaginal, Brewer's.
1506. 2 Specula, Vaginal, Jacobs', weighted.
1508. 4 Specula, Vaginal, Sims'.
1510. 4 sets Specula, Ear, Toynbee's (3 in set), silver.
1512. 4 Specula, Eye, Noyes'.
1514. 4 Specula, Nasal, Bosworth's.
1516. 2 Specula, Rectal, Pratt's.
1518. 12 gross Splints, Basswood, like sample.
1520. 2 Splints, Levis', Femur (adult).
1522. 2 Splints, Levis', Radius (adult).
1524. 2 Splints, Levis', Tibia and Fibula (adult).
1526. 2 Splints, Levis', Posterior Elbow (adult).
1528. 4 Splints, Felt, S. & J. Arm and Forearm.
1530. 4 Splints, Felt, S. & J. Angular, Elbow.
1532. 1 Splint, Hodgson's.
1534. 1 Splint, Volkman's, Wire.
1536. 1 Splint, Volkman's, Sliding Rest.
1538. 2 dozen Sponge Holders (Reynd, 339/234).
1540. 2 dozen Sponge Holders (Reynd, 347/310).
1542. 1 dozen Spout Caps (Kny, 17112).
1544. 1 dozen Steel Porcelain Pus Basins (Kny, 17868).
1546. 4 Steel Porcelain Hot Water Cans (Kny, 18050).
1548. 1 dozen Stethoscopes, Tiemann's own make.
1550. 100 yards, each, Stockinette, like samples: 4-inch, 6-inch, 7-inch, 8-inch, 10-inch, 12-inch, 14-inch.
1552. 1 each, Stocking, Elastic, Stout Silk (Reynd, page 786), to be fitted to patient: Garter to O., Knee Cap, Ankle.
1554. 1 dozen Stopcocks, H. R., Kny, 17131.
1556. 6 dozen Straps and Buckles, like sample.
1558. 1 each, Suspension Apparatus, Sayre's. With Tripod, without Tripod.
1560. 3 Syringes, Antioxin, Roux's, in case.
1562. 2 Syringes, Deep Urethral, Keyes', silver tube.
1564. 6 dozen Syringes, Hypodermic, with Green's reinforced needles, in cases, like sample.
1566. 1 dozen Tenacula, single (Reynd, 327, 78-83).
1568. 1 dozen Tenacula, double (R. 327, 91-92).
1570. 4 Tenacula, Emmett's (R. 326, 85).
1572. 6 dozen Tin Strips, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch wide or less, 6 feet long.
1574. 2 Tonsilotomes, Mathieu's, aseptic, any of 3 sizes.
1576. 2 each, Trephines, Lamphear-Roberts. $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 1-inch, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.
1578. 4 each, Trusses, Elastic, best, reversible, with extra-heavy webbing, to be fitted to patients. Single, double.

1580. 10 dozen Tubes, Glass, Intra-uterine, like samples.
1582. 12 Tubes, Nasal Feeding, Tiemann's own make.
1584. 6 dozen Tubes, Perineal, Tiemann's own make.
1586. 10 dozen Tubes, Rectal, Tiemann's own make.
1588. 12 Tubes, Stomach, Soft R., Tiemann's own make.
1590. 1 dozen Tubes, Tee, Soft R., Tiemann's own make.
1592. 12 Tubes, Trachea, H. R., up to 1/2-inch.
1594. 6 Tubes, Trachea, Silver, any of 5 ord. sizes.
1596. 2 Urethrotomes, Maisonneuve's best (Kny, D/1846), in case.
1598. 30 ounces (Troy) Wire, Pure Silver, sizes by Stubbs's gauge, on 5 pennyweight reels or spools.
1600. 2 Wire Twisters, Sims'.
- XII.—SURGICAL DRESSINGS AND PLASTERS.
- A.—Gauze.
1610. 500 bales (2,400 yards each) Bleached Absorbent Hospital Gauze, equal to the sample exhibited, particularly in number of threads to the inch, and in weight for equal surface. To be in bolts of 100 y-rod layers (not more than two pieces to the bolt) and securely wrapped in strong paper (3 bolts in a package). To be delivered in well-covered bales, protected on at least two sides by wood.
1612. 150 boxes (1,000 yards each) Bleached Absorbent Hospital Gauze, equal to the sample exhibited (which differs from the preceding), and made into rolls (like sample), each containing 10 continuous yards, and rolled carefully and tightly, without warping. The rolls are to be wrapped in paper (10 rolls in a package) and to be delivered in well-covered wooden boxes, each containing 100 rolls, properly marked. NOTE.—Both kinds of Gauze must be free from chemicals or other foreign matters.
- B.—Lintine.
1614. 3,000 pounds Lintine, in 1-lb. packages, packed 50 in a box.
- C.—Absorbent Cotton and Lint, and Oakum.
- NOTE.—Lines 1616 to 1620 will be awarded together. Hence, every line must be bid on.
1616. 15,000 pounds Cotton, Absorbent, equal to sample, in pound packages, each containing a full pound of Cotton, irrespective of wrapper, etc., packed 50 pounds in a closed box, properly marked.
1618. 5,000 pounds Lint, Absorbent, equal to sample, in one 1-lb. package, each containing a full pound of Lint, irrespective of wrapper, etc., packed 50 pounds in a closed box, properly marked.
1620. 40 bales Oakum, clean, like sample, in 50-lb. bales.
- D.—Plasters.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1622. 400 yards Plaster, Adhesive, "Resin," equal to sample on ordinary muslin, in 5-yard rolls.
1624. 100 yards Plaster, Adhesive, "Resin," equal to sample, on twilled muslin, in 5-yard rolls.
1626. 300 yards Plaster, Adhesive, "Resin," equal to sample on "moleskin," in 5-yard rolls.
1628. 13,000 yards Plaster, Adhesive, "Rubber," equal to sample, in 5-yard rolls, 12 inches wide, in square containers.
1630. 50 gross Plaster, Belladonna, rubber base, 5 by 7 1/2 inches, containing not less than 0.3% of the respective alkaloids, 2 dozen in a box.
1632. 1 dozen Plaster, Cantharidal, Camphorated, in 1-yard rolls, 7 inches wide.
1634. 15 gross Plaster, Capsicum, rubber base, equal to sample, porous, 5 by 7 1/2 inches, 2 dozen in a box.
1636. 3 dozen Plaster, Count, like sample, flesh colored, 2 1/2 by 20 inch, 1 dozen in a box.
1638. 2 dozen Plaster, Lead, U.S.P., in one yard rolls, 7 inches wide.
1640. 2 dozen Plaster, Mercury, U.S.P., in one yard rolls, 7 inches wide.
1642. 300 yards Plaster, Mustard, equal to sample, on paper, in 5-yard rolls, 12 inches wide.
1644. 50 gross Plaster, Poor Man's, rubber base, porous, 5 x 7 1/2 inches, 2 dozen in a box.
- XIII.—SURGICAL RUBBER GOODS IN GENERAL.
- NOTE.—This class will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the whole. Hence, every item must be bid on.
1650. 2 dozen, each, Bags, Hot Water, "Alpha" (no other), 2 quarts, 3 quarts.
1652. 24 dozen Bags, Hot Water, "Alpha" (no other), 5 quarts.
1654. 4 bags, Politzer's, w. valve, 6-oz.
1656. 12 Bandages, Eschsch's heavy, white, 3 inches by 3 yards, like sample.
1658. 12 Coils, Abdominal, 11 inches diam., like sample.
1660. 4 Coils, Head, for adults, like sample.
1662. 10 dozen Cushions, Invalid, P.S. & S.'s (no other), plain 16-inch.
1664. 4 sets Dilators, Barnes', 3 sizes in set.
1666. 3 gross Finger Protectors, thin rubber.
1668. 1 dozen Funnels, Hard Rubber, 4 oz. (No. 10).
1670. 6 dozen Gloves, Surgeon's, special, heavy, like sample, sizes 7 to 10.
1672. 3 dozen Gloves, Surgeon's, Brewer's, special (Goodyear Rubber Glove Co.) sizes 7 to 10.
1674. 2 dozen Gloves, Surgeon's or Nurse's, lined, like sample, sizes 7 to 10.
1676. 20 pounds Gutta Percha Tissue, non-adhesive, like sample.
1678. 3 dozen Ice Bags, No. 4, like sample.
1680. 1 dozen Ice Bags, Spinal, 14-inch, like sample.
1682. 6 dozen Ice Caps, No. 4, like sample.
1684. 2 dozen Ice Helmets for adults, like sample (with wide orifice).
1686. 12 gross Nipples, black, like sample.
1688. 3 dozen Nipple Shields, black, like sample.
1690. 10 each, Pads, Kelly's, Davidson & Co.'s make, No. 171, No. 172, Square.
1692. 20 pounds Rubber Sheeting (Pure Para Bandage Gum), like sample.
1694. 1 dozen Syringes, H. R., Ear, 1/2-ounce.
1696. 1 dozen, each, Syringes, Fountain, "Alpha" (no other), No. 2, No. 3, No. 4.
1698. 12 dozen Syringes, Fountain, "Alpha" (no other), No. 5.
1700. 4 each, Syringes, H. R., Rectal, 1-oz., 2-oz., 4-oz.
1702. 18 Syringes, H. R., Ultzmann's (Butler), 5-oz.
1704. 24 dozen Syringes, Bulb, "Union No. 5," with one tube twice as long as the other, like sample.
1706. 2 dozen Syringe Bells (separate), for above.
1708. 2 dozen Tubes, Stomach, with Bulb and Funnel, like sample.
1710. 20 pounds Tubing, Pure Para, black, no sulphur, like sample, 1/2 to 3/4 inch.
1712. 120 pounds Tubing, Maroon or Black, 3/4 to 1 inch, in customary lengths, and in quantities of about 30 lbs. at a time. None will be accepted which, upon incineration, leaves more than 5 per cent. of ash.
1714. 50 pounds Tubing, Pure Rubber, marbled, assorted sizes, like samples.

XIV.—SPONGE.

NOTE.—Lines 1720 and 1722 will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the two combined. Hence both lines must be bid on.

1720. 200 each, Surgical Sponges, Laparotomy, like samples: flat, round.

1722. 300 pounds Surgical Sponge, Natural Reef, first quality, like sample, about 120 to the pound. Tare to be 3 per cent.

XV.—Corks.

NOTE.—Lines 1724 and 1726 will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the two combined. Hence both lines must be bid on.

1724. 1,445 gross Corks, extra long, taper, in bags of 5 gross, properly marked. The quantities probably required are given in square brackets: Quality XX—[100 gro.] No. 2, [300 gro.] No. 3, [300 gro.] No. 4, [300 gro.] No. 5, [100 gro.] No. 6, [100 gro.] No. 7, [100 gro.] No. 8, [50 gro.] No. 9, [20 gro.] No. 10, [20 gro.] No. 12. Quality X—[40 gro.] 13 to 15 assorted, [15 gro.] 16 to 20 assorted.

1726. 5 gross, each, Corks, Flat, 1/2 inch thick, diameters as given below. Quality like samples: 1-inch, 1 1/4 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 1 3/4 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 1 3/4 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 2-inch, 2 1/4 inch, 2 1/2 inch, 2 3/4 inch.

NOTE.—The awards will be made to the lowest bidder for each separate line number. But in the case of the following numbers the award will be made to the lowest bidder for the combined articles under each respective group of numbers, but every line, in each group, must be bid on:

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 1.

Lines.

2—4. Carbolic Acid.

28—34. Quinine Tablets.

424—430. Antitoxin.

464—550. Fluid and Solid Extracts.

562—584. Gums.

612—652. Essential Oils.

654—666. Fixed Oils.

682—702. Pills.

708—780. Powd. Veget. Drugs.

816—850. Tablets.

880—920. Squibb's Preparations.

932—934. Wood Alcohol.

938—942. California Brandy and Wines.

946—948. Sugar.

960—1016. Chem. and Clin. Apparatus.

1020—1064. Glass Ware in general.

1066—1124. Druggists' Sundries.

1130—1138. Oxygen and Nitrous Oxide.

1140—1160. Paper.

1162—1166. Photographic Materials.

1170—1184. Batteries and Electrical Supplies.

1190—1206. Agate, etc., Ware.

1236—1242. Bougies.

1244—1246. Brushes.

1308—1332. Forceps.

1336—1342. Inhalers.

1356—1382. Ligatures.

1400—1422. Needles.

1428—1438. Needle Holders.

1474—1484. Scissors.

1504—1516. Specula.

1518—1536. Splints.

1544—1546. Steel Porcelain.

1616—1620. Cotton, Lint and Oakum.

1622—1644. Plasters.

1650—1714. Rubber Goods.

1720—1722. Sponge.

1724—1726. Corks.

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

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1888.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1899 to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes, at his office, in the borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.

Borough of The Bronx, corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.

Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8 Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Borough of Queens, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.

Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

—before the 1st day of January, 1900, as provided by section 919 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid after the 1st day of December, 1899, one per centum will be charged, received and collected, in addition to the amount thereof, and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1900, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the 2d day of October, 1899, on which day the assessment-rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1899 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 916 of said act.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS,
ROOMS 1 AND 3 MUNICIPAL BUILDING,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 1, 1899.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS for the "Third Installment" in the following-entitled matters have been completed and are now due and payable and the authority for the collection of the various assessments mentioned therein, has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the penalty of the law.

Opening and Grading the Following-named Streets:

- Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Eighty avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

Also for Grading and Paving:

- Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Forty-eighth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.
- Forty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to the old city line.
- Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Fiftieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.
- Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Fifty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.
- Fifty-third street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Fifty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.
- Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue.
- Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Also for Opening, Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-third street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Grading:

Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the old city line.

Also for Grading, Paving and Street Basins:

Fifth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, and title 19, section 9, as amended by chapter 599, Laws of 1892, and chapter 888, Laws of 1895, as amended by section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

On all taxes and on all assessments except assessments for grading and paving, which shall hereafter be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum, for the unexpired portion thereof. On all taxes, assessments and water rates paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected as part of every such tax, assessment or water rate, interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable, to the date of said payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON,

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

M. O'KEEFE,

Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears,

Borough of Brooklyn.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD.

NINETY-FOURTH STREET.—OPENING between First avenue and the Bulkhead Line, Harlem river. Confirmed October 23, 1899, entered November 24, 1899. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between Ninety-fourth street and Ninety-fifth street, from the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, from the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river; on the east by the bulkhead-line of the East river, and on the west by the easterly side of Fifth avenue.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears." 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 1006 of the "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 centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears," Room 88, Stewart Building, 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 January 23, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 25, 1899.

INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York, of the late City of Brooklyn, of the County of Kings, and of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from November 20, 1899, to January 1, 1900.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn, will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 27, 1899.

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

WHEREAS, SECTION 1020 OF THE "Greater New York Charter" authorizes the Comptroller, in his discretion, to postpone any sale for unpaid taxes and assessments; and

Whereas, Many persons desire, and have applied for, a postponement of the sale for unpaid assessments advertised to be held on Wednesday, September 6, 1899; now, therefore, in order to afford all such persons the opportunity to pay the assessments upon their property so advertised to be sold, and thereby avoid the additional expense of redemption of the property if sold, the said sale is hereby ordered to be postponed until Monday, the 4th day of December, 1899, to be held at the same time and place, to wit: at the Court-house, City Hall Park, at 10 o'clock P. M.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 1899.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, November 1, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS whose taxes for the year 1899 remain unpaid on the 1st day of November of the said year, that unless the same shall be paid to the Receiver of Taxes, at his office in the borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.
Borough of The Bronx, corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.
Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Borough of Queens, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.
Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

—on or before the 1st day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per centum on the amount thereof, as provided by section 916 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, November 20, 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, December 1, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT APOTHECARY. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Monday, December 4, 10 A. M. JUNIOR ASSISTANT ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN. The maximum salary for this position is \$900. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Monday, December 4, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN. The maximum salary for this position is \$1,200. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Monday, December 4, 9 A. M. FIREMEN. On this date a medical and physical examination for Firemen will begin. In this examination only applicants Nos. 1880 to 2632, inclusive, whose applications were filed on or before February 8, 1899, will be examined.

Wednesday, December 6, 10 A. M. ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN. The maximum salary for this position is \$1,800. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to acquire certain real estate under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the First Separate Report of Paul Halpin, Adrian H. Dean and John S. Eno, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on the 20th day of July, 1899, and a copy thereof filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County at Carmel in said county, on the 17th day of July, 1899.

Notice is further given that said report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 10, 15, 18, 37, 42, 43, 45, 50, 52, 56, 65, 72, 73, 74, 75, 78 and 85.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York to be held in and for the Second Judicial District at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, County of Westchester, and State of New York, on the twenty-third day (23d) of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, November 22, 1899.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, by and through the Department of Public Parks, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for public use and public purposes, as and for a Public Place and Public Park and Parkway, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894, hereby give notice to the owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises laid out, appropriated or designated pursuant to chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894, for a public place and public park and parkway, bounded on the

south by the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, on the north by the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, on the west by the easterly side of First avenue, and on the east by the bulkhead line of the East river, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our fourth separate estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in that portion of said lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, bounded and described as follows:

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the numbers 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169 and 170:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, running thence northerly along the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths feet (201.83) to the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street eighty (80) feet; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street eighty (80) feet to the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, at the point or place of beginning.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 171:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, said point being distant eighty (80) feet easterly from a corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, running thence northerly and parallel with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street two hundred and three and thirty-three one-hundredths (203.33) feet, thence southerly in a straight line two hundred and twenty-one and six one-hundredths (221.06) feet to a point in the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, said point being distant one hundred and ninety-three and fourteen one-hundredths (193.14) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence running westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street one hundred and thirteen one-hundredths (113.14) feet to the point or place of beginning. Together with all manner of wharfage, cranes, advantages or emoluments growing or accruing by or from the bulkhead line or line of solid filling on the Harlem or East river, as the same was established by law on the 15th day of September, 1870, between the said One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets and adjoining the easterly side of the strip or parcel of land designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 176.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 172:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, running thence northerly along the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet, to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street one hundred and sixty-eight and ninety-three one-hundredths (168.93) feet; thence southerly in a straight line two hundred and fifteen and twenty-three one-hundredths (215.23) feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Twelfth street, said point being distant ninety-four and fifteen one-hundredths (94.15) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street ninety-four and fifteen one-hundredths (94.15) feet to the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, at the point or place of beginning. Together with all manner of wharfage, cranes, advantages or emoluments growing or accruing by or from the bulkhead line or line of solid filling on the said Harlem or East river, as the same was established by law on the 18th day of May, 1871, between the said One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets and adjoining the easterly side of the strip or parcel of land designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 175.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 173:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street seventy-three and sixty-one one-hundredths (73.61) feet; thence southerly in a straight line two hundred and eight and seventy-two one-hundredths (208.72) feet to a point in the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, said point being distant twenty and forty-two one-hundredths (20.42) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, twenty and forty-two one-hundredths (20.42) feet to the easterly side of Pleasant avenue at the point or place of beginning. Together with all manner of wharfage, cranes, advantages or emoluments growing or accruing by or from the bulkhead line, or line of solid filling, on the Harlem or East river, as the same was established by law on the 18th day of May, 1871, between the said One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, and adjoining the easterly side of the strip or parcel of land designated on the Commissioners' map, herein by the number 174.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 174:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, said point being distant twenty and forty-two one-hundredths (20.42) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue, running thence northerly in a straight line two hundred and eight and seventy-two one-hundredths (208.72) feet to a point in the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, said point being distant seventy-three and sixty-one one-hundredths (73.61) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street seventy-two and thirty-nine one-hundredths (72.39) feet to the Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857; thence southerly along the said Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857 two hundred and eight and seventy-two one-hundredths (208.72) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street seventy-two and thirty-nine one-hundredths (72.39) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 175:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, said point being distant ninety-four and fifteen one-hundredths (94.15) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; running thence northerly in a straight line two hundred and fifteen and twenty-three one-hundredths (215.23) feet to a point in the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, said point being distant one hundred and sixty-eight and ninety-three one-hundredths (168.93) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street seventy-four and seven one-hundredths (74.07) feet to the Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857, thence southerly along the said Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857 two hundred and fifteen and twenty-three one-hundredths (215.23) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street seventy-four and seven one-hundredths (74.07) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 176:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, said point being distant one hundred and ninety-three and fourteen one-hundredths (193.14) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; running thence northerly in a straight line two hundred and twenty-one and six one-hundredths (221.06) feet to a point in the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, said point being distant two hundred and eighty-three and thirty-three one-hundredths (283.33) feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street with the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street seventy-six and sixty-seven one-hundredths (76.67) feet to the Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857; thence southerly along said Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857 two hundred and twenty-one and six one-hundredths (221.06) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, seventy-six and sixty-seven one-hundredths (76.67) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Description of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in The City of New York, known and designated on the Commissioners' Map herein by the number 177:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street with the westerly side of Pleasant avenue, running thence northerly along the westerly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the easterly side of First avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue sixty (60) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the westerly side of Pleasant avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the easterly side of First avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue sixty (60) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street; thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the westerly side of Pleasant avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street two hundred and sixty-nine and eighty-one one-hundredths (269.81) feet to the Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857, thence southerly along said Harbor Commissioners' line sixty-five and seventy-two one-hundredths (65.72) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street two hundred and forty-three (243) feet to the easterly line of Pleasant avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street one hundred and sixty-eight and twenty-two one-hundredths (168.22) feet to the Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857; thence southerly along the said Harbor Commissioners' line of 1857 sixty-three and forty-nine one-hundredths (63.49) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street; thence westerly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Twelfth street one hundred and forty-six (146) feet to the easterly side of Pleasant avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Pleasant avenue two hundred and one and eighty-three one-hundredths (201.83) feet to the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, and thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Eleventh street one hundred (100) feet to the westerly side of Pleasant avenue at the point or place of beginning.

And that we have deposited a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, being the successor to the Commissioner of Public Works of said City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That any person or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof may, within ten days after the first presentation of this notice (November 27, 1899), set forth their objections to the same in writing, to us at our office, Room 113, on the third floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, as provided by section 3 of chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 11th day of December, 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at an Appellate Division of said Court, to be held in and for the First Judicial Department, in the Court-house, No. 111 Fifth Avenue, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and that then and there a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 24, 1899.
ABRAHAM KLING,
EDMUND L. MOONEY,
RICHARD V. HARNETT,
Commissioners.
T. W. B. HUGHES,
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 EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Valentine avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments 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 18th day of December, 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 20th day of December, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. 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 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 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 200 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly side of Grand avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Grand avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Buchanan place and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Davidson avenue and Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and its prolongation eastwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Tiebout avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence southerly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to its intersection with the line joining said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly side of Tiebout avenue; thence southerly westerly to the intersection of the westerly side of Tiebout avenue with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Davidson avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 15th day of January, 1900, 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, November 15, 1899.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Chairman,
CHARLES BRANDT, Jr.,
J. ASPINWALL HODGE, Jr.,
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 the Concourse 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.

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 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, 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 18th day of December, 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 20th day of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. 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 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 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street with the easterly side of Walton avenue, running thence northerly along said easterly side of Walton avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block to the easterly side of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the middle line of the

block between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southerly side of Burnside avenue; thence easterly along said southerly side of Burnside avenue to the middle line of the block between Morris avenue and Creston avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line to the westerly side of Creston avenue; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of Creston avenue with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Creston avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of Tremont avenue; thence easterly along said southerly side of Tremont avenue to the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along said westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Mount Hope place; thence easterly along said middle line prolonged easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Morris avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Morris avenue to the southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 15th day of January, 1900, 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, November 18, 1899.

JAMES R. ELY, Chairman,
PIERRE V. B. HOES,
A. SONNENSTRAHL,
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 TIFANY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Intervale 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.

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 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, 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 13th day of December, 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 14th day of December, 1899, at 2 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 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 22d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report 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 United States bulkhead line in the East river with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Worthen street and Tiffany street; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and middle line to the middle line of the block between Eastern Boulevard and Randall avenue; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Truxton street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Truxton street and northwesterly along the northwesterly side of Leggett avenue to the middle line of the block between Truxton street and Barry street; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Craven street and Worthen street; thence northwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mohawk avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West) and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Longwood avenue; thence northwesterly along the northwesterly side of Longwood avenue to the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Fox street; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Longwood avenue and Intervale avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southeasterly side of Dawson street; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Dawson street and northerly along the easterly side of Intervale avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Kelly street and said parallel line prolonged northwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Home street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Prospect avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Home street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Boston road; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of

Boston road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of that part of Chisholm street, between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line prolonged southwardly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Barretto street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Barretto street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line and northwesterly along a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom to the westerly side of Fox street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Fox street to the northerly side of Dongan street; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Barretto street and Dongan street; thence southeasterly along the middle line of the blocks between Barretto street on the southwest and Dongan street and Hunt's Point road on the northeast to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Manida street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Manida street to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Intervale avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Casanova street and Tiffany street; thence southerly along said middle line and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the United States bulkhead line in the East river; thence northwesterly along said bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 28th day of December, 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, November 14, 1899.

WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Chairman,
PHIL M. LEAKIN,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
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-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Concourse to Sheridan avenue and from Sherman avenue to Morris 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.

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 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, 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 13th day of December, 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 13th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock A. 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 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 21st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report 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 Sherman avenue and Sheridan avenue with the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; running thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the middle line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Sherman avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the northwesterly side of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West) to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and parallel line to its prolongation northwardly to the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Sheridan avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 28th day of December, 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, November 10, 1899.

ELLIS E. WARING, Chairman,
JAMES E. MAHON,
T. J. CARLETON, Jr.,
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 PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Hall place and 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 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, 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 13th day of December, 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 13th day of December, 1899, at 4 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 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 21st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report 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 northwesterly side of Dawson street with the middle line of the block, between Stebbins avenue and Rogers place; running thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, lying westwardly from Stebbins avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the easterly side of Forest avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Forest avenue to its intersection with 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 blocks and its prolongation eastwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hall place and distant 125 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation 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 northwesterly prolongation of 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 westerly side of Barretto street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Barretto street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 285 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Rogers place; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to the northwesterly side of Dawson street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 28th day of December, 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, November 8, 1899.

J. C. O'CONNOR, Chairman,
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,
FRANK 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 DONGAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-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 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, 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 18th day of December, 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 20th day of December, 1899, at 4 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 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 29th day of December, 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 95 feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of Melrose avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence southerly and parallel to Melrose avenue 118.4 feet; thence westerly and on a line parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-first street to a point on the easterly side of Park avenue distant 124.44 feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Park avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, continuing said line to the easterly side of Spencer place, distant 325.51 feet from the northwesterly corner of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Spencer place; thence westerly along the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, to a point where it meets the westerly line of Jerome avenue as extended; thence along a straight line to a point on the northwesterly corner of Sedgwick avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence on a line parallel to Summit avenue distant westerly 87½ feet therefrom to a point on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street distant about 105 feet from the westerly side of Lind avenue; thence southeasterly to the intersection of the easterly side of Ogden avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Anderson avenue; thence easterly to the easterly side of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, at a point distant 100 feet from the northwesterly corner of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 200 feet northerly therefrom to a point on the westerly side of Marcher avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the corner of Marcher avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly

city, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report 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 northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue with the northwesterly side of Longwood avenue; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of Longwood avenue to the southeasterly side of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly on a straight line to the intersection of the westerly side of Prospect avenue with the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence westerly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street to the middle line of the block between Prospect avenue and Union avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Third avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street lying eastwardly from Trinity avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Union avenue and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and its prolongation eastwardly to the southeasterly side of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly side of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Hoe street; thence southerly along said middle line to a point midway between Westchester avenue and Aldus street; thence easterly along the middle line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and Guttenberg street on the north, and Aldus street on the south, and said middle line prolonged easterly to the westerly side of Bronx river; thence southerly along said westerly side of Bronx river to the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and Seneca avenue; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Faile street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 13th day of January, 1900, 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, November 18, 1899.

JOHN M. THOMPSON,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

JOHN J. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all such real estate and to any right, title or interest therein not owned by the said The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of the approach and entrance to THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 57 of the Laws of 1896.

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, 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 18th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of December, 1899, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, 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 29th day of December, 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 95 feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of Melrose avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence southerly and parallel to Melrose avenue 118.4 feet; thence westerly and on a line parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-first street to a point on the easterly side of Park avenue distant 124.44 feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Park avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, continuing said line to the easterly side of Spencer place, distant 325.51 feet from the northwesterly corner of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Spencer place; thence westerly along the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, to a point where it meets the westerly line of Jerome avenue as extended; thence along a straight line to a point on the northwesterly corner of Sedgwick avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence on a line parallel to Summit avenue distant westerly 87½ feet therefrom to a point on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street distant about 105 feet from the westerly side of Lind avenue; thence southeasterly to the intersection of the easterly side of Ogden avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Anderson avenue; thence easterly to the easterly side of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, at a point distant 100 feet from the northwesterly corner of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 200 feet northerly therefrom to a point on the westerly side of Marcher avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the corner of Marcher avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly

to the intersection of the easterly side of Marcher avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to a point on the easterly side of Boscobel avenue and distant 140 feet northwesterly from a point intersected by the corners of Jerome and Boscobel avenues; thence continuing along said parallel line 32 feet; thence easterly to a point on the westerly side of Cromwell avenue distant 108.33 feet northwesterly from the corner of Jerome and Cromwell avenues; thence southwesterly to a point on the easterly side of Jerome avenue about 110 feet northwesterly from the point intersected by Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly along a line parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom to a point about 124 feet easterly from the easterly side of Girard avenue; thence slightly northwesterly to a point on the westerly side of Walton avenue distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwest corner of Walton avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing on a line parallel with the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom to a point on the easterly side of Morris avenue distant 100 feet northwesterly from the corner of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing said parallel line easterly about 50 feet; thence southeasterly on a line parallel with East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom to a point on the easterly side of proposed Findlay avenue distant 100 feet northwesterly from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and parallel thereto; thence easterly, northwesterly and again easterly along said parallel line distant 100 feet northwesterly from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to the middle line of the block between Webster and Brook avenues and distant about 81 feet easterly from the easterly side of Webster avenue; thence southerly and along a line to a point on the westerly side of Brook avenue distant about 350 feet southerly from the southwest corner of Brook avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing said line southerly to a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Brook avenue and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence on a line southerly to a point on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; distant 100 feet from the easterly corner of Melrose avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence southerly along a line parallel to Melrose avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom to the point and place of beginning.

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 18th day of January, 1900, 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, November 14, 1899.

JAMES A. BLANCHARD, Chairman,
JOHN H. KNOEPEL,
HUGH R. GARDEN, Commissioners.

WM. R. KEESE,
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 FORTY-NINTH STREET, from the Southern Boulevard to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, 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, from the 30th day of June, 1898, up to and including the 16th day of November, 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 5th day of December, 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, from the 30th day of June, 1898, up to and including the 16th day of November, 1899, 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, November 16, 1899.

CHARLES V. GABRIEL,
EDWARD MCCUE,
PATRICK A. McMANUS, 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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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 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, 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 14th day of December, 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 15th day of December, 1899, at 2 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 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 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 northwesterly side of Webster avenue with the northwesterly side of Kingsbridge road; running thence northwesterly and westerly and northerly and easterly and southeasterly sides of Kingsbridge road to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence northerly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Kingsbridge road with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Valentine avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundredth street (formerly Southern Boulevard) and East Two Hundred and First street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Briggs avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the southwesterly side of Mosholu Parkway, South; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly side of Mosholu Parkway, South, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Briggs avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundredth street (formerly Southern Boulevard) and East Two Hundred and First street; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Bainbridge avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Webster avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Webster avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 29th day of December, 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, November 16, 1899.

EDWARD B. WHITNEY, Chairman,
JOHN T. SIMON,
THOMAS J. BROWN, 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 EIGHTY-FIRST STREET (formerly Ponus street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx Park, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate 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, 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 14th day of December, 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 15th day of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. 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 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 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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.:

On the north by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof from the Bronx river to the prolongation northwesterly of the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Mapes avenue, and by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof from the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Mapes avenue to Crotona avenue. On the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the Bronx river to a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; also on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the middle line of the block between Mapes avenue and Marmion avenue, also on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between Mapes avenue and the Southern Boulevard to Crotona avenue. On the east by the Bronx river from the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; also on the east by a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the middle line of the block between Mapes avenue and the Southern Boulevard and said middle line produced northwesterly from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof; also on the west by the easterly side of Crotona avenue from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof and also on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Mapes avenue and the Southern Boulevard and the

middle line of the block between Mapes avenue and Marmion avenue from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 29th day of December, 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, November 8, 1899.

WM. J. BROWNE,
G. M. SPEIR, 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 MOHAWK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to the Bronx river, 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 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, 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 13th day of December, 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 14th day of December, 1899, at 2 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 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 22d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue), and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northwesterly along the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Whittier street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) to the westerly side of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Bronx river to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Seneca avenue and Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue); thence westerly by said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Faile street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northwesterly side of Seneca avenue; thence westerly along the northwesterly side of Seneca avenue to the easterly side of Hunt's Point road; thence westerly by the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northwesterly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part II, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 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, November 13, 1899.

GUSTAVE S. DRACHMAN, Chairman,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
MICHAEL SEXTON, 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 SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Sheridan avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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 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, 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 13th day of December, 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 13th day of December, 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

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 1st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, 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 northwesterly prolongation of the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street with the southeasterly side of Anderson avenue; running thence northwesterly along the southeasterly side of Anderson avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Grant avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Teller avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Teller avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Grant avenue and Sherman avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and its prolongation northwesterly to the northwesterly side of the entrance to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Walton avenue with the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate 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 28th day of December, 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, November 15, 1899.

C. W. WEST, Chairman,
WM. STANTON,
CHARLES O'BRIEN, 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 SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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 29th day of November, 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 1st day of December, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, 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 7th day of December, 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 westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Mount Hope place and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue, and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line, and its prolongation easterly to the southwesterly side of Tremont avenue; thence southeasterly along the southwesterly side of Tremont avenue to the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Mount Hope place and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said middle line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning: Excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to 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 18th day of December, 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, October 26, 1899.

GEORGE GORDON BATTLE,
PATRICK A. McMANUS,
ARTHUR TERRY, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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