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OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, September 12, 1900.

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I have the honor to present herewith a report to August 31, 1900, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since August 25, 1900, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on August 31, 1900.

Very respectfully,
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

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1900. Aug. 31	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$5,800 03	1900. Aug. 25	By Balance.....		\$7,515,713 09
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	835 47				
	American Museum of Natural History.....	953 00				
	Anti-toxine Fund.....	820 84				
	Armory Fund.....	275 00				
	Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	1,549 97				
	Borough of Brooklyn.....	258 04				
	Borough of Queens.....	8,462 34				
	Borough of Richmond.....	2,452 06				
	Bridge Over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	1,509 89				
	Bridge Over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.....	1,146 31				
	Bridge Over Harlem River at First Avenue.....	653 65				
	Bridge Over Harlem River at One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Streets.....	423 66				
	Bridge Over New York and Harlem Railroad.....	54 00				
	Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,284 13				
	Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of The Bronx.....	129 81				
	Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	79 95				
	Construction and Maintenance of Public Parkways.....	279 00				
	Croton Water Fund.....	2,264 02				
	Croton Water Rent Refunding Account.....	132 30				
	Department of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn—Special Fund.....	128 03				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	2,585 79				
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—New Stone.....	275 00				
	Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn.....	35,589 01				
	Dock Fund.....	39,152 70				
	Eastern Parkway and Buffalo Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.....	26 27				
	Eleventh Ward Park Fund.....	40 50				
	Excise Taxes.....	10,183 46				
	Excise Taxes, Kings County.....	351 11				
	Excise Taxes, Queens County.....	202 22				
	Excise Taxes, Richmond County.....	45 55				
	Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette.....	54 20				
	Fort Washington Ridge Road Fund.....	8,000 00				
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	57,472 86				
	Hester Street Park Fund.....	124 10				
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 194, Laws of 1896.....	1,198 37				
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 643, Laws of 1897.....	24 00				
	Jefferson Park, Improvement of.....	14 00				
	New Park Fund.....	1,000 00				
	New East River Bridge Fund.....	35,641 98				
	New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	8,168 78				
	New York Public Library Fund.....	14 00				
	New York Zoological Garden Fund.....	152 72				
	Public Driveway, Construction of.....	373 75				
	Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2.....	171 15				
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	40 00				
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	141 24				
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Queens.....	115 65				
	Repaving—Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	1,320 39				
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,999 85				
	Repaving Streets, Borough of The Bronx.....	38 50				
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.....	197 22				
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	1,702 33				
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Brooklyn.....	24 66				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Board of Health—Necessary Expenses, etc.....	660 00				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Claims.....	6,836 91				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, etc.....	1,483 28				
	Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Office.....	866 66				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Health—Destruction of Diseased Cattle, etc.....	312 50				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Dewey Celebration.....	2,518 00				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Increased Salaries of Interpreters, Kings County.....	150 00				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	7,259 80				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Salaries of County Detectives, Kings County.....	208 33				
	Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction.....	79 44				
	School Building Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	273,392 00				
	School Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	246,566 00				
	School Building Fund, Borough of Queens.....	19,712 75				

1900. Aug. 31	To	1900. Aug. 31	By	1900. Aug. 31	By
	Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.....	\$401 42		Borough of Brooklyn—	
	Brooklyn Training School and Home for Young Girls.....	256 80		Arrears of Taxes, 1897.....	Gilon..... \$2,924 91
	Bureau of Licenses.....	1,776 64		Arrears of Taxes, 1896, etc.....	"..... 2,467 05
	Bureau of Municipal Statistics.....	641 66		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 1,742 36
	Children's Aid Society.....	18 08		Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, 1896, etc.....	"..... 1 14
	City Court of New York.....	9,758 30		Default and Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, 1896, etc.....	"..... 37
	City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.....	13,266 45		Eighth Ward Improvement Fund.....	"..... 94 70
	CITY RECORD.....	1,364 15		Sewer Installments, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	"..... 716 63
	Civil Service of The City of New York, Expenses of.....	5,868 28		Twenty-sixth Ward—Street Improvement Fund.....	"..... 306 10
	College of The City of New York.....	46 18		Sewerage Fund.....	"..... 290 45
	Commissioners of Accounts.....	12,035 00		Assessment Fund.....	"..... 429 10
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	350 00		Opening and Grading Assessments, Thirtieth Ward, 1896, etc.....	"..... 14 76
	Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....	5,830 16		Opening and Grading Assessments, Thirty-first Ward, 1897.....	"..... 33 89
	Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.....	4,349 97		Opening and Grading Assessments, Thirty-first Ward, 1896, etc.....	"..... 105 63
	City Magistrates' Courts, Second Division.....	14,024 92		Improvements, Town of Gravesend.....	"..... 39 45
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	10,189 93		Interest on Assessments.....	"..... 276 80
	Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.....	492 75		Opening and Widening Streets.....	"..... 46 50
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn.....	4,052 41		Advertising Sales.....	"..... 10 00
	Department of Buildings, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	27,072 50		Arrears of Water Rents, 1897, etc.....	"..... 439 68
	Department of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn.....	11,889 35		Interest on Water Rents.....	"..... 157 54
	Department of Buildings, Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.....	1,408 29			
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	12,351 79		Borough of Queens—	
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	99,200 00		Sundry Licenses.....	Flanagan..... 46 00
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	32,500 00		Restoring and Repaving.....	Keating..... 70 75
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	21,800 00			
	Department of Education—General School Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	589,573 00		Long Island City :	
	Department of Education—General School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	405,953 00		Taxes.....	Gilon..... 2,997 39
	Department of Education—General School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	54,240 00		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 227 55
	Department of Education—General School Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	20,234 00		Water Rents.....	"..... 79 98
	Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	24,707 04		Interest on Water Rents.....	"..... 5 07
	Department of Correction, Borough of Brooklyn.....	9,086 84			
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Board of Education.....	16,800 00		Newtown :	
	Department of Health, Borough of Manhattan.....	32,752 69		Town Taxes.....	"..... 479 46
	Department of Health, Borough of The Bronx.....	6,404 83		School Taxes.....	"..... 39 64
	Department of Health, Borough of Brooklyn.....	589 77		Light Taxes.....	"..... 2 20
	Department of Health, Borough of Queens.....	97 90		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 41 90
	Department of Health, Borough of Richmond.....	5 60			
	Department of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.....	21,609 15		Flushing :	
	Department of Highways, Borough of The Bronx.....	4,968 20		Town Taxes.....	"..... 113 59
	Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.....	7,384 34		Highway Taxes.....	"..... 7 20
	Department of Highways, Borough of Queens.....	399 53		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 7 50
	Department of Highways, Borough of Richmond.....	5,042 77		Village Taxes.....	"..... 86 77
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	15,378 56		Frontage Taxes.....	"..... 1 50
	Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.....	13,981 67		Interest on Village Taxes.....	"..... 32 94
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	6,137 05			
	Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	48,855 58		Jamaica :	
	Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Brooklyn.....	18,114 44		Town Taxes.....	"..... 18 24
	Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens.....	3,444 07		School Taxes.....	"..... 9 45
	Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Richmond.....	1,158 33		Road Taxes.....	"..... 2 18
	Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	19,233 84		Health Taxes.....	"..... 40
	Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	6,128 01		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 1 82
	Department of Public Charities, Borough of Richmond.....	67 75			
	Department of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan.....	8,725 63		Woodhaven :	
	Department of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx.....	6,246 52		Water Taxes.....	"..... 1 61
	Department of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	12,123 09		Light Taxes.....	"..... 6 44
	Department of Sewers, Borough of Queens.....	2,549 38		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 41
	Department of Sewers, Borough of Richmond.....	1,167 87			
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	71,541 12		Far Rockaway :	
	Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn.....	35,162 17		Taxes.....	"..... 60 50
	Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Queens.....	1,928 23		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 12 10
	Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Richmond.....	454 70			
	Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	27,092 15		Hempstead :	
	Department of Water Supply, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	23,241 38		Town Taxes.....	"..... 26 32
	Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn.....	9,032 24		School Taxes.....	"..... 32 87
	Department of Water Supply, Borough of Queens.....	3,925 07		Water Taxes.....	"..... 73 46
	Department of Water Supply, Borough of Richmond.....	850 60		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 20 91
	Dominican Convent of Our Lady of The Rosary.....	3,832 90			
	Election Expenses.....	5 22		Borough of Richmond—	
	Examining Board of Plumbers.....	278 33		Sundry Licenses.....	McCabe..... 13 00
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	189,950 03			
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	1,304 01		State, Town and County Taxes :	
	Hebrew Infant Asylum, City of New York.....	1,030 14		Southfield.....	Gilon..... 63 00
	Interest on the City Debt.....	262 50		Westfield.....	"..... 37 30
	Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	2,250 00		Castleton.....	"..... 64 64
	Jamaica Hospital.....	371 00			
	Law Department.....	28,165 16		Village Taxes, Village of New Brighton.....	"..... 55 29
	Lebanon Hospital.....	434 80		Lamp Taxes, Village of New Brighton.....	"..... 1 38
	Long Island City Public Library.....	40 00		School Taxes, 29 Districts.....	"..... 38 85
	Municipal Assembly and City Clerk.....	16,379 08		Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 71 29
	Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	30,170 05			
	Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.....	5,991 15		3½ per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1900.....	Blake Brothers & Co..... \$500,000 00
	Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	7,756 60		3½ " " " ".....	Chase National Bank..... 500,000 00
	New York Catholic Protectorate.....	63 29		3½ " " " ".....	Blake Brothers & Co..... 300,000 00
	New York Foundling Hospital.....	22,080 54			1,300,000 00
	New York Infant Asylum.....	5,772 20			\$1,473,555 98
	New York Mothers' Home.....	490 95			
	New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital.....	365 60			
	Police Station-houses—Rents.....	225 00			
	President, Borough of Manhattan.....	933 32			
	President, Borough of The Bronx.....	958 32			
	President, Borough of Queens.....	608 33			
	President, Borough of Richmond.....	582 60			
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	1,475 00			
	Real Estate, Expenses of.....	193 33			
	Redemption of the City Debt.....	500 00			
	Rents.....	31,548 16			
	Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	3,413 01			
	Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	2,583 30			
	Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	1,741 64			
	Salaries—Department of Finance.....	61,625 82			
	Salaries and Expenses of Coroners, Borough of Manhattan.....	4,956 64			
	Salaries and Expenses of Coroners, Borough of The Bronx.....	497 24			
	Salaries and Expenses of Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,366 66			
	Salaries and Expenses of Coroners, Borough of Richmond.....	1,052 49			
	Sheltering Arms Nursery, Borough of Brooklyn.....	231 43			
	Sloane Maternity Hospital.....	645 24			
	St. Elizabeth's Industrial School.....	150 14			
	St. Agatha's Home for Children.....	3,117 00			
	St. Joseph's Asylum.....	6,895 29			
	New York County.				
	Armories and Drill-rooms—Wages, etc.....	9,112 00			
	County Clerk.....	7,899 85			
	Court of General Sessions.....	9,782 74			
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	8,824 96			
	District Attorney.....	20,196 35			
	Fees of Witnesses.....	5,000 00			
	New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	8,056 76			
	Public Administrator.....	7,884 36			
	Preservation of Public Records, County Clerk's Office.....	1,172 88			
	Preservation of Public Records, Register's Office.....	1,677 62			
	Preservation of Public Records, Surrogates' Office.....	925 00			
	Register.....	11,552 13			
	Sheriff.....	9,276 39			
	Special Commissioner of Jurors.....	1,229 16			
	Supreme Court, First Department.....	54,427 79			
	Surrogates' Courts.....	12,346 61			
	Kings County.				
	Armories and Drill-rooms—Wages, etc.....	4,169 50			
	County Clerk.....	250 00			
	County Court.....	8,308 28			
	County Detective.....	125 00			
	County Interpreter.....	100 00			
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	2,324 99			
	District Attorney.....	8,482 93			
	New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	6,474 96			
	Register.....	4,046 14			
	Sheriff.....	166 66			
	Supreme Court, Second Department.....	12,741 61			
	Surrogate's Court.....	4,515 68			
	Treasurer.....	1,424 98			
	Queens County.				
	District Attorney's Office.....	1,267 81			
	New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	314 14			
	Richmond County.				
	County Clerk.....	333 33			
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	325 00			
	District Attorney.....	333 33			
	Sheriff.....	995 42			
	Balance.....	\$2,536,198 05			
		\$3,511,464 30			
		\$4,777,804 77			
		\$8,989,269 07			
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THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending August 31, 1900.

1900. Aug. 25	By Balance, as per last account current.			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND, REDEMPTION No. 2.		SINKING FUND, BROOKLYN.		SINKING FUND, LONG ISLAND CITY—REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.	
				DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
" 31	Sundry Licenses.....	Roche.....	\$145 25		\$1,401,851 29		\$2,413,566 98		\$827,052 64		\$18,843 69		\$110,519 99
	"	Jordan.....	308 75										
	"	Flanagan.....	3 00										
	"	McCabe.....	2 50										
	Market Rents and Fees, Borough of Manhattan.....	O'Brien.....	\$7,949 44										
	Market Rents and Fees, Borough of Brooklyn.....	"	396 50										
					8,345 94								
	Market Cellar Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	O'Brien.....	440 00										
	Dock and Slip Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	Murphy.....	\$33,766 66										
	Dock and Slip Rents, Borough of Brooklyn.....	"	411 75										
	Dock and Slip Rents, Borough of Queens.....	"	2 00										
	Street Vaults.....	Keating.....	34,180 41										
	Commissioner of Jurors—Fines.....	Welde.....	3,630 00										
			280 00										
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents, City of New York.....	Gilon.....	\$2,212 94										
	Interest on Croton Water Rents, City of New York.....	"	143 40										
	Arrears on Croton Water Rents, 1897, etc.....	"	718 78										
	Interest on Croton Water Rents.....	"	140 75										
	Croton Water Rents and Penalties.....	Byrne.....	21,827 33										
	House Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	O'Brien.....	\$2,772 08										
	House Rents, Borough of Brooklyn.....	"	269 50										
					3,041 58								
	Ground Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	O'Brien.....	400 00										
	Ferry Rents, Borough of Richmond.....	Murphy.....	150 00										
	Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Manhattan.....	Fuller.....	\$395 00										
	Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Richmond.....	Seaton.....	10 00										
					405 00								
	Sinking Fund—City of Brooklyn: Prospect Park Improvement.....	Gilon.....	\$96 82										
	Interest on Prospect Park Improvement.....	"	11 80										
	Sinking Fund, Long Isl. and City—Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	Revenue from Investments.....											56 25
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption.....		\$500 00										
	Sinking Fund—Interest.....												
	Balances.....				1,448,687 14		2,442,490 74		\$827,052 64		\$18,952 31		\$110,576 24
					\$1,449,187 14		\$2,442,706 74		\$827,052 64		\$18,952 31		\$110,576 24

August 31, 1900. By Balances..... \$1,448,687 14 \$2,442,490 74 \$827,052 64 \$18,952 31 \$110,576 24
 E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper. PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR.				THE CITY OF NEW YORK, <i>in account with</i> PATRICK KEENAN, <i>Chamberlain, during the week ending</i> August 31, 1900.				CR.
1900. Aug. 31	To Interest Registered.....	\$4,087 50	1900. Aug. 25	By Balance.....		\$47,482 41		
	Balance.....	43,394 91						
		\$47,482 41				\$47,482 41		

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

August 31, 1900. By Balance..... \$43,394 91
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR.					THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending August 31, 1900.					CR.	
1900. Aug. 31	To Witness Fees.....		\$131 94	1900. Aug. 25	By Balance				\$684 23		
	Balance.....		5,552 29	" 31	Witness Fees.....				5,000 00		
			\$5,684 23								\$5,684 23

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

August 31, 1900. By Balance..... \$5,552 29
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR.					THE CITY OF NEW YORK, <i>in account with</i> PATRICK KEENAN, <i>Chamberlain, during the week ending</i> August 31, 1900.					CR.				
1900. Aug. 31		To Jury Fees.....			\$1,528 00		1900. Aug. 25		By Balance.....			\$17,947 00		
		Balance			16,419 00									
					\$17,947 00							\$17,947 00		

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

August 31, 1900. By Balance..... \$16,419 00
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 22, 1900.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending September 15, 1900: Males, 29; females, 4; on file. List of 35 prisoners to be discharged from September 23 to 29, 1900; transmitted to Prison Association. Report of 30 convicts for use of the Governor in commuting their sentences; transmitted.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 15, 1900, \$110. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending September 15, 1900, \$628. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Amount of fines received during week ending September 15, 1900, \$40. On file.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Reporting escape of Thomas Murphy, committed August 31, 1900, 3 months, for vagrancy, by taking boat belonging to telephone men who are placing poles on Island, and who had been warned not to leave boats unguarded. Warden notified that he must have one Keeper to take care of dock and prisoners detailed there.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending September 15, 1900, agreed with specifications. On file.

Reports of census, labor, punishments, for week ending September 15, 1900. On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Reporting dock on west side of Island, near quarry, needs repairs or renewal. Copy transmitted to Dock Commissioners with the request that they will either repair or rebuild dock.

From City Cemetery, Hart's Island—List of burials during week ending September 15, 1900. On file.

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Transmitting copy of a resolution authorizing and directing the Comptroller to execute a renewal of the lease of premises No. 148 East Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Department of Correction, for a term of five years from April 1, 1901, at an annual rental of two thousand dollars (\$2,000). On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending September 15, 1900: Males, 11; females, 4; on file. List of 9 prisoners to be discharged from September 17 to 22, 1900; on file.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Transmitting, under date of August 19, 1900, an itemized statement of moneys received by him since last deposit, July 31, 1900, amounting to \$7,301.43, together with receipt of City Chamberlain for same. On file.

Reinstated.

John D. Kiely, Keeper, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$800 per annum.
 August Stoeffel, Tinsmith, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$3.50 per diem.

Transferred.

William Healion, Bath Attendant, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to same position, Workhouse, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$720 per annum.
 FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., SEPTEMBER 22, 1900.

BOROUGH.	POPULATION U. S. CEN- SUS 1900.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF YEAR.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.	MAR- RIAGES.	STILL- BIRTHS.	DEATH-RATE.	
			1899.	1900.				1899.	1900.
Manhattan.....	1,850,093	1,851,887	628	597	1,140	519	59	17.90	16.82
*The Bronx.....	200,507	202,002	57	81	116	31	10	16.18	20.91
Brooklyn.....	1,166,582	1,169,796	403	403	397	180	36	18.58	17.98
Queens.....	152,999	153,734	38	36	65	8	1	13.66	12.22
Richmond.....	67,021	67,165	28	24	20	6	4	22.32	18.64
City of New York..	3,437,202	3,444,675	1,154	1,141	1,738	744	110	17.94	17.28

* Many large institutions raise the death-rate.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	June 23	June 30	July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28	Aug. 4	Aug. 11	Aug. 18	Aug. 25	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 15	Sept. 22
Phthisis	178	123	217	214	236	225	186	166	181	189	142	215	233	230
Diphtheria.....	257	285	232	214	154	158	160	177	172	120	96	104	111	130
Croup.....	8	4	6	1	3	5	7	..	3	6	3	2	3	4
Measles.....	304	202	179	188	120	121	96	55	51	37	39	38	26	34
Scarlet Fever...	107	95	76	74	60	60	51	48	47	51	42	37	45	34
Small-pox	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever...	18	29	25	32	26	25	44	60	50	51	53	88	116	82
Typhus Fever...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	876	738	736	723	599	594	544	507	505	454	*375	484	534	519

*No report from Brooklyn.

Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

BOROUGH.	Infections Dis- eased elsewhere.	Marial Diseases.	Whooping Cough.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Diarrhœal Dis- eases Under 5 Years.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis.	Pneumonia.	Congenital Debility.	Suicides.	Homicides.	Accidents.	Under a Year.	Under 5 Years.	5-65 Years.	65 Years and over.
Manhattan.....	24	..	2	7½	69	53	9	52	55	5	2	35	184	236	267	71
The Bronx.....	3	2	..	4	3	18	1	4	12	..	..	3	24	30	36	15
Brooklyn.....	23	2	3	5½	46	36	12	28	52	2	..	13	130	196	164	43
Queens.....	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	2	4	..	..	2	6	8	15	13
Richmond.....	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	4	1	..	2	8	9	10	5
Total.....	51	8	5	132	118	109	23	87	127	8	2	55	352	499	492	150

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total Deaths.	Deaths in Corresponding Week of 1899.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and Under 2.	2 and Under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and Over.
Total, all causes.....	1,141	1,154	629	512	352	95	52	499	28	57	238	169	15
Diphtheria	20	26	13	7	1	5	9	15	5	..	..	..	..
Croup.....	3	6	..	3	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	8	1	3	5	1	..	1	2	..	1	1	2	..
Measles	4	7	2	2	1	1	1	3	1	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever.....	2	4	..	2	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever	22	19	17	5	..	1	..	1	2	4	12	2	..
Typhus Fever .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	5	15	2	3	1	3	1	5	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	132	86	71	61	94	20	4	118	1	1	2	3	..
Phthisis	109	128	67	42	2	..	..	2	1	12	71	20	..
Other Tuberculous Diseases	36	30	23	13	13	7	7	27	2	..	7	..	..
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	75	89	48	27	19	5	1	25	1	2	14	14	..
Heart Diseases	62	71	30	32	..	..	..	..	1	2	18	27	..
Bronchitis.....	23	30	13	10	12	3	3	18	1	..	..	..	..
Pneumonia	87	98	47	40	20	21	6	47	1	8	14	9	..
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	18	16	12	6	1	..	1	2	..	1	3	7	..
Diseases of Digestive System.....	132	147	67	65	60	16	5	81	3	3	19	17	..
Diseases of Urinary System	85	85	41	44	2	1	..	3	..	1	31	27	..
*Congenital Debility.....	127	104	62	65	115	7	4	126	..	..	1	..	..
Old Age.....	28	21	13	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suicides	8	11	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	..
Other violent deaths.....	57	53	47	10	1	3	5	9	4	10	10	12	..
†All other causes.....	98	107	46	52	8	1	2	11	4	10	25	26	..

* Including Premature Births, Preternatural Births, Inanition, Marasmus and all Congenital Defects.

† *Viz.*: Erysipelas, 3; Syphilis, 3; Septicæmia, 2; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 3; Cancer, 48; Anæmia, 3; Rickets, 1; Diabetes, 3; Diseases of Uterus, 2; Alcoholism, 7; Miscarriage, 1; Rheumatism, 3; Senile Gangrene, 2; Otitis, 1; Puerperal Convulsions, 2; Rupture of Uterus, 1; Abscesses, 1; Puerperal Fever, 5; Influenza, 1; Disease of Penis, 1; Puerperal Mania, 1; Vomiting of Pregnancy, 1; Arthritis, 2; Psoas Abscess, 1.

Deaths by Violence in Detail :

Poison, 7; Fractures and Contusions, 24; Burns and Scalds, 5; Drowning, 12; Railroad, 4; Sunstroke, 1; Wounds, 1; Electric Current, 1; Homicide, 2.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

	WEEK ENDING—													
	June 30	July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28	Aug. 4	Aug. 11	Aug. 18	Aug. 25	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 15	Sept. 22	
Total deaths.....	1,406	1,574	1,579	1,914	1,394	1,850	1,384	1,523	1,157	1,269	1,258	1,319	1,141	
Annual death-rate	20.07	21.76	22.54	27.75	19.90	17.85	19.76	21.74	16.52	19.22	19.06	19.98	17.28	
Diphtheria	35	36	33	29	23	27	27	33	28	17	14	20	20	
Croup.....	7	..	2	2	4	5	2	..	4	1	1	1	3	
Malarial Fevers.....	2	4	1	3	3	1	7	8	7	4	3	9	8	
Measles	24	16	18	23	8	6	5	6	5	5	3	5	4	
Scarlet Fever.....	4	8	9	5	3	5	3	2	3	4	2	3	2	
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever	7	10	9	11	13	14	16	12	14	20	27	28	22	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	7	12	6	16	13	10	15	9	8	11	10	9	5	
Diarrhoeal Diseases....	171	251	336	398	270	187	229	198	186	172	170	195	132	
Diarrhoeal Diseases } under 5 years.... }	160	239	313	368	242	165	207	169	165	152	156	179	118	
Phthisis	133	136	137	181	144	145	161	154	115	134	152	138	103	
Bronchitis	19	25	19	13	7	8	16	15	17	11	9	15	23	
Pneumonia	115	113	105	115	71	74	83	89	67	79	71	82	87	
Other Diseases of Re- } spiratory Organs. }	31	12	15	32	17	10	5	17	18	19	13	14	18	
Violent Deaths	82	116	105	156	104	71	80	181	89	103	102	91	65	
Under one year.....	447	576	599	747	492	412	484	449	392	384	382	447	352	
Under five years.....	633	784	798	965	664	565	671	621	553	527	520	607	499	
Five to sixty-five.....	623	605	638	779	594	543	576	736	500	605	598	571	492	
Sixty-five years and over	150	135	143	260	136	142	137	166	104	137	140	141	150	
In Public and Private } Institutions	309	313	354	455	309	312	319	369	264	303	279	302	244	
Inquest Cases.....	189	228	215	271	206	187	169	275	164	181	196	190	167	
Mean barometer.....	29.720	29.895	29.795	29.918	29.938	29.967	29.669	29.917	29.917	29.999	30.054	29.892	29.900	
Mean humidity.....	79.	81.	71.	64.	63.	59.	61.	70.	65.	66.	64.	66.	65.	
Inches of rain and snow	.56	.49	.16	.37	1.78	.41	.30	2.10	.86	1.26	.41	.36	1.27	
Mean temperature } (Fahrenheit)..... }	75.8°	75.8°	75.4°	81.1°	76.7°	73.1°	80.6°	75.9°	73.3°	79.6°	78.5°	73.8°	64.0°	
Maximum tempera- } ture (Fahrenheit). }	92.0°	94.0°	91.0°	97.0°	89.0°	87.0°	96.0°	91.0°	93.0°	93.0°	92.0°	88.0°	78.0°	
Minimum temperature } (Fahrenheit)..... }	59.0°	56.0°	64.0°	67.0°	65.0°	59.0°	61.0°	67.0°	62.0°	71.0°	68.0°	60.0°	50.0°	

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.					KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL.				
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Total.
Remaining September 15.	..	17	17	1	6	42	..	49	3	8	1	..	1
Admitted	10	10	..	1	5	..	6	2	5	..	..	..
Discharged	6	6	..	2	8	..	10	..	1	..	..	..
Died.....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Remaining September 22.	..	21	21	1	5	37	..	43	5	12	1	..	1
Total treated.....	..	27	27	1	7	47	..	55	5	13	1	..	1

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

BOROUGH.	WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.								
		Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	All Causes.
Manhattan.	First .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Second .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Third .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Fourth	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
	Fifth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Sixth	1	..	8	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
	Seventh	3	..	1	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
	Eighth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Ninth	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5
	Tenth	3	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
	Eleventh	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
	Twelfth	35	1	1	8	..	12	..	3	..	..	1	..	6	..	11
	Thirteenth	5	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Fourteenth	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

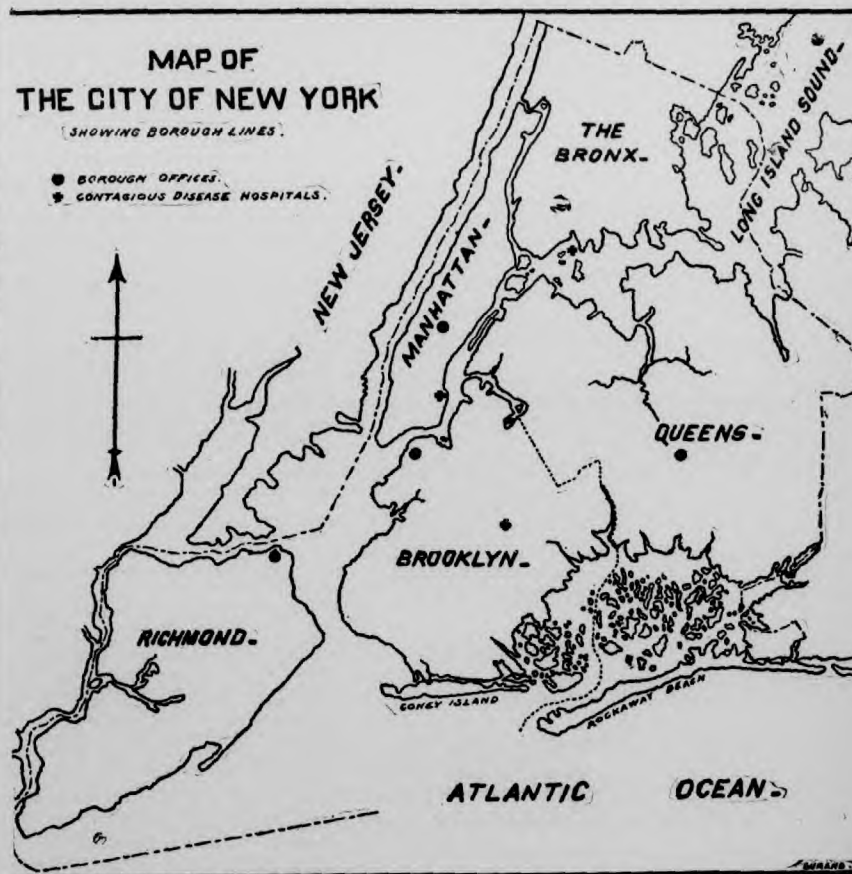
Analysis of Croton Water, September 21, 1900.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.	Slightly turbid.
Color	Light yellowish brown.	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.121	0.208
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride	0.200	0.343
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅)	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0137	0.0235
Free Ammonia.....	0.0009	0.0015
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0093	0.0160
Total Nitrogen.....	0.0221	0.0379
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime	Before boiling.....	3.25
	After boiling	3.25
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.049	1.80
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	2.916	5.00
Total solids (by evaporation).....	3.965	6.80

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, September 17, 1900.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Slightly yell'ish brown.	Slightly yell'ish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Markedly vegetable.	Markedly vegetable.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	1.1369	1.9550
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	1.8732	3.2136
Phosphates ($P_2 O_5$).....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0419	0.0718
Free Ammonia.....	0.0004	0.0007
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0030	0.0051
Total Nitrogen.....	0.0447	0.0766
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime {	Before boiling.....	2.9700
	After boiling.....	2.9700
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.1660	2.0100
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	3.5563	6.1000
Total solids (by evaporation).....	4.7223	8.1000

Temperature at hydrant, 69.8° Fahr.



CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

Total inspections of premises.....	23,495
“ orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....	950
“ inspections of milk and other foods.....	22,747
“ pounds of food condemned and destroyed.....	214,302
“ chemical analyses made.....	76
“ bacteriological examinations made for diphtheria.....	216
“ bacteriological examinations made for tuberculosis.....	123
“ vaccinations performed.....	2,503
“ children's employment certificates granted.....	758
“ children's employment certificates refused.....	88
“ medical inspections of schools.....	1,995

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending August 11, 1900:

The City of New York or The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS-TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM-MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, } Queens Co.	23 264	1900. Aug. 6	Rotzler, Frederick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Pipe-fitter, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 265	" 6	Volen, Frank A.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Stoker, Department of Water Supply, \$149.60.
Supreme, } Kings Co.	23 265	" 6	Swift, Robert.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$100.
"	23 265	" 6	Butler, William J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$100.
"	23 266	" 6	Murphy, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 266	" 6	Lynch, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 266	" 6	Conboy, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 267	" 6	Holland, John H.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 267	" 6	Powell, Robert J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 267	" 6	Bell, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 268	" 6	Bailey, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 268	" 6	Savage, James.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 268	" 6	Conboy, Henry.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 269	" 6	Manion, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 269	" 6	McDonald, Thomas.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$150.
"	23 269	" 6	Armstrong, Hugh.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Machinist, Department of Water Supply, \$140.
"	23 270	" 6	Murphy, William.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Calker, Department of Water Supply, \$147.50.
"	23 270	" 6	Murphy, William.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, \$155.
"	23 270	" 6	Braham, Emanuel.....	For salary during unlawful suspension as Messenger, \$2,435.40.
Supreme, } Queens Co.	23 271	" 6	Carroll, Thomas.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer, \$400.
"	23 271	" 6	Solen, Patrick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer, \$400.
"	23 271	" 6	Rocks, Andrew.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer, \$400.
"	23 272	" 6	Cole, William.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer, \$400.
"	23 272	" 6	Larsen, James.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, \$200.
"	23 272	" 6	Corcoran, Thomas.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, \$200.
"	23 273	" 6	Gleason, Martin.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, Department of Water Supply, \$200.
"	23 273	" 6	Lawlor, Thomas.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, Department of Water Supply, \$200.
"	23 273	" 6	O'Connor, Jeremiah.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, Department of Water Supply, \$200.
"	23 274	" 6	McCleary, Owen, Jr.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, Department of Water Supply, \$200.
"	23 274	" 6	Sucket, Frederick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Fireman, Department of Water Supply, \$200.
"	23 274	" 6	Digby, William.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer, Department of Water Supply, \$100.
Supreme	12A 272	" 6	The Eastern Bermudez As-phalt Paving Co. (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.....	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for 1900.
"	12A 273	" 6	Commercial Cable Company (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.....	Certiorari to review assessments on relator's real property for 1900.
"	12A 273	" 6	Hunt, C. W. Company (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.....	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for 1900.
"	23 279	" 7	Fischer, Julius.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Cleaner, Department of Docks, \$139.90.
"	23 279	" 7	Jordan, James J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Cement Mixer, Department of Docks, \$365.
"	23 279	" 7	Hines, Peter.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Cleaner, Department of Docks, \$139.90.
"	23 280	" 7	Sullivan, Timothy, an infant, by John Sullivan, his guardian ad litem.....	Damage for personal injuries by falling into unguarded coal hole in City Hall Park, \$5,000.
"	(11) 586	" 7	Borden's Condensed Milk Co. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, East river to North river.
"	(11) 586	" 7	Astor, William Waldorf (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, East river to North river.
"	(11) 586	" 7	Jackson, Adrian A. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, East river to North river.
"	(11) 586	" 7	Astor, John Jacob (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, East river to North river.
Supreme, } Kings Co.	23 281	1900. Aug. 7	Dickson, John, vs. The City of New York, James Tre-garthen et al.....	To foreclose lien on contract for new boilers for "Thomas S. Brennan," Department of Charities steamer. Summons only served.
"	23 282	" 8	Gabay, Gertrude A. (ex rel.) vs. Commissioners of Es-timate.....	Mandamus to compel Commissioners to proceed in matter of East Forty-sixth street school site.
"	23 282	" 8	O'Rourke, Patrick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rammer, Department of Street Improve-ments and Highways, \$2,000.
"	23 283	" 8	Fox, Mary, administratrix of William Fox, deceased.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rammer, Department of Highways, Brook-lyn, \$800.80.
"	23 284	" 8	Kaufman, Bridget, adminis-tratrix of Henry Kauf-man, deceased.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rammer, Department of Public Works and Highways, \$1,700.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Strouse, William (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Salmon, John (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Hilke, Henry (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Whiting Manufacturing Co. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Broadway Tabernacle Society (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Gruner, Engelbert (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Dewsnap, Maria L. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Sprague Electric Company (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	McAlpin, David H. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Bertine, Sarah A. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Damschensky, Carl (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Levy, Albert A. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Steuber, Frank S. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Levy, Jefferson M. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Farber, Thomas H. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Wallace, William (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Wallace, William, executor of (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Curry, Edmund J. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Courtney, John (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Kahn, Jetto (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Leving, Samuel (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Goodwillie, Annie E. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Fox, Austin G. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	West Side Bank (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Lynch, Theresa (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Palmer, Francis A. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Struthers, William (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Candler, James R. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Stedman, Ernest G. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Cummins, Ann (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 588	" 8	Jackson, Henry H., et al., executors of Peter A. H. Jackson, deceased (In re).....	To vacate assessment for Thirty-fourth street flagging, from East river to North river.
"	(11) 590	" 8	Ely, Henry B., et al., trustees of John J. Astor (In re).....	To vacate or reduce assessment for regulating, grading, etc., Jerome avenue, from Elliot street to Wolf place.
"	(11) 590	" 8	Levey, Augustus A., execu-tor of Isaac Levey, de-ceased (In re).....	To vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Jerome avenue, from Wolf place to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.
"	(11) 591	" 8	Beals, James G., et al. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Jerome avenue, from Wolf place to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.
"	(11) 591	" 8	Hillebert, James A. (In re).....	To vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Jerome avenue, from Wolf place to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.
Supreme, } Kings Co.	23 286	" 9	Leavey, Frank H.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$97.
"	23 287	" 9	Feeney, Timothy.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service, as Souder, Department of Parks, \$22.43.
"	23 287	" 9	Neusse, George.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$122.66.
"	23 287	" 9	Kiernan, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$114.50.
"	23 288	" 9	Welsh, James.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$70.
"	23 288	" 9	Mulcahy, Patrick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$137.93.
"	23 289	" 9	Quick, David G.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Laborer, Department of Parks, \$476.37.
"	23 289	" 9	Lott, John H.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Laborer, Department of Parks, \$280.
"	23 289	" 9	Finsley, James.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Laborer, Department of Parks, \$99.56.
"	23 291	" 9	Quigley, Michael J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Stone Cutter, Department of Parks, \$162.25.
"	23 290	" 9	Farrell, John J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Laborer, Department of Parks, \$97.68.
"	23 290	" 9	Munday, Terence.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Laborer, Department of Parks, \$82.50.
"	23 291	" 9	Riley, James.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Carpenter, Department of Parks, \$550.75.
"	23 291	" 9	Murtha, Elizabeth, as ad-ministratrix of Patrick Murtha, deceased.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$95.87.
"	23 291	" 9	O'Brien, Patrick.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Gardener, Department of Parks, \$118.37.
Supreme	(11) 592	" 10	Stursburg, William (In re).....	To vacate assessment for paving Dyckman street, from Kingsbridge road to the Speed-way.
"	(11) 592	" 10	Haven, John (In re).....	To vacate assessment for paving Dyckman street, from Kingsbridge road to the Speed-way.
"	23 292	" 10	Ryan, Joseph.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Dock Builder, Department of Docks, \$1,387.28.
"	23 293	" 10	Ernst, Marx, Nathan Com-pany, vs. William J. Har-grave, Jr., et al., The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.....	To foreclose mortgage on premises in Morris avenue, \$3,050.
Supreme, } Kings Co.	23 294	" 10	Entricken, Henry J.....	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$13.08.

COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, 1 Kings Co. }	23 295	Aug. 10	Frederick, George H.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$13.98.
"	23 295	" 10	Gray, Thomas F.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$59.06.
"	23 295	" 10	Hamberger, Louis.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$13.98.
"	23 296	" 10	Hannavin, John A.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$112.68.
"	23 296	" 10	Jackson, Charles.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$59.06.
"	23 296	" 10	Jones, James N.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$95.24.
"	23 297	" 10	Laddy, John J.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$50.02.
"	23 297	" 10	Morton, Charles E.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$183.38.
"	23 297	" 10	Newmann, Anton.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$95.72.
"	23 298	" 10	O'Leary, Stephen F.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$18.91.
"	23 298	" 10	Ramsey, John.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$45.19.
"	23 298	" 10	Ready, William T.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$177.62.
"	23 299	" 10	Shaw, Lewis H.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$59.06.
"	23 299	" 10	Stewart, Frank.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$23.52.
"	23 299	" 10	Weigel, Herman.	To recover balance of salary as member of the Fire Department, \$72.99.
Supreme ...	23 300	" 10	O'Sullivan, Denis (ex rel.) vs. Charles H. Knox et al., Commissioners of Civil Service Commission of The City of New York.	Mandamus to compel payment of relator for services as Court Stenographer in Municipal Court.
"	12A 274	" 11	Marlborough Hotel Co. (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real property for 1900.
Supreme, 1 Kings Co. }	12A 274	" 11	Standard Oil Co. (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real property for 1900.
Supreme ...	23 301	" 11	Thompson, David D. (ex rel.) vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller of The City of New York.	Mandamus to compel Comptroller to reinstate relator as Clerk in the Finance Department.
"	23 302	" 11	Dillon, Thomas.	To recover an alleged balance due on salary as member of Police Force, \$900.
Supreme, 1 Queens Co }	20 8	" 6	Schaefer, Conrad.	To recover for time worked by plaintiff beyond eight hours per day, as Bridge Tender on Meeker Avenue Bridge, Newtown creek, from December 14, 1895, to November 1, 1897, \$688.
"	20 9	" 7	Hobby, William.	To recover for time worked by plaintiff beyond eight hours per day, as Bridge Tender on Meeker Avenue Bridge, Newtown creek, from May 10, 1894, to March 1, 1898, \$1,276.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

Alice Raymond—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Edward J. Smith—Order entered dismissing complaint for lack of prosecution, with \$10 costs.

People ex rel. Henry A. Hoyt, executor, etc., vs. Bird S. Coler; People ex rel. Anna St. John, individually, and as executrix, etc., vs. Bird S. Coler; People ex rel. Anna St. John, executrix, vs. Bird S. Coler—Orders issued granting peremptory writs of mandamus.

Consolidated Ice Co. vs. The Mayor; People ex rel. Henry C. Holt vs. Henry S. Kearny, etc.; People ex rel. James F. Kenahan vs. John J. Scannell, etc.; People ex rel. Patrick O'Brien vs. John J. Scannell—Appellate Division orders of affirmance entered in favor of the City, with costs to be taxed.

Jennie T. B. Becker, executrix, etc.—Appellate Division order entered modifying judgment and reversing same unless plaintiff agrees to accept \$325.

In re Phillips Phoenix, trustee, etc.—Appellate Division order entered reversing order appealed from, with \$10 costs to the City.

People ex rel. August Brielhof vs. Frank Moss et al.—Order entered granting motion to vacate judgment entered by default.

Samuel B. Taylor—Order entered dismissing complaint for lack of prosecution with \$10 costs.

People ex rel. Jessie L. Ward et al. vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Order entered reducing assessment on relator for year 1899.

Matter of William C. Brown (Elm street widening)—Order entered directing payment of award to petitioner.

Matter of St. Nicholas Park—Order entered confirming the report of Commissioners as to Parcels Nos. 11, 11½ and 13.

John G. Wendel, executor, etc.; George William Wallace, executor, etc.—Appellate Division orders of affirmance entered in favor of the City with costs to be taxed.

People ex rel. Frederick P. Morris vs. T. L. Feitner et al.; People ex rel. Parsons & Sons Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Orders entered cancelling assessments on relators for the year 1899.

Philip F. Kobbé et al. vs. Village of New Brighton—Order entered adjudging Commissioner of Street Cleaning guilty of contempt of Court.

Herbert N. Clute vs. Andrew J. Lalor, etc.—Order entered substituting Harry Livingston as defendant in place of Andrew J. Lalor on deposit of fund into Court.

Matter of the application of Silas B. Brownell, etc. (and 11 other proceedings)—Orders entered vacating orders vacating assessments.

James Harley (2 actions)—Orders entered allowing service of supplemental summons and complaint.

Judgments were Entered in Favor of the Plaintiffs in the following Actions:

DATE.	NAME.	REGISTER FOLIO.	AMOUNT.
1900			
Aug. 2	Davenport, William B., administrator.	23 121	\$4,000 00
July 30	Van Pelt, John J.	19 301	163 98
Aug. 4	Simonson, Joseph.	21 183	458 14
" 8	Gollinghorst, Herman.	23 137	139 04
" 9	Third Avenue Railroad Company.	50 270	2,478 88

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

People ex rel. Patrick McCann vs. Sims et al.—Reference proceeded and adjourned; W. Hughes for the City.

The City of New York vs. Ocean Pier and Navigation Company. Defendant's motion to open default and extend time to answer argued before Lambert, J.—Motion granted upon payment of \$10 costs; S. K. Probasco for the City.

The Globe Company—Reference proceeded and adjourned; W. Hughes for the City.

Village of College Point vs. Rausch; The City of New York vs. Strauss—Motion for reference made before Hooker, J.; decision reserved; D. D. Whitney for the City.

William C. Sterrett; George C. Schneider; Joseph O. O'Brien—Motions for peremptory writs of mandamus made before Hooker, J.; motions granted; D. D. Whitney for the City.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, September 27, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending September 26, 1900.

Respectfully,
WM. N. SHANNON, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

	BOROUGH.				
	MANHATTAN.	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.
Public Moneys Received during the Week.					
For restoring and re-paving pavement... {					
Water connections, openings	.....	\$30 00	\$691 00	\$40 00	.....
Sewer connections, openings	.....	20 03	127 00	30 00	.....
General account.....	\$4,985 25	.....	375 20	6 00	.....
For redemption of obstructions seized	17 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For vault permits	2,001 54	.....	.....	.....	.....
For shed permits	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For use of iron trucks	.....	4 00	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$6,323 79	\$54 00	\$1,193 20	\$76 00	.....
Permits Issued.					
Permits to open streets, to tap water-pipes	.....	26	49	21	20
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections	60	6	130	1	21
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections	.....	19	78	4	14
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections	.....	3	18	1	1
Permits to place building material on streets	72	19	19	3	1
Permits to construct street vaults	3	.....	2	.....	.....
Permits, special	.....	20	200	17	21
Permits to construct sheds	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to erect awnings	.....	.....	24	.....	.....
Permits to cross sidewalks	9	.....	.....	5	.....
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections	373	53	.....	.....	.....
Permits for railway construction and repairs	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Permits to repair sidewalks	61	4	.....	2	.....
Obstructions Removed.					
Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues	12	1	8	.....	.....
Repairs to Pavement.					
Square yards of pavement repaired	8,644	54	3,838	531	12,427
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller	\$102,120 26				

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways during week ending September 22, 1900.

NATURE OF WORK.	BOROUGH.											
	MANHATTAN.			THE BRONX.			BROOKLYN.			QUEENS.		
	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Carts.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Carts.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Carts.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Carts.
Repaving and renewal of pavements	243	275	4 05	31	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of	21	127	28 9	14 654	113	7 89	174	16 50	55	128	35 76	.....
Roads, streets and avenues	4	18	9 2	.....	.....	12 95	9 27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sprinkling carts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	268	410	41 106	14 685	113	16 101	269	25 86	55	128	35 76	.....

REPORT IN CHANGES OF FORCE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 26, 1900.

Borough of Manhattan.

Resigned—1 Laborer.
Employed—2 Horses and Carts.
Promoted to Foreman—1 Assistant Foreman.

Borough of Queens.

Employed—3 Horses and Carts.

Borough of The Bronx.

Resigned—2 Laborers.

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,
September 18, 1900.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending September 15, 1900:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

1 new lamp was erected and 1 new lamp lighted; 2 lamps were relighted and 15 lamps were discontinued; 9 lamp-posts were removed, 7 reset and 5 straightened; 1 column was refitted, 7 columns releaded and 2 service pipes refitted.

ELECTRIC WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

215 certificates were issued for interior wiring, 202 permits were issued for outside electrical work, 1,188 inspections were made and 8,200 feet of overhead wires were removed.

CHANGE IN FORCE.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Appointments—1 Cartman with horse and cart.
Removals—1 Cartman with horse and cart, 1 Stenographer and Typewriter.
Reinstatements—1 Inspector of Electrical Conductors.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week ending September 15, 1900, is \$157,230.96.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

IN BOARD OF BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 4, 1900.

Present—Commissioners Brady, Guilfoyle and Campbell.
The meeting of the Board was devoted to a discussion of the Departmental Estimate for the year 1901.

On motion of Commissioner Guilfoyle, the Departmental Estimate for the year 1901, as follows:

	APPROPRIATED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
<i>Board of Buildings.</i>		
Salaries.....	\$30,400 00	\$30,600 00
Contingencies.....	500 00	500 00
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>		
Salaries.....	314,825 00	324,825 00
Contingencies and Emergencies.....	12,500 00	12,500 00
Board of Examiners' Fees.....	5,200 00	5,200 00
Rents.....	13,500 00	18,000 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>		
Salaries.....	142,100 00	157,850 00
Contingencies.....	7,500 00	7,500 00
<i>Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.</i>		
Salaries.....	18,000 00	35,190 00
Contingencies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00

—was approved and ordered to be transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary, Board of Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

IN BOARD OF BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 5, 1900.

Present—Commissioners Brady, Guilfoyle and Campbell.

The minutes of the meeting of August 29, 1900, were read, and, on motion, approved.

Petitions were submitted for approval as follows:

Plan 830, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the side walls of building to be built 4 inches less than called for in section 32 of the Code, the walls being non-bearing walls laid up in cement mortar and are to be built 20 inches thick in basement, 16 inches in first and second stories and 12 inches from thence to top, with the necessary buttresses, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; north side of Seventy-sixth street, 145 feet east of Madison avenue. Petitioner, A. V. Porter. Approved.

Plan 207, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the building of half-story on main roof, the same to be used as sun parlors and to be inclosed by mansard roof on front, rear and sides by 4-inch I uprights filled in with 4-inch terra-cotta blocks and covered with galvanized corrugated iron, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; northeast corner Seventy-first street and Broadway. Petitioners, James & Leo. Denied.

Plan 826, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the building of bay-windows in rear of parish house, of frame construction covered with galvanized iron; also to allow the construction of studded clerestory walls in main church building, all as stated in petition; east side of St. Nicholas avenue, 50 feet north of One Hundred and Fourteenth street. Petitioners, James & Leo. Denied.

Plan 750, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow a reconsideration of decision of Board, at meeting held August 8, 1900, so as to permit the construction of bridges on fifth and ninth stories, between the proposed new building and building adjoining on the east, petition also calling for bridge on first story, all to be constructed of steel, filled in with fireproof blocks and covered on outside and roof with corrugated iron, as stated in petition; No. 63 West Forty-fifth street. Petitioners, Buchman & Fox. Referred to President, with power. Approved.

Plan 657, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow walls of building to be built as follows: First floor, 20-inch walls, 12 feet high; second floor, 20-inch, 11 feet high; third floor, 16-inch, 10 feet high; fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh floors, 16-inch, 10 feet high; also to allow the use of 12-inch by 12-inch yellow pine posts and girders instead of 16-inch by 16-inch, all as shown on plans and as stated in petition; Nos. 7 and 8 Chatham square. Petitioners, Peter Herter & Son. Denied.

Plan 2143, New Buildings, 1899, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the erection of building in accordance with the amended application and drawings filed, i. e., to permit the combining with the old laws the best features of the new plans and specifications, as stated in petition; southeast corner of Broad street and Exchange place. Petitioner, J. Hollis Wells. Approved.

Plan 1634, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition for a reconsideration of decision of Board, at meeting held August 15, 1900, to allow existing front and rear walls to be 12 inches thick, as stated in petition; No. 84 Cortlandt street. Petitioners, Henry M. Congdon & Sons. Approved.

Plan 1941, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the front wall of laundry on roof to be constructed of fireproof terra-cotta blocks in an iron frame and the same to be covered with tin; also to allow the bay-window on extension to be built of fireproof terra-cotta blocks in an iron frame, the same to be covered with galvanized iron or copper, all as stated in petition; No. 6 East Fifty-third street. Petitioner, C. P. H. Gilbert. Referred to President, with power. Denied.

Plan 1052, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the use of present walls and to erect a bridge between the building to be altered and adjoining building, which is the property of the same estate, bridge to be used for communication between buildings, as stated in petition; northeast corner of Broome and Columbia streets. Petitioners, William B. Tubby & Bro. Denied.

Plan 1870, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow 12-inch thick brick walls to be erected to a height of 44 feet above curb level, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; No. 766 Amsterdam avenue. Petitioner, Manly N. Cutter, Fire Department. Approved.

Plan 1533, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow an additional story to be built to extension without increasing the thickness of walls in cellar and first story, as stated in petition; No. 258 East One Hundred and Fifth street. Petitioner, W. H. G. Hornum. Approved.

Application No. 3288, New Buildings, 1900, Brooklyn—Petition to allow a reconsideration of decision of Board, at meeting held August 1, 1900, so as to allow the use of the Metropolitan Fireproofing Company's thin partitions, also to permit the omission of tie rods; premises, one building, northwest corner Sands and Charles streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York City. Petitioner, Young Men's Christian Association. Parish & Schroeder, Architects. Denied.

Application No. 3812, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Brooklyn—Petition to modify the provisions of the Building Code so as to permit the erection of a frame extension in the fire limits, said extension to be at the west side of present frame structure; premises, one building, north side Macon street, 125 feet east Tompkins avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York City. Petitioner, Henrietta McLeon. Laid over.

The application of the Asbestolith Company for official approval of their "Asbestolith" used for floors, walls, etc., was approved for use in place of ordinary floor boards, where permitted by the Code, but disapproved for use as a substitute for marble, slate or tile in tenement houses, etc. An application was received from Charles E. Hewitt, President, Metropolitan Fireproofing Company, for official approval of two styles of patented, thin, solid block partition, for use in fire-proof buildings. Which was referred to the President.

A communication was received from M. H. Rosenstein, requesting permission to introduce the Triangular System of Urinals. Which was referred to the President for examination and report.

A communication was received from W. W. Ewing, Engineer, Department of Buildings, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, relative to having called upon Harold E. Lippincott, in reference to test of the New York Wood Fireproof Company's material. Which was ordered on file.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

IN BOARD OF BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 12, 1900.

Present—Commissioners Brady, Guilfoyle and Campbell.

The minutes of the meeting of September 5, 1900, were read, and, on motion, approved.

Petitions were submitted for approval, as follows:

Plan 865, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow walls to be increased 4 inches in thickness where span exceeds 26 feet, permitting increase of 4 inches as a substitute for 8-inch brick wall required, span to be 26 feet 6 inches and floor beams at said span to be placed 12 inches on centers, as stated in petition; Nos. 305, 307 and 309 East One Hundred and Ninth street. Petitioner, Samuel D. Tomback. Denied.

Plan 766, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the omission of interior brick partition wall in that portion of corner house where span exceeds 26 feet, it being proposed to increase the thickness of bearing walls 4 inches, leaving span 26 feet 6 inches, and floor beams at this span to be laid 12 inches on centers, as stated in petition; southeast corner Washington avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-second street. Petitioner, George Frederick Pelham. Denied.

Plan 604, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the omission of tie-rods in all tiers of beams, as stated in petition; southwest corner William and Wall streets. Petitioners, Clinton & Russell. Approved.

Plan 685, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow a reconsideration of decision of Board, at meeting held August 15, 1900, so as to permit the front of roof house to be built of 3-inch angle iron, filled in with 3-inch terra-cotta blocks and covered with iron, all to be made absolutely fireproof, as stated in petition; Nos. 5 and 7 East Forty-second street. Petitioner, C. A. Rich. Denied.

Plan 62, New Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow 4-inch terra cotta fireproof blocks, covered on outside with galvanized iron and on inside with plaster, to be used for walls of roof house on Spinning Wheel Building, as stated in petition; Nos. 3, 5 and 7 West Twenty-second street. Petitioner, James B. Baker. Denied.

Plan 1943, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and The Bronx—Petition to allow the small partition inclosing a ladies' toilet and waiting-room to be built of tee-iron construction, faced on both sides with marble, and tile and roof to be glazed with heavy, obscured glass, partition being 9 feet high in a room 18 feet high, and is merely to be used as a screen, as stated in petition. South side Forty-second street, 150 feet west of Madison avenue. Petitioner W. B. Tubby. Approved.

Plan 1684, Alterations to Buildings, 1900, Manhattan and the Bronx—Petition to allow the erection of temporary structure, with roof of wood construction, with tar and gravel, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; between Amsterdam avenue and Boulevard and One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets. Petitioners, McKim, Meade & White. Approved.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NO. 320 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, September 28, 1900. }

Meeting of the Board of Assessors held September 25, 1900.

Present—Assessors Edward McCue (President), Thomas A. Wilson, John B. Meyenborg and Patrick M. Haverty.

Minutes of the meeting of September 18, 1900, were read and approved.

The following communications were received and placed on file:

From the Department of Highways, dated September 14, 1900—Transmitting assessment lists for regulating and grading Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated September 18, 1900—Announcing meetings of said Board.

From the Department of Sewers, dated September 19, 1900—Transmitting assessment lists for sewers, Borough of The Bronx.

From the Department of Sewers, dated September 19, 1900—Transmitting sewer map of the former village of Williamsbridge, and asking as to the district of assessment.

From the Department of Highways, dated September 19, 1900—Transmitting assessment lists for improvements, Borough of Brooklyn.

From the Department of Highways, dated September 20, 1900—Retransmitting assessment list for grading and paving Sutter avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

From the Department of Finance, dated September 20, 1900 (2)—Returning assessment lists with interest certificates.

From the Department of Sewers, dated September 21, 1900—Transmitting assessment lists for sewers, Borough of The Bronx.

From J. Wilson Bryant, attorney, dated September 22, 1900—Withdrawing claim of Margaret Wales for damages caused by change of grade of Clinton avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

The assessment list for grading and paving Sutter avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Alabama avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, which was levied by the Board of Assessors of the former City of Brooklyn upon an estimated cost, was revised to conform with the actual cost and ordered transmitted to the Comptroller for entry and collection.

In the matter of the assessment for regulating and paving Trinity avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx, Gumbleton & Hottenroth, attorneys, filed brief in support of objections already submitted. The objections of Gumbleton & Hottenroth and Henry H. Sherman, attorneys, and Joseph F. Geisler, owner, were overruled and the list ordered transmitted to the Comptroller for entry and collection.

John C. Shaw, attorney, introduced testimony in the matter of the assessment for regulating and grading Gerard avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and further consideration was adjourned, counsel to submit brief on or before October 2, 1900.

In the matter of the assessment for regulating and grading Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx, Herbert A. Shipman, attorney, submitted a brief in support of the objections already filed, and the Secretary was directed to transmit the statement of Mr. Shipman to the Department of Highways for a report.

No claims having been filed in response to an advertisement calling for them the following lists were ordered apportioned and advertised accordingly:

Regulating and grading Boscobel avenue, from Jerome avenue to Washington Bridge.

Regulating and grading Mott avenue, from Park avenue (Railroad avenue, East) to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

Regulating and grading Spencer place, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Southern Boulevard to West Farms road.

Regulating and grading Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

Regulating and grading Fox street (Simpson street) from Westchester avenue to Freeman street.

In the matter of the change of grade of Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, claims were filed by George W. Conney, attorney.

In the matter of the regulating and grading of St. Joseph's street, from Robbins avenue to Whitlock avenue, Borough of The Bronx, consideration was adjourned.

John P. Everitt, attorney, failed to appear after due notification to prove that East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, had been a thoroughfare for twenty years, and the claims filed in said matter were disallowed and the list ordered apportioned accordingly.

Additional awards for damages caused by the change of grade of Pelham avenue from Webster avenue to the Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, were allowed and the list ordered reapportioned and readjusted accordingly.

Awards for damages caused by the change of grade of the following-named streets in the Borough of The Bronx were allowed:

One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse.

Cauldwell avenue, from Boston road to Westchester avenue.

Eagle avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

The Secretary was directed to make a requisition upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for a list of names from which to appoint for a temporary period five Clerks.

The Secretary was directed to submit the correspondence received from the Department of Sewers in relation to the assessment for sewers in the village of Williamsbridge to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion on the questions asked therein.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

EXPENDITURES FOR AUGUST, 1900.

Coal and wood.....	\$18,820 83
Lay mains.....	26,902 52
Miscellaneous supplies.....	65,991 71
Oil.....	1,440 79
Pay-rolls.....	135,937 77
Rent.....	137 75
Repair pavement.....	5,430 14
Repairs.....	4,136 05
Taxes.....	1 22
Telephone service.....	1,674 50
Transportation.....	3,057 86
Water contracts.....	6,961 08
	\$269,611 22

LIABILITIES FOR AUGUST, 1900.

Coal and wood.....	\$989 40
Lay mains.....	3,361 00
Miscellaneous supplies.....	10,580 70
Oil.....	1,530 00
Repair pavement.....	337 91
Repairs.....	3,285 16
Transportation.....	180 00
	\$20,264 17

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1900.

To whom it may concern:

A public hearing will be held before the Committee on Law Department of the Council on Friday, October 12, 1900, in the Council Chamber, at 2 o'clock P. M., to consider further the various matters set forth below, to wit:

1. Proposed regulations for construction, maintenance, etc., of electric poles, wires, conduits, etc.
2. Proposed ordinance to regulate traffic in The City of New York.
3. Proposed ordinance to regulate sale of produce in bulk.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 22, 1900.

To whom it may concern:

A public hearing will be held before the Committee on Law Department of the Council on Friday, October 5, 1900, in the Council Chamber, at 2 o'clock P. M., to consider a proposed ordinance for the decorous and reverent burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of The City of New York.

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.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND

The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUIR, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF 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, Room R, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary, 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.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

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. HAPPEL, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 11 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.

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 267 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; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City.
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

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, Auditor of Accounts.
F. L. W. SCHAFFNER, Auditor of Accounts.
F. J. BRETTMAN, Auditor of Accounts.
MOSES OFFENHEIMER, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM MCKINNY, Auditor of Accounts.
DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts.
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.
JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.
PHILIP J. MCGEVOY, Auditor of Accounts.
JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD A. SLATTERY, 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.

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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.
THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Bronx. Office, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.
WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn. Office, Municipal Building, Room 42.
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens. Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City.
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. SHEA, Commissioner.
THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy.
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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. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
W. G. BYRNE, Water Registrar.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.
LAWRENCE GREESER, 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.
PERCIVAL E. NAGLE, Commissioner.
F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan.
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.
JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.
GEO. E. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.
JAMES J. KIRWIN, 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.
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THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, GEORGE HILL, 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. KIERNAN, 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.

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9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
General Bureau of Elections, Borough of Manhattan—No. 300 Mulberry street. T. F. RODENBROUGH, Superintendent; WILLIAM FLINLEY, Chief Clerk.

Branch Bureau, Borough of Brooklyn—No. 16 Smith street, GEORGE RUSSELL, Chief; JOHN K. NEAL, Chief Clerk.

Branch Bureau, Borough of The Bronx—One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue. CORNELIUS A. BRUNNER, Jr., Chief.

Branch Bureau, Borough of Queens—Police Station, Astoria. JAMES R. RODMAN, Chief.

Branch Bureau, Borough of Richmond—Staten Island Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, S. I. CHARLES A. JONES, Chief.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN W. KILLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.

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ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.

EDWARD GLINNEN, Deputy Commissioner.

JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.
Department for Care of Destitute Children, No. 66 Third avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays to 12 M.
FRANCIS J. LANTIER, Commissioner.
N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.
JOHN MORRISSEY GRAY, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs 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.

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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.
Committee to examine persons who handle explosives meets Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

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CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

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OBED L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.

JOHN L. FEENEY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

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WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

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GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.

Offices, City Hall, Brooklyn, and Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park.

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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 1, 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.

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Municipal Statistical Commission; FREDERICK W. GRUBE, LL. D., ANTONIO RASINES, RICHARD T. WILSON, Jr., ERNEST HARVIER, J. EDWARD JETTER, THOMAS GILLERAN.

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School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.
MILES M. O'BRIEN, President; William J. Ellis, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.
No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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School Board for the Borough of Queens.
Flushing, Long Island.
PATRICK J. WHITE, President; JOSEPH H. FITZPATRICK, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Richmond.
Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Staten Island.
WILLIAM J. COLE, President; FRANKLIN C. VITT, Secretary.

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WILLIAM F. GRELL, Sheriff; HENRY P. MULVANY, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; JAMES DUNNE, Under Sheriff.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

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. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M. to 2 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.
JAMES R. HOWE, Register.
WARREN C. TREDWELL, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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CHARLES WELDE, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.
FREDERICK P. SIMPSON, Assistant Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house.
WILLIAM E. MELODY, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 375 Fulton street.
EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.

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CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
WILLIAM J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner.
Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily
WILLIAM F. GRELL, Sheriff.
PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; RICHARD BERGIN, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 8, 9, and 11 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.
PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk.

QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9:30 A. M. to adjourn 5 P. 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.
EDWARD M. MULLER, County Clerk.
CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

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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 GARDINER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McKENNA, Chief Law Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn.
Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney.

QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN B. MERRILL, District Attorney.
CLARENCE A. DREW, Chief Clerk.

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EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART, ANTONIO ZUCCA.

Borough of The Bronx.
No. 261 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
Open from 8 A. M. to 12 midnight.
ANTHONY MCOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.

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Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 5 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.
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Borough of Queens.
Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.
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CHARLES J. SCHNEIDER, Clerk.

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No. 64 New York avenue, Rosebank.
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RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.
FRANK T. FITZGERALD, ARNER C. THOMAS, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

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

Room 38, Schermerhorn Building, No. 36 Broadway.
Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners.
LAMONT McDOUGHLIN, Clerk.

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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, WILLARD H. OLMSTED.
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Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

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Borough of Brooklyn.
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Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRESTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEAL, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
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First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).
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Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 A. M.

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.
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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.
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SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and establishing the grades of a new street, from Richmond turnpike to Ward avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 and 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and grades 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 26th day of September, 1900, 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 establishing the grades of a new street, from Richmond turnpike to Ward avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A"—Laying Out.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Richmond turnpike distant 442.96± feet northeasterly from the intersection of Louis street with said Richmond turnpike:

1. The southerly line of the proposed street to deflect to the right 101 degrees 32 minutes for 824± feet to its intersection with the westerly line of Ward avenue;
2. The northerly line of the proposed street to be 60 feet northerly and parallel to the above-described southerly line;

"B"—Grades.

The grades at the intersection of Richmond turnpike with the centre line of the proposed street to be 104.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1. Thence southeasterly to a point distant 375 feet, measured along the southerly side of the street, the elevation to be 238.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
2. Thence southeasterly to a point distant 40 feet, the elevation to be 239.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
3. Thence southeasterly to a point distant 4 feet, the elevation to be 238.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
4. Thence southeasterly to the intersection of the proposed street and Ward avenue, the elevation to be as previously filed.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and grades of the above-named new street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 17th day of October, 1900, 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 grades of the above-named new street 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 17th day of October, 1900.

Dated New York, October 2, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park, on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, 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 Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out 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 25th day of September, 1900, 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 a public park on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Jumel terrace, said point being distant 1,768.64 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 427.15 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue:

- 1st. Thence easterly and along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the westerly line of Edgecombe road for 168.74 feet;
- 2d. Thence southerly and deflecting to the right at an angle of 80 degrees 10 minutes 6 seconds for 139.36 feet;
- 3d. Thence southerly and westerly and deflecting to the right on an arc of a circle whose tangent is the preceding course and whose radius is 291.81 feet for 175.96 feet;
- 4th. Thence southwesterly and tangent to the preceding course for 89.41 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street;
- 5th. Thence westerly and along the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street to the easterly line of Jumel terrace for 172.83 feet;
- 6th. Thence northerly and said easterly line of Jumel terrace for 359.31 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The land for the proposed park is shown on a "Map or Plan, showing the new road or street to be known as Edgecombe road," * * * from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street extended easterly. Dated March 2, 1894.

Filed in the office of the Department of Public Works March 2, 1894.

Land to be taken for park is located in Section 8, Block 109 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named public park at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 17th day of October, 1900, 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 of the above-named public park 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 17th day of October, 1900.

Dated New York, October 2, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN 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, will give a public hearing at a meeting of the said Board to be held at the office of the said Board, as above, on Wednesday, October 31, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., to all persons affected by or interested in a "Map showing lands in The City of New York, Borough of Queens, and in the Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, N. Y., to be acquired for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure water for the use of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn," which said map has been prepared by the Commissioner of Water Supply, and has been submitted to the said Board of Public Improvements for approval.

Dated N. Y. City, September 27, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR installing a new steam-heating passenger elevator and electric lighting in the Penitentiary Block, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or estimate for Installation of New Steam Heating Passenger Elevator and Electric Lighting in the Penitentiary Block, Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five hundred (\$500) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the

to the amount of seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED for making the alterations to windows and other exterior portions of the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1900.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be 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 the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five hundred (\$500) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the

ance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED for plumbing and gas-fitting in the New Administration Building, Blackwell's Island, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1900.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of TWELVE THOUSAND (\$12,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be 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 the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Six Hundred (\$600) Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the

estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the 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.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK required for erecting and completing a building to be known as the Administration Building, at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Erecting and Completing Building to be known as the Administration Building, at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent of said Department, and read.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of SIXTY THOUSAND (\$60,000) 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 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, bond or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be 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 Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and by Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1900.

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

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

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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 bonds of fifty per cent each of the amount of bid will be required, and a deposit of five per cent, on fifty per cent, of the amount of bid, providing same amounts to one thousand dollars or over, to be deposited when handing in bid—deposit, however, not to be inclosed with bid. Deposit to be in currency or a certified check on a City bank (National or State) drawn to the order of the Comptroller. Sureties to consist of surety, trust or deposit companies or a householder and a freeholder. Where the total of a bid is under one thousand dollars a deposit of two and one-half per cent, on amount of same will be required, either in cash or certified check on a City bank (National or State). No bids will be received unless the aforesaid requirements are complied with.

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

Bidders must foot up the total of their bids, as the bids will be read from the footings and awarded to lowest bidder on each item.

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

be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

For particulars as to quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the printed specifications. The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

Bidders 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 footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class.

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

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.

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF DRUGS, MEDICINES, WHISKEY, ALCOHOL, ETC.; GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

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

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Miscellaneous Supplies, Drugs, Medicines, Whiskey, Alcohol, etc.," 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 and estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract 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 the Revised Ordinances, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

For particulars as to quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the printed specifications. The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

Bidders 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 footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES CONSISTING MAINLY OF STEAM FITTINGS, IRON AND STEEL, BROOM CORN, BRISTLES; ALSO SOAP AND SOAP CHIPS, ETC.; LEATHER, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

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

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Iron and Steel, Broom Corn and Bristles, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous Supplies, also Soap and Soap Chips, Leather, etc.," 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 Commissioner of said Department, and read.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract 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 the Revised Ordinances, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
No. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission, No. 346 Broadway, New York Life Insurance Building for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Tuesday, October 2, 10 A. M., DOORMAN, POLICE DEPARTMENT. On this date a medical and physical examination for Doorman in the Police Department will begin.

Thursday, October 4, 10 A. M., STABLE FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING. Subjects of examination: Duties, experience, arithmetic and handwriting. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Saturday, September 29, 1900.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 28, 1900.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1900, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Water Supply will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, by Thomas A. Kerrigan, Auctioneer, at the Western District Repair Yard, North Portland avenue, near Park avenue, Borough of Brooklyn,

One (1) Black Mare.

One (1) Wagon.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale. Bidders must name a price for the mare and the wagon separately. The purchasers must remove the horse and the wagon from the Pipe Yard immediately after the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership to the property, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the city.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park row, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, at the hour above mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING GRAVITY MECHANICAL FILTER PLANTS WITH APPURTENANCES FOR PURIFYING THE SUPPLY FROM

BAISELEY'S AND FROM SPRING-FIELD STREAMS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specification and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained in Room No. 1536.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department at the hour above mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER-PIPES, BRANCH-PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING STOP-COCKS AND HYDRANTS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH STOP-COCKS, HYDRANTS, CAST-IRON STOP-COCK BOXES AND COVERS AND MANHOLE HEADS AND COVERS.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, 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 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 1536.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK CITY, September 21, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING One Thousand Tons of White Ash Coal, egg size, for the Riverside Hospital, at North Brother Island, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Department of Health, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., of

OCTOBER 4, 1900.

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

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about One Thousand (1,000) Tons of White Ash Coal, egg size, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specifications attached to and which form a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at the Riverside Hospital, at North Brother Island, at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars.

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

Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in the City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, where the plans, which are made a part of the specifications, can be seen.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 365, Laws of 1889, as amended, the Board of Assessors of The City of New York has prepared lists showing the amounts appraised and assessed, respectively, upon the separate parcels of land benefited by the following named local improvements in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn:

Grading and paving Fifty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Paving Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Paving Forty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Paving Forty-first street, between Second and Third avenues.

Paving Forty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Forty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Forty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Paving Sixth avenue, from Thirty-ninth to Forty-first street.

Paving Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to city line.

Grading Seventh avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to city line.

Grading Sixth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to city line.

Grading Forty-third street, between Fifth avenue and city line.

Grading Forty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to city line.

Grading and paving Forty-eighth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

Paving Forty-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue.

Paving Forty-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue.

Paving Forty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue.

Paving Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue.

Grading and paving Fifty-seventh street, from First to Second avenue.

The said Board of Assessors will on the 17th of October, 1900, at 11 A. M., hold a special meeting at No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place all persons interested in the said assessment lists may examine the same, and file their objections thereto, if any, in writing.

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,
September 17, 1900.

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 6370, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Prescott place, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Prospect place, from Herkimer street to Atlantic 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 October 30, 1900, 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,
September 29, 1900.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 6375, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventy-first street, between Amsterdam avenue and Eleventh avenue, with curve in Audubon avenue.

List 6376, No. 2. Sewer in Eleventh avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

List 6377, No. 3. Sewer in St. Nicholas terrace, between Convent avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

List 6378, No. 4. Sewer in Second avenue, between Second and Third streets.

List 6379, No. 5. Receiving-basins on the southwest corners of Seventy-second street and Central Park, West, and Seventy-second street and Columbus avenue.

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 or surety companies signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are requested in making their bid or estimates to use the blank prepared for the purpose by the Police Board, a copy of which and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including the specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Police Board, where the plans which are made a part of specifications may be seen.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, September 22, 1900.
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at its office, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan, until

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1900,
at 2 o'clock P. M.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE NEW STATION-HOUSE, PRISON AND STABLE ON THE GROUND AND PREMISES IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, LOCATED ON BATHGATE AVENUE, NORTH OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Station-house, Prison and Stable on Bathgate Avenue," 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Architects' schedule of the quantity and quality of supplies and materials to be furnished and work to be done, upon which the bids are to be based, is set forth and stated in the specifications.

Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the site, its present condition and nature, as to the sufficiency of the foregoing Architects' schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bids dispute or complain of such schedule and plans, or the specifications and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders must particularly examine into the depth at which solid bottom is found.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work within one hundred and eighty calendar days from the date of the contract, to the satisfaction of the Board of Police and the Architects appointed by them, and in accordance with the drawings and directions given or which may be given by the Architects, and in conformity with the specifications hereunto annexed.

No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work contemplated, and which shall be actually performed at the price therefor to be specified by the accepted bidder, shall be due or payable; and no allowance will be made nor anything paid for blasting or excavating, nor for carrying masonry to solid bottom, nor for any filling or ramming of trenches, nor for any bailing or pumping rendered necessary in prosecuting the work, nor for any sheet-piling, shoring or other timbering, nor for any underpinning or other precautions necessary to protect adjoining buildings or grounds or the work in progress, nor for any scaffolding or centres required in prosecuting the work.

Bidders will be required to prepare for all pumping and bailing which may be found necessary in the prosecution of the work.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, upon blanks which will be furnished on application, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of Police to reject all bids should it be deemed for the public interest to do so.

All persons estimating are requested to enter their names and addresses in a book provided for this purpose in the Estimating Room in the Architects' office. Before submitting estimates Contractors must consult "Contractor's Bulletin Board," and compare the office copy of specifications with the set to be submitted with their proposal, and such proposal shall be read as in conformity with said office copies of specifications.

In case of any discrepancy they are to report to the Chief Clerk of the Police Department, and their specification will be corrected to conform with the office copy.

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

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person, other than subcontractors, be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

The estimate shall state 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 to by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two (2) surety companies, 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, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 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 or surety companies signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are requested in making their bid or estimates to use the blank prepared for the purpose by the Police Board, a copy of which and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including the specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Police Board, where the plans, which are made a part of specifications, may be seen.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, September 22, 1900.
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at its office, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan, until 2 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, THE 11th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE NEW STATION-HOUSE, PRISON AND STABLE ON THE GROUND AND PREMISES, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT JUNCTION OF LIBERTY AND EAST NEW YORK AVENUES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Station-house, Prison and Stable at Junction of Liberty and East New York Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn," 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Architects' schedule of the quantity and quality of supplies and materials to be furnished and the nature and extent of work to be done, upon which the bids are to be based, is set forth and stated in the specifications.

Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the site, its present condition and nature, as to the sufficiency of the Architects' schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bids dispute or complain of such schedule and plans, or the specifications and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders must particularly examine into the depth at which solid bottom is found.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work

within one hundred and eighty calendar days from the date of the contract, to the satisfaction of the Board of Police and the Architects appointed by them, and in accordance with the drawings and directions given or which may be given by the Architects, and in conformity with the specifications hereunto annexed.

No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work contemplated, and which shall be actually performed at the price therefor to be specified by the accepted bidder, shall be due or payable; and no allowance will be made nor anything paid for blasting or excavating, nor for carrying masonry to solid bottom, nor for any filling or ramming of trenches, nor for any bailing or pumping rendered necessary in prosecuting the work, nor for any sheet-piling, shoring or other timbering, nor for any underpinning or other precautions necessary to protect adjoining buildings or grounds or the work in progress, nor for any scaffolding or centres required in prosecuting the work.

Bidders will be required to prepare for all pumping and bailing which may be found necessary in the prosecution of the work.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, upon blanks which will be furnished on application, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of Police to reject all bids should it be deemed for the public interest to do so.

All persons estimating are requested to enter their names and addresses in a book provided for this purpose in the Estimating Room in the Architects' office. Before submitting estimates Contractors must consult "Contractor's Bulletin Board," and compare the office copy of specifications with the set to be submitted with their proposal, and such proposal shall be read as in conformity with said office copies of specifications.

In case of any discrepancy they are to report to the Chief Clerk of the Police Department, and their specification will be corrected to conform with the office copy.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Forty 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, other than subcontractors, be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact.

The estimate shall state 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 to by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two (2) surety companies, 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, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 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 or surety companies signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, September 22, 1900.
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, 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, shoes, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
September 27, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its office, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1900,

for the following named works:

No. 1. FOR GRADING GROUNDS, CONSTRUCTING, REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WALKS AND ROADS; FURNISHING AND LAYING IRON WATER-PIPES; SETTING HYDRANTS, ETC., IN THE BOTANICAL GARDENS IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING, COMPLETE, A SKATE AND GOLF HOUSE AT VAN CORTLANDT LAKE, IN VAN CORTLANDT PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The plans and specifications for the above works may be seen at the Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several works mentioned above are respectively as follows:

TIME.

No. 1. 150 consecutive working days.
No. 2. 100 consecutive working days.
Security required will be as follows:

No. 1. \$40,000 00
No. 2. 9,000 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said works.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as 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 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 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.

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

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

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, where the plans which are made a part of the specifications can be seen.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
AUGUST MOEBUS,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
September 22, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1900,

for the following named works:

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND ALL MATERIALS FOR CONSTRUCTING COMPLETE A GREENHOUSE IN THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK, IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TRAP-ROCK AND TRAP-ROCK SCREENINGS IN PELHAM BAY PARK (WHERE DIRECTED), IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The plans and specifications for the above works may be seen at the Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several works mentioned above are respectively as follows:

TIME.
No. 1. Sixty (60) consecutive working days.
No. 2. Sixty (60) consecutive working days.
Security required will be as follows:
No. 1. \$1,500 00
No. 2. 1,000 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said works.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be 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 all his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or

estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contracts 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 all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, where the plans which are made a part of the specifications can be seen.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
AUGUST MOEBUS,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND AP- PORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTI- mate and Apportionment held September 18, 1900, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby designate Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1900, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Mayor, as the time and place for a public hearing in relation to the Budget for 1901, and that notice inviting the taxpayers of this City to appear and be heard on that date in regard to appropriations to be made and included in said Budget be inserted in the City Record.

THOS. L. FEITNER,
Secretary.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAP- ter 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 38, Schermerhorn Building, No. 66 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, January 3, 1900.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

I HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING PETI- tions, which are now on file in my office for inspection, and will submit them to the Board of the Seventh District on Friday, October 12, 1900, at 4:30 P. M., in the office of the President of the Borough, Room 11, Borough Hall.

Norman avenue—Repaving Norman avenue, from Diamond street to Sutton street; Sutton street, from Norman avenue to Driggs avenue, and Driggs avenue, from Sutton street to the intersection of Driggs avenue with Meeker avenue.

Hausman street—Grading and paving that part of Hausman street not now improved, between Meeker avenue and Nassau avenue.

Eagle street—Grading and paving Eagle street, between Oakland street and Provost street.

South Fourth street—Flagging and reflagging sidewalk on the south side of South Fourth street, between Hooper and Hewes streets, in front of Lot No. 29, Block 15, Sixteenth Ward Map.

Leonard street—Flagging sidewalk on the east side of Leonard street, between McKibben and Boerum streets, in front of Lots Nos. 14 and 15, Block 42, Sixteenth Ward Map.

North Eighth street—Fencing vacant lots on the northeast side of North Eighth street, between Berry street and Bedford avenue, known as Lots Nos. 46 and 47, Block 59, Fourteenth Ward Map.

South Second street—Fencing vacant lots on the southeast side of South Second street, between Hooper and Keap streets, known as Lot No. 16, Block 10, Fifteenth Ward Map.

South Second street—Flagging sidewalk on the southeast side of South Second street, between Hooper and Keap streets, in front of Lot No. 16, Block 10, Fifteenth Ward Map.

Freeman street—Fencing vacant lot on the south side of Freeman street, between Manhattan avenue and Franklin street, known as Lot No. 79, Block 49, Seventeenth Ward Map.

Jewell street—Fencing vacant lot on the northeast side of Jewell street, between Norman and Nassau avenues, known as Lot No. 76, Block 175, Seventeenth Ward Map.

Jewell street—Flagging sidewalks on the northeast side of Jewell street, between Norman and Nassau avenues, in front of Lots Nos. 8, 11, 12, 72, 73 and 76, Block 175, Seventeenth Ward Map.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
President, Borough of Brooklyn.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT 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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTIONS 9 AND 10. THIRD AVENUE—WIDENING, at its eastern side, from a point 223.91 feet northerly of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to Teasdale place. Confirmed August 3, 1900; entered September 26, 1900. Area of assessment includes 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 the northeasterly corner of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Elton avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Elton avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northeasterly along the

southeasterly side of Elton avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of the northeasterly side of Brook avenue with the easterly side of Washington avenue; thence northerly and northeasterly along the easterly and southeasterly sides of Washington avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street with the middle line of the blocks between Washington avenue and Third avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of that part of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, between Franklin avenue and Third avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street to the northwesterly side of Boston road; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Boston road to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Cauldwell avenue; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Cauldwell avenue to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

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 of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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 November 25, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent, per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 26, 1900.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment-rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in The City of New York for the year 1900, and the warrants for the collection of taxes, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that all the taxes on said assessment-rolls are now due and payable at the office of the Receiver of Taxes 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.

In case of payment on or before the 1st day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 915 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897), viz.: A deduction of interest at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum between the day of such payment and the 1st day of December next.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD. SUTTER AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING, from Rockaway avenue to Alabama avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sutter avenue, between Rockaway and Alabama avenues and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 25, 1900, and entered on September 26, 1900, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent, per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 November 25, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent, per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 26, 1900.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT 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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTIONS 9 AND 10. THIRD AVENUE—WIDENING, at its eastern side, from a point 223.91 feet northerly of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to Teasdale place. Confirmed August 3, 1900; entered September 26, 1900. Area of assessment includes 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 the northeasterly corner of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Elton avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly side of Elton avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northeasterly along the

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

BELMONT STREET—OPENING, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue. Confirmed August 3, 1900; entered September 24, 1900. Area of assessment includes 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 easterly side of Morris avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Belmont street; running thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks and said middle line prolonged westerwardly to the easterly side of Macomb's road; thence northerly along the easterly side of Macomb's road and the easterly side of Featherbed lane to the southerly side of Featherbed lane; thence easterly along the southerly side of Featherbed lane and southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street prolonged easterwardly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the westerly side of Clay avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Clay avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

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 of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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 November 25, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent, per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 24, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1900,

at 12 o'clock M., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, by virtue of a lease for 100 years from Cornelius Ferguson, Supervisor of Town of New Utrecht, to the Town of New Utrecht, which lease is dated September 7, 1886, in and to the following-described premises:

All that certain lot known as and by the number 274 upon the assessment roll for the opening of Ninety-second street, from the Shore road to Seventh avenue, in the late Town of New Utrecht, which was sold to the Town of New Utrecht at a sale for unpaid assessments, held on September 6, 1884, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$75 for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

The quit-claim deed for the above parcel to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted September 18, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 20, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1900,

at 12 o'clock M., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, by virtue of a lease for 100 years from William V. B. Bennett, Supervisor of the former Town of Gravesend, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 24, 1896, in and to the following-described premises:

All that westerly one-half part, being 40 feet by 100 feet in size, of the lot known as and by the number 70 upon the assessment roll for the opening of Neptune avenue, from West Sixth street to the Ocean Parkway, in the late Town of Gravesend, now Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, the whole of which was sold to the City of Brooklyn at a sale for unpaid assessments, held on the 9th day of August, in the year 1894, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$75 for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

The quit-claim deed for the above parcel to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.
The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Room 55, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted September 18, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 20, 1900.

NOTICE OF THE REDEMPTION OF BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE HOLDERS of the Bonds and Stock of New York City, hereinafter described, that, in accordance with the terms of their issue, I will redeem said stock and bonds on the 2d day of November, 1900, at my office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York City (Room 27), and that on that day said stock and bonds will cease to bear interest, viz.:

FIVE PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of chapter 322 of the Laws of 1871, of the State of New York, payable May 1, 1926, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

FIVE PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of chapter 322 of the Laws of 1871, of the State of New York, payable May 1, 1926, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, of the State of New York, payable November 1, 1908, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

THREE PER CENT. CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, of the State of New York, payable November 1, 1908, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 1900.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

SEVENTH WARD.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Grand avenue and Classon avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 31 to 33, inclusive, 47 to 52, inclusive, and 81 of Block No. 73.

NINTH WARD.

CLASSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Park place and Prospect place. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 43 and 48 of Block No. 45.
ST. JOHN'S PLACE—FLAGGING, south side, between Plaza street and Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 of Block No. 118.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

FIFTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 32 to 34, inclusive, of Block No. 94.

SIXTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Prospect Park, West, and Tenth avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 64 and 65 of Block No. 178.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

DECATUR STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Saratoga avenue and Hopkinson avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 21 and 28, of Block No. 92.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Chauncey street and Marion street; also CHAUNCEY STREET, FLAGGING, south side, between Hopkinson avenue and Saratoga avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1 and 79, of Block No. 95.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between McDonough and Sumpter streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1, 3, 7 and 8, of Block No. 97.

MARION STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 17, Block No. 108.

MARION STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 45, 48, 64 and 134, Block No. 109.

MCDONOUGH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hopkinson avenue and Broadway; also, BROADWAY, FLAGGING, west side, between McDonough and Decatur streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1 to 3, inclusive, and 95 of Block No. 105.
MCDONOUGH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 32 to 35, inclusive, of Block No. 75.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 25 and 37 of Block No. 446.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 12 of Block No. 442.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 23 and 24, of Block No. 488.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 13 to 18, inclusive, of Block No. 48.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Blake avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 28 to 35, inclusive, 45 and 46, of Block No. 449.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Pitkin avenue and Belmont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 16 and 17 of Block No. 403.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

BROADWAY—FLAGGING, east side, between Granite street and Pilling street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 33 of Block No. 135.

ELDER STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 45 and 87 of Block No. 149.

GATES AVENUE—FLAGGING, northwesterly side, between Hamburg avenue and Central avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 59 of Block No. 49.

GATES AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Irving avenue and Myrtle avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 8 of Block No. 92.

GREENE AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 12 of Block No. 16.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 18, 1900, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section

1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 November 17, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 19, 1900.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD; SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEETH STREET (ST. JAMES STREET)—SEWER, between Aqueduct avenue and the Old Croton Aqueduct. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Aqueduct avenue and the Old Croton Aqueduct.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 18, 1900, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after

the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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 November 17, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 19, 1900.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 30, 1900, to November 1, 1900.

The interest due November 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due November 1, 1900, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR \$4,500,000 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CORPORATE STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED, BY SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 417 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in The City of New York, until

MONDAY, THE 15th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1900.

at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment therefor, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON.
\$1,900,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for School - houses and Sites therefor in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx...	Sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York adopted February 1, 1900, and resolution of the Municipal Assembly approved by the Mayor July 9, 1900.....	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
600,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for School - houses and Sites therefor, in the Borough of Brooklyn.	Sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted February 1, 1900, and resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor July 9, 1900.....	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
750,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for the Uses and Purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.....	Sections 169 and 180 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York adopted August 8, 1900.....	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
250,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Uses and Purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries...	Chapter 246 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 668 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 180 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, adopted July 13, 1899.....	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for the New Aqueduct...	Chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and resolution of the Aqueduct Commission of The City of New York, adopted December 19, 1899.....	Oct. 1, 1920	Apr. 1 and Oct. 1

The above-described stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.
The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 9, 1898.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same.
Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.
Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, TWO PER CENT. of the par value of the stock bid for in said proposal.
No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.
All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.

If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to him or them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said City as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid to the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.

Upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law.

The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and then inclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 27, 1900.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1900.

SALE TO BEGIN AT KITCHAWAN, N. Y., PARCEL 150, AT 10.30 O'CLOCK A. M., AND CONTINUE UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., auctioneers, the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase-line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
56	Aaron Losce.....	House.....	\$15 00
56	".....	Barn.....	30 00
56	".....	Stable.....	2 00
56	".....	Corn crib.....	2 00
62	C. McCord.....	House.....	150 00
62	".....	Wagon house.....	60 00
62	".....	Barn.....	10 00
62	".....	Cow stable.....	10 00
62	".....	Cow shed.....	10 00
62	".....	Corn crib.....	3 00
62	".....	Chicken house.....	5 00
62	".....	Wash house.....	10 00
150	Est. Fern. Wood.....	House and barn.....	150 00
301	George Teed.....	Tenant house.....	15 00
301	".....	Old barn.....	10 00
33	Lottie Ganong.....	Barn.....	15 00
33	".....	Wagon house.....	10 00
33	".....	Shed.....	5 00
47	E. Lounsberry.....	Barn.....	5 00
47	Mrs. Weyser.....	House.....	.....
47	A. Losce.....	Barn.....	5 00
75	Julia Curtin.....	House.....	5 00
75	".....	Barn.....	5 00
77	George Palmer.....	House.....	175 00
42	".....	Saw mill.....	.....

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 December 31, 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 same is left on the property of The City of New York on or after the 31st day of December, 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 31st day of December, 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 Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,
President.

HARRY W. WALKER,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 28, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WITH THE title of the supplies to be furnished and the names of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon 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, New York City, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., of

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1900,

for the following-named supplies:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
600,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.
125,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw.
480,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white-clipped Oats, to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

40,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran. To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be inspected and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employee in charge. The weighing to be upon beam scales furnished by the Department and transported by the contractor.

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

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

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

The specifications may be obtained from the Contract Clerk at this office.

The time to be allowed for the full delivery of the contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several supplies mentioned above are respectively as follows:

Seventy (70) consecutive working days.

Security required will be Six Thousand Dollars.

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said supplies.

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

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the supplies required, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the quality or quantity of the supplies 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as 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 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 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies to be furnished bidders are referred to the printed specifications. Such supplies must conform in every respect to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 28, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WITH THE title of the work and the names of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, 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, New York City, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., of

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1900,

for the following-named works:

No. 1. For furnishing the Materials and Labor and doing the work required to Alter and Repair Headquarters Building at Nos. 365 and 367 Jay street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City.

No. 2. For the Alteration and Repairing of the Plumbing and Gas-fitting Work for the above building.

The plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Buildings Superintendent on the fifth floor of these Headquarters.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several works mentioned above are respectively as follows:

No. 1. Ninety (90) consecutive working days.
No. 2. Ninety (90) consecutive working days.
Security required will be as follows:

No. 1.....\$5,000 00
No. 2.....1,500 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said works.

The contracts must be bid for separately.
BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS FOR EACH CLASS OF SUPPLIES NAMED.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be 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.

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

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

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For further particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WITH THE title of the supplies to be furnished and the names of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, 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, New York City, until 10:30 o'clock A. M. of

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1900,

for the following-named supplies:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. For furnishing 2,500 tons Anthracite Coal (1,825 tons Egg Size; 250 tons Stove Size; 425 tons Nut Size), to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, be well-screened and free from slate, free-burning, and of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows: "Lackawanna," by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad; "Jersey," by the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad; "Erie," by the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. For furnishing 1,500 tons Anthracite Coal (1,300 tons Egg Size; 200 tons Broken Size), to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, be well-screened and free from slate, free-burning, and of the first quality of the kind known and mined as follows: "Lackawanna," by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad, or any other free-burning coal.

The specifications may be obtained from the Contract Clerk at this office.

The time to be allowed for the full delivery of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several supplies mentioned above are respectively as follows:

No. 1. Three (3) months.
No. 2. Three (3) months.

Security required will be as follows:

No. 1.....\$5,000 00
No. 2.....3,000 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said supplies.

The contracts must be bid for separately.
BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS FOR THE CLASS OF SUPPLIES NAMED.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the supplies required, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the quality or quantity of the supplies 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 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 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies to be furnished bidders are referred to the printed specifications. Such supplies must conform in every respect to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR COMPLETING THE ERECTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 120, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1900,

for Completing the Erection of New Public School 120, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200) for Special Furniture for Public School 120, Borough of Manhattan; the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant at New Public School 126, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant, New Public School 127, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for Sanitary Work at New Public School 125, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for Sanitary Work at New Public School 128, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety 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 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.

would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

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

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, October 2, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
ABRAHAM STERN,
WILLIAM J. COLE,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
Committee on Buildings.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR SPECIAL FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 103, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; ALSO, HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT, NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 126, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; ALSO, HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT, NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 127, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; ALSO, SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 125, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; ALSO, SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 128, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1900,

for Special Furniture for Public School 103, Borough of Manhattan; also, Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant, New Public School 126, Borough of Brooklyn; also, Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant, New Public School 127, Borough of Brooklyn; also, Sanitary Work at New Public School 125, Borough of Brooklyn; also, Sanitary Work at New Public School 128, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200) for Special Furniture for Public School 103, Borough of Manhattan; the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant at New Public School 126, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant, New Public School 127, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for Sanitary Work at New Public School 125, Borough of Brooklyn; the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for Sanitary Work at New Public School 128, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety 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 consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

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

Should the person or persons to whom 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 will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, September 27, 1900.
RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
ABRAHAM STERN,
WILLIAM J. COLE,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
Committee on Buildings.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 171, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P.M., on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1900,

for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for New Public School 171, Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for New Public School 171, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety 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 consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the

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

Should the person or persons to whom 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 will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, September 20, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
ABRAHAM STERN,
WILLIAM J. COLE,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
Committee on Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN SEALED envelopes and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the supplies to which they relate, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, THE 2d DAY OF OCTOBER, 1900,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of forage, as follows:

420,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay.
550,000 pounds clean No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound and well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

—at the several stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the said borough.

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

Bidders are required to state in their bid or estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and, if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above supplies; and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, 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 to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of two guaranty or surety companies, duly authorized by law to act as surety, incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or estimate, they will on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000); and that, if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to The City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion, and that which The City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to the approval of the Comptroller.

The price in the bid or estimate must be written, and must also be stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all the bids or estimates if he shall deem it best for the interest of the City so to do. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of

The City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said City, for one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), or by money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid or estimate the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them; and upon the execution of the contract, the check or money of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

All bids or estimates must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected.

The form of the contract for supplies, bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same (with specifications), approved as to form by the Corporation and any other counsel, information desired can be obtained at the main office of the Department.

This public notice is, and is to be taken to be, a part of the contract for which proposals are herein invited.

Dated New York, September 17, 1900.
P. E. NAGLE,
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.

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY, AT NO. 214 EAST NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

ON OCTOBER 6, 1900, AT 10 A. M., THE Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies will sell at public auction under authority of section 1533, of the Greater New York Charter, at No. 214 East Ninth street, Peter F. Meyer, Auctioneer, the following personal property:

First Floor.

1 Galvanized-iron Water Pressure Tank.

Second Floor.

4 Shades on front windows.
7 Double Swing Brackets, brass.
4 3/4-inch Independent Cocks.
2 Packages of Brass Tags for Meters, about 15 pounds.
20 feet of 1/2-inch Gas Pipe.

Third Floor.

28 feet of 1/2-inch Gas Pipe.
2 Double Swing Brackets.
50 feet of 1/2-inch Galvanized Pipe for water.
40 feet of 2-inch extra heavy Cast-iron Pipe.
4 2-inch "Y" Branches.
1 2-inch Running Tray Iron extra heavy.
5 feet of 2-inch galvanized-iron Water Pipe.
4 Window-shades on front windows.
1 Work Bench.
1 10-light Gas Meter with testing connections complete.

Fourth Floor.

2 Meter Testers, 10 feet.
3 Meter Testers, 5 feet.
5 Gauges.
10 Number Stamps for brass.
7 Work Tables.
1 box of Brass Caps and connections.
1 Small Vise.
4 Window-shades.
1 Small Bench Stool.
8 Brackets, double swing.
10 3/4-inch Independent Cocks for gas.
50 feet of 1/2-inch Gas Pipe.
1 5-light Gas Meter.
60 feet of 3-inch Galvanized Pipe, sheet-iron.

TERMS OF SALE.

The sale is on the condition that the property purchased will be removed by the respective owners within five days from date of sale.

The purchaser shall pay the amount of the purchase money in bankable funds, on the ground, at the time of the sale, or the property not so paid for will be resold.

If the purchaser fails to remove the property bought by him within the time herein specified, he shall forfeit ownership of the same together with all the money paid therefor, and the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies will resell the property.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 21, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1602, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF MONROE STREET, from Stuyvesant to Reid avenue.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Waverly to Vanderbilt avenue.

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF ST. MARK'S PLACE, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF DECATUR STREET, from Tompkins to Throop avenue.

No. 5. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF MACON STREET, from Arlington place to Nostrand avenue.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., RITTER PLACE, from Union to Prospect avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Bainbridge to Webster avenue.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the per-

sons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 HIGHWAYS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1636, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 21, 1900.

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, OCTOBER 3, 1900,

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

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from Gerard avenue to Walton avenue, and in WALTON AVENUE, from summit south of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 2. FOR THE DREDGING OF 40,000 CUBIC YARDS OF MATERIAL IN GOWANUS CANAL, AND BASINS AT FOURTH, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STREETS.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained, as to the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street, Borough of The Bronx, and as to the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to ascertain the loss and damage and compensation for the lands and premises laid out, taken, set apart and appropriated for a public field, place or park, including interest thereon, pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled "An Act in relation to ST. JAMES PLACE, in the City of New York," being chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897 and other statutes thereto pertaining.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER,
HERMAN ALSBERG,
PIERRE V. B. HOES,
Commissioners.

JAMES BARRY LOUNSBERRY,
Clerk.

RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, Part III, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 13th day of November, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Supreme Court, appointing three disinterested freeholders, residents in the City of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property, rights, franchises, easements or privileges sought to be taken, affected or extinguished for the purposes indicated in said chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, and embraces all the land situated on both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, formerly known as the Boulevard, between the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street and the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, abutting on said Broadway between said streets and is laid out and indicated on three similar or triplicate maps, one of which was filed in the office of the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of May, 1900, and another in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 28th day of July, 1900, each bearing the following certificate:

"Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of The City of New York.

Map survey and plan of land and property necessary to be acquired or to which there may be appurtenant rights, terms, franchises, easements or privileges necessary to be acquired or extinguished by The City of New York for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad described in the routes and general plan thereof, adopted by the said Board on the 14th day of January and the 4th day of February, 1897.

Memorandum—There are to be acquired in relation to each and every piece or parcel of property shown upon this sheet of this map, survey and plan abutting upon Broadway, formerly the Boulevard, and bounded in blue, the right of franchise and easement to construct and operate the said Rapid Transit Railroad.

Adopted and approved by the said Board the 26th day of April, 1900.

A. E. ORR,
JNO. H. STARIN,
WOODBURY LANGDON,
G. L. RIVES,
BIRD S. COLER,
Commissioners.

WILLIAM BARCLAY PARSONS,
Chief Engineer."

The real estate so proposed to be taken or affected comprises every lot, piece or parcel of land abutting on the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, formerly the Boulevard, between the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street and the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, and it is intended to acquire an easement in perpetuity to construct, maintain and operate the Rapid Transit Railroad in, upon and along said Broadway, according to the general plan thereof adopted by the said Rapid Transit Board on the 14th day of January and the 4th day of February, 1897.

The parcels in which an easement in perpetuity is to be acquired are described upon the maps above mentioned by the following numbers:

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 61, 62, 63, 64 in Block 1977, which taken together are bounded as follows: On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway and on the east by a line drawn parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 61, 62, 63 and 64 in Block 1978, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway and on the east

east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 61, 62 and 64, in Block 1979, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 60½, 61, 62, 63 and 64, in Block 1980, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68, in Block 1981, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom.

Lot No. 69 in Block 1981 is bounded as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street with the easterly line of Broadway; running thence northerly along the easterly line of Broadway 136 feet 3 inches to the southerly line of Manhattan Street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Manhattan Street 121 feet 2½ inches; thence southwesterly 96 feet 1½ inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street 57 feet and ½ inch to the point or place of beginning.

Lots Nos. 55, 57, 59, 60, 72, 73 and 74 in Block 1982, which taken together are bounded as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Manhattan Street with the easterly line of Broadway; running thence northerly along the easterly line of Broadway to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; thence along the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street 66 feet; thence southwesterly and at right angles to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street 70 feet 11 inches; thence southwesterly 100 feet to the northerly line of Manhattan Street, and thence westerly along said northerly line of Manhattan Street 47 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 61, 62, 63 and 64 in Block 1984, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 35 and 37 in Block 1993, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79 and 82 in Block 1993, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lot No. 86 in Block 1993 is described as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 15, 19 and 23 in Block 1995, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of Manhattan Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet westerly therefrom.

Lot No. 31 in Block 1995 is bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; on the south by the northerly line of Manhattan Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37 in Block 1996, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 in Block 1997, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 36½ in Block 1998, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 75 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block 1999, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block 2000, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block 2001, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the east by the westerly line of Broadway, and on the west by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 61, 62 and 63 in Block 1985, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel with Broadway and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 52, 57 and 65 in Block 1986, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east

by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 61, 62, 63 and 64 in Block 1987, which taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom.

Lots Nos. 1, 3, 4, 65, 66 and 67 in Block 1988, taken together are bounded as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth Street; on the south by the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third Street; on the west by the easterly line of Broadway, and on the east by a line parallel to Broadway and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom.

Dated NEW YORK, September 28, 1900.

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 21, 1900.

LOUIS B. VAN GAASBEEK,
GEORGE G. BANZER,
FLOYD M. LORD,
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 WASHINGTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Street to Pelham Avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on the 9th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 1001 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and amendments pertaining thereto.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.

HENRY L. NELSON,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
W. G. ROSS,
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 EIGHTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue to Vanderbilt Avenue, East, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on the 5th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 18, 1900.

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
VICTOR J. DOWLING,
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 STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Summit Avenue to Anderson Avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SUPPLEMENTAL and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, August 13, 1900.

JOHN G. H. MEYERS,
EDWARD L. PATTERSON,
JOHN F. BOULLON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening THIRD AVENUE, from Sixtieth Street on the line of New Utrecht to the Shore Drive, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of September, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1899, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 18th day of September, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 12th day of October, 1900, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

SOLON BARBANELL,
GEORGE J. O'KEEFE,
JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises on the east side of The City of New York, bounded by HESTER, ESSEX, DIVISION, NORFOLK, SUFFOLK, CANAL, RUTGERS and JEFFERSON STREETS AND EAST BROADWAY, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate, duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate, together with our damage map, in the office of the Department of Public Parks for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, August 28, 1900, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, as provided by section 4 of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 5th day of October, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of October, 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 NEW YORK, August 25, 1900.

EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCMENCK,
Clerk.