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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

(In Adjourned Session.)

TUESDAY, December 13, 1898,
1 o'clock P. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley,
Vice-Chairman,
Thomas F. Foley,
Martin Engel,
Frank J. Goodwin,
Patrick J. Ryder,
George B. Christman,
John J. Murphy,

Eugene A. Wise,
Stewart M. Brice,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,
Francis F. Williams,
Conrad H. Hester,

Adam H. Leich,
John J. McGarry,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly,
David L. Van Nostrand,
Joseph Cassidy,
Benjamin J. Bodine,
George H. Mandorf,

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with seven ordinances:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1898.

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

SIR:—I send you herewith seven forms of ordinances, to replace the former ordinances forwarded to you by this Board and which I return herewith, as follows:

Furnishing two steam boilers to Ninety-seventh street power house.
Sale of loading and cleaning scow privileges by Department Street Cleaning.
Contracting for towing, etc., Department of Street Cleaning.
Contract for street cleaning in Borough of Richmond.
Placing new floor in opera house, Jamaica.
Contract for private telephone line by Commissioner of Water Supply.
Repairing wall, County Jail, Kings County.
These corrected forms were approved by this Board at a meeting held on the 7th instant.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The ordinances are as follows:

No. 549.—(S. R. 515.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize contract, etc., for scows, etc., removing city refuse to Riker's Island.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 7th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the contracting by the commissioner of street cleaning for the towing and unloading of deck scows of the department of street cleaning, to be towed from the several dumps of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx in Riker's Island, to be there unloaded and returned to the dumps or dumping places, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Street Cleaning be discharged from further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Engel, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, and Ryder—11.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco, Hester, Hottenroth, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—6.

No. 550.—(S. R. 516.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize sale of privileges for loading scows, etc.

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

That in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 7th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the sale by the commissioner of street cleaning of the privilege of loading and cleaning deck scows and dumpers, and unloading pocket dumps of the department of street cleaning in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for a term of one year, with the provision, however, that the said privilege may at any time be terminated by the said commissioner on ten days' notice, the said commissioner to select from the proposals for the privilege the bid which will, in his judgment, best secure the efficient performance of the work; the term of contract for the sale of said privilege to be approved by the corporation counsel, and the contractor to furnish adequate security for satisfactory performance under the said contract, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Street Cleaning be discharged from further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Doyle, Engel, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, and Ryder—16.

Negative—Councilmen Conly, Francisco, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—5.

Councilman McGarry then moved the adoption of the ordinance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Van Nostrand, and Wise—20.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco and Williams—2.

Councilman Wise moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above ordinance was lost.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Leich moved that the matter retain its place.

Which was adopted.

No. 422.—(S. R. 517.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize repairs in Kings County Jail.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 7th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairing and rebuilding the wall on the south side of the County Jail, Kings County, Borough of Brooklyn, and additional work necessary for painting on other portions of the wall, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Councilman McGarry moved that the committee be discharged from the further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Hester, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, and Ryder—15.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco, Hyland, Leich, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—6.

No. 581.—(S. R. 518.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize alterations in former Opera House, Jamaica, Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the seventh day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the placing of a new floor on the second story of the building formerly known as the Opera House, in Jamaica, Borough of Queens, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be discharged from the further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Van Nostrand, and Wise—19.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco, Williams, and Wise—3.

Councilman McGarry then moved the adoption of the ordinance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Van Nostrand—22.

Negative—Councilmen Francisco and Williams—2.

No. 518.—(S. R. 519.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize contract for the disposal of garbage, etc., in the Borough of Richmond.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the seventh day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, a contract for street cleaning and the collection and final disposition of street sweepings, ashes, garbage, and light household refuse in the former villages, towns and localities known as Edgewater, New Brighton and Port Richmond, of the Borough of Richmond, of The City of New York, to be entered into by the commissioner of street cleaning, at an estimated cost of eight thousand eight hundred dollars, from the first day of May, 1898, to and inclusive of the thirty-first day of December, 1898, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation of the department of street cleaning for the Borough of Richmond, "For all Purposes," for 1898.

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Street Cleaning be discharged from the further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Doyle, Engel, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—21.

Negative—Councilmen Conly, Foley, Hyland, and Van Nostrand—4.

Councilman McGarry then moved the adoption of the ordinance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 606.—(S. R. 520.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize contract for telephone connections with pumping stations, etc., of the department of water supply.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the seventh day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the entering into a contract by the commissioner of water supply with the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, for the furnishing and use of a private telephone wire along the conduit line of the water supply for the Borough of Brooklyn, and the necessary connections and instruments at the several pumping stations, the offices of the department of water supply, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the central office in the Borough of Manhattan, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of five thousand dollars per annum, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the fund which consists of the moneys collected for water rates in the Borough of Brooklyn, and applicable to "Water Supply, Maintenance and Repairs—Supplies and Materials," Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from the further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Christman, Conly, Engel, Goodwin, Hart, Leich, McGarry, Murphy, Ryder, Van Nostrand, and Williams—15.

Negative—Councilmen Cassidy, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Mandorf, Murray, and Wise—10.

No. 1272.—(S. R. 521.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide new steam-boilers, etc., in the Ninety-seventh street boiler-house, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the seventh day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the contracting by public letting, for furnishing all the labor and materials necessary for constructing and putting up two new steam-boilers in the Ninety-seventh street boiler-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, and for taking out four boilers now in use, under

the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance," for 1898.

Councilman McGarry moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from the further consideration of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, and Van Nostrand—19.

Negative—Councilmen Foley, Francisco, Hyland, Murray, Williams, and Wise—6.

Councilman McGarry then moved the adoption of the ordinance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—25.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements, together with corrected ordinance:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1898.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith four ordinances to replace those which were returned by you on November 28, 1898, on account of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, requiring that the terms of the ordinances and resolutions should be identically the same.

The terms of the included ordinances are identically the same as the resolutions and both have been approved by this Board.

It would greatly facilitate the public business if these ordinances could be retained in their respective places on committees and general orders, and I would request that, if possible to do so, such action should be taken.

I also inclose herewith the old ordinances, returned by you.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The ordinances are as follows:

No. 909.—(S. R. 247.)

AN ORDINANCE to repave Broome street, between Clark and Hudson streets, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of the carriage-way of Broome street, between Clark and Hudson streets, in the borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; and that the contractor be required to give a guarantee of maintenance for a period of fifteen (15) years. The cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Van Nostrand, and Wise—22.

No. 1020.—(S. R. 353.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Audubon avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—23.

Negative—Councilman Van Nostrand—1.

No. 1022.—(S. R. 352.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Edgecombe avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—23.

Negative—Councilman Van Nostrand—1.

No. 1153.—(S. R. 381.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide steam-heating apparatus for the New Brighton Village Hall, Borough of Richmond.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the placing of an automatic, low-pressure, steam-heating apparatus in the New Brighton Village Hall, Borough of Richmond, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation made by the board of estimate and apportionment on August 22, 1898.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 1271.—(S. R. 472.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of supplying metallic file cases for the office of the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 674), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide metallic file cases for the office of the department of highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution

of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction and putting in place of metallic cases in the office of the department of highways, Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs," Borough of Brooklyn, for 1898.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, } Public Buildings,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE, } Lighting and
GEORGE H. MUNDORF, } Supplies.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Murphy, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. —(S. R. 322.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of repairs to Municipal Building, Brooklyn (referred at special meeting of December 12, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for certain repairs in the Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, certain repairs and alterations to the Municipal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs," Borough of Brooklyn.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
GEORGE H. MUNDORF, } Public Buildings,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE, } Lighting and
BENJAMIN J. RODINE, } Supplies.
STEWART M. BRICE, }

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1898.

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

SIR—In accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board at a special meeting held on the 5th instant, I transmit herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the making of certain repairs and alterations to the Municipal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Leich, McGarry, Murphy, Mundorf, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—22.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Councilman Goodwin moved that the Council do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Council stood adjourned.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 13, 1898,
2 o'clock A. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN:

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

Eugene A. Wise,
Stewart M. Brice,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,
Francis F. Williams,
Conrad H. Hester.

Adam H. Leich,
John J. McGarry,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly,
David L. Van Nostrand,
Joseph Cassidy,
Benjamin J. Rodine,
George H. Mundorf.

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

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
December 12, 1898.

To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith without my approval the following resolutions, passed by you on November 22, 1898, fixing a time and place for a public hearing upon the applications of the several railway companies hereinafter named, for the grant of certain franchises, viz.:

1. Resolution, Int. No. 1236, relating to the application of the Union Railway Company of New York City.
2. Resolution, Int. No. 1238, relating to the application of the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company.
3. Resolution, Int. No. 1240, relating to the application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company.
4. Resolution, Int. No. 1242, relating to the application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company.
5. Resolution, Int. No. 1244, relating to the application of the Union Railway Company of New York City.
6. Resolution, Int. No. 1252, relating to the application of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company, and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company.
7. Resolution, Int. No. 1254, referring to the application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company.

My objections to the said resolutions, and to each of the said resolutions, is that sufficient time does not remain for the publication of the advertisements therein directed in advance of the day therein fixed for hearing upon said several applications.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

No. 12367.

Whereas, The Union Railway Company of New York City has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise in right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of certain streets, avenues and highways; and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, If the Board of Aldermen concur, that Thursday, the 22nd day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Union Railway Company of New York City to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways in said city for street railway purposes and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned in

the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
day of _____, 1898.

The Union Railway Company of New York City having filed its application, in writing, to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the _____ day of _____, 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Bailey Avenue with East Two Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence running northerly, with double tracks, through, upon and along said Bailey Avenue to its intersection with the Albany road; thence running northwesterly, with double tracks, through, upon and along said Albany road to its intersection with East Two Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence running westerly, with double tracks, through, upon and along said East Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to its intersection with Broadway.

Also commencing at the intersection of Cedar Avenue and Sedgwick Avenue; thence running northerly, with double tracks, through, upon and along said Cedar Avenue to its intersection with the Fordham Landing road, together with necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, crossovers and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroads by electricity or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same, all in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both Houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the _____ day of _____, 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the _____ day of _____, 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on _____ the _____ day of _____, 1898, at _____ o'clock in the _____ noon, such application of said railway company will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

No. 1238.

Whereas, The Southern Boulevard Railroad Company of New York City has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application in writing for a grant of the franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad, through, upon and along the surface of certain streets, avenues and highways, and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof, and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, if the Board of Aldermen concur, That Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways in said city for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK,
day of _____, 1898.

The Southern Boulevard Railroad Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the _____ day of _____, 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the Southern Boulevard and Boston Road, there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing tracks of the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company; running thence northerly through, upon and along said Southern Boulevard with double tracks to its intersection with East Two Hundredth street; running thence westerly through, upon and along said East Two Hundredth street with double tracks to the intersection of said East Two Hundredth street with Jerome Avenue, there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing tracks of the Union Railway Company of New York City, all in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, crossovers and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad by electricity or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the _____ day of _____, 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the _____ day of _____, 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on _____ the _____ day of _____, 1898, such application of said Railroad Company will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

No. 1240.

Whereas, The Third Avenue Railroad Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use certain bridge and certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of certain streets, avenues and highways, and to, upon and across said bridge hereinafter mentioned, and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, if the Board of Aldermen concur, that Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways and a certain bridge in said city for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, and to, upon and across said bridge, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by His Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner, as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK,
day of _____, 1898.

The Third Avenue Railroad Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the _____ day of _____, 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the bridge, streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and

operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, and to, upon and across the bridge hereinafter mentioned, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Amsterdam Avenue and West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the company's existing railroad upon said Amsterdam Avenue, running thence easterly with double tracks through, upon and along said West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the Viaduct, connecting with the Central or Macomb's Dam Bridge, running thence with double tracks to, upon and across said Viaduct to said Central or Macomb's Dam Bridge, running thence northerly to, upon and across said Central or Macomb's Dam Bridge and the approaches thereto, to Jerome Avenue in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, there to connect by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing railroad of the Union Railway Company of New York City, upon said Jerome Avenue, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, crossovers and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad by electricity, or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both Houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the _____ day of _____, 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said City, on the _____ day of _____, 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on _____ the _____ day of _____, 1898, at _____ o'clock in the _____ noon, such application of said railroad company will be first considered and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

No. 1242.

Whereas, The Third Avenue Railroad Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application in writing for a grant of the franchise or right to use a certain bridge and certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of certain streets, avenues and highways, and to, upon and across said bridge hereinafter mentioned, and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, if the Board of Aldermen concur, That Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways and a certain bridge in said city for street railway purposes and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, and to, upon and across said bridge, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided; such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK,
day of _____, 1898.

The Third Avenue Railroad Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the _____ day of _____, 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the bridge, streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York hereinafter mentioned for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, and to, upon and across the bridge hereinafter mentioned, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Amsterdam Avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the company's existing railroad upon said Amsterdam Avenue; running thence easterly with double tracks through, upon and along said West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the Washington Bridge, across the Harlem River; thence to, upon and across said Washington Bridge and the approaches thereto, with double tracks, to Boscobel Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, there to connect with the railroad route of the Union Railway Company of New York City, located upon said Boscobel Avenue, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, crossovers and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad by electricity or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both Houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the _____ day of _____, 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the _____ day of _____, 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on _____ the _____ day of _____, 1898, at _____ o'clock in the _____ noon, such application of said railroad company will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

No. 1244.

Whereas, The Union Railway Company of New York City has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of certain streets, avenues and highways, and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, if the Board of Aldermen concur, That Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Union Railway Company of New York City to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways in said city for street railway purposes and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK,
day of _____, 1898.

The Union Railway Company of New York City having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the _____ day of _____, 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Madison Avenue, and there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing tracks of the Union Railway Company of New York City, running thence easterly through, upon and along said One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street with double tracks to the intersection of said One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street with Park Avenue, running thence southerly through, upon and along said Park Avenue with double tracks to the intersection of said Park Avenue with One Hundred and Thirtieth street, running thence easterly through, upon and along said One Hundred and Thirtieth street with double tracks to the intersection of said One Hundred and Thirtieth street with Lexington Avenue, and there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing tracks of the Union Railway Company of New York City, all in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, crossovers and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad by electricity or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the day of , 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the day of , 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on the day of , 1898, at o'clock in the noon, such application of said railway company will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

No. 1253.

Whereas, The New York and Harlem Railroad Company, the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, have presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York their application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad upon and across the surface of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Madison Avenue and Eighth Avenue in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, said railroad extension to be termed by extension of the subway of the first two companies aforesaid, in the manner set forth particularly in said application, and praying that such local authorities of the City give public notice thereof, and at the time and place when it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, If the Board of Aldermen deem, That Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, for a grant of the franchise or right to use the said portions of said street in said city for railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad in and upon the surface of the streets, avenues and highways mentioned in said application in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of section 92 of the Railroad Law; such notice to be published at the expense of the applicants.

Resolved, Further, That the notice to be given by the City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, }
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, } 1898.

The New York and Harlem Railroad Company, the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company having filed their application, in writing, to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated November 18, 1898, for a grant of the franchise or right to use the streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York hereinafter mentioned for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad extension in and upon the surface of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Madison Avenue and Eighth Avenue, in The City of New York, said extension to be termed by the construction and union of an extension of the railroad of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, as follows:

Commencing with the company's existing double-track railroad on Madison Avenue at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street by suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence westerly, with double tracks, in and upon One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Lenox (formerly Sixth) Avenue, with an extension to be constructed to the railroad of the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company, as follows:

Commencing with the company's existing double-track railroad at Eighth Avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street by suitable curves, switches and appliances, running thence easterly, with double tracks, in and upon One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Lenox (formerly Sixth) Avenue, the length of the proposed extension of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company being fifteen hundred and fifty (1550) feet or thereabouts, and the length of the proposed extension of the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company being eighteen hundred (1800) feet or thereabouts, and the point of union not over one-half mile from the respective lines or routes of the said companies, and to the operation of the said railroad extension by an underground current of electricity, or such other form of motive power as may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted on the day of , 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the day of , 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall of The City of New York, on the day of , 1898, at o'clock in the noon, such application of said railway companies will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in the application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will be given them to be heard in relation to said application.

City Clerk.

No. 1254.

Whereas, The Third Avenue Railroad Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use a certain bridge and certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, and to, upon and across said bridge hereinafter mentioned, and that such local authorities of said city give public notice thereof and of the time and place when and where it will be first considered; it is

Resolved, If the Board of Aldermen deem, That Thursday, the 22d day of December, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Third Avenue Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the right or franchise to use certain streets, avenues and highways and a certain bridge in said city for street railway purposes and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the streets, avenues and highways in said application mentioned, and to, upon and across said bridge hereinafter mentioned, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided; such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, Further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in form and manner as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, }
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, } 1898.

The Third Avenue Railroad Company having filed its application, in writing, to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the day of , 1898, for a grant of the right or franchise to use the bridge, streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York hereinafter mentioned for street railway purposes, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad as a branch or extension of its existing railroad through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways, and to, upon and across the bridge hereinafter mentioned, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of First Avenue and East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, there connecting by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the company's existing railroad upon said East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; running thence northeasterly with double tracks through, upon and along said First Avenue and said East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the bridge now being constructed across the Harlem River; thence to, upon and across said bridge and the approaches thereto with double tracks to Willis Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, there to connect by suitable curves, switches and appliances with the existing tracks of the Union Railway Company of New York City upon said Willis Avenue, together with the necessary connections, switches, turnouts, trestles, cross-overs and suitable stands required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad by electricity, or any other motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the directions given by resolutions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which was adopted by the Council and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the day of , 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said city on the day of , 1898, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan and The City of New York, on the day of , 1898, at o'clock in the noon, such application of said railroad company will be first considered, and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

City Clerk.

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

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

No. 1214.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
December 12, 1898. }

To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on October 11, 1898, giving permission to Frederick Loeser & Co. to erect and keep a carriage porch of iron and glass, not exceeding twelve feet in length or twenty feet in width, to extend from the house-line to the curb in front of their building on Fulton street near Bond street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

My objection to said resolution is, that the erection of permanent structures of this character over the sidewalk is not in the public interest.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co. to erect, place and keep a carriage porch of iron and glass, not exceeding twelve feet in height, or twenty feet in width, the same to extend from the house-line to the curb, in front of the entrance to their building on Fulton street, near Bond street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

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

No. 859.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
December 12, 1898. }

To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, an ordinance adopted by you on October 11, 1898, entitled "An ordinance to provide an additional lamp to be placed in front of the Church of the Guardian Angel in Twenty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues, Borough of Manhattan."

My objection to this resolution is, that according to report made to me by the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Twenty-third street is now lit with electric lamps, and in addition there are at present two gas lamps in front of the church named.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE to provide an additional lamp to be placed in front of the Church of the Guardian Angel, in Twenty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues, Borough of Manhattan. Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. That an additional lamp-post erected, a street lamp placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Church of the Guardian Angel, in Twenty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, CITY HALL, }
CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, December 12, 1898. }

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Sir—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the special meeting held Thursday, December 8, 1898, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 1636, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1733, 1736, 1738, 1740, 1745, 1749, 1750, 1751, 1752 and 1753.

Respectfully,

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

Which was ordered on file.

The communications are as follows:

No. 1392.

Alderman Bridges, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting John Houlahan to keep a news stand under the elevated railroad stairs, northeast corner of Sands and Fulton streets, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, he recommends that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Houlahan to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the elevated railroad stairs, on the northeast corner of Sands and Fulton streets, Borough of Brooklyn, provided said stand shall be erected to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, Alderman, Second Assembly District.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1393.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Beck to parade with a wagon in the territory bounded by Fourteenth street, Forty second, Fifth Avenue and the East River (Sundays excepted), in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until January 31, 1899.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

No. 1394.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Amelia Huber to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of her premises on the northeast corner of Marcy Avenue and Fulton street in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1395.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Walls to erect, place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 1616 Second Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1396.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris B. Weiss to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 86 Maiden Lane, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door be erected in conformity with the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1397.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Bischoff & Co. to erect a storm-door in front of the premises No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall in all respects comply with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1398.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Praeger & Meyers to erect, place and keep an iron awning in front of their premises, No. 89 Fulton street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that said awning shall be erected to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1399.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Manhattan Ladies' Relief Association to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts:

- Southeast corner of Fifth street and the Bowery;
- Northeast corner of Fourth street and the Bowery;
- Northeast corner of Fourth street and Second avenue;
- Northeast corner of Fifth street and Second avenue;

—in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until December 18, 1898.

Which was adopted.

No. 1400.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Empire Hygienic Ice Company to place and keep a platform-scale, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of the Bergen street side of their premises, on the southwest corner of Stone avenue and Bergen street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided said scale shall be laid flush with the sidewalk and in no way to be an impediment to pedestrians; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1401.

Resolved, That the Republican Union be and it is hereby permitted to place transparencies announcing a ball for its charity fund on the following lamp-posts, and to keep the same in such positions for two weeks; the same to be done under its own expense, under the direction and control of the Commissioner of Highways, to wit:

- Corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street;
- Corner of Third avenue and Seventy-ninth street;
- Corner of Second avenue and Seventy-ninth street;
- Corner of Second avenue and Eighty-third street;
- Corner of First avenue and Eighty-second street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1402.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Louis Fink Association to suspend a banner across First Avenue, from the northeast to the northwest corner of Seventy-first street, the proprietors of said building consenting thereto, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue until December 31, 1898.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1403.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Union M. E. Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

- Northeast corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-seventh street;
- Northeast corner of Broadway and Forty-eighth street;
- And in front of church building No. 230 West Forty-eighth street.

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for December 6, 7, 8 and 9, 1898.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1404.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Frank & Loring to have a man in the costume of Santa Claus parade up and down in front of their premises, One Hundred and Seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until December 31, 1898.

Which was adopted.

No. 1405.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Portrait Show Society to swing a banner from the Academy building at the northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue, across Twenty-third street in the building of the Young Men's Christian Association, the consent of the proprietors of said buildings having been previously obtained, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only between December 14, 1898, and January 20, 1899.

Which was adopted.

No. 1406.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the John Church Company to erect, place and keep a stand in front of their premises, No. 141 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1407.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Lewish to erect, place and keep a new stand in front of No. 231 Sixth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided the permission of the owner of the premises be first obtained, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1408.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrew Gaetner to keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the southeast corner of Leonard and Ten Eyck streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1409.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. F. Wald to erect, place and keep show-windows in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Broadway and Leonard street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said show-windows shall be erected to comply in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, together with detailed report of the Committee on Streets and Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
CITY HALL, December 5, 1898.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—In pursuance of the resolution of request adopted by the Council November 22, 1898, to return for further consideration, I transmit herewith, by direction of the Board of Aldermen, document (Councilmanic No. 650), being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, with "An Ordinance to extend the time for completing the contract for regulating, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx."

Respectfully,
MICHAEL P. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of extending the time for completing the contract for regulating, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, May 31, 1898, page 542), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to extend the time for completing the contract for regulating, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx. Whereas, The board of public improvements at their meeting on May 25, 1898, recommended unanimously that the time for the completion of the contract for regulating, grading, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, be extended to January 1, 1899, as they considered it would be to the best interest of the city so to do; now be it

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the contract for regulating, grading, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, be and is hereby extended to January 1, 1899.

Section 424, chapter 378, Laws 1897.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN,
New York, May 27, 1898.

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

SIR—At a regular meeting of this Board, held on the 25th instant, the following resolution was unanimously adopted; and the attached resolution is forwarded to your Honorable Body for its approval, in accordance with section 47, chapter 378, Laws of 1897:

Resolved, That the time for completing the contract for regulating, grading, etc., Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, be extended to January 1, 1899, and that a resolution for same be forwarded to the Municipal Assembly for adoption.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

At this point Councilman Cassidy moved a call of the house.

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

The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bading, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Genshaw, Harr, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Jacob, McGarry, Mandorf, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—92.

No. 1410.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

THE WEST END ASSOCIATION,
No. 126 COLUMBUS AVENUE, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 9, 1898.

To P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, City Hall:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that at the meeting of this association held 5th inst. the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be requested to pass an ordinance requiring street railway companies to place transfer stations at junction points.

Will you kindly present this to the Assembly at the proper time, and oblige.

Yours respectfully,

G. E. SHEPPARD, Secretary.

New York, December 9, 1898.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, City Hall, City.

DEAR SIR—At the meeting of this association held 5th inst. the following copy of a proposed ordinance, sent by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to the Municipal Assembly, was read:

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

Every surface railroad having tracks in the streets, avenues or public places of The City of New York shall remove the ice and snow therefrom, and from the spaces between the tracks, and for two feet upon either side of said tracks by sunset of the day upon which said snow falls or ice forms, or if said snow falls or ice forms after sunset, then before ten o'clock of the next succeeding forenoon, and shall carry away the said snow or ice and dispose of the same under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning; under a penalty of one hundred dollars for every city block in length in which it shall fail to remove the snow and ice and dispose of the same as aforesaid.

Thereupon the following resolution was adopted: "That the West End Association approves of the ordinance as proposed by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to the Municipal Assembly and urges the immediate passage of the same."

Will you kindly lay this resolution before the Assembly at the proper time.

Also, in the event of a public hearing being given upon any proposed ordinance in connection with this subject, will you oblige me by notifying me at the time and place fixed for such meeting? By so doing you will oblige.

Yours respectfully,

G. E. SHEPPARD, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 1411.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Pursuant to the authority and direction of the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen November 22, 1898, and by the Council November 29, 1898, and approved by the Mayor December 3, 1898, we, Randolph Guggenheimer, President of the Council, and Thomas P. Woods, President of the Board of Aldermen, do hereby nominate for appointment and employment by the Municipal Assembly, the following named persons to constitute the commission provided for therein:

William J. Fryer, Robert McCafferty, George A. Just and Cornelius O'Reilly, of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; Rudolph L. Dams and Bernard Gallagher, of the Borough of Kings, and Daniel Callahan of the Borough of Queens, as experts in the science and practice of building; Rollin M. Morgan, as a representative of the Corporation Counsel, ex-officio; and the Board of Buildings, consisting of Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; John Guilfoyle, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn; and Daniel Campbell, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.

THOMAS P. WOODS, President of the Board of Aldermen.

New York, December 13, 1898.

Whereas, The President of the Council and the President of the Board of Aldermen pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on November 22, 1898, and the Council on November 29, 1898, and approved by the Mayor on December 3, 1898, were empowered and directed to nominate for appointment and employment by the Municipal Assembly, under the provisions of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, known as the Charter of The City of New York, a commission comprising seven (7) experts in the science and practice of building, who shall have been engaged not less than five (5) years in business on their own account in The City of New York, and who shall be residents and voters in the aforesaid city, a representative of the Corporation Counsel, ex-officio, and the Board of Buildings, consisting of the Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, the Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn and the Commissioners for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, who shall proceed to prepare and report to the Municipal Assembly on or before the first stated meeting in the month of February, 1899, a code of ordinances to be established by the Municipal Assembly, to be known as "The Building Code of The City of New York," providing for all matters concerning, affecting or relating to the construction, alteration or removal of buildings or structures erected or to be erected in The City of New York, as constituted by chapter 378, Laws of 1897, in conformity with the provisions of the Charter and more particularly with section 647 thereof; and

Whereas, The said President of the Council and the said President of the Board of Aldermen have, pursuant to said resolution, nominated to the Municipal Assembly the following named persons, to wit:

William J. Fryer, Robert McCafferty, George A. Just and Cornelius O'Reilly, of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; Rudolph L. Dams and Bernard Gallagher, of the Borough of Kings, and Daniel Callahan of the Borough of Queens, as experts in the science and practice of building; Rollin M. Morgan, as a representative of the Corporation Counsel, ex-officio; and the Board of Buildings, consisting of Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; John Guilfoyle, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn; and Daniel Campbell, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, pursuant to and in conformity with the provisions of section 647 of the Greater New York Charter, That William J. Fryer, Robert McCafferty, George A. Just, and Cornelius O'Reilly, of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; Rudolph L. Dams and Bernard Gallagher, of the Borough of Kings, and Daniel Callahan, of the Borough of Queens, as experts in the science and practice of building; Rollin M. Morgan, as a representative of the Corporation Counsel, ex-officio; and the Board of Buildings, consisting of Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; John Guilfoyle, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn; and Daniel Campbell, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, be and they are hereby appointed and employed as a commission of experts to prepare and report to the Municipal Assembly a code of ordinances to be known as the "Building Code," providing for all matters concerning, affecting or relating to the construction, alteration or removal of buildings or structures erected or to be erected in The City of New York, as constituted by the Greater New York Charter; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to make sufficient provision to pay the necessary expenses of said commission and to compensate the seven (7) persons named as the experts thereon.

Which was referred to the Committees on Public Buildings, Lighting, and Supplies and Building Department for joint action thereon.

No. 1412.

By Councilman Francisco—

Whereas, A break in the forty-eight-inch water-main and the caving in of the sewers located in the upper part of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, occurred December 11, and

Whereas, Considerable damages have been caused to the property and streets in said vicinity through the break of said water-main; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he hereby is requested to have all repairs made to the damaged buildings and streets in that section caused by damage of water, and that the Commissioner of the Fire Department be requested to have the water which flowed into the cellars in that section pumped out.

The Comptroller be and the same is hereby requested to defray all necessary expenses of putting the damaged buildings and streets in proper and safe condition, the expenses thereof to be charged to any account available for such emergency cases.

Which was adopted.

No. 1413.

By Councilman Foley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert P. Fleischer to erect, place and keep three (3) storm-doors in front of his premises No. 96 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1414.

By Councilman Goodman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. & J. Sloane to erect and keep a steel and glass canopy over the sidewalk in front of their premises, Nos. 34, 36 and 38 East Nineteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan and City of New York, according to the plans and dimensions on the annexed diagram, subject to the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue until the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1415.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he hereby is authorized and directed to draw a warrant for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) in favor of C. H. Koster for draping the Council Chamber for thirty days, ending October 30, 1898, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Council October 4, 1898, and hereto attached.

The following is an extract from the proceedings of the Council on October 4, 1898 (see page 245 of the Minutes):

By the President—

Whereas, In His wise providence God has removed from the sphere of human activities our late respected associate, Charles Franklin Allen, Councilman from the Second Councilmanic District; and

Whereas, The duty now devolves upon us of not only testifying to the high esteem in which he was held by the members of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York and by the community at large, but also to express our sincere condolence with the family of the deceased and with the many friends whom he had won to himself through life by ties of generous friendship and manly integrity; and

Whereas, Our deceased associate exemplified in his public life an unwavering devotion to the cause of humanity by making the relief of the distressed and the amelioration of the condition of the common people his political ideal; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby tenders to the family of the deceased the assurance of its sincere sympathy with them in their affliction.

Resolved, That for a period of thirty days, the Council Chamber be suitably draped in mourning.

Resolved, That an engraved and duly authenticated copy of the foregoing preamble and of the resolutions herein contained be transmitted in the City Clerk to the family of the deceased, so that they may be comforted by the knowledge that the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York condones with them in the sorrows which they have sustained; and be it further

Resolved, That, out of respect to the character and memory of the deceased, and as a tribute to the patriotism in which he was imbued, the Council do now adjourn.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1416.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. H. McAlpin to erect, place and keep above window in front of the premises No. 30 West Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, provided that the said window shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance relating to store-windows; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1417.

By Councilman Christman—

An ORDINANCE to regulate the removal of snow and ice by street surface railroad companies from one-half of the thoroughfares traversed by their tracks:

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

Section 1. That all street surface railroad companies in The City of New York be required promptly to remove from their tracks, and from one-half of the streets through which said tracks pass, all the snow that may fall, or ice that may form thereon.

Sec. 2. That the Commissioner of Street Cleaning shall have the power and authority to enter into agreements with such street surface railroad companies for the equitable commutation of the duty as imposed upon such surface railroad companies whereby the said railroad companies shall wholly remove the snow and ice from certain streets, or portions thereof, from curb to curb, and the department of street cleaning shall undertake to remove the snow and ice from the remaining streets or portions of streets through which said tracks run from curb to curb in the built-up portions of the City.

Sec. 3. That in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx the halves of the streets so to be cleaned by the said surface railroad companies shall be those on the north side of streets running easterly and westerly, and on the west side of streets running northerly and southerly, and that in the other Boroughs a half of the said streets shall be so cleaned shall be determined by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Sec. 4. That the said removal of snow and ice shall be completed within twenty-four (24) hours from the time when the snow has fallen, or ice has formed to the satisfaction of, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, under a penalty of one hundred dollars (\$100) for each block left uncleaned by snow or ice to be collected in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York; such penalties, when recovered, to be paid into the city treasury to credit of the department of street cleaning, and until recovered, to be a lien against the property of the offending corporation.

Sec. 5. That all ordinances or portions of ordinances inconsistent herewith, be and they hereby are repealed.

Sec. 6. That, for its part, will grant the way for and be account of the clearing away of the snow, of dumping places on the river fronts.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

No. 1418.

By Councilman Leitch—

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

The New York Improvement Association respectfully petitions your Honorable Body to adopt a resolution prohibiting the Kings County Elevated Railroad, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, from compelling their passengers to vacate their cars at the Eastern Parkway station, and thereby endangering the health of said passengers.

We petition you to do this as soon as possible as the weather is getting colder every day, and on this station we are at the mercy of all kinds of storms and must wait at times as long as from three (3) to fifteen (15) minutes for a train to take us further along the road to our homes.

What we most respectfully ask your Honorable Body is to compel this company to run all trains to the old city line station.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. PAGE, President.

WM. H. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED.

No. 1419.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Aldermen:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to cause lamp-posts to be erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in the following thoroughfares of the Borough of The Bronx:

Jackson avenue, between Cedar place and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street;
Cedar place, between Caldwell and Trinity avenues;
Caldwell avenue, between Cedar place and Clinton street (One Hundred and Sixty-first street);
And Trinity avenue, between Cedar place and Clinton street (One Hundred and Sixty-first street).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment together with resolutions:

No. 1420.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
New York, December 9, 1898.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council:

SIR—I transmit herewith certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 9, 1898, authorizing the Comptroller to issue bonds for the following-named purposes, viz.:

1. Acquisition of lands on Wadsworth avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-second and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.
2. Erection of new school building, Public School No. 168, on One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, between First and Second avenues, Borough of Manhattan.
3. Improving new lots adjoining, and premises of Public School No. 113.
4. Improving new lots adjoining, and premises of Public School No. 3.
5. Erection of an addition to Public School No. 98.
6. Improving lots adjoining the premises of Public School No. 96.
7. Acquisition of lands bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway.
8. Acquisition of lands required for a public park, bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and the East river.

I am directed by the Mayor to request that the said resolutions be presented to the Municipal Assembly for consideration at the earliest possible moment.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted November 23, 1898, for twenty-five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents (\$25,775.35) to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on Wadsworth avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-second and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, being amount for awards twenty-four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars, for costs, charges and expenses one thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars and thirty-five cents, and for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of twenty-five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents (\$25,775.35).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of twenty-five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents (\$25,775.35), for the purpose of providing means for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition, by the Board of Education, of the lands on Wadsworth avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-second and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, under authority of chapter 740, Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of twenty-five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents (\$25,775.35), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education of The City of New York as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, by resolution adopted January 19, 1898, for two hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and forty-four dollars (\$296,444) to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into with P. J. Walsh, for erecting a new school building, Public School No. 168, on One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, between First and Second avenues; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of two hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and forty-four dollars (\$296,444).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and forty-four dollars (\$296,444), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Board of Education with P. J. Walsh for erecting a new school building, Public School No. 168, on One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, between First and Second avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under authority of chapter 740, Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of two hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and forty-four dollars (\$296,444), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education of The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, by resolution adopted January 31, 1898, for six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into with John Fury, for improving new lots adjoining and premises of Public School No. 113, and for the purpose of providing means therefor; be it further

Resolved, That subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Board of Education with John Fury for improving new lots adjoining and premises of Public School No. 113, under authority of chapter 740, Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education of The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, by resolution adopted January 31, 1898, for thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$13,500), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into with Jennings & Weistead for improving new lots adjoining and premises of Public School No. 3; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$13,500).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$13,500), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Board of Education with Jennings and Weistead for improving new lots adjoining and premises of Public School No. 3, under the authority of chapter 740, Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$13,500), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education of The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, by resolution adopted January 31, 1898, for sixty-one thousand three hundred and thirty-seven dollars (\$61,337), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into with H. Probst for erecting and addition to Public School No. 98; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of sixty-one thousand three hundred and thirty-seven dollars (\$61,337).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of sixty-one thousand three hundred and thirty-seven dollars (\$61,337), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Board of Education with H. Probst, for erecting an addition to Public School No. 98, under the authority of chapter 740, Laws of 1897.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of sixty-one thousand three hundred and thirty-seven dollars (\$61,337), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 728 of the Laws of 1896, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education of The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, by resolution adopted January 26, 1898, for seven thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$7,376), to provide for the payment of the contract to be entered into with Christopher Nally Company for improving lots adjoining the premises of Public School No. 96; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller, be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of seven thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$7,376).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of seven thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$7,376), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the contract to be entered into by the Board of Education with Christopher Nally Company, for improving lots adjoining the premises of Public School No. 96, under the authority of chapter 728, Laws of 1896.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seven thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$7,376), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Whereas, A bill of costs and expenses, amounting to seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$735.27), has been taxed before Hon. Henry Bischoff, Jr., a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial District, on July 26, 1898, in the proceeding to acquire title to certain lands bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, pursuant to chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, being for

Services of C. G. Pratt, Stenographer..... \$418.55
Services of James MacGregor, Clerk..... 300.00
Disbursements of James MacGregor, Clerk..... 16.72

\$735.27

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$735.27).

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$735.27), for the purpose of providing means for meeting expenditures necessary for acquiring title to certain lands bounded by Hester, Essex, Division, Norfolk, Canal, Rutgers and Jefferson streets and East Broadway, pursuant to chapter 293, Laws of 1895, and chapter 320, Laws of 1887.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$735.27), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one hundred and sixty thousand and thirteen dollars (\$160,013), to provide for the payment of awards in the First Separate Report of the Commissioners of Estimate, in the proceeding to acquire title to lands required for a public park, bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and the East river, as provided by chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 9, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 9, 1898, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to the amount of one hundred and sixty thousand and thirteen dollars (\$160,013), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of awards in the first separate report of the Commissioners of Estimate, in the proceeding to acquire title to lands required for a public park bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and the East river, as provided by chapter 746, Laws of 1894;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and sixty thousand and thirteen dollars (\$160,013), for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

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

No. 1421.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1898.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 9th instant, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of new Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and of old Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and also of Pearl street, from Centre street to a point 200 feet west of Old Elm street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, at the request of the Commissioner of Highways and on the recommendation of the Engineer for Street Openings of this Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board at the said meeting, for your signature.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AS ORDINANCE to change the grades of Elm and Pearl streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, desiring it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of new Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and old Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and also of Pearl street, from Centre street to a point two hundred feet west of old Elm street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid streets, as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of Duane and new Elm street, elevation of established grade 22 feet above city base; thence northerly along the centre line of new Elm street to centre line of Pearl street, elevation 18 feet; thence northerly along centre line of new Elm street to the centre line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Duane street and old Elm street, elevation 24.25 feet; thence northerly along the centre line of old Elm street to centre of Pearl street, elevation 20 feet; thence northerly along centre line of old Elm street to centre line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Centre street and Pearl street, elevation 13.33 feet; thence westerly along the centre line of Pearl street to the easterly curb line of new Elm street, elevation 18 feet; thence westerly to the westerly curb line of new Elm street, elevation 18 feet; thence westerly to the centre line of old Elm street, elevation 20 feet; thence westerly to a point in said centre line of Pearl street, distant 200 feet westerly from old Elm street, elevation 22.40 feet.

All elevations above city base.

Resolution adopted by the Board of Public Improvements, December 9, 1898:

Whereas, It appears from the report of the Secretary to this Board that he has caused the resolutions adopted by this Board on the 30th day of March, 1898, proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, changing the grade of new Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and of old Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and also of Pearl street, from Centre street to a point two hundred feet west of old Elm street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of said Board, at 360 440 Broadway, on the 13th day of April, 1898, at 2 o'clock P.M., at which such proposed change of grade would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grade would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 13th day of April, 1898; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavits of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice, a copy of which is hereto annexed, have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 13th day of April, 1898; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grade, who have appeared, and such proposed change of grade was duly considered by this Board, and as a result public hearing on April 27, 1898; now therefore

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, desiring it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of new Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and of old Elm street, from Duane street to Worth street, and also of Pearl street, from Centre street to a point two hundred feet west of old Elm street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid streets, as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of Duane and new Elm street, elevation of established grade 22 feet above city base; thence northerly along the centre line of new Elm street to centre line of Pearl street, elevation 18 feet; thence northerly along centre line of new Elm street to the centre line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Duane street and old Elm street, elevation 24.25 feet; thence northerly along the centre line of old Elm street to centre of Pearl street, elevation 20 feet; thence northerly along centre line of old Elm street to centre line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

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All elevations above city base.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Street and Highways.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Corporation Council:

No. 1422.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1898.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENBERGER, President of the Council.

SIR—I am in receipt of a resolution of the Council as follows:

Resolved, That the Corporation Council be requested to advise the Council whether in his opinion the resolution (a copy of which is hereto attached) has the force of law, said resolution having been duly adopted by both this Council and the Board of Aldermen, and returned to the Municipal Assembly, without objection to or approval thereof, by His Honor the Mayor.

Resolved, That the heads of the different departments be and they hereby are authorized and directed to make no deduction from the pay of employees in their respective departments by reason of the observance of any legal holidays.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 16, 1898, a majority of all the members thereof voting in favor thereof.

Adopted by the Council August 16, 1898, a majority of all the members thereof voting in favor thereof.

Received from His Honor the Mayor, September 13, 1898, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the New York City Charter, the same became adopted.

Although not stated in the resolution, I must suppose that it refers simply to per diem employees, because it is not the custom to deduct from the pay of persons employed by the week, month or year any amount for legal holidays.

Such a deduction would be unauthorized, and I do not understand that such suggestion has been made.

Considering the question, then, merely as relating to the pay of per diem employees, I must hold that the resolution in question is invalid for two reasons.

The first of these is that the Municipal Assembly has no right to interfere with the heads of the City departments to the extent specified in the resolution in question.

The second objection is that such action, even if the Municipal Assembly had the power under the Charter to fix the rate of compensation of the employees of the departments, would be illegal, for another reason.

A person employed by the day can only exact compensation for the days on which he works, and this rule applies as well to the employees of municipal corporations as to those of private corporations or individuals.

Gore vs. Mayor, 30 N.Y., Supp. 405.

Kelly vs. Mayor, 424 St. Rep. 99.

Cook vs. Mayor, 9 Misc. Rep. 338; affirmed 130 N.Y., 578.

To pay the employees of the City a day's wages when there has been no day's work, would be the giving of a mere gratuity, which the Municipal Assembly has no right to do.

I must therefore hold that the resolution of the Municipal Assembly quoted above is invalid.

Yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Comptroller:

No. 1423.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 3, 1898.

To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office from

The Municipal Assembly shall have power (chapter 378, Laws of 1897, section 49, article 5) to regulate the numbering of the houses and lots in streets and avenues and the naming of streets, avenues and public places; but it shall not be lawful to number or renumber any houses or to change the name of any street, avenue or public place, save between the first day of December of any year and the first day of May next ensuing.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, July 7, 1898.

The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, the Council, Hon. RANDOLPH GUGENHEIMER, President:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting July 7, 1898, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of C. Crawford, submitted this the 7th day of July, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly that the houses, etc., on Park (Railroad) (Vanderbilt) avenue, be renumbered, from the Harlem river, north, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

No. 1429.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1898.

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

SIR—In accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board at a regular meeting, held on the 23d day of November, 1898, I transmit herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance entitled:

"A General Ordinance enacting rules and regulations for the construction, care, maintenance and operation of poles, wires, conduits, subways and other electrical appliances, in, on, over or under the streets, or in buildings in The City of New York."

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

A GENERAL ORDINANCE enacting rules and regulations for the construction, care, maintenance and operation of poles, wires, conduits, subways and other electrical appliances in, on, over or under the streets or in buildings in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained, by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE CONSTRUCTION AND OCCUPANCY OF ELECTRICAL DUCTS, CONDUITS AND SUBWAYS.

NOTE.—By ducts, conduits or subways referred to herein shall be understood those ducts, conduits or subways already existing, or that may hereafter be constructed, within any portion of this city. By Subway Company shall be understood the owner of said ducts, conduits or subways.

Section 1. No wires, cables or other electrical conductors shall be placed in any subways, conduits or ducts now constructed or hereafter to be constructed, without the written consent of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies being first obtained. Whenever any duly authorized corporation or person desires, or is required to place electrical conductors underground, application must be made to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, on forms provided for that purpose, for such accommodation as may be desired; and if the Commissioner acts upon such application favorably he will direct the Subway Company to furnish the required accommodation in the event that the unused facilities of existing subways are insufficient to meet legitimate requirements.

APPLICATIONS FOR SPACE.

Sec. 2. All applications for space in any subway shall be made in writing to the Subway Company owning the same and shall give

- The name of the applicant.
 - The purpose for which the use of the conduit or conduits is desired.
 - The number, material and dimensions of conductors proposed to be placed therein.
 - The arrangement of said conductors, whether singly or in cables, and if in cables, the number of conductors and their disposition in each cable.
 - The maximum electro-motive force to be used on said conductors.
 - The nature of the insulating material or materials to be employed, and
 - Such other specific information as will fully explain the use to be made of the space desired.
- When applications have been made and space assigned for conduits underground, the written consent of the Commissioner must be obtained before any conductors are placed in the space so assigned.

REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS OF CONDUCTORS.

3. All applications for permits to make repairs or alterations in conductors in the subways shall be made in writing to the Subway Company, and shall give

- The name of applicant.
- A complete identification of the conductor or conductors referred to, and of the particular conduit or conduits to which access is desired.
- As far as possible, the extent and character of the proposed repairs or alterations, and of the probable date when the same will be completed and the conductor or conductors restored to condition for use.

4. Whenever, in the judgment of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, the Subway Company, or any properly authorized agent, repairs or alterations in a conductor or conductors are necessary, such repairs or alterations shall be made by the party owning or controlling said conductor immediately upon notice. During the progress of any repairs or alterations upon or in a conductor or conductors the party owning the same shall take such precaution as may be necessary or expedient to protect the conductors of other parties from injury. Temporary joints shall not be permitted unless properly insulated and protected.

INSULATION AND TESTS.

5. All conductors drawn into and operated in the conduits, and intended to convey current of two or more amperes with an electro motive force exceeding one hundred (100) volts, shall have withstood at the factory or power-station a test for "breaking down" strength at an electrical pressure of at least two and one-half times greater than the maximum electrical pressure to which the said conductors shall be subjected in actual operation and shall have, when laid and connected in subways, at a temperature of 75 degrees Fahr., an initial insulation resistance of not less than 15 megohms, per mile, per hundred volts electro motive force on the circuit. Whenever the insulation resistance of a conductor as aforesaid shall prove to be less than five (5) megohms, per mile, per one hundred volts, the use of that conductor shall at once cease, unless the actual electro motive force on such conductors be reduced so as to re-establish the foregoing ratio.

6. The insulation resistance per mile length of all branches and feeders of the main conductors shall at least equal that of the respective conductors to which said branches and feeders are connected.

Determination of Resistance and Tests.

7. The insulation resistance of each length of cable or conductor shall be determined before said length is laid in the subway. In making this determination an electro-motive force of not less than 150 volts shall be employed and the minimum initial resistance as provided in section 5 shall not be diminished through and after an immersion of the conductor under test of at least sixty consecutive hours in salt water. All lines shall be tested for insulation resistance immediately after completion in the subway, and those carrying currents of over two amperes shall be tested thereafter at least weekly. A conductor shall be tested for insulation resistance immediately after any new connection with, addition or repair to or alteration of any sort in, said conductor is made, and also whenever any other conductor is placed in the same duct; conductors conveying currents of less than two amperes at a pressure of less than one hundred (100) volts are excepted from this rule.

Reports to be filed with Commissioner and with the Subway Company.

8. All tests and determinations called for by these rules shall be made by the parties owning or controlling conductors. Duly authenticated records of the results of such tests and determinations, within twenty-four hours after the completion of same, shall be filed with the Commissioner, and also with the Subway Company, which shall have power to verify or repeat such tests or determination in its discretion.

Records must be kept, in writing, by the attendant in charge at central stations, of the operation of machines, condition of circuits as shown by tests, occurrence of "grounds," and copies of such daily records must be forwarded weekly, or more frequently if required, to the Commissioner.

Access to all central stations shall be accorded to any duly authorized agent of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, who shall have the right to examine the records of such station's operations at any time.

Immediately after any repairs or alterations are made in a conductor or conductors, a report giving them in detail shall be made to the Subway Company.

In addition to the initial and regular tests, hourly tests shall be made at the power-station while the circuits are in operation, and when such tests show the presence of "escapes" or "grounds" in any conductor the operation of such conductors shall at once cease, as provided in section 5.

All alterations or additions to the subways for the purpose of connecting conductors therein with points outside shall be made by the Subway Company upon the request of the lessee desiring the same, provided the same have been authorized by the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and the expense of making such additions or alterations is satisfactorily guaranteed by the parties desiring them.

RENTALS.

9. Rentals shall be paid yearly in advance. Applicants are required to enter into a written contract with the Subway Company, and give satisfactory guarantee for its performance.

ACCESS TO SUBWAYS AND MANHOLES.

10. All manholes shall have the inner cover locked with a special manhole padlock of the Subway Company, the keys of which shall be kept in the possession of the Subway Company.

Access to the subways shall be limited to the authorized representatives:

- Of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies;
- Of the Subway Company; and
- Of the lessees or occupants of the ducts.

Access to the subways shall be had upon application to the Subway Company or its regular inspector. Except in cases of emergency, access to the subways shall not be permitted between sunset and sunrise. The Subway Company may in its judgment deny access or postpone same.

11. Access to the subways shall only be had in the presence of an inspector of the Subway Company, who shall hold possession of the keys of the manhole; who shall see that the manholes are properly opened and closed by the tenant; who shall remain present during the operation of the tenants, and who is hereby charged with the duty of seeing that the Subway Company's property and the property of its tenants are not injured. The inspector is also charged with the enforcement of all rules relating to the use of the subway, and he may suspend any employee of the tenant engaged on the work connected with the subways who shall violate any of these rules and regulations.

The Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, or the Subway Company, by a properly authorized agent, shall have authority to require such alterations in conductors as may be deemed necessary for their safety or the safety of the subways or of the adjacent conductors; and also to cause the current in any conductor to be interrupted or reduced for such period of the time as may be requisite in the judgment of said agent for the proper protection or necessary convenience of persons working in the manholes, or upon the subways in the vicinity of said conductor.

Tags must be placed on all cables for identification.

MANHOLE GUARD FRAMES.

12. Whenever a manhole is opened, the tenant shall place an iron guard frame in the street opening. When manholes are opened, before commencing work the tenant shall satisfy himself that they are free from gas, and if not, he shall ventilate the manholes. The Subway Company will provide for such purposes a fan or blower to be operated by the applicant for such time as may, in the judgment of his authorized representative, be sufficient to clear the manholes of gas to such an extent as to render it safe for his workmen to enter therein; and no light shall be used by the tenant in his operations in the manholes except when the above examination has shown the absence of gas. If, after the first ventilation, gas is noticed, the tenant shall cause the ventilation to be continued.

WATCHMEN ON THE SURFACE.

13. In all work conducted in the manholes, one man shall always be provided by the tenant to act as watchman on the surface at each manhole when open, who shall keep constant guard and warn pedestrians, drivers of carriages, trucks, street cars, etc., and who shall assist the subway inspector in whatever the latter requires in emergency.

Smoking in or around manholes is prohibited.

No one under the influence of liquor shall be allowed to engage in the work in the subways.

PROTECTION AGAINST DUST AND WIND.

14. No cover of any kind whatsoever shall be allowed by the tenant to be placed over the manhole opening; but a shield may be placed around the windward half of the iron frame to protect the workmen from dust and wind.

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR OVERHEAD WIRES, POLES, LAMPS, FIXTURES, ETC.

Wires are divided into two classes:

- 1st. Those for telegraph, telephone and signaling purposes.
- 2d. Those for electric light and power.

POLES.

1. Two lines of poles bearing conductors of a like class shall not be erected in any street or avenue.

2. Two lines of poles shall not be erected on the same side of any street or avenue.

3. Poles shall be set in the sidewalk about twelve inches from the outside curb, and no pole shall be placed within ten feet of any lamp-post or other pole, except at street corners, where necessary in order to support wires running on the cross street.

4. All poles now standing, or erected hereafter, shall be branded or stamped with the initials of the company owning them, at a point not less than five nor more than seven feet from the street surface; and each group of cross-arms, or where necessary the support of a single wire of different ownership must be distinguished by some characteristic paint, mark or fastening.

5. Electric-light lamp-posts shall conform with a design approved by the Commissioner.

6. All poles carrying more than four wires shall be at least forty-five feet high, uniform in size, straight and painted from top to bottom such colors as may be designated by the Commissioner.

7. All poles for carrying not more than two wires shall be twenty-five feet high, straight, uniform in size and painted such colors as may be designated by the Commissioner.

8. Cross-arms shall be uniform in length, strengthened by braces, and painted the same color as the poles, the cross-arms of each company being distinguished by some characteristic mark.

9. Each line of poles must be run on one side of the street only, except when absolutely necessary to change to the other side; but permission for such change must first be obtained from the Commissioner.

10. Poles shall be uniformly spaced, and about sixty to the mile.

11. Conductors must not be placed upon fixtures erected or maintained for supporting wires of another class, except at crossings when approved by the Commissioner.

12. All existing regulations in regard to the placing of poles and stringing of wires are to continue in force, except when in conflict with these rules; and the Rules and Regulations of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters must be strictly observed.

13. When any company is permitted to erect poles or other fixtures bearing lamps for the purpose of lighting the streets or public places of the city, the permission is subject to the following provisions, which are expressly made a condition of said permits, viz.:

Whenever the contract for lighting any such public places shall be given to another company, the company owning said lamp-posts shall, on tender of the first cost thereof, yield possession of same to the company obtaining the new contract, except in cases where the company owning the lamp-posts prefers to remove them.

14. All broken and "dead" wires, and all wires, poles and fixtures not actually in use (subject to Rule 27) must be removed. When a pole is taken down it must be removed from the streets the same day. New poles must not be brought upon any street more than two days in advance of erection. Any pole that shall lie in any street more than two days shall be removed by the Department of Highways at the expense of the owner thereof.

WIRES.

15. All wires shall be fastened upon poles or other fixtures with glass, porcelain, rubber, or other insulators, approved by the Commissioner, and must be stretched tightly and fastened with a strap of the same kind of wire or other fastening approved by him.

16. All wires which would normally pass within four inches of any pole, building or other object, must be attached to the same and insulated therefrom. Any company refusing permission to make such fastening to its poles shall be guilty of violating this rule. All wires strung on house-tops must be nine (9) feet clear of roof.

17. No wire shall be allowed to hang within twenty feet of pavement at the lowest point of sag between supports, except where required to reach a lamp or where otherwise necessary, and must be protected by extra covering and be rigidly fixed and out of the way.

18. Every line, pole, fixture, etc., must be kept in thorough order, repair and conformity with these Rules and Regulations and specifications in every case where possible under the general permit of repairs (Rule 31), upon penalty of forfeiture of all permits not actually acted upon and a refusal to grant new permits until the rule is complied with, but no additional poles or wires can be erected under cover of repairs, nor till any route or location be changed without a permit.

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER WIRES.

19. All electric-light conductors shall be secured to insulating fastenings and covered with an insulation which is water-proof and not easily worn by abrasion. Whenever the insulation becomes impaired it must be renewed immediately.

20. All joints must be as well insulated as the conductors and the insulation of joints must be maintained.

21. Every wire must be distinguished by a number plainly marked on each cross-arm under the insulator. Day circuits must be conspicuously distinguished. All arc lamps must be so placed as to leave a space underneath of nine (9) feet clear between lamp and sidewalk.

22. Every wire entering a building shall be controlled by a cut-out placed near the entrance, in sight, and easily accessible.

23. In the construction of lines the insulation to be used must be approved by the Commissioner in writing, and when new the insulation must not be less than 30 megohms per mile per thousand volts. The insulation resistance must always be maintained above a minimum of one megohm per mile per thousand volts, and if any circuit falls below this standard, the current must be discontinued until the insulation is restored. Under no circumstances shall Underwriters' wire be used.

24. All connections with lines of electric-light conductors shall be made at right angles to the line where possible; and connections to buildings shall be run straight across to the building, and then down in front of the building.

25. The insulation must be preserved throughout the entire circuit, and if any portion of a lamp or fixture is part of the circuit and can be reached it must be insulated.

26. All circuits must be tested every hour, and when a ground occurs, efforts must be made to remove it at once. Failing in this, the current must be discontinued until the insulation is restored.

27. No unneeded loops from electric-light circuits shall be allowed to remain after lamps have been taken away, except in cases where it is positively known that the lamp will be required again within three months, and where there is no underground conduit for this class of circuit. When allowed to remain the loop must be as well insulated as the line itself.

28. No company shall do a business of electric-lighting in The City of New York without a certificate from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies after the plant and lines have been inspected and found to comply with all the Rules and Regulations of the Department. Such certificate to remain in force only so long as the condition of the plant and lines remain unchanged, and notice of any alteration to the plant or lines must be made to said Commissioner and a permit obtained.

GUARD WIRES.

All owners of overhead trolley or high tension conductors must so protect them with guard wires, where required, as to prevent other wires from coming in contact with them.

LINEMEN.

29. Every lineman must wear rubber gloves while at work and must wear a badge in a conspicuous place, giving his number and the name of the company by which he is employed.

PERMITS.

30. No electrical conductors shall be erected, maintained or placed overhead or underground without a permit in writing, therefor being first obtained from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies; and before such permit is issued the person or company wishing to place or maintain said wires shall make application to said Commissioner in writing, stating the size of said wire, the purpose or use for which the same is intended, and the character of the current intended to be conveyed by same.

31. All companies are authorized and directed to make necessary repairs to their lines of conductors. Permits for the same will be granted by the Commissioner upon application. In cases of emergency repairs may be made without this permit, but a full report of such repairs must be forwarded at once to said Commissioner. This permission does not, however, cover the erection in any street, avenue or highway of any additional wires, poles or other similar fixtures.

In the case of such lines where notice has been given that underground accommodations have been provided and the number of time required by law have elapsed, companies owning or operating such lines are not authorized to make any repairs or connections, or to go upon the poles bearing such lines for any purpose whatever, except to remove the said lines of electrical conductors in conformity with the direction of the said Commissioner.

32. The amount of wire allowable for lamp connections from subway subterranean to lamps or buildings shall not exceed one hundred feet, and from pole lines to lamps or buildings shall not exceed two hundred and twenty-five feet, and must conform in every way with the Rules and Regulations of this Department.

33. All permits of this Department for overhead wires and fixtures are granted only pending the providing of under-ground accommodations in the neighborhood of the street or avenue for which a permit is granted.

34. Any officer, employee of this Department, or any member of the Police Department of the city, shall be entitled to examine permits under which work of any kind is being done.

35. No permit shall be granted for the erection of any overhead structure, nor for the repairing of any lines already existing in any street in which underground accommodations for the service have been provided.

36. The violation of any of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies shall operate ipso facto as a revocation of the permit held by the company or person guilty of such violation.

37. Every company or person erecting poles, wires or fixtures must make and leave, at least once in each week, at the office of the Commissioner, such record of the fixtures, etc., which they are erecting, and of all of the same that they have in use, as are required by the said Commissioner, and in such form as shall be described by him.

38. The company or person owning or controlling poles in any street or avenue shall allow the same to be used by other companies or persons operating conductors of a similar electrical service when authorized to do so by the Commissioner, on tender of proper compensation, to be determined by agreement between the parties interested. In default of such an agreement, the amount of such compensation shall be determined by the Commissioner. This rule imports a contract on the part of each company or person owning or controlling the poles on any street or avenue, not only with this Department, but also with each company or person who shall, under its terms, be qualified to demand the privileges which it confers, to permit the joint use of poles. And in accepting any permit, the applicant hereby binds himself to this agreement.

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR INTERIOR WIRING, MACHINERY, FIXTURES, ETC.

GENERAL PLAN OF RULES.

Class A.—Central station, dynamo, motor and storage, battery rooms, transformer sub-stations, etc. Rules 1 to 11.

Class C.—Inside work. Rules 14 to 39. Subdivided as follows:

General rules, applying to all systems and voltages. Rules 14 to 17.

Constant-current systems. Rules 18 to 20.

Constant-potential systems.

All voltages. Rules 21 to 23.

Voltage not over 300. Rules 24 to 31.

Voltage between 300 and 5,000. Rules 32 to 37.

Voltage over 5,000. Rules 38 and 39.

Class D.—Specifications for joints and fittings. Rules 40 to 55.

Class E.—Miscellaneous. Rules 56 to 59.

Class F.—Marine wiring. Rules 60 to 72.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS.

In all electric work conductors, however well insulated, should always be treated as bare, so the end that under no conditions, existing or likely to exist, can a grounding or short circuit occur, and so that all leakage from conductor to conductor, or between conductor and ground, may be reduced to the minimum.

In all wiring special attention must be paid to the mechanical execution of the work. Careful and neat running, connecting, soldering, taping of conductors and securing and attaching of fittings, are especially conducive to security and efficiency, and will be strongly insisted on.

In laying out an installation, except for constant-current systems, the work should, if possible, be started from a centre of distribution, and the switches and cut-outs, controlling and connected with the several branches, be grouped together in a safe and easily accessible place, where they can be readily got at for attention or repairs. The load should be divided as evenly as possible among the branches, and all complicated and unnecessary wiring avoided.

The use of wire-ways for rendering concealed wiring permanently accessible is most heartily indorsed and recommended; and this method of accessible concealed construction is advised for general use.

Architects are urged, when drawing plans and specifications, to make provision for the channeling and pocketing of buildings for electric-light or power wires, and in specifications for electric gas lighting to require a two-wire circuit, whether the building is to be wired for electric lighting or not, so that no part of the gas fixtures or gas piping be allowed to be used for the gas-lighting circuit.

Class A.—Station and Dynamo Rooms.

INCLUDES CENTRAL STATIONS, DYNAMO, MOTOR AND STORAGE BATTERY ROOMS, TRANSFORMER SUB-STATIONS, ETC.

1. Generators—

a. Must be located in a dry place.

b. Must never be placed in a room where any hazardous process is carried on, nor in places where they would be exposed to inflammable gases or fumes of combustible materials.

c. Must be insulated on floors or base frames, which must be kept filled to prevent absorption of moisture, and also kept clean and dry. Where frame insulation is impracticable, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies may permit its omission, in which case the frame must be permanently and effectively grounded.

NOTE.—A high-potential machine which, on account of great weight or for other reasons, can not have its frame insulated from the ground, should be surrounded with an insulated platform. This may be made of wood, mounted on insulating supports, and so arranged that a man must always stand upon it in order to touch any part of the machine.

In case of a machine having an insulated frame, if there is trouble from static electricity due to belt friction, it should be overcome by placing near the belt a metallic comb connected to the earth, or by grounding the frame through a very high resistance of not less than 200 ohms per volt generated by the machine.

d. Every constant-potential generator must be protected from excessive current by a safety fuse, or equivalent device of approved design in each lead wire.

NOTE.—These devices should be placed on the machine or as near it as possible.

Where the needs of the service make these devices impracticable, the Inspection Department having jurisdiction may, in writing, modify the requirements.

e. Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in volts and amperes, and normal speed in revolutions per minute.

2. Conductors—

From generators to switchboards, rheostats or other instruments, and thence to outside lines.

a. Must be in plain sight or readily accessible.

b. Must have an approved insulating covering as called for by rules in Class "C" for similar work, except that in central stations, on exposed circuits, the wire which is used must have a heavy braided incombustible outer covering.

Bus bars may be made of bare metal.

c. Must be kept so rigidly in place that they can not come in contact.

d. Must in all other respects be installed under the same precautions as required by rules in Class "C" for wires carrying a current of the same volume and potential.

3. Switchboards—

a. Must be so placed as to reduce to a minimum the danger of communicating fire to adjacent combustible material.

NOTE.—Special attention is called to the fact that switchboards should not be built down to the floor nor up to the ceiling, but a space of at least ten or twelve inches should be left between the floor and the board, and from eighteen to twenty-four inches between the ceiling and the board in order to prevent fire from communicating from the switchboard to the floor or ceiling, and also to prevent the forming of a partially concealed space very liable to be used for storage of rubbish and oily waste.

b. Must be made of incombustible insulating material or of hard wood in skeleton form, filled to prevent absorption of moisture.

c. Must be accessible from all sides when the connections are on the back, but may be placed against a brick or stone wall when the wiring is entirely on the face.

d. Must be kept free from moisture.

e. Bus bars must be equipped in accordance with rules for placing conductors.

4. Resistance Boxes and Equalizers—

(For construction rules, see No. 52.)

a. Must be placed on a switchboard or, if not thereon, at a distance of a foot from combustible material, or separated therefrom by a non-inflammable, non-absorptive insulating material.

5. Lightning Arresters—

(For construction rules, see No. 55.)

a. Must be attached to each side of every overhead circuit connected with the station.

NOTE.—It is recommended to all electric light and power companies that arresters be connected at intervals over systems in such numbers and so located as to prevent ordinary discharges entering (over the wires) buildings connected to the lines.

b. Must be located in readily accessible places away from combustible materials, and as near as practicable to the point where the wires enter the building.

Station arresters should generally be placed in plain sight on the switchboard.

In all cases kinks, coils and sharp bends in the wires between the arresters and the outdoor lines must be avoided as far as possible.

c. Must be connected with a thoroughly good and permanent ground—conductive by metallic strips or wires having a conductivity not less than that of a No. 6 B. & S. copper wire, which must be run as nearly in a straight line as possible from the arresters to the earth connection.

Ground wires for lightning arresters must not be attached to gas-pipes within the buildings.

NOTE.—It is often desirable to introduce a choke coil in series between the arresters and the dynamo. In no case should the ground wire from a lightning arrester be put into iron pipes, as these would tend to impede the discharge.

6. Care and Attendance—

a. A competent man must be kept on duty where generators are operating.

b. Only waste must be kept in approved metal cans and removed daily.

Approved waste cans shall be made of metal, with legs raising can three inches from the floor, and with self-closing covers.

7. Testing of Insulation Resistance—

a. All circuits must be provided with reliable ground detectors. Detectors which indicate continuously and give an instant and permanent indication of a ground are preferable. Ground wires from detectors must not be attached to gas-pipes within the building.

b. Where continuously indicating detectors are not feasible, the circuits should be tested at least once per day, and preferably oftener.

c. Data obtained from all tests must be preserved for examination by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

NOTE.—These rules on testing to be applied at such places as may be designated by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

8. Motors—

a. Must be insulated on floors or base frames, which must be kept filled to prevent absorption of moisture, and must be kept clean and dry. Where frame insulation is impracticable the Inspection Department having jurisdiction may, in writing, permit its omission, in which case the frame must be permanently and effectively grounded.

NOTE.—A high-potential machine which, on account of great weight or for other reasons, cannot have its frame insulated, should be surrounded with an insulated platform. This may be made of wood, mounted on insulating supports, and so arranged that a man must stand upon it in order to touch any part of the machine.

In case of a machine having an insulated frame, if there is trouble from static electricity due to belt friction, it should be overcome by placing near the belt a metallic comb connected to the earth, or by grounding the frame through a very high resistance of not less than 200 ohms per volt generated by the machine.

b. Must be wired under the same precautions as required by rules in Class "C" for wires carrying a current of the same volume and potential.

NOTE.—The leads or branch circuits should be designed to carry a current at least fifty per cent. greater than that required by the rated capacity of the motor to provide for the inevitable overloading of the motor at times without overloading the wires.

c. The motor and resistance box must be protected by a cut-out and controlled by a switch (see No. 17 a), said switch plainly indicating whether "on" or "off." Where one-quarter horse-power or less is used on low-tension circuits a single-pole switch will be accepted. The switch and rheostat must be located within sight of the motor, except in such cases where special permission to locate them elsewhere is given, in writing, by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

d. Must have their rheostats or starting boxes located so as to conform to the requirements of Rule 4.

NOTE.—In connection with motors the use of circuit breakers, automatic starting boxes and automatic under-load switches is recommended, and they must be used when required.

e. Must not be run in series-multiple or multiple-series.

f. Must, if deemed necessary by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction, be included in an approved case.

NOTE.—From the nature of the question, the decision as to what is an approved case must be left to the Inspection Department having jurisdiction to determine in each instance.

g. Must, when combined with ceiling fans, be hung from insulated hooks, or else there must be an insulator interposed between the motor and its support.

h. Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in volts and amperes and the normal speed in revolutions per minute.

9. Railway Power Plants—

a. Must be equipped in each feed wire before they leave the station with an approved automatic circuit breaker (see No. 44) or other device, which will immediately cut off the current in case of a ground. This device must be mounted on a fireproof base and in full view and reach of the attendant.

10. Storage or Primary Batteries—

a. When current for light and power is taken from primary or secondary batteries, the same general regulations must be observed as applied to similar apparatus fed from dynamo generators developing the same difference of potential.

b. Storage battery rooms must be thoroughly ventilated.

c. Special attention is directed to the rules for rooms where acid fumes exist. (See No. 24, i and k.)

d. All secondary batteries must be mounted on non-absorptive, incombustible insulators, such as glass or thoroughly vitrified and glazed porcelain.

e. The use of any metal liable to corrosion must be avoided in cell connections of secondary batteries.

11. Transformers—

(For construction rules, see No. 54.)

a. In central or sub-stations the transformers must be so placed that smoke from the burning out of the coils or the boiling over of the oil (where oil-filled cases are used) could do no harm.

CLASS C.—INSIDE WORK—ALL SYSTEMS AND VOLTAGES.

General Rules—All Systems and Voltages.

14. Wires—

(For special rules, see Nos. 18, 24, 32, 38 and 39.)

a. Must not be of smaller size than No. 14 B. & S., except as allowed under Rules 24 u and 40 c.

b. The wires must have an insulation equal to that of the conductors they confine.

c. Must be so spliced or joined as to be both mechanically and electrically secure without solder; they must then be soldered to insure preservation, and the joint covered with an insulation equal to that on the conductors.

Stranded wires must be soldered before being fastened under clamps or binding screws, and when they have a conductivity greater than No. 10 B. & S. copper wire, they must be soldered into lugs.

NOTE.—All joints must be soldered, even if made with some form of patent splicing device. This ruling applies to joints and splices in all classes of wiring covered by these rules.

d. Must be separated from contact with walls, floors, timbers or partitions through which they may pass by incombustible, non-absorptive insulating tubes, such as glass or porcelain.

NOTE.—Buildings must be long enough to bush the entire length of the hole in one continuous piece, or else the hole must first be bushed by a continuous waterproof tube, which may be a conductor, such as iron pipe; the tube then is to have a non-conducting bushing pushed in at each end so as to keep the wire absolutely out of contact with the conducting pipe.

e. Must be kept free from contact with gas, water or other metallic piping, or any other conductors or conducting material which they may cross, by some continuous and firmly fixed non-conductor, creating a separation of at least one inch. Deviations from this rule may sometimes be allowed by special permission.

f. Must be so placed in wet places that an air-space will be left between conductors and pipes in crossing, and the former must be run in such a way that they cannot come in contact with the pipe accidentally. Wires should be run over, rather than under, pipes upon which moisture is likely to gather, or which, by leaking, might cause trouble on a circuit.

15. Underground Conductors—

a. Must be protected, when brought into a building, against moisture and mechanical injury, and all combustible material must be kept removed from the immediate vicinity.

b. Must not be so arranged as to shunt the current through a building around any catch-box.

16. Table of Carrying Capacity of Wires—

Below is a table showing the allowable carrying capacity of wires containing ninety-eight per cent. pure copper, which must be followed in placing interior conductors:

TABLE A. RESIDENTIAL COVERED WIRES. See No. 40 a.		TABLE B. WEATHER-PROOF WIRES. See No. 40 b.		TABLE A. RESIDENTIAL COVERED WIRES. See No. 40 a.		TABLE B. WEATHER-PROOF WIRES. See No. 40 b.	
Amperes.		Amperes.		Amperes.		Amperes.	
B. & S. G.				Circular Mills.			
18	3	3	300,000	270	400	370	400
16	4	4	300,000	310	500	500	500
14	6	6	300,000	390	600	600	600
12	10	10	300,000	450	750	750	750
10	14	14	300,000	500	900	900	900
8	20	20	300,000	550	1,050	1,050	1,050
6	28	28	300,000	600	1,200	1,200	1,200
4	38	38	300,000	650	1,350	1,350	1,350
3	47	47	300,000	700	1,500	1,500	1,500
2	58	58	300,000	750	1,650	1,650	1,650
1	70	70	300,000	800	1,800	1,800	1,800
	82	82	300,000	850	1,950	1,950	1,950
	95	95	300,000	900	2,100	2,100	2,100
	107	107	300,000	950	2,250	2,250	2,250
	122	122	300,000	1,000	2,400	2,400	2,400
	137	137	300,000	1,050	2,550	2,550	2,550
	155	155	300,000	1,100	2,700	2,700	2,700
	177	177	300,000	1,150	2,850	2,850	2,850
	200	200	300,000	1,200	3,000	3,000	3,000
	225	225	300,000	1,250	3,150	3,150	3,150
	255	255	300,000	1,300	3,300	3,300	3,300
	290	290	300,000	1,350	3,450	3,450	3,450
	330	330	300,000	1,400	3,600	3,600	3,600
	375	375	300,000	1,450	3,750	3,750	3,750
	425	425	300,000	1,500	3,900	3,900	3,900
	480	480	300,000	1,550	4,050	4,050	4,050
	540	540	300,000	1,600	4,200	4,200	4,200
	605	605	300,000	1,650	4,350	4,350	4,350
	675	675	300,000	1,700	4,500	4,500	4,500
	750	750	300,000	1,750	4,650	4,650	4,650
	830	830	300,000	1,800	4,800	4,800	4,800
	915	915	300,000	1,850	4,950	4,950	4,950
	1,005	1,005	300,000	1,900	5,100	5,100	5,100
	1,100	1,100	300,000	1,950	5,250	5,250	5,250
	1,200	1,200	300,000	2,000	5,400	5,400	5,400
	1,305	1,305	300,000	2,050	5,550	5,550	5,550
	1,415	1,415	300,000	2,100	5,700	5,700	5,700
	1,530	1,530	300,000	2,150	5,850	5,850	5,850
	1,650	1,650	300,000	2,200	6,000	6,000	6,000
	1,775	1,775	300,000	2,250	6,150	6,150	6,150
	1,905	1,905	300,000	2,300	6,300	6,300	6,300
	2,040	2,040	300,000	2,350	6,450	6,450	6,450
	2,180	2,180	300,000	2,400	6,600	6,600	6,600
	2,325	2,325	300,000	2,450	6,750	6,750	6,750
	2,475	2,475	300,000	2,500	6,900	6,900	6,900
	2,630	2,630	300,000	2,550	7,050	7,050	7,050
	2,790	2,790	300,000	2,600	7,200	7,200	7,200
	2,955	2,955	300,000	2,650	7,350	7,350	7,350
	3,125	3,125	300,000	2,700	7,500	7,500	7,500
	3,300	3,300	300,000	2,750	7,650	7,650	7,650
	3,480	3,480	300,000	2,800	7,800	7,800	7,800
	3,665	3,665	300,000	2,850	7,950	7,950	7,950
	3,855	3,855	300,000	2,900	8,100	8,100	8,100
	4,050	4,050	300,000	2,950	8,250	8,250	8,250
	4,260	4,260	300,000	3,000	8,400	8,400	8,400
	4,475	4,475	300,000	3,050	8,550	8,550	8,550
	4,695	4,695	300,000	3,100	8,700	8,700	8,700
	4,920	4,920	300,000	3,150	8,850	8,850	8,850
	5,150	5,150	300,000	3,200	9,000	9,000	9,000
	5,385	5,385	300,000	3,250	9,150	9,150	9,150
	5,625	5,625	300,000	3,300	9,300	9,300	9,300
	5,870	5,870	300,000	3,350	9,450	9,450	9,450
	6,120	6,120	300,000	3,400	9,600	9,600	9,600
	6,375	6,375	300,000	3,450	9,750	9,750	9,750
	6,635	6,635	300,000	3,500	9,900	9,900	9,900
	6,900	6,900	300,000	3,550	10,050	10,050	10,050
	7,170	7,170	300,000	3,600	10,200	10,200	10,200
	7,445	7,445	300,000	3,650	10,350	10,350	10,350
	7,725	7,725	300,000	3,700	10,500	10,500	10,500
	8,010	8,010	300,000	3,750	10,650	10,650	10,650
	8,300	8,300	300,000	3,800	10,800	10,800	10,800
	8,595	8,595	300,000	3,850	10,950	10,950	10,950
	8,895	8,895	300,000	3,900	11,100	11,100	11,100
	9,200	9,200	300,000	3,950	11,250	11,250	11,250
	9,510	9,510	300,000	4,000	11,400	11,400	11,400
	9,825	9,825	300,000	4,050	11,550	11,550	11,550
	10,145	10,145	300,000	4,100	11,700	11,700	11,700
	10,470	10,470	300,000	4,150	11,850	11,850	11,850
	10,800	10,800	300,000	4,200	12,000	12,000	12,000
	11,135	11,135	300,000	4,250	12,150	12,150	12,150
	11,475	11,475	300,000	4,300	12,300	12,300	12,300
	11,820	11,820	300,000	4,350	12,450	12,450	12,450
	12,170	12,170	300,000	4,400	12,600	12,600	12,600
	12,525	12,525	300,000	4,450	12,750	12,750	12,750
	12,885	12,885	300,000	4,500	12,900	12,900	12,900
	13,250	13,250	300,000	4,550	13,050	13,050	13,050
	13,620	13,620	300,000	4,600	13,200	13,200	13,200
	14,000	14,000	300,000	4,650	13,350	13,350	13,350
	14,385	14,385	300,000	4,700	13,500	13,500	13,500
	14,775	14,775	300,000	4,750	13,650	13,650	13,650
	15,170	15,170	300,000	4,800	13,800	13,800	13,800
	15,570	15,570	300,000	4,850	13,950	13,950	13,950
	15,975	15,975	300,000	4,900	14,100	14,100	14,100
	16,385	16,385	300,000	4,950	14,250	14,250	14,250
	16,800	16,800	300,000	5,000	14,400	14,400	14,400
	17,220	17,220	300,000	5,050	14,550	14,550	14,550
	17,645	17,645	300,000	5,100	14,700	14,700	14,700
	18,075	18,075	300,000	5,150	14,850	14,850	14,850
	18,510	18,510	300,000	5,200	15,000	15,000	15,000
	18,950	18,950	300,000	5,250	15,150	15,150	15,150
	19,395	19,395	300,000	5,300	15,300	15,300	15,300
	19,845	19,845	300,000	5,350	15,450	15,450	15,450
	20,300	20,300	300,000	5,400	15,600	15,600	15,600
	20,760	20,760	300,000	5,450	15,750	15,750	15,750
	21,225	21,225	300,000	5,500	15,900	15,900	15,900
	21,695	21,695	300,000	5,550	16,050	16,050	16,050
	22,170	22,170	300,000	5,600	16,200	16,200	16,200
	22,650	22,650	300,000	5,650	16,350	16,350	16,350
	23,135	23,135	300,000	5,700	16,500	16,500	16,500
	23,625	23,625	300,000	5,750	16,650	16,650	16,650
	24,120	24,120	300,000	5,800	16,800	16,800	16,800
	24,620	24,620	300,000	5,850	16,950	16,950	16,950
	25,125	25,125	300,000	5,900	17,100	17,100	17,100
	25,635	25,635	300,000	5,950	17,250	17,250	17,250
	26,150	26,150	300,000	6,000	17,400	17,400	17,400
	26,670	26,670	300,000	6,050	17,550	17,550	17,550
	27,195	27,195	300,000	6,100	17,700	17,700	17,700
	27,725	27,725	300,000	6,150	17,850	17,850	17,850
	28,260	28,260	300,000	6,200	18,000	18,000	18,000
	28,800	28,800	300,000	6,250	18,150	18,150	18,150
	29,345	29,345	300,000	6,300	18,300	18,300	18,300
	29,895	29,895	300,000	6,350	18,450	18,450	18,450
	30,450	30,450	300,000	6,400	18,600	18,600	18,600
	31,010	31,010	300,000	6,450	18,750	18,750	18,750
	31,575	31,575	300,000	6,500	18,900	18,900	18,900
	32,145	32,145	300,000	6,550	19,050	19,050	19,050
	32,720	32,720	300,000	6,600	19,200	19,200	19,200
	33,300	33,300	300,000	6,650	19,350	19,350	19,350
	33,885	33,885	300,000	6,700	19,500	19,500	19,500
	34,470	34,470	300,000	6,750	19,650	19,650	19,650
	35,060	35,060	300,000	6,800	19,800	19,800	19,800
	35,655	35,655	300,000	6,850	19,950	19,950	19,950
	36,255	36,255	300,000	6,900	20,100	20,100	20,100
	36,860	36,860	300,000	6,950	20,250	20,250	20,250
	37,470	37,470	300,000	7,000	20,400	20,400	20,400
	38,085	38,085	300,000	7,050	20,550	20,550	20,550
	38,705	38,705	300,000	7,100	20,700	20,700	20,700
	39,330	39,330	300,000	7,150	20,850	20,850	20,850
	39,960	39,960	300,000	7,200	21,000	21,000	21,000
	40,595	40,595	300,000	7,250	21,150	21,150	21,150
	41,235	41,235	300,000	7,300	21,300	21,300	21,300
	41,880	41,880	300,000	7,350	21,450	21,450	21,450
	42,530	42,530	300,000	7,400	21,600	21,600	21,600
	43,185	43,185	300,000	7,450	21,750	21,750	21,750
	43,845	43,845	300,000	7,500	21,900	21,900	21,900
	44,510	44,510	300,000	7,550	22,050	22,050	22,050
	45,180	45,180	300,000	7,600	22,200	22,200	22,200
	45,855	45,855	300,000	7,650	22,350	22,350	22,350
	46,535	46,535	300,000	7,700	22,500	22,500	22,500
	47,220	47,220					

a. Must be protected on side walls from mechanical injury. When crossing floor timbers in cellars or in rooms, where they might be exposed to injury, wires must be attached by their insulating supports to the under side of a wooden strip, not less than one-half inch in thickness, and not less than three inches in width.

NOTE.—Suitable protection on side walls may be secured by a substantial boxing, retaining an air space of one inch around the conductor, closed at the top (the wires passing through bushed holes), and extending not less than five feet from the floor; or by an iron-encased or metal-sheathed insulating conduit sufficiently strong to withstand the strain it will be subjected to; or plain metal pipe, lined with insulating tubing, which must extend one-half inch beyond the end of the metal tube.

The pipe must extend not less than five feet above the floor, and may extend through the floor in place of a floor bushing.

If iron pipes are used with alternating currents, the two or more wires of a circuit must be placed in the same conduit. In this case the insulation of each wire must be reinforced by a tough conduit tubing projecting beyond the ends of the iron pipe at least two inches.

f. When run immediately under roofs, or in proximity to water tanks or pipes, will be considered as exposed to moisture.

SPECIAL RULES.

For open work:

In Dry Places:

a. Must have an approved rubber or weatherproof insulation. (See No. 40 a and b.)

b. Must be rigidly supported on incombustible, non-absorptive insulators, which separate the wire at least one-half inch from the surface wired over, and they must be kept apart at least two and one-half inches.

NOTE.—Rigid supporting requires under ordinary conditions, where wiring along flat surfaces, supports at least every four and one-half feet. If the wires are liable to be disturbed, the distance between supports should be shortened. In buildings of mill construction, mains of No. 8 B. & S. wire or over, where not liable to be disturbed, may be separated about four inches, and run from timber to timber, not breaking around, and may be supported at each timber only.

This rule will not be interpreted to forbid the placing of the neutral of a three-wire system in the center of a three-wire clear, provided the outside wires are separated two and one-half inches.

In damp places, such as breweries, packing-houses, stables, dye-houses, paper or pulp mills, or buildings specially liable to moisture or acid or other fumes liable to injure the wires or their insulation, except where used for pendants:

c. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 40 a).

d. Must be rigidly supported on incombustible, non-absorptive insulators, which separate the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and they must be kept apart at least two and one-half inches.

NOTE.—Rigid supporting requires under ordinary conditions, where wiring over flat surfaces, supports at least every four and one-half feet. If the wires are liable to be disturbed, the distance between supports should be shortened. In buildings of mill construction, mains of No. 8 B. & S. wire or over, where not liable to be disturbed, may be separated about four inches and run from timber to timber, not breaking around, and may be supported at each timber only.

For moulding work:

e. Must have approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 40 a).

f. Must never be placed in moulding in concealed or damp places.

For conduit work:

g. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 40 a).

NOTE.—The use of concentric wire (see No. 40 c) is recommended in preference to twin conductors.

h. Must not be drawn in until all mechanical work on the building has been, as far as possible, completed.

i. Must not have wires of different circuits drawn in the same conduit, unless special permission is granted by this Department.

j. Must, for alternating systems, have the two or more wires of a circuit drawn in the same conduit.

NOTE.—It is advised that this be done for direct-current system also, so that they may be changed to alternating systems at any time, induction troubles preventing such a change unless the construction is as follows:

For so-called concealed work:

k. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 40 a).

l. Must be rigidly supported on incombustible, non-absorptive insulators which separate the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and must be kept at least ten inches apart, and, when possible, should be run singly on separate timbers or studding.

NOTE.—Rigid supporting requires under ordinary conditions, where wiring along flat surfaces, supports at least every four and one-half feet. If the wires are liable to be disturbed, the distance between supports should be shortened.

m. When, from the nature of the case, it is impossible to place concealed wiring on incombustible insulating supports of glass or porcelain, the wires, if not exposed to moisture, may be fished on the loop system if incased throughout in approved continuous flexible tubing or conduit, or if an extra insulated or protected wire that has received the approval of this Department is used.

For fixture work:

n. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering (see No. 40 a), and shall not be less in size than No. 18 B. & S.

o. Supply conductors, and especially the splices to fixture wires, must be kept clear of the grounded part of gas pipes, and, where shells are used, the latter must be constructed in a manner allowing sufficient area to allow this requirement.

p. Must, when fixtures are wired outside, be so secured as not to be cut or abraded by the pressure of the fastenings or motion of the fixture.

25. Interior conduits—

(See also Nos. 24 a to g, and 41.)

NOTE.—The object of a tube or conduit is to facilitate the insertion or extraction of the conductors to protect them from mechanical injury and, as far as possible, from moisture. Tubes or conduits are to be considered merely as raceways and are not to be relied upon for insulation between wire and wire, or between the wire and the ground.

q. Must be continuous from one junction box to another or to fixtures, and the conduit tube must properly enter all fittings.

r. Must be first installed as a complete conduit system, without the conductors.

s. Conduits must extend at least one-half inch beyond the finished surface of walls or ceilings, except that, if the end is threaded and a coupling screwed on, the conduit may be left flush with the surface, and the coupling may be removed when work on building is completed.

t. Must have the metal of the conduit permanently and effectually grounded.

26. Fixtures—

(See also No. 24 a to w.)

u. Must, when supported from the gas piping of a building, be insulated from the gas-pipe system by means of approved insulating joints (see No. 31) placed as close as possible to the ceiling.

v. It is required that the gas outlet pipe be protected above the insulating joint by an incombustible, non-absorptive insulating tube, having a flange at the lower end where it comes in contact with the insulating joint; and that, where outlet tubes are used, they be of sufficient length to extend below the insulating joint, and that they be so secured that they will not be pulled back when the canopy is put in place. Where iron ceilings are used, care must be taken to see that the canopy is thoroughly and permanently insulated from the ceiling.

w. Must have all burrs or fins removed before the conductors are drawn into the fixture.

x. The tendency to condensation within the pipes should be guarded against by sealing the upper end of the fixture.

y. No combination fixture in which the conductors are concealed in a space less than one-fourth inch between the inside pipe and the outside casing will be approved.

z. Must be tested for "contacts" between conductors and fixtures, for "short circuits" and for ground connections before it is connected to its supply conductors.

AA. Ceiling blocks of fixtures should be made of insulating material; if not, the wires in passing through the plate must be surrounded with incombustible, non-absorptive insulating material, such as glass or porcelain.

27. Sockets—

(For construction rules, see No. 47.)

BB. In rooms where inflammable gases may exist the incandescent lamp and socket must be incased in a vapor-tight globe, and supported on a pipe-hanger, wired with approved rubber-covered wire (see No. 40 a) soldered directly to the circuit.

CC. In damp or wet places, or over specially inflammable stuff, waterproof sockets must be used. NOTE.—When waterproof sockets are used, they should be hung by separate stranded rubber-covered wires, not smaller than No. 14 B. & S., which should preferably be twisted together when the grip is over three feet. These wires should be soldered direct to the circuit wires, but supported independently of them.

28. Flexible Cord—

DD. Must have an approved insulation and covering (see No. 40 a).

EE. Must not be used as a support for crumers.

FF. Must not be used except for pendants, wiring of fixtures and portable lamps or motors.

GG. Must not be used in windows, except for fixtures.

HH. Must be protected by insulating bushings where the cord enters the socket.

II. Must be so suspended that the entire weight of the socket and lamp will be borne by knots under the bushing in the socket, and above the point where the cord comes through the ceiling block or rose, in order that the strain may be taken from the joints and binding screws.

JJ. Must not be used on walls, partitions or other places where standard methods of wiring can be employed.

29. Arc Lamps on Low-Potential Circuits—

KK. Must have a cut-out (see No. 17 a) for each lamp or each series of lamps.

NOTE.—The branch conductors should have a carrying capacity about fifty per cent. in excess of the normal current required by the lamp to provide for heavy current required when lamp is started, or when carbons become stuck without overhauling the wires.

LL. Must only be furnished with such resistances or regulators as are incased in incombustible material, such resistances being treated as sources of heat. Incandescent lamps must not be used for resistance devices.

MM. Must be supplied with globes and protected by spark arresters, as in the case of arc lights on high-potential circuits. (See Nos. 19 and 30.)

30. Economy Coils—

NN. Economy and compensator coils for arc lamps must be mounted on incombustible, non-absorptive insulating supports, such as glass or porcelain, allowing an air space of at least one inch between frame and support, and in general to be treated like sources of heat.

31. Decorative Series Lamps—

OO. Incandescent lamps run in series shall not be used for decorative purposes inside of buildings, except by special permission in writing.

High-Potential Systems—300 to 3,000 Volts.

Any circuit attached to any machine, or combination of machines, which develops a difference of potential, between any two wires, of over 300 volts and less than 3,000 volts shall be considered as a high-potential circuit, and as coming under that class, unless an approved transforming device is used, which cuts the difference of potential down to 300 volts or less.

32. Wires—

(See also Nos. 14, 15, 16.)

PP. Must have an approved rubber insulating covering. (See No. 40 a.)

QQ. Must be always in plain sight and never incased, except where required by the Inspection Department having jurisdiction.

RR. Must be rigidly supported on glass or porcelain insulators, which raise the wire at least one inch from the surface wired over, and must be kept apart at least four inches for voltages up to 750 and at least eight inches for voltages over 750.

NOTE.—Rigid supporting requires under ordinary conditions, where wiring along flat surfaces, supports at least about every four and one-half feet.

SS. If the wires are usually liable to be disturbed, the distance between supports should be shortened.

TT. In buildings of mill construction, mains of No. 8 B. & S. wire or over, where not liable to be disturbed, may be separated about six inches for voltages up to 750 and about ten inches for voltages above 750; and run from timber to timber, not breaking around, and may be supported at each timber only.

UU. Must be protected on side walls from mechanical injury by a substantial boxing, retaining an air space of one inch around the conductors, closed at the top (the wires passing through bushed holes) and extending not less than seven feet from the floor. When crossing floor timbers, in cellars or in rooms, where they might be exposed to injury, wires must be attached by their insulating supports to the under side of a wooden strip not less than one-half inch in thickness.

33. Transformers (When permitted inside buildings, see No. 13) —

(For construction rules, see No. 54.)

VV. Must be located at a point as near as possible to that at which the primary wires enter the building.

WW. Must be placed in an inclosure constructed of or lined with fire-resisting material; the inclosure to be used only for this purpose, and to be kept securely locked and access to the same allowed only to responsible persons.

XX. Must be effectually insulated from the ground, and the inclosure in which they are placed must be practically air-tight, except that it shall be thoroughly ventilated to the outdoor air, if possible, through a chimney or flue. There should be at least six inches air space on all sides of the transformer.

34. Car Wiring—

YY. Must be always run out of reach of the passengers, and must have an approved rubber insulating covering. (See No. 40 a.)

35. Car Hoses—

ZZ. Must have the trolley wires securely supported on insulating ladders.

AAA. Must have the trolley hangers placed at such a distance apart that, in case of a break in the trolley wire, contact cannot be made with the floor.

BBB. Must have cut-out switch located at a proper place outside of the building, so that all trolley circuits in the building can be cut out at one point, and line circuit breakers must be installed, so that when this cut-out switch is open the trolley wire will be dead at all points within 100 feet of the building. The current must be cut out of the building whenever the same is not in use or the road not in operation.

CCC. Must have all lamps and stationary motors installed in such a way that one main switch can control the whole of each installation—lighting or power—Independently of main feeder switch. No portable incandescent lamps or twin wire allowed, except that portable incandescent lamps may be used in the pits, connections to be made by two approved rubber-covered flexible wires (see No. 40 a), properly protected against mechanical injury; the circuit to be controlled by a switch placed outside of the pit.

DDD. Must have all wiring and apparatus installed in accordance with the rules under Class "C" for constant potential systems.

EEE. Must not have any system of feeder distribution centering in the building.

FFF. Must have the rails bonded at each joint with not less than No. 2 B. & S. annealed copper wire; also a supplementary wire to be run for each track.

GGG. Must not have cars left with trolley in electrical connection with the trolley wire.

36. Lighting and Power from Railway Wires—

HHH. Must not be permitted, under any pretense, in the same circuit with trolley wires with a ground return, except in electric railway cars, electric car houses, and their power stations, nor shall the same dynamo be used for both purposes.

37. Series Lamp—

III. No system of multiple-series or series-multiple for light or power will be approved.

LLL. Under no circumstances can lamps be attached to gas fixtures.

Extra High Potential Systems—Over 3,000 Volts.

Any circuit attached to any machine or combination of machines, which develops a difference of potential, between any two wires, of over 3,000 volts, shall be considered as an extra high potential circuit, and as coming under that class, unless an approved transforming device is used, which cuts the difference of potential down to 3,000 volts or less.

38. Primary Wires—

MMM. Must not be brought into or over buildings, except power and sub-stations.

39. Secondary Wires—

NNN. Must be installed under rules for high-potential systems, when their immediate primary wires carry a current at a potential of over 3,000 volts.

CLASS D.—FITTINGS, MATERIALS AND DETAILS OF CONSTRUCTION.

All Systems and Voltages.

40. Wire Insulation—

AAA. Rubber Covered—The insulating covering must be solid, at least three-sixty-fourths of an inch in thickness, and covered with a substantial braid. It must not readily carry fire, must show an insulating resistance of one megohm per mile after two weeks' submersion in water at seventy degrees Fahrenheit and three days' submersion in lime water, and after three minutes' electrification with 550 volts. (See page 44.)

BBB. Weatherproof—The insulating covering must not support combustion, must resist abrasion, must be at least one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, and thoroughly impregnated with a moisture repellent, except when otherwise allowed by this Department.

CCC. Flexible Cord—Must be made of two stranded conductors, each having a carrying capacity equivalent to not less than a No. 16 B. & S. wire, and each covered by an approved insulation, and protected by a slow-burning, tough-braided outer covering.

DDD. Insulation for pendants under this rule must be moisture and flame proof.

EEE. Insulation for cords used for all other purposes, including portable lamps and motors, must be solid, at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and must show an insulation resistance between conductors, and between either conductor and the ground, of at least one megohm per mile after one week's submersion in water at seventy degrees Fahrenheit, and after three minutes' electrification, with 550 volts.

FFF. The flexible conductors for portable heating apparatus, such as irons, etc., must have an insulation that will not be injured by heat, such as asbestos, which must be protected from mechanical injury by an outer, substantial, braided covering, and so arranged that mechanical strain will not be borne by the electrical connection.

40. **Electric Wire**—Must have a solid insulation, with a slow-burning, tough, outer covering, the whole to be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and show an insulation resistance between conductors, and between either conductor and the ground, of at least one megohm per mile, after one week's immersion in water at seventy degrees Fahrenheit, and after three minutes' electrification, with 550 volts.

41. **Conduit Wire**—Must comply with the following specifications:

1. For insulated metal conduits, single wire and twin conductors must comply with section (a) of this rule.

2. Concentric wire must have a braided covering between the outer conductor and the insulation of the inner conductor, and, in addition, must comply with section (a) of this rule.

3. For non-insulated metal conduits, single wire or twin conductors, must have an insulation equal to that required by section (a) of this rule; and, where required by this Department, have, in addition, a separate exterior insulating coating of equal insulating resistance wrapped to maintain the independent character of the two insulating coatings, and also have a separate fibrous covering sufficiently tough and tenacious to stand the abrasion of being hauled through a metal conduit.

42. Interior Conduits—

(For wiring rules, see Nos. 24 and 25.)

a. Each length of insulated conduit must have the maker's name or initials stamped in the metal or attached thereto in a satisfactory manner, so that the inspectors can readily see the same.

Insulated Metal Conduits:

1. The metal covering or pipe must be at least equal in thickness or of equal strength to resist penetration by nails, etc., as the ordinary commercial form of gas pipe of same size.

2. Must not be seriously affected externally by burning out a wire inside the tube when the iron pipe is connected to one side of the circuit.

3. Must have the insulating lining firmly secured to the pipe.

4. The insulating lining must not crack or break when a length of the conduit is uniformly bent at temperature of 212 degrees Fahrenheit to an angle of ninety degrees, with a circle having a radius of fifteen inches for pipes of one inch and less, and fifteen times the diameter of pipe for larger pipes.

5. The insulating lining must not soften rapidly at a temperature below 212 degrees Fahrenheit and must leave water in which it is boiled practically neutral.

6. The insulating lining must be at least one-thirty-second of an inch in thickness, and the material of which it is composed must be of such a nature as will not have a deteriorating effect on the insulation of the conductors, and be sufficiently tough and tenacious to withstand the abrasion of drawing in and out of same long lengths of conductors.

7. The insulating lining must not be mechanically weak after three days' immersion in water, and, when removed from the pipe, must not absorb more than two per cent. of its weight of water during 100 hours of immersion.

Uninsulated Metal Conduits—

1. Thin iron or steel pipes of equal thickness, or of equal strength, to resist penetration of nails, etc., as the ordinary commercial form of gas pipe of the same size, may be used as conduits, provided their interior surfaces are smooth and free from burrs; pipe to be galvanized, or the interior surface coated or enamelled to prevent oxidation, with some substance which will not soften so as to become sticky and prevent wire from being withdrawn from the pipe.

43. Wooden Mouldings—

(For wiring rules, see No. 24.)

a. Must have, both outside and inside, at least two coats of waterproof paint, or be impregnated with a suitable preservative.

b. Must be made of two pieces, a backing and napping, so constructed as to thoroughly encase the wire, and provide a one-half inch tongue between the conductors and a solid backing, which, under grooves, shall not be less than three-eighths of an inch in thickness, and must afford suitable protection from abrasion.

c. It is recommended that only hardwood moulding be used.

44. Switches—

(See Nos. 17 and 22.)

a. Must be mounted on non-combustible, non-absorptive, insulating bases, such as slate or porcelain.

b. Must have carrying capacity sufficient to prevent undue heating.

c. Must, when used for service switches, indicate, on inspection, whether the current be "on" or "off."

d. Must be plainly marked, where it will always be visible, with the name of the maker and the current and voltage for which the switch is designed.

e. Must, for constant potential systems, operate successfully at fifty per cent. overload in amperes, with twenty-five per cent. excess voltage under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice.

f. Must, for constant potential systems, have a firm and secure contact; must make and break readily, and not stop when motion has once been imparted by the handle.

g. Must, for constant current systems, close the main circuit and disconnect the branch wires when turned "off," must be so constructed that they shall be automatic in action, not stopping between points where started, and must prevent an arc between the points under all circumstances. They must indicate, upon inspection, whether the current be "on" or "off."

45. Cut-outs and Circuit Breakers—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 17 and 21.)

a. Must be supported on bases of non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating material.

b. Cut-outs must be provided with covers, when not arranged in approved cabinets, so as to obviate any danger of the melted fuse metal coming in contact with any substance which might be ignited thereby.

c. Cut-outs must operate successfully, under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, on short circuits with fuses rated at 50 per cent. above and with a voltage of 25 per cent. above the current and voltage for which they are designed.

d. Circuit-breakers must operate successfully, under the most severe conditions they are liable to meet with in practice, on short circuits when set at 50 per cent. above the current, and with a voltage 25 per cent. above that for which they are designed.

e. Must be plainly marked where it will always be visible, with the name of the maker and current and voltage for which the device is designed.

46. Fuses—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 17 and 21.)

a. Must have contact surfaces or tips of harder metal having perfect electrical connection with the fusible part of the strip.

b. Must be stamped with about 80 per cent. of the maximum current they can carry indefinitely, thus allowing about 25 per cent. overload before fuses melt.

NOTE.—With naked open fuses, of ordinary shapes and not over 500 amperes capacity, the maximum current, which will melt them in about five minutes, may be safely taken as the melting point, as the fuse practically reaches its maximum temperature in this time. With larger fuses a longer time is necessary.

Inclosed fuses, where the fuse is often in contact with substances having good conductivity to heat, and often of considerable volume, require a much longer time to reach a maximum temperature, on account of the surrounding material, which heats up slowly.

This data is given to facilitate testing.

c. Fuse terminals must be stamped with the maker's name, initials, or some known trade-mark.

47. Cut-out Cabinets—

a. Must be so constructed, and cut-outs so arranged, as to obviate any danger of the melted fuse metal coming in contact with any substance which might be ignited thereby.

NOTE.—A suitable box can be made of marble, slate or wood, strongly put together, the door to close against a rubber so as to be perfectly dust-tight, and it should be hung on strong hinges and held closed by a strong hook or catch. If the box is wood, the inside should be lined with sheets of asbestos board about one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, neatly put on and firmly secured in place by shellac and tacks. The wires should enter through holes lashed with porcelain bushings; the bushings tightly fitting the holes in the box, and the wires tightly fitting the bushings (using tape to build up the wire, if necessary), so as to keep out the dust.

48. Sockets—

(See No. 27.)

a. No portion of the lamp socket or lamp base, exposed to contact with outside objects, must be allowed to come into electrical contact with either conductor.

b. Must, when provided with keys, comply with the requirements for switches. (See No. 43.)

49. Hanger-boards—

a. Hanger-boards must be so constructed that all wires and current-carrying devices thereon shall be exposed to view and thoroughly insulated by being mounted on an non-combustible, non-absorptive insulating substance. All switches attached to the same must be so constructed that they shall be automatic in their action, cutting off both poles to the lamp, not stopping between points when started and preventing an arc between points under all circumstances.

50. Arc Lamps—

(For installation rules, see No. 19.)

a. Must be provided with reliable stops to prevent carbons from falling out in case the clamps become loose.

b. Must be carefully insulated from the circuit in all their exposed parts.

c. Must, for constant current systems, be provided with an approved hand switch; also an automatic switch that will shut the current around the carbons should they fail to feed properly.

The hand switch to be approved, if placed anywhere except on the lamp itself, must comply with requirements for switches on hanger boards as laid down in Rule 48.

51. Spark Arresters—

(See No. 19.)

a. Spark arresters must so close the upper orifice of the globe that it will be impossible for any spark, thrown off by the carbons, to escape.

52. Insulating Joints—

(See No. 26.)

a. Must be entirely made of material that will resist the action of illuminating gases, and will not give way or soften under the least of any ordinary gas flame or leak under a moderate pressure. They shall be so arranged that a deposit of moisture will not destroy the insulating effect, and shall have an insulating resistance of at least 25 megohms between the gas-pipe attachments, and be sufficiently strong to retain the strain they will be liable to be subjected to in being installed.

b. Insulating joints having soft rubber in their construction will not be approved.

53. Resistance Boxes and Equalizers—

(For installation rules, see No. 4.)

a. Must be equipped with metal, or with other non-combustible frames.

NOTE.—The word "frame" in this section relates to the entire case and surroundings of the rheostat, and not alone to the upholding supports.

54. Reactive Coils and Condensers—

a. Reactive coils must be made of non-combustible material, mounted on non-combustible bases and treated, in general, like sources of heat.

b. Condensers must be treated like apparatus operating with equivalent voltage and currents. They must have non-combustible cases and supports, and must be isolated from all combustible materials and, in general, treated like sources of heat.

55. Transformers—

(For installation rules, see Nos. 11 and 35.)

a. Must not be placed in any but metallic or other non-combustible cases.

56. Lightning Arresters—

(For installation rules, see No. 5.)

a. Must be mounted on non-combustible bases, and must be so constructed as not to maintain an arc after the discharge has passed, and must have no moving parts.

CLASS E.—MARINE WORK.

57. Insulation Resistance—

The wiring in any building must test free from grounds, i. e., the complete installation must have an insulation between conductors and between all conductors and the ground (not including attachments, sockets, receptacles, etc.), of not less than the following:

Up to	5 amperes	1,000,000
10	2,000,000	
25	500,000	
50	400,000	
100	200,000	
250	100,000	
400	50,000	
500	25,000	
1,000	and over	12,500

All cut-outs and wiring devices in place in the above.

Where lamp sockets, receptacles and electricals, etc., are connected, one-half of the above will be required.

58. Insulation against Foreign Currents—

a. Where telephones, telegraph or other wires, connected with outside circuits, are bunched together with any wiring, or where inside wires are laid in conduits or ducts with electric light or power wires, the covering of such wires must be insulating, or else the wires must be enclosed in an airtight tube or duct.

b. All aerial conductors and underground conductors, which are directly connected to aerial wires, connecting with telephones, telegraph, carrier messenger, burglar-alarm, watch-clock, electric-tune and other similar instruments must be provided near the point of entrance to the building with some approved protective device which will operate to limit the instruments in the case of a dangerous rise of potential and will open the circuit and arrest any abnormal current flow. Any conductor normally forming an incandescent circuit may become a source of fire hazard if crossed with another conductor charged with a relatively high pressure.

Protectors must have an insulating base, and the cover to be provided with a lock similar to the lock now placed on telephone apparatus, or some equally secure fastening, and to be installed under the following requirements:

1. The protector to be located at the point where the wires enter the building, either immediately inside or outside of the same. If outside, the protector to be fastened to a metallic, waterproof case.

2. If the protector is placed inside of building, the wires of the circuit, from the support nearest to the bonding point of the protector, to be of such insulation as is approved for service wires of electric light and power (see No. 40), and the holes through the wall to be protected by bushing the same as required for electric light and power service wires.

3. The wire from the point of entrance to the protector to be run in accordance with rules for high-potential wires, i. e., free of contact with building and supported on non-combustible insulators.

4. The ground wire shall be insulated, not smaller than No. 10 B. & S. gauge copper wire. This ground wire shall be kept at least three inches from all conductors, and shall never be secured by insulated, double-pointed tacks, and must be run in as straight a line as possible to the ground connection.

5. The ground wire shall be attached to a water pipe, if possible, otherwise may be attached to a gas pipe. The ground wire shall be carried to, and attached to, the pipe inside of the first joint or coupling inside the foundation walls, and the connection shall be made by soldering, if possible. In the absence of other good ground, the ground shall be made by means of a metallic plate of a half of area buried in a permanently moist earth.

59. Electric Gas Lighting—

Where electric gas lighting is to be used on the same fixture with the electric light:

a. No part of the gas piping or fixture shall be in electric connection with the gas lighting circuit.

b. The wires used with the fixtures must have a non-inflammable insulation, or, where concealed between the pipe and shell of the fixture, the insulation must be such as required for fixture wiring for the electric light.

c. The whole installation must test free from "grounds."

d. The two installations must test perfectly free from connection with each other.

60. Soldering Fluid—

a. The following formula for soldering fluid is suggested:

Saturated solution of zinc chloride	5 parts
Alcohol	4 parts
Glycerine	1 part

The following are given as a list of non-combustible, non-absorptive, insulating materials and are listed here for the benefit of those who might consider hard rubber, fiber, wood and the like as fulfilling the above requirements. Any other substance, which it is claimed should be accepted, must be forwarded for testing before being put on the market:

1. Glass.
2. Marble (filled).
3. Slate without metal veins.
4. Porcelain, thoroughly glazed and vitrified.
5. Pure sheet mica.
6. Lava (certain kinds of).
7. All other stone.

This Department will require that all iron armored insulated or uninsulated conduits shall be at least equal in thickness, or of equal strength to resist penetration by nails, etc., as is the ordinary commercial form of gas pipe of the same size.

Brass Armored Tubing may be used in short lengths in exposed places for decorative purposes, upon obtaining special permission from this Department.

Brass Armored Tubing shall not be used in concealed work.

CLASS F.—MARINE WORK.

61. Generator—

a. Must be located in a dry place.

b. Must have their frames insulated from their feet-plates.

c. Must each be provided with a waterproof cover when required.

d. Must each be provided with a name-plate, giving the maker's name, the capacity in voltage and amperes and normal speed in revolutions per minute.

62. Wires—

a. Must have an approved insulating covering.

NOTE.—The insulation for all conductors, except for portables, to be approved, must be at least one-eighth inch in thickness and be covered with a substantial waterproof and flameproof braid. The physical characteristics shall not be affected by any change in temperature up to 200

degrees Fahrenheit. After two weeks' immersion in salt water at 75 degrees Fahrenheit it must show an insulation resistance of one megohm per mile after three minutes' electrification, with 550 volts.

6. Must have no sharp wire larger than No. 14 B. & S. Wires to be stranded when joints carrying currents are required. No single wire wire smaller than No. 14 B. & S., except in house wiring, or in small.

Notes.—Stranded wires must be soldered before being insulated under clamping binding screws, and where they have a conductivity greater than No. 14 B. & S. copper wire they must be soldered into lugs.

7. Must be supported in approved maddings, except at switchboards and portable.

Notes.—Special provision may be made for deviation from this rule in extreme cases.

8. Must be covered with insulating material, except at switchboards, when passing through beams and non-insulated bulkheads.

9. Must cover, when passing through watertight bulkheads and through air ducts, a suitable madding, after being with such covers. In case of stock cases they shall be covered with madding to prevent mechanical injury.

10. Splices or joints in conductors must be covered as far as possible. Where it is necessary to make them they must be covered so as to be kept moisture-proof and electrically secure without failure. They must have no solvent, or corrosive preservative, covered with an insulating compound equal in the insulation of the wire, and further protected by a waterproof tape. The tape must be covered in contact with a waterproof compound.

62. Portable Conductors.—

1. Must be made of two stranded conductors, each having a carrying capacity equivalent to not less than No. 14 B. & S. covered with approved insulation and covering.

Notes.—Where necessary the conductors in severe mechanical injury, each stranded conductor must be covered with insulation of not less than No. 14 B. & S. and an outer covering of not less than No. 14 B. & S. insulation between conductors and between either conductor and the ground, of at least one milium per mil. The insulation between conductors must be waterproofed with a waterproof tape. The tape must be covered in contact with a waterproof compound.

Notes.—Where exposed to moisture and mechanical injury—as for use in docks, holds and fire-rooms—each conductor shall have suitable insulation to be supported, at least one milium of an inch of insulation and covered by a waterproof tape. The two conductors shall then be covered together with a waterproof tape. The whole shall then be covered with a layer of dry cotton-wool or similar material, and then with a waterproof tape. After use work's substance in water or in fire-rooms, the waterproofing shall be removed and the conductors shall be covered with a waterproof tape. The tape must be covered in contact with a waterproof compound.

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Sec. 19. The removal of any and all gutter bridges permitted according to the provisions of the foregoing section for any cause deemed sufficient shall be within the jurisdiction and power of the commissioner of street cleaning; but this section shall not be construed to prevent the removal of any gutter bridge or the removal of any such bridge by the commissioner of highways.

Sec. 20. No person shall leave or suffer to be left any unlicensed vehicle in any lane, bay, hole or merchandise or other movable property upon any paved street, avenue or public place, except upon such portion of any municipal street as is shown on a plan as is contained in the custody and control of the department of docks and ferries, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 21. Every owner or lessee of building or occupying a building, shall cause all the rubbish of every kind and character, thereby, which may accumulate on or be cast into the street and all the snow, sand or clay which may be dug out from the cellar, tank, cistern or vault and cast into the street, to be removed out of such street, before sundown, of each day under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 22. Any person or persons, other than the commissioner of highways, who may hereafter pave or cause to be paved any street, avenue or public place, shall, after such pavement shall have been completed, remove or cause to be removed from the said streets, avenues or public places or portions thereof to be paved, all surplus materials, earth, snow, rubbish and stones, except such stone as shall be retained by order of the commissioner of highways, which by block, as rapidly as the work of said paving progresses, except that the sand or gravel used in paving may remain for any period, not exceeding one month, after the commissioner of highways may deem necessary; and this ordinance shall be construed to apply to the removal of all earth, sand, rubbish and stones collected in any part of the street, avenue or public place covered with the pavement or stone or laid in any excavation that may have been made in place-work done in pursuance thereof, and on contract for paving in the City of New York shall be construed as completed until the commissioner of highways shall certify that this ordinance has been fully complied with; any person or persons other than the commissioner of highways who, in refusing to remove the dirt, sand or rubbish, or in violation thereof, shall pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, and the commissioner of highways shall cause the dirt, sand or rubbish to be removed at the cost of the party so neglecting or refusing, who shall be liable to repay and refund the expense, which shall be collected and paid into the city treasury.

PART II.

Cleaning Streets and Sidewalks and Keeping Them Clear.

Sec. 23. No person shall throw, cast or put any ash, dirt, vegetable, garbage, dung, cinders, shells, paper, shavings, dirt, manure, refuse or other refuse of any kind, except upon the sidewalk thereof, except that on the morning hours from six o'clock to twelve (12) noon, the removal of the refuse of the department of street cleaning from the sidewalk may be excepted into the gutter of the street, but no refuse shall be cast or thrown into the gutter under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 24. No person shall properly or lawfully sprinkle the streets with dust, soil or deposit any waste or other liquid in any part of any street, avenue or public place, except in the sidewalk thereof, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 25. No person or other person shall cause any vehicle to be or loaded up with any load or other vehicle to be loaded that the driver or any part thereof shall be scattered in any street, avenue or public place, park or building, and all loads likely to be scattered by wind or otherwise shall be securely covered, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 26. No person shall throw, cast or deposit in or upon any of the streets, avenues or public places, any rubbish, refuse, manure or other refuse, matter whatsoever, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

Sec. 27. No person shall place any receptacle for garbage, refuse or other refuse matter, or cause or suffer to be set out any such receptacle, except that on the morning hours from six o'clock to twelve (12) noon, the removal of the refuse of the department of street cleaning from the sidewalk may be excepted into the gutter of the street, but no refuse shall be cast or thrown into the gutter under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense.

PART III.

Removal of Snow and Ice.

Sec. 28. For the more speedy and efficient removal of snow and ice from the paved streets, avenues and public places of the city, the commissioner of street cleaning shall have power and authority to enter into agreements for the entire winter season or part thereof, with any street surface railroad or other railroad having tracks in the city, for the removal of snow and ice from the entire width of the street, avenue or public place, from curb to curb, or any part of the roadway and sidewalk, provided that nothing in said agreement shall be inconsistent with any law of the State of New York or with any right of the City of New York.

Sec. 29. Whenever any owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground situated upon any paved street, avenue or public place, shall cause or suffer to be scattered in any street, avenue or public place, any refuse, matter whatsoever, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for every such offense, the commissioner of street cleaning may cause such removal to be made, and thereupon the expense of such removal as to each particular lot of ground, shall be ascertained and certified by the said commissioner of street cleaning, to the comptroller of the city, and the board of estimates and appropriations may authorize such additional expenditures as may be required for the said removal of such snow and ice to be paid out of any appropriation made for any purpose of the department of street cleaning; and the comptroller shall have the amount of such additional expenditures by the board and order of revenue, and shall place the same to credit in the credit of the department of street cleaning, to apply the same to the account of such additional expenditures; and immediately thereafter the said comptroller shall cause and deliver the certificate thereof to the Municipal Assembly, and all accounts so certified, with any amount charged by way of penalty of two and one-half dollars for each such lot of ground, shall, by the Municipal Assembly, annually be levied and paid to from a part of the general taxes of the next ensuing fiscal year against the lots against which the said accounts shall be so certified respectively, and the same shall be collected in and with and as part of the annual taxes for such fiscal year, for or during which the same shall have been so incurred and certified; and the certificate shall be deemed to be a lien in favor of the city against the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person having charge of any lot fronting to the street, avenue or public place of the city any snow or ice which may be removed from the sidewalk or gutter, directly in front of such lot, providing that this is done in conformity with the ordinance governing such removal, and providing that the lot, as herein used, shall intend and mean a space not to exceed twenty feet in width fronting on the street, avenue or public place upon which the violation is charged to have been permitted, committed or omitted.

Sec. 30. It shall not be lawful for any surface railroad company, or other railroad company, or any corporation or person whatever, or the officers, agents or servants thereof, to cause or allow any snow-plow, sweeping-machine, or other similar instrument to pass over the tracks or lines used by them within the limits of the city, unless by the written permit of the commissioner of street cleaning; any violation of this section shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars for each offense.

Sec. 31. No such permit or renewal thereof shall be granted, except upon the condition and agreement upon the part of the company applying for such permit or renewal, that in case of any fall of snow so deep that the throwing up of the snow by any such snow-plow or machine will render the highway unsafe for travel, or make inconvenient the approach to the curbs, stones, then, within twenty-four (24) hours after such fall of snow, and after the use of such snow-plow or machine, the party to whom the said permit has been granted shall and will, at its own expense, remove and carry away the snow thrown up by such plow or machine, and shall and will reduce the snow upon the highway adjacent to the tracks or lines to such level as will make convenient to all vehicles the approach to the curbs, stones, and render the whole width of the roadway safe for travel; and that such snow-plow, sweeping-machine or other instrument shall be so constructed as not to throw any snow or slush upon the sidewalks or buildings, under a penalty of ten dollars for every house or sidewalk in front thereof upon which slush or snow shall be so thrown.

Sec. 32. No such permit or renewal shall be granted unless the party to whom granted shall expressly covenant, stipulate and agree that in case of its failure, neglect or omission to remove and carry away the snow and ice thrown up by such snow-plow or other instrument, and to reduce and level the snow or ice in the adjacent highway within the time and manner aforesaid, then the same may be removed, reduced and leveled under the direction of the commissioner of street cleaning, and the expense of removing, reducing and leveling shall be paid by said party to the said commissioner on demand, and the board of estimate and appropriation may authorize that the amount or amounts of money so paid shall be credited to the appropriations of the department of street cleaning for the removal of snow and ice.

Sec. 33. In case of neglect or refusal or omission of the party to whom such permit may be granted to remove and to carry away the snow and ice thrown up by such plow or other instrument, and to reduce and level the snow or ice within the time and in the manner aforesaid, then the commissioner of street cleaning shall forthwith cause the same to be removed, reduced and leveled at the public expense, and all expenditures made or incurred therefor shall be chargeable upon the party so neglecting, refusing or omitting to perform its agreement and shall be recoverable by an action at law, on behalf of The City of New York.

Sec. 34. Every owner, lessee, tenant or occupant or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground in the city, abutting upon a paved street, avenue or public place shall, within

eight (8) hours after any snow fall, and within eight (8) hours after the forming of any ice on the sidewalk or in the gutter in front of any such building or lot, remove or cause the same to be removed from such sidewalk or gutter, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars, to be paid by the said owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person having charge; but where such snow falls or ice forms between the hours of five o'clock in the evening and five o'clock in the morning, the said snow or ice may be removed at any time before five o'clock in the morning succeeding its fall or formation; provided that if the said snow or ice is removed into the roadway, and removal shall not be in conflict with regulations adopted by the commissioner of street cleaning for the removal of snow and ice from the said roadway.

Sec. 35. In case the ice or snow on the sidewalk shall be frozen so hard that it cannot be removed without injury to the pavement, the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground as aforesaid, shall, within the time specified in the last preceding section, cause the sidewalk abutting on the said premises to be strewn with ashes or sand, under penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars, to be paid by the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or person having charge thereof.

Sec. 36. It shall be the duty of the commissioner of street cleaning, immediately after every snow fall or the formation of ice on the crosswalks or in the culverts of paved streets, avenues and public places, forthwith to cause the removal of said snow and ice from the said crosswalks and culverts, and to keep the crosswalks and culverts aforesaid clean and free from obstructions.

Sec. 37. Every person who shall without the written permit of the commissioner of street cleaning, throw, expose or place in public or private place, or upon the curbs, crossings or sidewalks or colored tracks any ash, refuse or other refuse, for the purpose of leaving any snow or ice which may have fallen or been deposited thereon, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sec. 38. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York, regulating temporary inclosures upon the streets, the removal of inclosures, the cleaning of streets and keeping them clear, and the removal of snow and ice from streets in The City of New York, and all other ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 39. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

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

No. 1442.
BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1898.

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

SIR:—At a regular meeting of this Board, held on the 5th instant, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That the following ordinance, regulating the removal of snow and ice from the streets, avenues and public places of the City of New York, be and the same be referred to the Board of Public Improvements and recommended to the Municipal Assembly for immediate adoption.

In accordance with the above, I enclose herewith, for action by your Honorable Body, the form of ordinance referred to therein.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the prompt removal of snow and ice from surface railroad tracks.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows: That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same be hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:—

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the cleaning of surface railroad tracks in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same be hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repairing and Cleaning Sewers," Borough of The Bronx, for 1899.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

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

No. 1443.
BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1898.

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

SIR:—In accordance with the plan laid by this Board at a special meeting held on the 5th instant, I transmit herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same be hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:—

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same be hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repairing and Cleaning Sewers," Borough of Brooklyn, for 1899.

Which was referred to the Committee on Sewers.

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

No. 1444.
BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1898.

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

SIR:—In accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board at a special meeting held on the 5th instant, I transmit herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same be hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:—

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the cleaning of sewer-lanes in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same be hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repairing and Cleaning Sewers," Borough of Brooklyn, for 1899.

Which was referred to the Committee on Sewers.

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

No. 1445.
BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1898.

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

SIR:—I enclose herewith, for action by your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 9th instant, authorizing the building of a bridge across Newtown Creek, at Greenpoint Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

This is a proposed form to take the place of an ordinance previously forwarded from this Board.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for building a bridge across Newtown Creek, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution

of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the ninth day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the building of a bridge across Newtown Creek at Greenpoint avenue, in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, to take the place of and as a substitute for the present bridge known as the Blawie Bridge, under the direction of the commissioner of bridges, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for as follows: \$55,000 appropriated by the board of estimate and apportionment, June 14, 1898; and \$4,948.34 from the amount appropriated for maintenance of and repairs to bridges over Newtown Creek for 1898.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

No. 441.—(S. R. 521.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed proposed ordinance in favor of laying gas-mains in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 70, Minutes, April 12, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and recommend that the said proposed ordinance be referred to the Board of Public Improvements for report thereon.

Resolved, That the laying of gas-mains in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from German place to St. Ann's avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby authorized.

This is to certify that the above was recommended by Board of Local Improvement of the Twenty-first District, at a regular meeting held on March 7, 1898.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1286.—(S. R. 524.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting American Lumber Company, to remove, etc., iron railing, First avenue and Twenty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes of November 29, page 621), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Lumber Company to remove the iron railing now in place in front of their premises on First avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, to a similar position on the First avenue side of the premises on the northeast corner of First avenue and Twenty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

No. 1191.—(S. R. 525.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Spaulding Literary Union to place transparencies on lamp-posts (see Minutes, November 1, 1898, page 499), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Spaulding Literary Union to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts on the Southeast corner of Seventy-ninth street and Western Boulevard; Northwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Western Boulevard; Southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Columbus avenue; Northeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Tenth avenue; Northwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Tenth avenue; and on the Southeast corner of Sixtieth street and Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until December 4, 1898.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

No. 1276.—(S. R. 526.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Church of the Archangel to place transparencies on lamp-posts (see Minutes, November 29, 1898, pages 622 and 623), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Church of the Archangel to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 665.—(S. R. 527.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed communication of the Health Department, relative to the dangerous condition of vacant lot on the south side of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, near Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, June 7, 1898, page 578), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he hereby is authorized and directed to fence the vacant lot at south side of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, beginning one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Madison avenue and extending west twenty-five feet, Borough of Manhattan, with a close board fence, six (6) feet high, to abate a nuisance, at the expense of the owner or owners of said lot.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
CENTRE, ELM, WHITE AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1898.

F. H. DILLONHAM, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.

Sir—In May, on complaint of a citizen, an inspection was made of the vacant lot at south side of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, beginning 125 feet west of Madison avenue and extending west 25 feet, and the same was found in a dangerous condition, and Order No. 11407 was issued May 7, 1898, to fence said lot. A careful search has been made to find the owner of said lot to serve the necessary order, but without success. I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Municipal Assembly be requested to authorize the Department of Highways to have said lot fenced.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) M. H. EENEY, M. D., Chief Sanitary Inspector.

A true copy.
C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
CENTRE, ELM, WHITE AND FRANKLIN STREETS,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1898.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, New York City.

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held June 3, 1898, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Sanitary Inspector EENEY in respect to the dangerous condition of the vacant lot at south side of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, beginning one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Madison avenue and extending west twenty-five feet, Borough of Manhattan, be forwarded to the Honorable the Municipal Assembly with the request that for sanitary reasons the Department of Highways be authorized and directed to have said lot fenced.

A true copy.

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to receive and report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Commissioners Ballin, Buss, Cassidy, Minahan, Conly, Doyle, Foley, Francisco, Ganshwin, Heister, Ostrach, Ryland, Leach, Moloney, Maudorf, Ryder, and Williams—19.

No. 1277.—(S. R. 528.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Henry Allen to erect a storm-door, No. 227 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes of November 29, page 623), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Allen to erect a storm-door in front of his premises No. 227 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1173.—(S. R. 529.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Evangelical Church of Atonement to place transparencies, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, October 25, 1898, page 353), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Atonement to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts: Corner of One Hundred and Fortieth street and Third avenue; Corner of One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Third avenue; Corner of One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Tenth avenue; the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1116.—(S. R. 530.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting A. W. Dieter to erect awning at No. 409 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes of October 15, 1898, page 326), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. W. Dieter to erect an awning in front of his premises No. 409 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1321.—(S. R. 531.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Highways to remove a drinking fountain in the Borough of The Bronx (page 647, Minutes, December 9, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and recommend that the said resolution be referred to the Board of Public Improvements for report thereon.

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Highways to remove the drinking fountain now at One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Eastern avenue to the southeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Webster avenue, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby authorized and directed to remove the improved iron drinking fountain now on the sidewalk near the south at the corner of One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Eastern avenue to the southeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Webster avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

JAMES F. ELIOTT,

JOHN L. BURLINGH,

HENRY GEIGER,

JOHN S. RODDY,

JEREMIAH CRONIN,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 442.—(S. R. 532.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed proposed ordinance in favor of laying gas-mains in German place, Borough of The Bronx (page 70, Minutes, April 12, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and recommend that the said proposed ordinance be referred to the Board of Public Improvements for report thereon.

Resolved, That the laying of gas-mains in German place, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby authorized.

This is to certify that the above was recommended by Board of Local Improvement of the Twenty-first District, at a regular meeting, held on March 7, 1898.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1284.—(S. R. 533.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Thirty-fourth Street Reformed Church to suspend a banner (see Minutes of November 29, 1898, page 624), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Thirty-fourth Street Reformed Church to suspend a banner from their premises, No. 106 West Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, to the building on the opposite side, No. 307, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for ten days from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1287.—(S. R. 534.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting L. H. Moschley to keep a storm-door in front of No. 2338 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes of November 29, 1898, page 625), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. H. Moschley to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 2338 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall not extend the obstruction prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1288.—(S. R. 535.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting American Lumber Company to erect storm-door at Twenty-eighth street and Park avenue, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes of November 29, page 624), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Lumber Company to erect, place and keep a storm-door at the Twenty-eighth street side of their premises on the corner of First Avenue and Twenty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that said storm-door shall be erected so as not to extend in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1276.—(S. R. 531.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Brennan & Co. to erect advertising signs (see Minutes of November 29, page 625), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Brennan & Co., of No. 442 Third Avenue, to erect and keep advertising signs, with advertisement thereon, through the streets of Harlem and vicinity, provided said advertising signs shall not extend beyond the front of the premises, and that the same be done under their own expense and subject to the control and direction of the Chief of Police; and, also, that this permit continue only for sixty days after the same is approved by his Honor the Mayor, or become law without his approval thereof.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1290.—(S. R. 537.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Ballhauer Weinmann to erect a storm-door, Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, November 15, 1898, page 455), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ballhauer Weinmann to erect a storm-door in front of his premises, northeast corner of Mullock street and Kensington avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided said storm-door shall not extend six feet in length, four feet in width and ten feet in height, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1317.—(S. R. 558.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed proposed ordinance in favor of laying gas-mains in East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx (page 76, Minutes, April 12, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and recommend that the said proposed ordinance be referred to the Board of Public Improvements for report thereon.

Resolved, That the laying of gas-mains in East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from German place to St. Ann's Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby authorized.

This is to certify that the above was recommended by Board of Local Improvement of the Twenty-four District, at a regular meeting held on March 5, 1898.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1312.—(S. R. 550.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Greater New York Relief Association to suspend banner in Broome street, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 652), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Greater New York Relief Association to suspend a banner from No. 202 to 204 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan, the consent of the proprietors of the said buildings having been previously obtained, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for ten days from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1168.—(S. R. 547.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Henry Behrmann to keep storm-door One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, October 25, 1898, page 352), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Behrmann to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises on the corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, provided said storm-door shall be erected to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on
Streets and
Highways.

Which was adopted.

No. 1366.—(S. R. 513.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was recommended, on December 12, 1898, the annexed ordinance in favor of providing improved abutments for Hamilton Avenue Bridge (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 609), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide improved abutments for Hamilton Avenue Bridge, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that board on the 31st day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the entering into a contract by the Commissioner of Bridges, by public letting, for preparing for and building two masonry abutments (to replace the two present wooden ones), at the Hamilton Avenue Bridge over Gowanus canal, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges," in the Borough of Brooklyn, for 1899.

MARTIN E. CONLY,
JOSEPH CASSIDY,
WILLIAM J. HYLAND,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
STEWART M. BRICE,

Committee on
Bridges and
Tunnels.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bollne, Bliss, Cassidy, Charleman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Han, Hester, Hintonath, Hyland, McGarry, Munster, Ryder, and White—20.

Negative—Councilman Leitch—1.

Councilman McGarry moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above ordinance was laid.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Cassidy moved that the report take its place on the list of Special Orders.

Which was adopted.

No. 1189.—(S. R. 541.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing for increase on assessments for local improvements reported by the Board of Aldermen (see Minutes, November 4, 1898, page 400), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe further information to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be referred to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEITCH,

Committee on
Finance.

(Upon referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the Payment of Interest on Assessments for Local Improvements," respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the payment of interest on assessments for local improvements. Be it Enacted by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. That whenever the whole or any part of an assessment for a local improvement is required to be paid in advance the undertaking of such improvement the amount so paid in shall be entitled to and produce with interest from the date of payment at the rate paid by savings banks on deposits at the time of such payment, but said interest shall cease upon the actual undertaking of such improvement.

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with the foregoing are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL,
JOSEPH A. FLINN,
JACOB J. VELTON,
JAMES H. MCINNES,
JAMES E. GAFFNEY,
MATTHEW K. DOOLEY,

Committee on
Law.

Which was adopted.

No. 1355.—(S. R. 476.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Board of Estimate, transmitting copies of resolutions to authorize issue of Corporate Stock, respectfully recommend that the said communication and inclosures be placed on file.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
CLERK'S OFFICE, NO. 289 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, December 6, 1898.

Hon. P. J. SCHULY, City Clerk, City of New York:

DEAR SIR:—Herewith I transmit certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1898, authorizing the issue of \$100,000 Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the purpose of providing means for the preliminary expenses, etc., of bridges over the East river, as suggested by the Mayor in his communications to the Board of Public Improvements of November 23 and 30.

Very respectfully,
CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, obtaining surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, as suggested by the Mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements, dated November 30, 1898; and

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

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, obtaining surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, as suggested by the Mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements dated November 23, 1898; and

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

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 1, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
CONRAD H. HESTER, } Finance.
ADAM H. LEICH,

Which was adopted.

No. 387.-(S. R. 477.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of providing contingent amounts for the Department of Correction (see Minutes, March 29, 1898, page 948), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be placed on file.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
CONRAD H. HESTER, } Finance.
ADAM H. LEICH,

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed report of the Committee on Finance of the Council in favor of a resolution providing a contingent fund for the use of the Department of Correction, boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they therefore recommend that the said report and resolution be concurred in.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby directed to set aside the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) monthly, the same to be taken from the Supply Account allowed to the Department of Correction for the year 1898; the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) to be used for the Borough of Brooklyn, and one hundred dollars (\$100) for the Borough of Manhattan, the same to be taken from the Supply Account allowed to each borough, for the use of the Department as a Contingent Fund.

ROBERT MUU,
FRANCIS J. BYRNE, } Committee on
HENRY STEFKE, } Finance.
ELIAS GOODMAN,
JOSEPH GEISER,

Which was adopted.

No. 1346.-(S. R. 478.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of issuing \$50,000 Corporate Stock on account of the new East River Bridge (see Minutes, December 9, 1898, page 654), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the comptroller to issue corporate stock for a bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.

Be it Enacted by the Municipal Assembly as follows:

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 1, 1898, reading as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 46 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, obtaining surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, as suggested by the mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements, dated November 23, 1898; and

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

Sec. 2. That the comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof shall be applied by the comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
CONRAD H. HESTER, } Finance.
ADAM H. LEICH,

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 1347.-(S. R. 479.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of issuing \$50,000 Corporate Stock on account of the new East River Bridge (see Minutes, December 9, 1898, page 655), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the comptroller to issue corporate stock for a bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

Be it Enacted by the Municipal Assembly as follows:

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 1, 1898, reading as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 46 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, obtaining surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, as suggested by the mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements dated November 30, 1898; and

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

Sec. 2. That the comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof shall be applied by the comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
CONRAD H. HESTER, } Finance.
ADAM H. LEICH,

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—23.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 1348.-(S. R. 513.)

Report of the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, in favor of adopting ordinance to provide improved abutments for Hamilton Avenue Bridge, Borough of Brooklyn (Minutes of December 6, 1898, page 669).

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mandorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—22.

REPORTS OF FINANCE COMMITTEES RECEIVED.

No. 1349.-(S. R. 480.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Finance Department relative to amounts of townships in Queens County (see Minutes, March 15, 1898, page 557), recommend that the said communication be placed on file.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 14, 1898.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council:

SIR—Pursuant to the request contained in a resolution adopted by the Council, February 23, 1898, I have the honor to transmit herewith statements showing:

1. The taxes levied and assessed for the year 1898, for the payment of Queens County charges and expenses against the several towns of Queens County wholly within the limits of the Borough of Queens.

2. The amount of town, school and road or highway taxes collected during the months of January and February, 1898, in the Borough of Queens.

I assume that the aforesaid resolution was adopted with the view of obtaining information upon which to effect a settlement with the Board of Supervisors of the amount to be paid over to said County, as provided in section 1591 of the Charter.

Permit me to suggest that it will doubtless be found necessary, in order to properly effect such settlement, to obtain further information in regard thereto.

Should the Council so desire, I will take pleasure in detailing an expert accountant to confer with and assist the Committee of the Council having charge of this matter, and should this detail be so desired, I would also suggest the propriety of requesting the Corporation Counsel to detail one of his assistants to attend the conferences of such Committee.

I have the honor to be

Respectfully your obedient servant,

RODOLPH COLER, Comptroller.

Statement of Taxes, as Filed by the Board of Supervisors of Queens County, to be Levied in the Towns of Flushing, Jamaica and Newtown in the Year 1898, and of the Amounts Included in the Budget of Long Island City for the Same Year for the Following Purposes:

Town or Village.	State Taxes.	County Taxes.	General Taxes.	TOTAL.
Town of Flushing.....	\$27,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$30,000 00
Town of Jamaica.....	\$2,000 00	\$7,000 00	\$5,000 00	\$14,000 00
Town of Newtown.....	\$1,000 00	\$5,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$8,000 00
Long Island City.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$6,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Police.....	.....	\$1,000 00	.....	\$1,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Fire.....	.....	\$2,000 00	.....	\$2,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Sewer.....	.....	\$2,000 00	.....	\$2,000 00
TOTAL.....	\$32,000 00	\$19,000 00	\$11,000 00	\$62,000 00

Statement of Taxes, School and Road or Highway Taxes Levied by The City of New York since January 1, 1898, in the Year 1898, and for Amounts of Taxes of Former Years in the Town of Flushing, Jamaica and Newtown, and Amounts of Taxes of This and Former Years Levied in Long Island City, as Levied to be, Received from, Collector of Assessments and Taxes:

Town or Village.	Current Taxes.	Former Taxes.	TOTAL.
Town of Flushing.....	\$27,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$28,000 00
Town of Jamaica.....	\$2,000 00	\$7,000 00	\$9,000 00
Town of Newtown.....	\$1,000 00	\$5,000 00	\$6,000 00
Long Island City.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$4,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Police.....	.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Fire.....	.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
Long Island City, for the purpose of the Sewer.....	.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
TOTAL.....	\$32,000 00	\$19,000 00	\$51,000 00

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, } Committee on
CONRAD H. HESTER, } Finance.
ADAM H. LEICH,

Which was adopted.

No. 1350.-(S. R. 481.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting copies of resolutions to issue Corporate Stock for various purposes (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 607), respectfully recommend that the said communication and inclosures be placed on file.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 3, 1898.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council:

SIR—I transmit herewith certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 1, 1898, authorizing the Comptroller to issue bonds as follows:

- For school site on the northerly side of Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan..... \$149,640 00
- For school site on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, Borough of The Bronx..... 8,957 15
- For lot of Joseph M. Schenck in Houston Street Park proceeding, Borough of Manhattan..... 200 00

These resolutions require the approval of the Municipal Assembly, and I transmit herewith forms of resolutions, which I respectfully request you to submit to the Municipal Assembly for adoption.

Very truly yours,

RODOLPH COLER, Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted May 25, 1898, for one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty dollars and sixty cents (\$149,640.60), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on the northerly side of Sixty-fifth street and southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, being for awards one hundred and forty-seven thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty cents, for costs, charges and expenses, two thousand five hundred and twenty-four dollars; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty dollars and sixty cents (\$149,640.60).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 1, 1898.

CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted March 15, 1898, for eight thousand one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as a site for school

purpose, being a sum of twenty, eight thousand one hundred dollars, for costs, charges and expenses, eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 1, 1898.

CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of the City of New York to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200), to provide means for the payment of a bill of costs of Joseph M. Schenck, taxed by Hon. Minor R. Lawrence, a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial District, on November 18, 1898, in the proceeding to acquire title to lands required for a public park on Houston, Stanton, Van Weller and Sheriff streets, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1897, and chapter 520 of the Laws of 1897, being for his services as Clerk to the Commission for the months of September and October, 1898.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 1, 1898.

CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1314.—(S. R. 482.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed copies of resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock (see Minutes, November 29, 1898, page 934), respectfully recommend that the same be placed on file.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the resolution of the Board of Education, by resolution No. 10, of 1898, for the twenty-eight thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$28,157.15), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands in the northern part of Fifth Avenue, between Avenue D and E, in the Fourth Ward, as a site for various purposes, being against an award, twenty-nine thousand dollars; for costs, charges and expenses, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and sixty-five cents; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of twenty-five thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and sixty-five cents (\$25,732.65).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 22, 1898.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the resolution of the Board of Education, by resolution No. 10, of 1898, for the twenty-eight thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$28,157.15), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands in the northern part of Fifth Avenue, between Avenue D and E, in the Fourth Ward, as a site for various purposes, being against an award, twenty-nine thousand dollars; for costs, charges and expenses, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and sixty-five cents; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of twenty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty-seven cents (\$28,157.15).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 22, 1898.

CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1315.—(S. R. 483.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of paying \$200 to Charles Henry Fox, whose fee in a case in court, in Kings County, respectfully

REPORT:

That, same, and amend the same, they believe the proposed payment to be entirely out of the proper scope of the Municipal Assembly.

Resolved, That the resolution be placed on file.

Resolved, That the Auditor of the Department of Finance be directed to audit, and the Comptroller pay, the bill of Charles Henry Fox, whose fee in the case of the People vs. Joseph Fox and others in the County of Kings, amounting to eight dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$8.88), pursuant to chapter 28 of the Laws of 1895; the same to be taken from any available unappropriated funds.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1316.—(S. R. 484.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of transmitting to the Commission on the Administration of the City of New York, a copy of the report of the Commission on the Administration of the City of New York, for the year 1898, respectfully

Resolved, That the Comptroller be directed to forward to the Commission on the Administration of the City of New York, a copy of the report of the Commission on the Administration of the City of New York, for the year 1898, as a salary of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1317.—(S. R. 485.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Supreme Court of the City of New York, relative to an adjustment of records, respectfully

REPORT:

That, same, and amend the same, they recommend that the matter be placed on file.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1318.—(S. R. 486.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Supreme Court of the City of New York, relative to an adjustment of records, respectfully

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands in the northern part of Fifth Avenue, between Avenue D and E, in the Fourth Ward, as a site for various purposes, being against an award, twenty-nine thousand dollars; for costs, charges and expenses, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and sixty-five cents; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven cents (\$8,957.15).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 22, 1898.

SMITH COX, Supervisor of the Town of Hempstead, Queens County, N. Y.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

No. 1319.—(S. R. 487.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of an appropriation of \$1,000, for expenses for the use of the Commissioner of Bridges (see Minutes, November 29, 1898, page 934), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge contingent to the Department of Bridges of The City of New York, the Commissioner of Bridges may, by a requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum, payable from the special fund on deposit with the Comptroller to the credit of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, not exceeding one thousand dollars. Said sum to be used by said Commissioner of Bridges to meet emergencies on said New York and Brooklyn Bridge.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
November 28, 1898.

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

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith, for adoption by your Honorable Body, resolution authorizing the defraying of minor or incidental expenses on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge to the extent of one thousand dollars.

A like resolution, duly approved April 26, 1898, was passed by your Honorable Body, authorizing the use of a sum not to exceed five hundred dollars. Minor and incidental expenses to the amount of about four hundred dollars depleted said sum, so that but about \$100 remained to pay men employed under the emergency created by the recent snow storm. It cost about two hundred dollars to remove the snow from the bridge, and it is necessary that the men employed should be paid from the contingent sum immediately upon the completion of their work.

I therefore respectfully ask that your Honorable Body adopt a resolution authorizing the expenditure of a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars for the purpose of defraying minor or incidental expenses on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, chargeable as in said resolution suggested.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Cooley, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hotzenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—22.

Councilman Goodwin moved that the vote by which No. 663 was adopted be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Goodwin then moved the adoption of the report of the Councilman's Committee on Streets and Highways, in favor of adopting resolution to locate and lot in East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan (No. 663, S. R. 347, Minutes June 7, 1898, page 576).

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Cooley, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hotzenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 1320.—(S. R. 488.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolutions in favor of carrying with resolutions of Board of Estimate and Apportionment to issue corporate stock for expenses in acquiring park area (see Minutes, October 4, 1898, page 91), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolutions be adopted.

Whereas, \$100 of costs and expenses, amounting to two thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and eighty-one cents (\$2,994.81), has been used before Hon. J. W. Roosevelt, a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial District, on September 9, 1898, in the proceeding to acquire title to certain lands in a public park, pursuant to chapter 56 of the Laws of 1894, being for the following expenses:

Three months' rent of office of Commissioner to August 31, 1898	\$300 00
Salaries of Charles H. Latham, Clerk to Commissioner for nine months ending August 31, 1898	375 00
Expenses of Clerk of Commissioner for nine months ending August 31, 1898	9 86
Salaries of Thomas C. Wilson, Commissioner	770 00
Salaries of Conrad Harris, Commissioner	770 00
Salaries of Thos. Van Buren Hess, Commissioner	770 00
	\$2,994 86

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, in the amount of two thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and eighty-one cents (\$2,994.81).

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted September 22, 1898, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars and fifty cents (\$755.50) to provide for the payment of a bill of costs and expenses, taxed on September 19, 1898, in the proceeding to acquire title to certain lands required for a public park, bounded by Houston, Stanton, Van Weller and Sheriff streets, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1897, and chapter 520 of the Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 160 of the Greater New York Charter, in the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars and fifty cents (\$755.50) to provide for the payment of said expenses.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
ADAM H. LEICH,

Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Cooley, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hotzenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 1321.—(S. R. 542.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Board of Public Improvements to repave Rockwell place, between Fulton street and Lafayette avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, March 22, 1898, page 914), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with granite-block pavement of the carriage-way of Rockwell place, between Fulton and Lafayette avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the setting and resetting of the curbstones and the flagging and relaying of sidewalks along the line of said street where necessary, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, to and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Labor, Maintenance and Supplies," Borough of Brooklyn, for 1898.

JOHN L. MURPHY,
MARTIN ENGEL,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
BERNARD C. MURRAY,

Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Cooley, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hotzenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—23.

No. 1322.—(S. R. 543.)

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen permitting the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company to lay a railroad spur across Broadway, between Fisher avenue and Church street, in the Borough of Richmond (see Minutes, October 25, 1898, page 355), respectfully

REPORT:

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

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
MARTIN F. CONLEY,
JOSEPH CASSIDY,
WILLIAM J. HYLAND,
CHARLES H. FRANCISCO,
CONRAD H. HESTER,
HARRY C. HART,

Committee on
Railroads.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company to lay a switch or spur across Broadway, between Fisher avenue and Church street, Tottenville, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted, and the said resolution amended by adding after the word "steam" the words "or electric."

They therefore recommend that the said resolution, so amended, be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company to lay a switch or spur across Broadway, between Fisher avenue and Church street, Tottenville, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond, to connect with their premises on said Broadway, the car or cars on said tracks to be propelled by steam or electric engines only, the rails to be laid flush with the surface of Broadway, so as not to interfere with the use thereof by the public, the work to be done at the expense of the said Atlantic Terra Cotta Company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; that the pavement of said Broadway be relaid between said tracks and for a distance of two feet outside thereof, and to be kept continuously in repair by the said Atlantic Terra Cotta Company; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

MICHAEL LEDWITH,
FREDERICK F. FLECK,
JAMES S. SMITH,
JOHN T. McALL,
ELIAS GOODMAN,

Committee on
Railroads.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Condy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 1319.—(S. R. 465.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen, directing the lighting of additional lamps in front of the Washington Heights Baptist Church, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 646), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be desirable, but that a recommendation is preferable to a mandate, and amend the resolution accordingly.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be amended.

Resolved, That it be recommended that three additional lamp-posts be erected, street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of Washington Heights Baptist Church, at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Convent avenue, Borough of Manhattan, one to be placed in front of the side entrance on One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and the other two to be placed on Convent avenue side of said church, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
GEORGE H. MUNDORF,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,

Committee on
Public Buildings,
Lighting and
Supplies.

Which was adopted.

No. 1325.—(S. R. 466.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen to provide maps for departments, etc. (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 649), respectfully

REPORT:

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

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
GEORGE H. MUNDORF,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,

Committee on
Public Buildings,
Lighting and
Supplies.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

No. 1325.

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of directing the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to furnish proper maps for each borough office, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed maps to be necessary for the proper conduct of the said offices.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, Numerous petitions are being presented to the respective Boards of Local Improvements and the Municipal Assembly, calling for the opening, regulating, grading and paving of streets, the laying of water-mains, the naming and changing of names of streets, the establishing of grades and the changing of grade of streets, and other similar improvements; and

Whereas, The Charter requires that the Local Boards of Improvements for each district hold hearings and investigate all matters of such character; and

Whereas, Definite and reliable information on such matters is very difficult if not impossible to secure; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby directed to supply for each borough office a complete set of maps, which are now published (or may be in the near future) for each of said boroughs. Such maps to show house and lot numbers, buildings, dimensions of lots and blocks, width of streets, elevation at intersecting streets, water-mains, sewers, etc., said maps to cost not more than two hundred dollars for each borough, and the President of each borough to make the selection of the maps for his borough office.

Resolved, That these maps shall be open for inspection by each and every member of the Municipal Assembly in the office of the President of the respective boroughs during office hours.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL,
JAMES E. GAFFNEY,
FRANCIS J. BYRNE,
ELIAS GOODMAN,
JOSEPH GEISER,

Committee on
Public Buildings,
Lighting and
Supplies.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Condy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—25.

No. 1228.—(S. R. 467.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen to provide railings, etc., to protect records in office of the Clerk of Kings County (see Minutes, November 22, 1898, page 571), respectfully

REPORT:

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

GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
GEORGE H. MUNDORF,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,

Committee on
Public Buildings,
Lighting and
Supplies.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to erect railings, etc., for the better protection of records in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They offer the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That said resolution be amended by adding after the word "railings" the words "or other guard at the windows of said County Clerk's office."

They therefore recommend that the said resolution so amended be adopted.

Resolved, That, in order that better protection may be afforded to the public records in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and

Supplies be and he is hereby authorized and directed to erect in said office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, iron railings, or other guard, at the windows of said County Clerk's office, of a design and pattern to best serve the purposes of protecting the public records.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL,
JAMES E. GAFFNEY,
FRANCIS J. BYRNE,
ELIAS GOODMAN,
JOSEPH GEISER,

Committee on
Public Buildings,
Lighting and
Supplies.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Condy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Williams, and Wise—25.

COMMUNICATIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Aldermen:

No. 1439.

Whereas, By one of the immutable decrees of fate, Divine Providence has removed from among us a dearly beloved and prominent member of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, Edward S. Scott; and

Whereas, During the past Edward S. Scott has served in the Municipal Assembly he endeared himself to his colleagues of all political denominations by his sunny disposition, his kindness of heart, and his uprightness and integrity as a man; and

Whereas, The thousands who knew him and loved him in the Borough of Brooklyn will feel his untimely death to be a personal loss; and

Whereas, The members of this Body feel common sorrow for his sudden decease; therefore be it

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen and the City Clerk, be presented to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to carry these resolutions into effect.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Councilman McGarry then moved as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, that the Council do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said motions.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Council stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 20, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCHULZ, City Clerk.

BUDGET FOR 1899.

(PUBLISHED AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 229 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.)

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 216 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by the affirmative vote of all the members thereof, makes this the budget of The City of New York for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, being, first, the amounts estimated to be required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of said city for the said year, and secondly, the amounts estimated to be required to pay the State taxes and charges and expenses of the County of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, for the said year, amounting to the sum of one hundred and thirty million five hundred and twenty thousand and eighty-two dollars and four cents (\$130,520,882.04) as follows:

BUDGET FOR 1899.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE MAYORALTY.

Salary of the Mayor.....	\$15,000.00	
Salaries of Clerks and Subordinates, and Contingencies.....	20,000.00	\$35,000.00
Bureau of Licenses—Mayor's Office.....		
Salaries.....	10,000.00	
Contingencies.....	5,000.00	\$15,000.00

THE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY AND CITY CLERK.

City Contingencies.....		
Contingencies—City Clerk.....		
Salaries.....		
President of the Council.....	\$5,000.00	
Twenty-eight Councilmen, at \$1,500 each, per annum.....	42,000.00	
Sixty Aldermen, at \$2,000 each, per annum.....	120,000.00	
City Clerk.....	5,000.00	
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees of the Municipal Assembly, and in the office of the City Clerk.....	10,000.00	\$182,000.00

THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Cleaning Markets.....		
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....		
Salaries—Department of Finance.....		
Salary of the Comptroller.....	\$10,000.00	
Salaries—General Administration.....	100,000.00	
Salaries—Borough of Manhattan.....	100,000.00	
Salaries—Borough of Brooklyn.....	110,000.00	
Salaries—Borough of The Bronx.....	90,000.00	
Salaries—Borough of Queens.....	80,000.00	
Salaries—Borough of Richmond.....	50,000.00	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....		
Salary of the Chamberlain.....	\$10,000.00	
Salaries of Officers, Clerks, etc.....	20,000.00	
Contingencies—Chamberlain's Office.....		
		\$300,000.00

Interest on the City Debt.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Rate Per Cent.	Title of Bonds and Stocks	Maturity	Principal	Interest	Total Payments
3	Corporate Stock for Criminal Court-house.....	1921	\$2,000,000.00	.....	\$600,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for Armory Purposes.....	1921	2,500,000.00	.....	750,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for Department of Docks and Ferries.....	1922	5,000,000.00	15,000.00	
3½	Corporate Stock for Department of Docks and Ferries.....	1923	1,000,000.00	25,000.00	30,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for Payment of the Expenses of the Board of Health in the Condemnation of Buildings, etc.....	1913	300,000.00	.....	90,000.00
3	Corporate Stock, Public Park, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Streets, Ninth and Tenth Avenues.....	1921	5,000,000.00	.....	1,500,000.00
3	Corporate Stock, Construction and Improvement of St. John's Park.....	1910	20,000,000.00	.....	6,000,000.00
3	Corporate Stock, Construction and Improvement of Parkways.....	1911	40,000,000.00	.....	12,000,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for Constructing Bridges over Railroad Tracks at Gerard, Walton and River Avenues and Fort Independence Street.....	1922	10,000,000.00	240,000.00	
3½	Corporate Stock for Constructing Bridges over Railroad Tracks at Gerard, Walton and River Avenues and Fort Independence Street.....	1922	5,000,000.00	1,250,000.00	2,250,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for the New Aqueduct.....	1917	300,000,000.00	80,000,000.00	
3½	Corporate Stock for the New Aqueduct.....	1917	2,000,000,000.00	70,000,000.00	20,000,000.00
3	Corporate Stock for Sea Wall, East River Park.....	1911	25,000,000.00	.....	7,500,000.00
3½	Corporate Stock for the New East River Bridge.....	1928	2,000,000,000.00	700,000,000.00

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35	Corporate Stock for Construction, Transportation and Equipment of Court House in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the Third Department	1928	\$10,000.00	\$5,200.00
35	Corporate Stock for the Extension of Kingside Ferry to Barclay Street	1925	\$50,000.00	17,000.00
35	Corporate Stock for School Houses and Sites	1920	\$100,000.00	35,000.00
35	Corporate Stock for Construction, Extension of Building of Metropolitan Museum of Art	1925	\$100,000.00	37,000.00
35	Corporate Stock for Acquiring Land for Public Parks One Hundred and Eleventh Street and First Avenue, etc.	1925	\$125,000.00	55,000.00
2	Corporate Stock for the Construction of a Temporary Bridge and Approaches over the Jones River near Westchester Avenue	1919	12,000.00	200.00
45	Corporate Stock for Building, etc., Department of Education	1928	100,000.00	50,000.00
35	Corporate Stock for Building Jones Avenue	1925	50,000.00	24,000.00
35	Corporate Stock for the Supply, Protection of the Source of the West Supply	1927	1,000,000.00	\$10,000.00	
3	Corporate Stock for the Supply, Protection of the Source of the West Supply	1925	1,000,000.00	2,000.00	
35	Corporate Stock for Addition to Building American Museum of Natural History (except 1 and 2)	1925	10,000,000.00	3,700.00
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1	Assessment Bonds	1899	\$250,000.00	\$3,750.00	
2	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street)	1899	250,000.00	3,750.00	
3	Assessment Bonds (Improvement Park Avenue above One Hundred and Sixth Street)	1901	250,000.00	6,000.00	\$9,750.00
4	Assessment Fund Stock	1903	250,000.00	\$15,000.00	
5	Assessment Fund Stock	1910	250,000.00	30,000.00	35,000.00
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1901	250,000.00	\$15,000.00	
7	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1903	250,000.00	6,000.00	
8	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1905	250,000.00	14,000.00	
9	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1908	250,000.00	30,000.00	
10	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1909	250,000.00	30,000.00	\$15,000.00
11	Consolidated Stock—County	1901	\$185,000.00	\$5,150.00	
12	Consolidated Stock—City	1901	400,000.00	30,000.00	
13	Consolidated Stock—City	1902	1,000,000.00	5,000.00	
14	Consolidated Stock—City (Park Improvement Fund Stock)	1902	\$50,000.00	\$4,000.00	9,000.00
15	Consolidated Stock—City	1903	\$50,000.00	.....	\$4,000.00
16	Consolidated Stock—City	1904	2,000,000.00	.....	210,000.00
17	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge)	1905	200,000.00	\$17,000.00	
18	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge)	1906	250,000.00	40,000.00	
19	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge)	1910	175,000.00	3,250.00	47,500.00
20	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds)	1905	\$1,210.00	\$1,210.00	
21	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds)	1906	100,000.00	2,000.00	
22	Consolidated Stock (Police Department Bonds)	1910	20,000.00	700.00	1,000.00
23	Consolidated Stock (Fire Hydrant Stock)	1905	20,000.00	\$1,000.00	
24	Consolidated Stock (Fire Hydrant Stock)	1905	20,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00
25	Consolidated Stock (Washington Bridge Park)	1906	\$40,000.00	.....	\$2,000.00
26	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Avenue A)	1906	100,000.00	.....	2,000.00
27	Consolidated Stock (West Wing American Museum of Natural History)	1906	200,000.00	\$1,000.00	
28	Consolidated Stock (West Wing American Museum of Natural History)	1917	150,000.00	\$1,500.00	16,000.00
29	Consolidated Stock (Jerome Avenue Approach to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Bridge)	1906	100,000.00	.....	\$1,000.00
30	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards)	1906	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	
31	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards)	1907	100,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
32	Consolidated Stock (Construction and Improvement of Parkways)	1911	\$1,000.00	.....	2,000.00
33	Consolidated Stock (Cathedral Parkway, etc.)	1911	100,000.00	.....	2,000.00
34	Consolidated Stock (College of The City of New York)	1914	\$7,000.00	\$1,400.00	
35	Consolidated Stock (College of The City of New York)	1914	10,000.00	1,000.00	
36	Consolidated Stock (College of The City of New York)	1915	15,000.00	1,500.00	\$1,500.00
37	Consolidated Stock (New East River Bridge)	1917	100,000.00	\$6,000.00	
38	Consolidated Stock (New East River Bridge)	1918	100,000.00	\$6,000.00	12,000.00
39	Consolidated Stock (Awards, etc., Change of Grade)	1910	200,000.00	\$10,000.00	
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41	Consolidated Stock (Extension Metropolitan Museum of Art)	1910	200,000.00	2,000.00
42	Consolidated Stock (St. John's Cemetery Park)	1910	\$14,325.00	.....	19,400.00
43	Consolidated Stock (Improvement Public Parks, etc., New York City)	1912	100,000.00	\$1,000.00	
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45	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of Insane)	1915	177,000.00	\$6,105.00	
46	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of Insane)	1916	1,200,000.00	40,000.00	59,000.00
47	Consolidated Stock (Redemption of Bonds Maturing in 1916)	1924	5,000,000.00	.....	\$15,000.00
48	Consolidated Stock (Department Public Charities, Buildings, etc.)	1918	350,000.00	.....	19,000.00
49	Consolidated Stock (Department of Correction, Buildings, etc.)	1918	750,000.00	.....	3,750.00
50	Consolidated Stock (For Laying Water-mains)	1918	200,000.00	.....	14,000.00
51	Consolidated Stock (Street and Park Opening Fund Stock)	1918	1,000,000.00	.....	60,000.00
52	Consolidated Stock (For Redemption of Revenue Bonds—Fort Washington Park)	1918	\$57,310.00	.....	32,310.00
53	Consolidated Stock (For Redemption of Revenue Bonds—Appellate Division, Supreme Court)	1918	\$69,430.00	.....	15,430.00
54	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1920	400,000.00	\$14,000.00	
55	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1916	250,000.00	\$1,750.00	
56	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1917	400,000.00	14,000.00	
57	Consolidated Stock—City (Laurel, etc., for Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1918	400,000.00	14,000.00	\$4,750.00
58	Consolidated Stock—City (Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal)	1920	100,000.00	.....	2,400.00

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1928.

Rate Per Cent.	TYPE OF INVESTMENT STOCKS	Maturity	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST	TOTAL INTEREST.
1	Additional Croton Water Stock	1914	\$200,000.00	\$15,000.00	
1	Additional Croton Water Stock	1914	200,000.00	15,000.00	
2 1/2	Additional Croton Water Stock (Consolidated Stock)	1914	\$400,000.00	\$4,000.00	115,000.00
1	Additional Water Stock	1904	5,000,000.00	\$150,000.00	
1	Additional Water Stock	1905	5,000,000.00	150,000.00	
2 1/2	Additional Water Stock	1914	1,500,000.00	50,000.00	
1	Additional Water Stock	1907	\$200,000.00	\$4,000.00	
1	Additional Water Stock	1911	200,000.00	7,500.00	
1	Additional Water Stock	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00	
1	Additional Water Stock	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00	
2 1/2	Additional Water Stock (Con- solidated Stock)	1915	5,000,000.00	10,000.00	
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1	Additional Water Stock for the Security Provision of the Water Supply	1914	500,000.00	\$10,000.00	75,000.00
1 1/2	Additional Water Stock for the Security Provision of the Water Supply (Con- solidated Stock)	1912	\$15,000.00	5,000.00	17,000.00
1	Armory Bonds	1904	200,000.00	\$5,000.00	
1	Armory Bonds	1905	200,000.00	7,000.00	
1	Armory Bonds	1906	440,000.00	15,000.00	
1	Armory Bonds	1914	\$70,000.00	5,000.00	34,000.00

	Consolidated Stock—City New York City	1910	\$75,000 00	\$105 00	65,430 00
33	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of In- surance)	1912	\$77,000 00	86,105 00	
34	Consolidated Stock (State Taxes for Support of In- surance)	1910	1,200,000 00	89,000 00	89,105 00
35	Consolidated Stock (Redemption of Bonds Maturing in 1912)	1912	5,000,000 00		945,000 00
36	Consolidated Stock (Depart- ment of Public Charities, Buildings, etc.)	1912	350,000 00		19,450 00
37	Consolidated Stock (Depart- ment of Correction, Build- ings, etc.)	1913	750,000 00		8,750 00
38	Consolidated Stock (For Lay- ing Water-mains)	1913	400,000 00		14,000 00
39	Consolidated Stock (Street and Park Opening Fund Stock)	1913	1,668,867 50		65,110 00
40	Consolidated Stock (For Re- demption of Revenue Bonds—Fort Washington Park)	1913	867,316 68		32,332 81
41	Consolidated Stock (For Re- demption of Revenue Bonds—Appellate Division, Supreme Court)	1913	269,431 50		15,550 24
42	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1910	400,000 00	\$14,000 00	
43	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1916	250,000 00	8,750 00	
44	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at Third Avenue)	1917	400,000 00	14,000 00	
45	Consolidated Stock—City (Lands, etc., for Harlem River Bridge, at Third Avenue etc.)	1918	400,000 00	14,000 00	67,750 00
46	Consolidated Stock—City (Bridge over Harlem Ship Canal)	1920	100,000 00		2,400 00

Rate Per Cent.	TITLE OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	Maturity	Principal.	Interest.	TOTAL INVESTMENT.
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Harlem River Bridge at One Hundred and Fifty- fifth Street).....	1920	\$100,000 00	.....	\$100,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—City (Sedgwick Avenue and Ogden Avenue Approaches to One Hundred and Fifty- fifth Street Bridge).....	1920	73,000 00	.....	73,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1910	1,000,000 00	\$30,000 00	1,030,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1913	300,000 00	15,000 00	315,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1916	500,000 00	15,000 00	515,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1916	475,000 00	10,625 00	485,625 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1920	700,000 00	21,000 00	721,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1917	500,000 00	21,000 00	521,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Streets and Avenues).....	1918	1,100,000 00	40,000 00	1,140,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Repaving Third Avenue in Twenty- third Ward).....	1920	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—Purchase of Ward's Island, etc., etc.,	1913	679,409 74	.....	679,409 74
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock—City (New Parks, etc.).....	1909- 1920	6,337,000 00	.....	6,337,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Corleone Hook Park).....	1913	1,370,421 00	\$47,014 74	1,417,435 74
3	Consolidated Stock (Corleone Hook Park).....	1914	174,500 00	3,715 00	178,215 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Driveway).....	1920	800,000 00	\$24,000 00	824,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Public Driveway).....	1916	250,000 00	8,750 00	258,750 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Castle Garden and Aquarium).....	1920	70,000 00	.....	70,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock—East Wing, American Museum of Natural History).....	1920	925,000 00	.....	925,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock Improve- ment of Parks, Parkways and Drives, New York City and Pelham Park....	1920	310,000 00	.....	310,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (City Im- provement Stock).....	1915	778,772 75	.....	778,772 75
3	Consolidated Stock (Mulberry Bend Park).....	1904	1,584,321 00	\$47,514 73	1,631,835 73
3	Consolidated Stock (Mulberry Bend Park).....	1902	100,000 00	3,000 00	103,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Public Building, Crotona Park).....	1914	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Fire De- partment Bonds).....	1914	108,025 00	.....	108,025 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park and Drive).....	1914	150,000 00	85,700 00	235,700 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park and Drive).....	1912	900,000 00	7,000 00	907,000 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Riverside Park Improvement).....	1914	150,000 00	5,700 00	155,700 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1914	50,000 00	\$1,500 00	51,500 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1912	21,000 00	1,000 00	22,000 00
3 1/2	Consolidated Stock (Street Cleaning Department Plant).....	1918	150,000 00	3,250 00	153,250 00
3	Consolidated Stock (Seventh District Police and Ele- venth Judicial District Courts).....	1900	100,000 00	.....	100,000 00
3	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1905	171,000 00	\$8,550 00	179,550 00
3	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1905	284,000 00	11,760 00	295,760 00
3	Croton Water-main Stock.....	1909	1,184,000 00	150,800 00	1,334,800 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1914	155,000 00	10,550 00	165,550 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1910	300,000 00	15,000 00	315,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1917	300,000 00	15,000 00	315,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1915	300,000 00	15,000 00	315,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1919	1,000,000 00	30,000 00	1,030,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1920	1,050,000 00	31,500 00	1,081,500 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1921	1,250,000 00	37,500 00	1,287,500 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1922	80,000 00	5,000 00	85,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1923	85,000 00	25,500 00	110,500 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1924	1,125,000 00	33,750 00	1,158,750 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1925	1,150,000 00	34,500 00	1,184,500 00
3 1/2	Dock Bonds.....	1915	1,150,000 00	40,250 00	1,190,250 00
3 1/2	Dock Bonds.....	1914	550,000 00	17,500 00	567,500 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1908	100,000 00	8,400 00	108,400 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1909	200,000 00	10,000 00	210,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1905	744,000 00	44,640 00	788,640 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1903	300,000 00	21,000 00	321,000 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1902	150,000 00	12,500 00	162,500 00
3	Dock Bonds.....	1904	348,800 00	24,416 00	373,216 00
3 1/2	Dock Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1920	1,000,000 00	35,000 00	1,035,000 00
3 1/2	Dock Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1927	1,000,000 00	100,000 00	1,100,000 00
3 1/2	Dock Bonds (Consolidated Stock)—Additional.....	1928	1,750,000 00	61,250 00	1,811,250 00
3	New York Bridge Bonds (Consolidated Stock).....	1900- 1920	1,000,000 00	80,000 00	1,080,000 00
3	New York Bridge Bonds.....	1905	248,000 00	14,880 00	262,880 00
3	School-house Bonds.....	1908	1,675,945 29	\$102,278 36	1,778,223 65
3	School-house Bonds.....	1913	807,205 72	26,916 17	834,121 89
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1913	806,508 84	28,227 50	834,736 34
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1912	542,323 50	18,080 38	560,403 88
3	School-house Bonds.....	1913	754,560 75	22,636 82	777,197 57
3	School-house Bonds.....	1914	836,013 66	25,080 41	861,094 07
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1914	84,094 80	2,904 32	87,000 12
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1915	1,025,441 37	67,379 95	1,092,821 32
3 1/2	School-house Bonds (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1916	3,691,969 54	109,194 43	3,801,163 97
3	Sanitary Improvement School- house Bonds.....	1914	129,871 00	\$3,896 13	133,767 13
3 1/2	Sanitary Improvement School- house Bonds.....	1916	112,058 33	3,092 04	115,150 37
3	Water-main Stock (Consoli- dated Stock).....	1914	250,000 00	.....	250,000 00

Rate Per Cent.	TITLE OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	Maturity	Principal.	Interest.	TOTAL INVESTMENT.
7	TOWN OF WEST FARMS. Construction of Central Ave- nue.....	1899- 1917	\$247,000 00	\$17,000 00	264,000 00
7	Construction of the Southern Boulevard.....	1890- 1909	100,000 00	7,115 00	107,115 00
7	TOWN OF MORRISANIA. Construction of Central Ave- nue.....	1899- 1909	14,000 00	8,700 00	22,700 00
7	Construction of St. Ann's Avenue.....	1899- 1910	10,000 00	.....	10,000 00
3 1/2	TOWN OF WESTCHESTER. Improvement Bonds.....	1899- 1916	10,000 00	\$4,844 95	14,844 95
3 1/2	Improvement Bonds.....	1917- 1917	15,000 00	5,400 00	20,400 00
4	Union Free School, District No. 4— Bonds.....	1899- 1909	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00
4	District No. 2— Bonds.....	1899- 1917	15,000 00	4,300 00	19,300 00
5	Bonds.....	1906- 1916	10,000 00	1,500 00	11,500 00
4	District No. 4— Bonds.....	1899- 1909	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00
4	VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSBURG. Highway Improvement Bonds, Issue No. 1.....	1899- 1916	10,000 00	2,000 00	12,000 00
4	Highway Improvement Bonds, Issue No. 2.....	1907	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00
4	Highway Improvement Bonds, Issue No. 3.....	1905- 1917	10,000 00	1,200 00	11,200 00
5	Highway Improvement Bonds, Issue No. 4.....	1909- 1918	15,000 00	2,100 00	17,100 00
5	Highway Improvement Bonds, Issue No. 5.....	1910- 1914	15,000 00	1,500 00	16,500 00
5	Sewer Bonds.....	1915	175,000 00	1,750 00	176,750 00
4	VILLAGE OF WARREFIELD. Highway Improvement Bonds, Series No. 1.....	1899- 1909	10,000 00	600 00	10,600 00
4 1/2	Highway Improvement Bonds, Series No. 2.....	1906- 1908	11,000 00	980 00	11,980 00
4	Highway Improvement Bonds, Series No. 3.....	1902- 1903	10,000 00	880 00	10,880 00
4 1/2	Highway Improvement Bonds, Series No. 4.....	1904- 1909	10,000 00	600 00	10,600 00
4	TOWN OF EAST CHESTER. Union Free School, District No. 4— Bonds.....	.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
2	New District No. 4— Bonds.....	.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00
3	Additional amount required to keep a sufficient sum of money on deposit with Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London (in pursu- ance of agreement), for the payment of such coupons of the City and County of New York as may be presented to them.....	15,000 00

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THE CITY OF BROOKLYN AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.

Rate of Interest, Per Cent.	TITLE OF LOAN.	Maturity.	Amount of Loan.	Amount to be Paid for Interest.
5	Prospect Park.....	1914	\$1,000,000 00	\$50,000 00
7	Prospect Park.....	1915-1918	7,005,000 00	1,220,250 00
7	New York Bridge.....	1900-1924	2,450,000 00	131,500 00
7	Brooklyn City Bonds for Comple- tion of New York and Brooklyn Bridges.....	1905-1908	1,250,000 00	37,500 00
6	Brooklyn City Bonds for Comple- tion of New York and Brooklyn Bridges.....	1908-1912	2,550,000 00	155,000 00
5	Brooklyn City Bonds for Comple- tion of New York and Brooklyn Bridges.....	1917-1925	1,675,000 00	92,950 00
4	Brooklyn City Bonds for Comple- tion of New York and Brooklyn Bridges.....	1921-1928	1,834,000 00	75,350 00
4	Arrangement, 10/40 Bonds.....	1927	1,050,000 00	65,000 00
3 1/2	Arrangement, 10/40 Bonds.....	1924	700,000 00	24,500 00
4	City Bonds for Unpaid County Taxes Certificates of Indebtedness (Knick- erbocker Avenue Sewer).....	1906-1907	49,100 00	1,474 83
3 1/2	Certificates of Indebtedness (Knick- erbocker Avenue Sewer).....	1899-1905	108,000 00	6,375 00
3	Main Sewer Relief and Extension.....	1908-1916	607,000 00	18,210 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension.....	1909-1917	1,150,000 00	30,395 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension.....	1913	30,000 00	1,750 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension, Consolidated Gold Stock.....	1915	50,000 00	1,750 00
4	Main Sewer Relief and Extension.....	1912-1912	200,000 00	8,000 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension.....	1910	218,000 00	7,630 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension, Consolidated Gold Stock.....	1917	50,000 00	1,750 00
3 1/2	Main Sewer Relief and Extension, Consolidated Gold Stock.....	1917	15,000 00	525 00

Sl. No.	Particulars	Amount	Debit	Credit
1.	Balance b/d			
2.	By Cash			
3.	By Bank			
4.	By Debtors			
5.	By Creditors			
6.	By Balance c/d			
7.	Total			

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Rate Per Cent	Title of Bonds	Maturity	Principal	Interest
	VILLAGE OF ABERDEEN-BY-THE-SEA.			
5	Village Building Bonds	1917-1924	\$5,000.00	\$400.00
5	Highway Improvement Bonds	1920-1927	5,000.00	400.00
5	Drainage Bonds, Dredging, Amstel Canal Sluice	1915-1920	5,000.00	400.00
5	Drainage Bonds, Construction, Amstel Canal Sluice	1908-1914	5,000.00	400.00
5	Drainage Bonds, Contingent and Acquisition of Amstel Land	1907-1909	5,000.00	400.00
5	Drainage Bonds, Culverts and Ditches	1915-1920	5,000.00	400.00
5	Street Improvement Bonds	1908-1927	5,000.00	400.00
5	Street Opening Bonds	1908-1920	5,000.00	400.00
5	Statewide Improvement Bonds	1918-1925	4,000.00	320.00
	VILLAGE OF FIVE ROCHWAY.			
4	Sewerage System Bonds	1916	75,000.00	3,750.00
5	Sewerage System Bonds	1917	50,000.00	2,500.00
5	Sewerage System Bonds	1921-1923	50,000.00	2,500.00
5	Street Improvement Bonds	1909-1920	50,000.00	2,500.00
4	Street Improvement Bonds	1909-1913	50,000.00	2,500.00
5	Street Improvement Bonds	1921-1923	50,000.00	2,500.00
4	Street Improvement Bonds	1924-1925	50,000.00	2,500.00

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Rate Per Cent	Title of Bonds	Maturity	Principal	Interest
	RICHMOND COUNTY.			
4 1/2	Bonding Bonds of 1899	1909	\$50,000.00	\$2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1894, Series "B"	1904	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1894, Series "C"	1904	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1895, Series "D"	1905	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1895, Series "E"	1905	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1896, Series "F"	1906	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1896, Series "G"	1906	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1896, Series "H"	1906	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1896, Series "I"	1906	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	" 1896, Series "J"	1906	50,000.00	2,500.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "A"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "B"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "C"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "D"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "E"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "F"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "G"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "H"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "I"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
4 1/2	Improving and Maintaining County Roads, Series "J"	1913	100,000.00	5,000.00
	TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN.			
5	Building and Repairing Road Bonds	1899-1900	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1901	10,000.00	500.00
4	To replace Bonds of 1899	1899-1903	27,000.00	1,350.00
	<i>Union Free School Bonds.</i>			
	District No. 1—			
5	Bonds	1899-1917	40,000.00	2,000.00
	District No. 2—			
5	Bonds	1899-1914	35,000.00	1,750.00
	TOWN OF NORTHELD.			
5	Road Improvement Bonds	1917	10,000.00	500.00
	<i>Union Free School Bonds.</i>			
	District No. 1, Town of Northfield and Southfield—			
5	Bonds	1899-1900	400.00	20.00
	District No. 2—			
4 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	2,500.00	125.00
	District No. 3—			
5	Bonds	1900-1914	5,000.00	250.00
	District No. 4—			
5	Bonds	1899-1920	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 5—			
5	Bonds	1899-1900	5,000.00	250.00
	District No. 6—			
5	Bonds	1900-1915	45,000.00	2,250.00
	District No. 7—			
4 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	2,500.00	125.00
	District No. 8—			
4 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	2,500.00	125.00
	District No. 9—			
4 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	2,500.00	125.00

Rate Per Cent	Title of Bonds	Maturity	Principal	Interest
	District No. 3—			
5	Bonds	1899	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1899-1915	5,000.00	250.00
	TOWN OF SOUTHFIELD.			
5	Bonds for paying and retiring out- standing Bonds and Coupons is- sued by Town of Southfield and Macadamized Roads	1899-1915	50,000.00	2,500.00
5	Bonds to construct and repair cer- tain mentioned highways	1917	10,000.00	500.00
5	Bonds to grade and macadamize Southfield Boulevards	1917	10,000.00	500.00
	Union Free School Bonds.			
	District No. 1—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	10,000.00	500.00
	District No. 2 (Southfield and Mac- adamized)—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 3—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 4—			
5 1/2	Bonds	1899	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 5—			
5	Bonds	1899	5,000.00	250.00
	District No. 6—			
5	Bonds	1899-1914	25,000.00	1,250.00
	TOWN OF WESTFIELD.			
4	Road Improvement Bonds	1900	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1917	10,000.00	500.00
5	Certificate of Indebtedness	1917	5,000.00	250.00
	Union Free School Bonds.			
	District No. 1—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 2—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 3—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 4—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 5—			
5	Bonds	1899-1914	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 6—			
5 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	TOWN OF LACOLETON.			
	Union Free School Bonds.			
	District No. 1 (Lacoleton and Middlebury)—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 2—			
5	Bonds	1899	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 3—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 4—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 5—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 6—			
5	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	District No. 7—			
5 1/2	Bonds	1899-1915	25,000.00	1,250.00
	TOWN OF EDGEWATER.			
4	Village Hall Bonds	1901	5,000.00	500.00
	VILLAGE OF TOTENVILLE.			
5 1/2	Water Bonds	1900-1915	2,000.00	100.00
5 1/2	"	1900-1915	2,000.00	100.00
5 1/2	Street Bonds	1902-1915	5,000.00	250.00
5 1/2	Road Bonds	1903-1914	5,000.00	250.00
	VILLAGE OF PORT RICHMOND.			
5	Bonded Certificate of Indebtedness	1900	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1900	5,000.00	250.00
5	"	1901	5,000.00	250.00
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1900		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1910		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1920		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1930		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1940		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1950		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1960		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1970		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1980		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
1990		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
2000		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
2010		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
2020		1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000

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<p> Project: <i>Project 1: The Role of the Teacher</i> Author: <i>John Doe</i> Date: <i>10/26/2010</i> </p>	<p> Abstract: <i>This project explores the role of the teacher in the classroom, focusing on the importance of communication and collaboration.</i> </p>
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IV. BONDING TO THE HYDROLYZED ACYLIMIDE

For the Purchase and Erection of the Improvement of "Boyle and Forest"	Chap. 106, Laws of 1893	\$7,000 00	2,000 00
For the Purchase and Erection of the Improvement of "Miller and Terry"	Chap. 106, Laws of 1893, as amended by Section 10, Chap. 275, Laws of 1897.	.....	16,000 00
For the New Aqueduct	(Chapter 106, Laws of 1893.) Sec. 249 General Finance Act of 1893, and Sec. 106 of Chap. 106, Laws of 1897.	.....	10,000 00
To Provide for a Further Supply of Potable and Wastewater	Chap. 284, Laws of 1893.	.....	2,000 00
For the Survey, Protection of the Source of the Water Supply, and	Chap. 284, Laws of 1893.	.....	11,000 00
For School House and Sites	Chap. 176, Laws of 1893, and Act supplementary thereto, and supplementary thereto.	.....	.....
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx .....	.....	1,000,000 00	.....
Borough of Brooklyn .....	.....	2,000,000 00	17,000 00
Municipal of Queens .....	.....	50,000 00	.....
Borough of Richmond .....	.....	100,000 00	.....
		\$7,000,000 00	
For Fair Grounds	Chap. 176, Laws of 1893.	1,000,000 00	4,450 00
For Central Park	Chap. 10, Laws of 1893.	1,000,000 00	2,000 00
For Riverside Park	Chap. 134, Laws of 1894.	1,000,000 00	7,200 00
For St. Nicholas Park	Chap. 160, Laws of 1894. Chap. 320, Laws of 1895.	1,000,000 00	12,000 00
For Public Park at One Hundred and Seventh Street and First Avenue	Chap. 745, Laws of 1895.	400,000 00	1,000 00
For Riverside Park Extension	Chap. 725, Laws of 1895.	400,000 00	10,000 00
For Public Park at One Hundred and Ninety-second Street and Third Boulevard	Chap. 337, Laws of 1895.	50,000 00	1,000 00
For Public Park at Twenty-third Ward	Chap. 334, Laws of 1895. Chap. 70, Laws of 1897.	250,000 00	24,000 00
For Public Park at Houston and Essex Streets	Chap. 290, Laws of 1895. Chap. 70, Laws of 1897.	1,000,000 00	3,000 00
For Public Park at Division Street	Chap. 300, Laws of 1895. Chap. 333, Laws of 1895.	100,000 00	10,000 00

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Received 10 November 2004; accepted 12 February 2005

11. *Mathematical Foundations of Quantum Mechanics*, by John von Neumann, Princeton University Press, 1955.

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THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED FROM 10 JANUARY 1, 1898.

Page for City	PRICE OF BOND	AMOUNT
	TOWN OF WEST FARM.	
2	Construction of Central Avenue.....	1899
7	Construction of Southern Boulevard.....	1899
	TOWN OF MORRISTOWN.	
7	Construction of Central Avenue.....	1899
7	Construction of St. Ann's Avenue.....	1899
	TOWN OF WESTCHESTER.	
18	Improvement Bonds.....	1899
4	Bonds of Union Free School District No. 1.	1899
4	Bonds of Union Free School District No. 2 (First Issue).....	1899
4	Bonds of Union Free School District No. 4.	1899
	VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSBURG.	
4	Highway Improvement Bonds (First Issue).....	1899
	VILLAGE OF WARRENFIELD.	
4	Highway Improvement Bonds (First Issue).....	1899
	TOWN OF EAST CHESTER.	
45	Bonds of Union Free School District No. 4.	1899
5	Bonds of Union Free School, New District No. 4.....	1899
		\$25,251 10

Date	Location	Person or Firm	For What Purpose	Leave Expires	Annual Rental	Amount to be Paid
1897, Dec. 31	New Yorker Steam Heating Co.	Tracy Row, 24, 26 and part of 4th floor	Law Department	May 1, 1898	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
1898, Jan. 1	Frederick Hartman	Garden building, corner Chambers st. and West Broadway, 9th floor	Law Department	May 1, 1899	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
1898, Nov. 1	Eugene Kelly	Temple Court, Rooms 1001 and 1002	Law Department	May 1, 1899	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
1898, Nov. 1	Eugene Kelly	Temple Court, Rooms 1001 and 1002	Public Address Unit	May 1, 1899	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
1898, Apr. 1	Henry Hill	No. 40 Broadway, Room 1001	Law Department	May 1, 1899	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
1898, Mar. 1	Frederick Hartman	Palmer St. January 1, 1898	Law Department	May 1, 1899	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
1898, Apr. 1	Henry Hill	No. 40 Broadway, Room 1001	Law Department	May 1, 1899	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
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BUREAU OF THE BROS.

Administration.....	\$14,240 00
Maintenance and Construction.....	23,000 00
Maintenance of Botanical Gardens.....	30,000 00
Maintenance of Zoological Gardens.....	30,000 00
Music.....	3,000 00
Contingencies.....	3,000 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	10,000 00

\$104,240 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BROS.

Salaries.....	\$40,472 30
Supplies.....	87,500 00
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	107,000 00
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc.....	30,000 00
Poor Adult Blind.....	30,000 00
Rents for Harlem and Fordham Hospitals.....	10,000 00
Rent for Gouverneur Hospital Stables.....	1,000 00
Clothing for Insane Patients.....	5,000 00
Clothing for Epileptics sent to Craig Colony.....	500 00
Donations to Grand Army Veterans.....	10,000 00
Lodging-houses for Homeless Men.....	20,000 00
New Ambulances, Homes, Harness and Repairs.....	5,000 00
Burial of Veterans and Headstones.....	5,000 00

\$1,580,750 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Salaries.....	\$113,194 00
Supplies.....	18,000 00
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	3,000 00
Burial of Pauper Dead.....	2,000 00
Transportation of Paupers.....	300 00
Poor Adult Blind.....	10,000 00
Rents.....	2,500 00
Clothing for Insane Patients.....	2,500 00
Burial of Veterans and Headstones.....	5,000 00
Donations to Grand Army Veterans.....	10,000 00

\$157,494 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Salaries.....	\$4,000 00
Supplies.....	25,000 00
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	500 00
Poor Adult Blind.....	1,000 00
Donations to Grand Army Veterans.....	2,000 00
Burial of Veterans and Headstones.....	500 00

\$32,500 00

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Salaries.....	\$241,485 00
Supplies.....	242,000 00
Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus.....	20,000 00
Repairs of Steamboats.....	10,000 00
Donations to Discharged Prisoners.....	5,000 00
Transportation, Maintenance and Expenses of Insane Criminals.....	500 00
Repairs to Sex Wall, Blackwell's Island.....	5,000 00
Improvement of Riker's Island.....	2,500 00

\$514,485 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$20,000 00
Supplies.....	700 00
Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus.....	25,000 00
Donations to Discharged Prisoners.....	4,000 00
Transportation and Maintenance and Expenses of Insane Criminals.....	1,500 00
Purchase of Supplies Needed in Kings County Penitentiary.....	25,000 00

\$70,100 00

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Salaries—Board of Health and Secretary's Office.....	\$10,000 00
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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Salaries.....	\$245,000 00
Law Expenses—Marshall's Fees.....	2,000 00
Contingent Expenses.....	14,250 00
For Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	55,000 00
Sanitary Police.....	70,000 00
Disinfection.....	15,000 00
Hospital Fund.....	11,000 00
Bacteriological Laboratory.....	49,500 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	45,000 00
For Maintenance of Volunteer Life Saving Corps.....	1,000 00

\$517,750 00

BOROUGH OF THE BROS.

Salaries.....	\$51,500 00
Contingent Expenses.....	5,000 00
Disinfection.....	2,000 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	5,000 00
Hospital Fund.....	10,000 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	4,750 00
Sanitary Police.....	5,250 00
New Pavilion for Contagious Diseases at Riverside Hospital.....	5,000 00

\$88,750 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$120,000 00
Contingent Expenses.....	5,000 00
Disinfection.....	5,000 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	14,000 00
Hospital Fund.....	25,000 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	14,000 00
Support of Ambulance Service.....	20,000 00
Law Expenses—Marshall's Fees.....	1,500 00
Sanitary Police.....	30,000 00
Hospital for Contagious Diseases.....	15,000 00

\$250,500 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Salaries.....	\$15,400 00
Contingent Expenses.....	1,000 00
Disinfection.....	2,500 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	15,000 00
Hospital Fund.....	2,000 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	3,000 00
Support of Ambulance Service.....	3,400 00
Sanitary Police.....	2,100 00

\$50,600 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Salaries.....	\$20,000 00
Contingent Expenses.....	1,000 00
Disinfection.....	2,000 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	15,000 00
Hospital Fund.....	2,000 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	5,000 00
Sanitary Police.....	4,000 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	5,000 00

\$50,000 00

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund.....	\$10,555,000 00
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force and Employees.....	20,000 00
Supplies for Police.....	25,000 00
Police Station houses, Alterations, Fitting-up, etc.....	50,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Central Department and Station-houses, etc.....	30,000 00
Additions to Mounted Squad.....	15,000 00
Police Station-houses, Rents.....	30,200 00

\$11,695,200 00

THE BUREAU OF ELECTIONS.

Election Expenses.....	477,988 00
For Expenses made necessary by the Primary Election Law (chapter 175, Laws of 1898).....	218,045 00

\$696,033 00

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BROS.

Administration.....	\$207,730 00
Sweeping, including Sunday pay for Hostlers.....	1,405,144 50
Carting, including Sunday pay for Hostlers.....	1,049,744 50
Final Disposition of Material, including Cremation or Utilization.....	415,344 72
Rents and Contingencies.....	171,500 40
Removal of Snow and Ice.....	40,000 00
New Stock Plant.....	20,000 00

\$3,219,469 12

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Administration.....	\$9,537 50
To April 1, 1899.....	60,427 50
From April 1, 1899.....	\$69,965 00

\$139,992 50

Sweeping, including Sunday pay of Hostlers—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,405,144 50
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,049,744 50

Carting, including Sunday pay of Hostlers—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,049,744 50
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,049,744 50

Final Disposition of Material, including cremation or utilization—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$415,344 72
From April 1, 1899.....	\$415,344 72

Rents and Contingencies—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$171,500 40
From April 1, 1899.....	\$171,500 40

Removal of Snow and Ice—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$40,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$40,000 00

New Stock Plant—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$20,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$20,000 00

Administration—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$9,537 50
From April 1, 1899.....	\$60,427 50

Carting, including Sunday pay of Hostlers—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,049,744 50
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,049,744 50

Final Disposition of Material, including cremation or utilization—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$415,344 72
From April 1, 1899.....	\$415,344 72

Rents and Contingencies—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$171,500 40
From April 1, 1899.....	\$171,500 40

Removal of Snow and Ice—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$40,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$40,000 00

New Stock Plant—

To April 1, 1899.....	\$20,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$20,000 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BROS.

Salaries.....	\$44,000 00
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	22,000 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	22,000 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Fire Alarm Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Remounting Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Hospital and Training Station Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.....	10,000 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00

Salaries—

Headquarters Pay-roll.....	22,000 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	22,000 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Fire Alarm Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Remounting Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Hospital and Training Station Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.....	10,000 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00

Maintenance of Volunteer Fire Systems—

Town of Rockaway Beach.....	\$5,000 00
Town of Far Rockaway.....	5,000 00
Town of Flushing.....	5,000 00
Town of College Point.....	5,000 00
Lawsonville.....	5,000 00
Industrial Union.....	5,000 00
Town of New Lots.....	5,000 00
Town of Whitestone.....	5,000 00
Town of Jamaica.....	5,000 00
Town of Woodhaven.....	5,000 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$10,000 00
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	5,000 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	5,000 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Fire Alarm Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Remounting Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Hospital and Training Station Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.....	10,000 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00

Salaries—

Headquarters Pay-roll.....	5,000 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	5,000 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Fire Alarm Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	20,000 00
Remounting Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Hospital and Training Station Pay-roll.....	10,000 00
Building Superintendent Pay-roll.....	10,000 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....

To April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00
From April 1, 1899.....	\$1,000 00

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$10,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BROS.

Salaries.....	\$104,000 00
Board of Assessors' Salaries.....	5,000 00
Board of Fire Marshal's Salaries.....	5,000 00
Contingencies and Transportation.....	10,000 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$10,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

Salaries.....	\$10,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Salaries of Commissioners.....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees.....	24,000 00
Maps.....	5,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Salaries of five Assessors, at \$5,000 each.....	\$25,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Clerk, etc.....	\$5,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Special School Fund.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other Employees.....	\$44,000 00
Support of National School.....	10,000 00
National School Construction.....	10,000 00
Rents and the Erection of Temporary School Premises.....	9,850 00
Fuel.....	200 00
Lighting.....	1,000 00
Fundamental Expenses.....	20,000 00

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BROS.

Salaries.....	\$175,431 00
School Libraries.....	10,000 00
Libraries and Apparatus—Regatta School.....	500 00
General Repairs.....	10,000 00
Furniture and Repairs of.....	21,000 00
Unfinished Repairs of.....	5,000 00
Fire Alarm.....	5,000 00
Transportation.....	5,000 00
Fuel.....	145,000 00
Lighting.....	5,000 00
Incidental Expenses.....	25,000 00
Rents and the Erection of Temporary School Premises.....	100,000 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$175,431 00
School Libraries.....	10,000 00
Libraries and Apparatus—Regatta School.....	500 00
General Repairs.....	10,000 00
Furniture and Repairs of.....	21,000 00
Unfinished Repairs of.....	5,000 00
Fire Alarm.....	5,000 00
Transportation.....	5,000 00
Fuel.....	145,000 00
Lighting.....	5,000 00
Incidental Expenses.....	25,000 00
Rents and the Erection of Temporary School Premises.....	100,000 00

Borough of Queens.	
Supplies	\$77,115 00
School Libraries	594 75
Libraries and Apparatus—Reginald School	400 00
General Repairs	51,210 00
Painting and Repairs of	21,000 00
Furnishings and Repairs of	5,750 00
Fire Alarms	2,500 00
Transportation	4,000 00
Investigations	3,000 00
Fuel	15,462 75
Lighting	4,000 00
Industrial Experiments	4,750 00
Rent and for location of Temporary School Premises	12,050 00
	\$213,514 50
Borough of Richmond.	
Supplies	\$46,381 00
School Libraries	207 42
Libraries and Apparatus—Reginald School	100 00
General Repairs	59,850 24
Painting and Repairs of	4,250 00
Furnishings and Repairs of	3,000 00
Fire Alarms	2,500 00
Transportation	200 00
Investigations	1,000 00
Fuel	14,000 00
Lighting	7,500 00
Industrial Experiments	4,000 00
Rent and for location of Temporary School Premises	1,000 00
	\$100,881 75
General School Fund.	
Salaries of Teachers in Public Schools and of Supervisors of Special Schools:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$4,554,495 00
Borough of Brooklyn	2,514,000 00
Borough of Queens	300,000 00
Borough of Richmond	100,000 00
	\$7,468,495 00
Salaries of Additional Teachers:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$65,285 00
Borough of Brooklyn	77,000 00
Borough of Queens	30,000 00
Borough of Richmond	12,000 00
	\$184,285 00
Salaries of Training School Teachers:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$2,000 00
Plus District and Visiting Salaries:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	75,000 00
For Addition to and Augmentation of Salaries of Teachers other than Supervisors of Special Schools, High School Teachers and Teachers of Special Subjects:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$150,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	50,000 00
	\$200,000 00
Salaries of Teachers in Public Schools:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$17,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	40,000 00
Borough of Queens	20,000 00
Borough of Richmond	10,000 00
	\$87,000 00
Salaries of Teachers and Janitors in Printing Schools:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$24,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	50,000 00
Borough of Queens	15,000 00
Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
	\$94,000 00
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other Employees:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$10,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	25,000 00
Borough of Queens	10,000 00
Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
	\$50,000 00
Salaries of School Superintendents:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$15,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	40,000 00
Borough of Queens	10,000 00
Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
	\$70,000 00
Lawrence	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$10,000 00
Borough of Queens	5,000 00
Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
	\$20,000 00
Compulsory Education:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$10,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	5,000 00
Borough of Queens	5,000 00
Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
	\$25,000 00
Corporate Schools:	
Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx	\$10,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	5,000 00
	\$15,000 00
	\$7,513,780 00
	\$12,000,000 00

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York	
For Salaries of Professors and Officers, Scientific Apparatus, Books and Supplies, Support and Maintenance, and all other expenses, including alterations and repairs to buildings (section 1134, Greater New York Charter)	\$200,000 00

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Normal College	
For Salaries of Professors, Teachers and others in the Normal College and in the Training Department of the Normal College; for Scientific Apparatus, Books and all necessary supplies, support, for Renting and Altering the College Buildings, and for the Support, Maintenance and General Expenses of the same, pursuant to section 1144 of the Greater New York Charter	\$75,000 00

CORONERS.

SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CORONERS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.	
Salaries of 3 Coroners, at \$5,000 each	\$15,000 00
Salaries of 3 Physicians, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses of a Coroner, including Clerk and Office Hire, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical Analysis	3,000 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of Reporter to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of 2 Assistant Clerks, for night service, at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
	\$60,000 00
SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CORONERS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	
Salaries of 3 Coroners, at \$5,000 each	\$15,000 00
Salaries of 3 Physicians, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses of a Coroner, including Clerk and Office Hire, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical Analysis	3,000 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of Reporter to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of 2 Assistant Clerks, for night service, at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
	\$60,000 00
SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CORONERS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.	
Salaries of 3 Coroners, at \$5,000 each	\$15,000 00
Salaries of 3 Physicians, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses of a Coroner, including Clerk and Office Hire, at \$5,000 each	15,000 00
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical Analysis	3,000 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of Reporter to Board of Coroners	2,000 00
Salary of 2 Assistant Clerks, for night service, at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
	\$60,000 00
SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CORONERS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.	
Salaries of 3 Coroners, at \$4,000 each	\$12,000 00
Salaries of 3 Physicians, at \$4,000 each	12,000 00
Salary of the Clerk to the Board of Coroners	1,000 00
Contingent Expenses of 3 Coroners, at \$1,000 each	3,000 00
Post-mortem Examinations—Chemical Analysis	200 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coroners	1,000 00
Salary of Assistant Clerk, for night service	1,450 00
	\$25,650 00

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Salaries of 2 Commissioners, at \$5,000 each	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Assistants and Contingencies	10,000 00
	\$20,000 00
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.	
Civil Service of The City of New York, Expenses of	\$5,000 00
BOARD OF CITY RECORD.	
Publication of the City Record, including Arrangements	\$5,000 00
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices, including Arrangements	15,000 00
City Record—Salaries	15,000 00
City Record—Contingencies	1,000 00
	\$36,000 00
BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.	
Salary of Chief of the Bureau	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants	2,000 00
Contingencies	500 00
	\$7,500 00
EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.	
Examiners' Fees	\$5,000 00
Salary of Clerk	1,000 00
Supplies and Contingencies	500 00
	\$6,500 00
FOR LIBRARY PURPOSES.	
For allowances to the following named libraries, pursuant to chapter 378, Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 836, Laws of 1897, viz:	
New York Free Circulating Library	\$15,000 00
Amelia Free Library Society	10,000 00
Welfare Free Library	5,000 00
Cathedral Free Circulating Library	5,000 00
Free Library of the University Settlements Society	5,000 00
Washington Heights Free Library	5,000 00
Stationaries Free Library of District No. 1 of the Independent Order Bero	5,000 00
Berth	5,000 00
St. Agnes Free Library	5,000 00
Young Women's Christian Association Library	5,000 00
Harlem Library	5,000 00
General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of The City of New York	5,000 00
Tenement-house Chapter Library	5,000 00
Union for Christian Work	5,000 00
Public Library, Brooklyn	5,000 00
New Direct Free Library	5,000 00
Fort Hamilton Free Library	5,000 00
Bay Ridge Free Library	5,000 00
New York Free circulating Library for the Blind	5,000 00
Long Island City Public Library	5,000 00
Flushing Free Library	5,000 00
	\$100,000 00
THE CITY COURT OF NEW YORK.	
Salaries of Justices	\$50,000 00
Salaries of Clerk, Deputy Clerk and Employees	37,000 00
	\$87,000 00
MUNICIPAL COURTS, CITY OF NEW YORK.	
12 Justices, at \$5,000 each	\$60,000 00
12 Clerks, at \$5,000 each	60,000 00
12 Clerks, at \$2,500 each	30,000 00
12 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,500 each	30,000 00
12 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,500 each	30,000 00
12 Stenographers, at \$2,000 each	24,000 00
12 Interpreters, at \$2,000 each	24,000 00
12 Attendants, at \$2,000 each (being 1 for each Court in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn, and 2 for each Court in the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond)	24,000 00
Compensation of Clerk, acting as Secretary	5,000 00
Contingencies to be determined by the Controller by the President of the Board of Justices	5,000 00
	\$216,000 00
COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS—FIRST DIVISION.	
Salaries of 1 Justice	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Employees, etc.	24,000 00
Contingencies	1,000 00
	\$30,000 00
COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS—SECOND DIVISION.	
Salaries of 1 Justice	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Employees, etc.	24,000 00
Salary of Clerk for the Borough of Richmond	5,000 00
Salary of Clerk for the Borough of Queens	5,000 00
Contingencies	1,000 00
	\$40,000 00
CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS—FIRST DIVISION.	
Salaries of City Magistrates	\$24,000 00
Salaries of Police Clerks, Police Clerks' Assistants, Bailiffs, etc.	75,000 00
Contingencies	300 00
	\$99,300 00
CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS—SECOND DIVISION.	
Eight City Magistrates, at \$5,000 each per annum	\$40,000 00
Five City Magistrates, at \$5,000 each per annum	\$25,000 00
	\$65,000 00
Salaries of Clerks, Assistant Clerks, Stenographers and Employees	25,000 00
Contingencies	500 00
	\$90,500 00
CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.	
Children's Aid Society	\$25,000 00
(Section 229, Greater New York Charter.)	
The Children's Fund of the City of New York	
(Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of children, 200, at \$25 per week each	\$125,000 00
Deficiency for 1898	500 00
	\$125,500 00
American Female Guardian Society	25,000 00
(Section 231, Greater New York Charter.)	
Hebrew Benevolent and Ordinal Asylum Society	
(Section 232, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 100, at \$100 per annum each	100,000 00
New York Foundling Hospital	
(Section 233, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of children, 2,100, at 10 cents per day each	\$63,000 00
Estimated number of needy and homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 100, at \$10 per month	12,000 00
Estimated number of substantial cases, 50, at \$25 each	12,500 00
Deficiency for 1898	24,500 00
	\$112,000 00
New York Catholic Prosestary	
(Section 234, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,000, at \$10 per annum each	20,000 00
New York Infirmary for Women and Children	
(Section 235, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated number of substantial cases, 100, at \$40 each	4,000 00
New York Juvenile Asylum	
(Section 236, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,000, at \$10 per annum each	10,000 00
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled	
(Section 237, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 100, at \$20 per annum each	2,000 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital	
(Section 238, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of children, 475, at \$20 per month each	\$118,000 00
Estimated average number of lying-in women, 70, at \$5 per week each	18,200 00
	\$136,200 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd	
Estimated average number of inmates, 150, at \$20 per annum each	3,000 00
Association for Benefiting Children and Young Girls	
(Section 239, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 144, at \$25 per week each	\$93,600 00
Deficiency for 1898	4,000 00
	\$97,600 00
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	
(Section 240, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 900, at \$20 per annum each	18,000 00
Protestant Episcopal Home of Mercy	
(Section 241, Greater New York Charter.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 100, at \$20 per annum each	2,000 00

Old Marlon Street Maternity Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of children born, 200, at \$25 each, say.....	\$5,000 00
The Babies' Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of children, 25, at 18 cents per day each, say.....	\$4,500 00
Estimated number of homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 5, at \$12 per month each, say.....	600 00
New York Infant Asylum. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of children, 200, at 18 cents per day each, say.....	\$3,600 00
Estimated average number of homeless mothers nursing their own infants, 5, at \$12 per month each, say.....	600 00
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 100, at \$25 each, say.....	2,500 00
Pathology Home for Aged and Indigent Women. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of inmates, 25, at \$12 per month each, say.....	3,000 00
Sloane Maternity Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of inmates, 25, at \$12 per month each, say.....	3,000 00
New York Magdalen Benevolent Society. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$12 per month each, say.....	2,400 00
Sanitarium for Hebrew Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	5,000 00
The Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	5,000 00
St. John's Guild. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	10,000 00
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	20,000 00
New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital. (Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)	25,000 00
Babies' Wards of the Post-Graduate Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of inmates, 25, at 18 cents per day each, say.....	8,100 00
The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York. (Chapter 385, Laws of 1895.)	12,000 00
New York Homoeopathic Medical School and Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) For board, nursing and medical or surgical attendance and treatment for each needy and charity patient occupying a bed in the Flower-Surgical Hospital, at \$1 per day each, say.....	\$12,000 00
Deficiency for 1898.....	2,000 00
Mount Sinai Hospital. (Chapter 754, Laws of 1895.) For board, nursing, medical or surgical attendance and treatment for each needy and charity patient who occupies a bed in the Mount Sinai Hospital, say.....	7,000 00
New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	7,000 00
New York Medical College and Hospital for Women. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of obstetrical cases, 200, at \$25 each, say.....	\$5,000 00
Care and nursing, \$18 per month, say.....	3,600 00
Maternity and Babies' Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) Estimated average number of patients, 200, at \$12 each, say.....	\$2,400 00
Brooklyn Hospital (formerly City Hospital). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$4,000 00
Long Island College Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Homoeopathic Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,800 00
Brooklyn Central Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,200 00
Brooklyn City Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,200 00
Brooklyn Eclectic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Homoeopathic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn E. D. Dispensary and Hospital (formerly Williamsburgh). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Long Island College Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Gates Avenue Homoeopathic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn, E. D., Homoeopathic Dispensary (formerly Williamsburgh Homoeopathic Dispensary). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Maternity (formerly Brooklyn Lying-in Asylum). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Eye and Ear Hospital of the City of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Southern Dispensary and Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Orthopedic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Peter's Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Peter's Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Atlantic Avenue Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Mary's Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Diet Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Catherine's Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Catherine's Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Helping Hand Society of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Sheltering Arms Nursery of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Home for Consumptives. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Memorial Hospital for Women and Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Mary's General Hospital of the City of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Central Homoeopathic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Memorial Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Bushwick and East Brooklyn Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Methodist Episcopal Hospital of the City of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Dispensary of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of St. Mary's Hospital of the City of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Mary's Female Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Lutheran Hospital Association of the City of New York. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00

Brooklyn Throat Hospital (now Williamsburgh Hospital). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Belford Dispensary and Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Maria's Sanitarium and Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Central Throat Hospital and Polyphonic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Long Island Throat Hospital and Eye Infirmary (formerly the Long Island Throat and Lung Hospital and People's Dispensary Association). (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Norwegian Lutheran Deaconesses Home and Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Home for Aged Colored People. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Mary's Maternity and Infants' Home. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Memorial Training School for Nurses. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Church Charity Foundation of Long Island for its Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Home of St. Giles the Cripple. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Bushwick Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Training School and Home for Young Girls. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Dispensary of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Low Maternity. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Hospital Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Society for the Aid of Friendless Women and Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Stone Maternity of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. Phoebe's Mission. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Industrial Home for the Blind. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Homoeopathic Hospital Association of Brooklyn. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Brooklyn Industrial School Association and Home for Destitute Children. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Industrial Home School Association of Brooklyn, Eastern Division. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
Twenty-fourth Ward Homoeopathic Dispensary. (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.)	\$1,000 00
St. John's Hospital. (Chapter 754, Laws of 1895.) For care of needy patients, at the rate of one dollar per day each for surgical cases, and seventy cents per day each for medical cases, say.....	\$10,000 00
Flushing Hospital. (Chapter 754, Laws of 1895.) For care of needy patients, at the rate of one dollar per day each for surgical cases, and seventy cents per day each for medical cases, say.....	\$10,000 00
Jamaica Hospital. (Chapter 754, Laws of 1895.) For care of needy patients, at the rate of one dollar per day for surgical cases, and seventy cents per day for medical cases, say.....	\$1,000 00
For Distribution by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment among Charitable Institutions in the Borough of Brooklyn, as provided by chapter 906, Laws of 1895.....	\$100,000 00
For Support of Destitute Mothers and Infants, to be apportioned and paid by the Comptroller, as provided by chapter 428, Laws of 1895.....	\$1,000 00
	\$1,744,648 75

MISCELLANEOUS.

Judgments—For payment of judgments recovered against the several municipal or public corporations or parts thereof consolidated into The City of New York by chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, for which The City of New York may be liable and for such judgments as may be recovered against The City of New York, not otherwise provided for.....	\$50,000 00
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	1,000 00
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	1,000 00
Advertising, not otherwise provided for, including arrangements.....	25,000 00
Corporation Advertising, Borough of Brooklyn.....	100,000 00
Allowance to Veterans' Associations for Decoration Day Observance, Borough of Brooklyn pursuant to chapter 23, Laws of 1897.....	500 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	6,000 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	\$114,000 00
For Costs of Commitments of Insane Persons pursuant to chapter 345, Laws of 1895.....	1,000 00
Memorial Committee, Grand Army of the Republic, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—For defraying expenses incidental to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1898.....	5,000 00
Decoration Day Observance, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,000 00
Kings County Volunteer Firemen's Association (chapter 628, Laws of 1895).....	1,000 00
For Salaries of General Interpreters, Borough of Brooklyn.....	14,000 00
Widows and Orphans Fund of Volunteer Fire Departments, Borough of Brooklyn (chapter 26, Laws of 1895).....	1,000 00
Brooklyn Dispensary Training School.....	\$1,000 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	27,000 00
	\$82,710,793 10

THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

FOR THE STATE.

For State Taxes Payable by the County of New York:	
For Schools, $\frac{3}{8}$ mills, per chapter 603, Laws of 1897.....	\$1,000,000 00
For State Care of Insane, $\frac{3}{8}$ mills, per chapter 636, Laws of 1897.....	2,447 00
For Canals, $\frac{3}{8}$ mills, per chapters 305, 320 and 603, Laws of 1897.....	279,318 00
	\$1,002,447 00

BOARD OF CITY RECORD—NEW YORK COUNTY.

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books:	
For County Offices and Courts, other than Supreme Court.....	\$17,250 00
For Supreme Court—First Department.....	17,250 00
	34,500 00

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC RECORDS.

The Registrar's Office:	
Salaries of Clerks.....	\$10,000 00
Libers, Index Books, etc.....	1,000 00
Draftsmen's Materials.....	500 00
	\$11,500 00
The County Clerk's Office:	
Salaries of Clerks.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Bookbinders.....	1,000 00
Bookbinders' Materials, Stationery, etc.....	500 00
	\$13,500 00
The Surrogate's Office:	
1 Examiner and Superintendent.....	\$1,500 00
5 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	5,000 00
9 Libers, at \$20 each.....	180 00
Stationery.....	100 00
	\$7,680 00
	45,680 00

SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Salaries—Sheriff's Office:	
Salary of the Sheriff.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Under Sheriff, Counsel, Deputy Sheriff, Employees, etc.....	57,825 00
Salaries of Jury Notice Servers for Special Jurors (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).....	500 00
	\$69,325 00
Salaries—County Jail.....	\$1,000 00
Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and County Jail.....	8,750 00

Furnish, keep and deliver to Van, Hoeselings, etc.		\$1,000.00
Support of Judges, Clerks and Clerks, etc.		\$1,000.00
Furnish and Support for Special Commissioners of Juries.		\$1,000.00
THE REGISTER.		
Editorial—Register's Office		
Salary of the Register		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Register, Assistant Editor, Clerk, etc.		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.		
Salary of the Under Administrator		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Assistant Administrator		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Clerk, Assistant and Clerks		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
SUPREME COURT, FIRST DEPARTMENT.		
Salary of the Justice		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Clerks, etc.		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.		
Salary of the Justice		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Clerks, etc.		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
SUBORDINATE COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.		
Salary of the Justice		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Clerks, etc.		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
COUNTY CLERK, NEW YORK COUNTY.		
Salary of the County Clerk		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Deputy County Clerk		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, NEW YORK COUNTY.		
Salary of the District Attorney		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Deputy District Attorney		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
COMMISSIONER OF THE LANDS, NEW YORK COUNTY.		
Salary of the Commissioner		\$1,000.00
Salary of the Deputy Commissioner		\$1,000.00
Contingents		\$1,000.00
SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE LANDS, NEW YORK COUNTY.		
Salary of the Commissioner		\$1,000.00
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Fees and Expenses of Jurors, New York County.....		\$75,000 00
Fees of Stenographers for transcribing minutes of trials in the Court of General Sessions and Supreme Court, and providing for the expense of preparing and printing minutes and judgments rolls in the Court of General Sessions and Supreme Court, as provided by chapter 32, Laws of 1886, and chapter 379, Laws of 1889.....		15,000 00
Disbursements and Fees, under section 528, Code of Criminal Procedure.....		2,000 00
Fees of Witnesses subpoenaed on behalf of the People, etc. (chapter 98, Laws of 1895).....		20,000 00
For the establishment and maintenance of a Library for the Court of General Sessions and for the Supreme Court, Criminal Part, to be expended under the direction of the Judges of the Court of General Sessions.....		5,000 00
Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children: (Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.) For furnishing clothing, etc., for 30 inmates, at \$20 each.....		\$780 00
Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes: (Chapter 524, Laws of 1869.) (Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.) (Chapter 913, Laws of 1875.) For education and support of 62 County pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$18,600 00	
For clothing 75 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum.....	2,250 00	20,850 00
New York Institution for the Blind: (Section 230, Greater New York Charter.) For clothing 94 pupils, at \$50 each.....		4,700 00
New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb: (Chapter 206, Laws of 1861.) (Chapter 100, Laws of 1864.) (Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.) (Chapter 433, Laws of 1874.) (Chapter 215, Laws of 1875.) (Chapter 36, Laws of 1894.) For education and support of 122 County pupils, at \$300 per annum each.....	\$36,600 00	
For clothing 145 State pupils by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at \$30 each.....	4,350 00	40,950 00
St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes: (Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.) (Chapter 379, Laws of 1887.) For education and support of 62 County pupils, at \$300 each per annum.....	\$18,600 00	
For clothing 99 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum.....	2,970 00	21,570 00
Mattawaan State Hospital: (Chapter 54, Laws of 1893.) Estimated number of inmates, for, at \$1.25 per week each.....	\$15,600 00	
New York County Penitentiary, 23, at \$1.75 per week each.....	937 50	
Deficiency for 1897.....	673 00	
Deficiency for 1898.....	2,800 00	19,048 50
Central New York Institution for Deaf Mutes: For clothing 1 pupil.....		30 00
		118,682 50
		\$6,901,101 00

THE COUNTY OF KINGS.

FOR THE STATE

FOR THE YEAR.	
For State Taxes payable by the County of Kings.....	\$24,925 68
For School, 75 cents per chapter 808, Laws of 1896.....	480,314 95
For State care of Insane, 25 cents per chapter 815, Laws of 1896.....	25,700 55
For Courts, At, miles, per chapters 506, 520 and 605, Laws of 1896.....	
For Deputy Clerk and Attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, Second Department, to September 30, 1897, as per chapter 22, Laws of 1896; chapter 23, Laws of 1897, and chapter 553, Laws of 1898.....	5,150 00
For Clerks, than or Justice of the Supreme Court, designated to the Appellate Division, Second Department, from Districts other than the Second Judicial District, to December 31, 1896, as per chapter 22, Laws of 1896.....	4,297 85
For Compensation of the Deputy Clerk and Attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, Second Department, to September 30, 1898, as per chapter 22, Laws of 1896; chapters 23 and 206, Laws of 1897, and chapter 553, Laws of 1898.....	6,048 87
For Compensation of the Deputy Clerk and Attendants of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, Second Department, to September 30, 1897, as per chapter 22, Laws of 1896, and chapter 23, Laws of 1897.....	7,750 45
For Insurances payable, pursuant to chapter 524, Laws of 1896, including interest....	34,622 18
	<u>\$1,306,773 51</u>

BOARD OF CITY RECORD—KINGS COUNTY

For County Offices and Courts other than Supreme Court.....	\$15,550 00	
For Supreme Court, Second Department.....	7,500 00	
	<u>23,050 00</u>	\$23,050 00

SHERIFF OF KINGS COUNTY

For Maintenance of Kings County Jail, Civil Prison and Women's Prison.....	\$30,000 00
For Salary of Physicians at County Jail.....	2,000 00
For Transportation of Prisoners.....	15,500 00
	<u>107,500 00</u>

REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY

Salary of Expert	\$3,000.00
Current Indulging	27,000.00
	<u>30,000.00</u>

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY

Salaries of Justices	\$4,070 00
Salaries of Clerks, Stenographers, Attendants, etc.	116,396 00
Compensation of Justices from other Counties, assigned to Kings County	15,000 00
Contingencies	300 00
	<hr/> \$136,766 00

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY

Salaries of Judges.....	\$25,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and Houghmen.....	75,700 00
	<u>\$100,700 00</u>

SURROGATES' COURT, KINGS COUNTY

Salary of the Surrogate	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, Assistant to Chief Clerk, stenographer and bookkeeper	44,000 00
Contingencies	500 00

COUNTY CLERK, KINGS COUNTY.

Salary of Expert	\$1,000 00
Current Indexing	5,000 00
For Compliance with Election Law (chapter 99, Laws of 1896)	7,000 00

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, KINGS COUNTY.

Salary of the District Attorney.....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks and Employees.....	57,900 00
Contingencies.....	11,000 00
	\$78,900 00

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY

Salary of the Commissioner of Juvenile	\$5,000.00
Salaries of Employees	\$9,100.00
Jury Notice Servers	\$1,500.00

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY

Salary of Commissioners.....	\$4,500 00
Salaries of Clerks, Assistants, Messengers and Employees.....	7,800 00
Contingencies.....	300 00
	<hr/> \$12,600 00

COMMISSIONERS OF RECORDS, KINGS COUNTY

Salaries of 2 Commissioners, at \$2,500 each.....	\$7,500 00
Salaries of 2 Superintendents, at \$2,000 each.....	4,000 00
Salaries of 1 Employee engaged in roadwork, etc., and horsepplies.....	22,000 00
Fee receipting and certifying Titles of Conveyances, in office of the Register of Kings County.....	32,000 00
For stamping and certifying Filed Maps, in office of the Register of Kings County.....	5,000 00
Fee receipting and certifying all Notices at Presidency of Actions, in office of the County Clerk of Kings County.....	16,000 00
For receipting and certifying of Judgments, Notices, Judgment Rolls and papers in suits, etc., in office of the County Clerk of Kings County.....	4,000 00
For receipting and certifying mutilated and worn-out records in the office of the Surrogate of Kings County.....	5,000 00

TREASURER OF KINGS COUNTY.

Salary of the Treasurer	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Deputies and Employees	12,700 00
Contingencies	900 00
	<u>\$18,600 00</u>

College of The City of New York,
Teachers' College.

Harvard College,
Manhattan College,
Columbia University, Park Avenue,
St. Vincent Academy,
Normal College,
St. Francis Xavier (Academy Department),
St. Thomas Academy,
Union College, Bedford Park,
St. Michael's Academy for Girls.

Through the Board of Education.

Adolph Academy,
Beverly Manual Training School,
Girls' High School,
Packer Collegiate Institute,
St. Agnes Academy,
Boys' High School,
Proctor High School,
Polytechnic Institute,
St. Thomas Aquinas Academy,
High School,
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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 Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), or money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid, or the execution of all the bids, the check or money of the unaccepted bidder will be returned to him, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will likewise be returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or if not so made they will be rejected. The form of contract with specifications showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen, and forms of bids or estimates may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, December 14, 1898.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Department of Street Cleaning,
Main Office, New York City Building,
No. 140 Broadway.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE
FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF STREET CLEANING.

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PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN
the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—such as stone, concrete, etc.—such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 140 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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PARK IS THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 6, 1898, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within a city day after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 109 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, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 1, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 1, 1898.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 109 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, as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

TWELFTH AND NINETEENTH WARDS.

FOURTY-FIFTH, SIXTY-SECOND, SEVENTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREETS.—SEWERS, between Park and Madison avenues. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street, from east side of Vanderbilt avenue in Fifth avenue; both sides of Madison avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-sixth street; north side of Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Vanderbilt avenue; west side of Vanderbilt avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street; also both sides of Sixty-second street, from Park avenue in Fifth avenue; both sides of Sixty-third street, from Madison avenue in Fifth avenue; south side of Sixty-fourth street, from Madison avenue in Fifth avenue; east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street; both sides of Madison avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street; west side of Park avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; also both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Fifth to Park avenue; both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Madison avenue in Fifth avenue; south side of Seventy-ninth street, from Madison avenue in Fifth avenue; east side of Fifth avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Madison avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Seventy-ninth street; west side of Park avenue, from Seventy-seventh to Seventy-eighth street; also both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Park avenue extending westward about 200 feet west of Madison avenue; west side of Park avenue and both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street; also both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Park avenue in Fifth avenue; east side of Fifth avenue and both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

BOROUGH OF THE BROOK.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—SEWER. between Brook avenue and the street summit east of St. Ann's avenue, with BRANCHES in St. Ann's avenue, between East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and a point about 80 feet northerly therefrom. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Brook and Cypress avenues, and both sides of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING. between Brook and St. Ann's avenues. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING. between Morris and Railroad avenues, East. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Morris avenue and Railroad avenue, East, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING. between Eton and Morris avenues. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Eton and Morris avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING. between Third and Brook avenues. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Third and Brook avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the terminating avenues.

LOCUST AVENUE—PAVING. between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of Locust avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

WENDOVER AVENUE—PAVING. between Third and Webster avenues. Confirmed and entered November 29, 1898. Area of assessment: Both sides of Wendover avenue, between Third and Webster avenues, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors, and were entered 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, on the respective dates herein above given, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within a city day after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 109 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 Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the

hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 1, 1899, for sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and for paving One Hundred and Forty-fourth, One Hundred and Forty-sixth, One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, and Locust and Wendover avenues; and on or before January 1, 1899, for sewers in Forty-fifth, Sixty-second, Seventy-seventh, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after these dates will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above respective dates of entry of the assessments in the "Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed" in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 1, 1898.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
NO. 37 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 1, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the year 1898 to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes, at his offices, No. 37 Chambers street, in the Borough of Manhattan, and at Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, in the Borough of The Bronx, respectively, before the 1st day of January, 1899, as provided by section 919 of the Greater New York Charter chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid after the 1st day of December, 1898, one per centum will be charged, received and collected, in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1899, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the 1st day of October, 1898, on which day the assessment-rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1898 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 916 of said act.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,

Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1899, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of the former City of New York, of the late City of Brooklyn, of the County of Kings, and on accepted issues of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties, now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from November 30, 1898, to January 1, 1899. The interest due January 1, 1899, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due January 1, 1899, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 23, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 544.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING IN THE VICINITY OF CATHARINE STREET, NEAR THE SITE OF FORMER PIER, OLD 35, ON THE EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON THE EAST RIVER, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1898.

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged is as follows (in place):
Mud, about 11,000 cubic yards.
Mud, sand, in 32 stones, timber, etc., about 7,500 "
Cribwork, about 3,250 "

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after receiving a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that any part or portion of the dredging herein mentioned is required. The dredging to be done under this contract will be in the vicinity of Catharine street, near the site of former Pier, old 35, on the East River, Borough of Manhattan, and it to be done in a time to time, and in such quantities and at such times as may be directed by the Engineer, and all the work under this contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of thirty days from the date of service of the above-mentioned notification.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof that may be ordered or directed by the Engineer, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has ex-

pired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day. If at any time during the progress of the work of dredging under this contract it shall be deemed necessary, in the judgment of the Department of Docks and Ferries, to order the suspension of all work under said contract, the said party of the second part shall and will forthwith stop all work of dredging, and it shall not again be resumed until the said party of the second part shall receive a written notification from the said Board of Docks and Ferries or the Engineer-in-Chief so to do. The time elapsed during such suspension shall not be counted against the time stipulated for its completion, but shall be added on, and a like number of days shall be allowed the said party of the second part to complete all work called for under this contract as may have elapsed during the time of the suspension of the work of dredging; and the said party of the second part further stipulates and agrees that no claim for damages whatsoever shall be made against the Department of Docks and Ferries by reason of such suspension.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the dredging, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

All material to be excavated or removed from the area to be dredged will become the property of the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under this contract.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amounts of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the securities offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service 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 it, and as in default to The City of New York, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon, and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of the Corporation of The City of New York, or any of its Departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder, or anyone in his behalf, with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practically, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as to their person or persons for its faithful performance, and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of The City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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.

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 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No 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.

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, November 23, 1898.
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
CHARLES F. MURPHY,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners of Docks.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 542.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 4,000 PILES.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING about 4,000 Piles will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1898,

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities and work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished and delivered in accordance with specifications:
Class I.—About 9,000 piles, from 30 to 35 feet long, to average 30 feet, not less than 10 inches in diameter at the butt and not less than 8 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class II.—About 4,000 piles, from 20 to 25 feet long, to average 25 feet, not less than 12 inches in diameter at the butt and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Class III.—About 1,000 piles, from 10 to 15 feet long, to average 15 feet, not less than 10 inches in diameter at the butt and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the point, measured exclusive of the bark.

Total, about 4,000 piles.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:
(1) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed deliveries of the material, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

(2) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder for each class, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work or any part of it is ready to be begun, and the delivery of material under the contract will be made as follows:

Of Class I., not less than 500 piles shall be delivered before the expiration of thirty days after the date of service of said notification, within the next succeeding forty-five days not less than 1,000 additional piles of Class I. shall be delivered, and within the next succeeding seventy-five days thereafter the remaining 350 piles of Class I. shall be delivered.

Of Class II., not less than 500 piles shall be delivered before the expiration of forty-five days after the date of service of said notification, and within the next succeeding seventy-five days the remaining 350 piles of Class II. shall be delivered.

Of Class III., not less than 500 piles shall be delivered before the expiration of sixty days after the date of service of said notification, and within the next succeeding seventy-five days the remaining 500 piles of Class III. shall be delivered.

All the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the expiration of one hundred and fifty days after the date of service of said notification, and the damage to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price per pile to be furnished in each class, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is lowest among the whole of the work comprised in all the classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the securities offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service 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 it, and as in default to The City, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of The City of New York, or any of its Departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practically, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

Dated New York, October 25, 1898.
DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. YARNUM,
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS
Commissioners
LANDON McLAUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL.

SEALED PROPOSALS, ADDRESSED TO THE Chairman of the Bidding Committee of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, will be received at his office, Room 210 Kramble Building, No. 19 Whitehall street, New York, until noon, Thursday, December 15, for installing an Electric Plant at that institution, on Eighteenth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-eighth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn. Plans and specifications may be examined at the institution. Each proposal must state the time within which the work shall be completed. The Committee in determining what penalty shall be enforced for such failure. The Committee may reject any or all proposals. By order of the Trustees.

JOHN D. KEILY,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
Commissioner's Office, No. 120 Nassau Street,
New York, December 14, 1898.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, the following buildings or parts of buildings within the limits of Seventy-fifth street, between Shore road and Fort Hamilton avenue, Borough of Brooklyn:

Between Shore road and Narrows avenue, on Plots 1 and 2, a part of a frame house, two sheds, well-curb and water-closet.
Between First and Second avenues, on Plot 67, part of frame house.
Between Second and Third avenues, at foot from Second avenue, on Plot 67, part of frame shed.
Between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Plot 186, a number of lot beds.
Between Sixth and Seventh avenues, on Plot 191, part of frame shed.

The sale will take place on the ground, beginning with the first item in this announcement. Maps showing the location, size and shape of the buildings or parts of buildings to be sold are on file in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, where they may be examined by intending purchasers.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the buildings or parts of buildings from the streets by the purchaser or purchasers within ten days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase-money and the ownership of the buildings or parts of buildings in other structures.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
Commissioner's Office, No. 120 Nassau Street,
November 24, 1898.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, the following buildings, parts of buildings, grounds, etc., in East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Bronx street:

East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street, Third avenue to Bronx Street.

Map No.	Object.	APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS.
1	Part of 2-story Frame House	18.5 x 16.5 x 11.5
2	Part of Porch	11.5 x 12.5
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Map No.	Object.	APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS.
28	Chicken-coop	13.5 x 5.9
29	2-story frame dwelling with brick basement	28.5 x 20.0
30	Vine Trellis	105.0 lin. ft.
31	Picket Fence	20.0 x 4.5
32	Latice Box	5.0 x 5.0
33	Porch	50.0 lin. ft.
34	Wire Screen Enclosure	50.0 lin. ft.
35	Entire Frame Shed	35.0 lin. ft.
36	Entire Water closet	6.5 x 3.5
37	Picket Fence	60.0 lin. ft.
38	Picket Fence	45.0 lin. ft.
39	Picket Fence	17.0 lin. ft.
40	Part of 1-story Frame Dwelling	5.0 x 20.0 x 5.0
41	Well	5.0 x 4.0
42	Enclosed Well	5.0 x 4.0
43	Part of Porch	5.0 x 4.0
44	Part of Stoop	5.0 x 4.0
45	Picket Fence	25.0 lin. ft.
46	Entire 1-story and Loft	17.5 x 20.0
47	Frame Stable	17.5 x 20.0
48	Board Fence	17.5 x 20.0
49	Picket and Wire Netting	105.0 lin. ft.
50	Lath and Wire Netting	25.0 lin. ft.
51	Frame Dwelling	11.0 x 9.0 x 10.5
52	Part of 2-story and attic	10.5 x 16.5 x 10.5
53	Part of Stoop	5.0 x 4.0
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The sale will take place on the ground, beginning with Map No. 1 and ending with Map No. 69. The map or plan of the buildings and other structures may be examined at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the buildings from the streets by the purchaser or purchasers within twenty days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the building, buildings or other structures.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
New York, December 14, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 200 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication from the Department of Sewers, submitting estimates for—

Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Boulevard and Hamilton place;
Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Hudson river and Boulevard;

Sewer in One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Amsterdam and Audubon avenues;
Sewer in Eleventh avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets;

Sewers in Eleventh avenue, west side, between One

Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets;

Sewers in Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets;

Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road and Kingsbridge road, east and west sides, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets;

Sewer in One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Eleventh and Audubon avenues;

Sewer in Nargle avenue, between Academy and Dyckman streets;

Sewer in Seventh avenue, east side, between Harlem river and One Hundred and Fifty-third street, and west side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets;

Alteration and improvement to sewer in Lawrence street, between Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, with extension in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street;

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Eighth avenue;

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-first street and One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Eighth avenue;

Receiving-basin on northeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets and Eighth avenue;

Receiving-basin on southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Eighth avenue;

Receiving-basin on north and south sides of Ninety-sixth street, between Riverside avenue and New York Central and Hudson River Railroad;

—has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 20th day of December, 1898, at 10 A. M., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS,
President.

I. E. RING,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York, December 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, CROCKERY, GLASS, BARWARE, ETC.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above mentioned Supplies, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the Central Office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898.

Line No.	Quantity	Description
3346	5 pounds	White Wax.
3347	1 pound	5-in. Unimash.
3348	1 gallon	Liquid Wax.
3349	1000	1000 1/2-in. "A" (Garnet).
3350	50 pounds	Mu-er-d Powder.
3351	200	100 1/2-in. "A" (Garnet).
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SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING CAST-IRON SEWER PIPE AT FORDHAM HOSPITAL, IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 429, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work in 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 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 the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 7 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine such and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR YEAST, BREAD, ROLLS AND ICE FOR THE YEAR 1899.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE FOLLOWING-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898.

2,000 pounds Compressed Yeast in 2-pound packages. To be delivered in installments as may be required.

30,000 loaves fine Bread (Vienna, Graham, etc.), to be of the best quality and to be delivered to the various institutions as may be required.

To weigh 15 pounds each.

2,800 dozen Rolls, to be delivered to the various institutions as may be required.

3,000 tons (more or less) Prime Quality Ice, to be not less than 12 inches thick. To be delivered at Blackwell's and Randall's Islands in quantities as required. Weights to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 lbs., all of which shall be delivered at the points named free of expense to the City.

2,000 tons (more or less) Prime quality Ice, not less than 12 inches thick. To be delivered to quantities and to institutions as per specifications. Weights to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 lbs., all of which shall be delivered free of expense to the City.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors 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 Yeast, Bread, Rolls and Ice," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 429, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per centum 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 in 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 awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 7 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and retailed 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 articles or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids when they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to

examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR 125,000 QUARTS CONDENSED COWS' MILK FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1899.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CONDENSED COWS' MILK WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed Cows' Milk, 809," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 429, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND 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 in 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 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 Condensed Cows' Milk by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 7 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine such and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR NEW DRIVEWAYS AND ROADWAYS, NEW SIDEWALKS AND CURBING, GRADING, EXCAVATING AND LANDSCAPE GARDENING, ON THE GROUNDS AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL,

TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY EIGHTH STREETS, FIRST AVENUE TO THE EAST RIVER, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED WORK, IN CONFORMITY WITH PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1898.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 429, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be 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 in 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 awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 7 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Morgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine such and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ALTERING THE OLD MORGUE INTO A STABLE AND CARRIAGE HOUSE, ALTERING THE PRESENT STABLE FOR THE DRUG DEPARTMENT AND CLOTHING STORAGE, AND FOR NEW PLUMBING IN DOCTOR'S BATH-ROOMS IN MAIN HOSPITAL BUILDING, BELLEVUE HOSPITAL GROUNDS, TWENTY-SIXTH TO TWENTY-EIGHTH STREETS, FIRST AVENUE TO THE EAST RIVER, NEW YORK CITY.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1898.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 439, CHAPTER 325, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested at all 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 true 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 thereof, 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 thereon. The bid or estimate must be verified by the name, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, and the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is required 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 residences, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on his being so awarded, be bound as the 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 ascertained 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 householders or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered, himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 325 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons by 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 in 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 estimates, and no estimate can be deposited in said envelope until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time allowed the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract, the City of New York shall be entitled to the contract, and the contract will be readjusted and retold as provided by law.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Shattuck, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
New York, December 15, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING as may be required the below-mentioned Coal, in conformity with specifications, will be received

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898.

Rubber Goods, Packings, etc.
3526. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 3 by 1 1/2 in.
3527. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 3 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
3528. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 1 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.

3529. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 1 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
3530. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 1 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
3531. 2 boxes Plated Hemp Packing, 1/2 in. square.
3532. 1 box Plated Hemp Packing, 1/2 in. square.
3533. 1 piece Rainbow Packing, 1/2 by 1 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
3534. 18 pounds Rainbow Packing, 1/2 in. thick.
3535. 10 pounds Rainbow Packing, 1/2 in. thick.
3536. 5 pounds Gasket Material, 1/2 in. diam. with ferrules.
3537. 1 box Plated Hemp Packing, 1/2 in. square.
3538. 1 box Plated Hemp Packing, 1/2 in. square.
3539. 1 dozen Balls Ashcroft Working.

Flaming Material.

3540. 1 Paraffin Block, 1 lb. Mott, triple, plate 248 1/2.
3541. 1 Wood-cut Chest, rough, 1 1/2 in. from wall.
3542. 1 Board for Heavy Hobel 1/2 in. from wall.
3543. 1 dozen Brass Ferrules, 1/2 in. light.
3544. 1 dozen Brass Ferrules, 1/2 in. heavy.
3545. 1 No. 2 Rubber Hose Clamps.
3546. 1 1/2 in. Solidifier Iron.
3547. 1 dozen Rubber Washers.
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The person or persons making my bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc. for the Year ending December 31, 1907," and with it to their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of the United States.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, in the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, as 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 Milk by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 22 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Twenty-five 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 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 3, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
New York, December 3, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR FISH, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with Fish, etc., consisting of

15,000 pounds Common Fish,
500 pounds Fresh Cod,
500 pounds Blue Fish,
500 pounds Black Fish,
500 pounds Salt Mackerel, No. 1,
500 pounds Halibut,
500 pounds Shad,
500 pounds Salmon,
500 pounds Salmon Trout,
500 pounds Flounders,
500 pounds White Fish,
500 pounds Sea Bass,
500 pounds Hard Clams,
60,000 Oysters, medium size.

All orders or less, during the year 1899, as per contract specifications. All deliveries to be free of expense to and the Department, and weight allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fish, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary, for the year ending December 31, 1899," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 479, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry on promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.

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

ested it is required that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate will be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, as being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Fresh Fish, etc., by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts at every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 22 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, of Jas. J. Kewin, Deputy Commissioner of Correction, No. 3 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
New York, December 9, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED AND FRESH COWS' MILK FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with condensed and fresh Cows' Milk during the year 1899, as per contract specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. (Quantity allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.)

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 479, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of EIGHT HUNDRED (\$800) DOLLARS.

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

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

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 Condensed and Fresh Cows' Milk by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 22 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, of Deputy Commissioner of Correction, James J. Kewin, No. 3 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
New York, December 9, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS COAL FOR 1899, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with 1,000 tons Coal, consisting of 500 tons Best, 200 tons Steam, to burn Blacksmith's, during the year 1899, as per contract specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. Weight allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,000 Tons of Coal" for the Kings County Penitentiary, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 479, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 22 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or Deputy Commissioner of Correction, James J. Kewin, No. 3 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
New York, December 9, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, with 2,000 pounds Chickens, 3,000 pounds Turkeys during the year 1899, as per contract specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. Weight allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1898,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for the Kings County Penitentiary for the year 1899," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 479, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE HUNDRED (\$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 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 required that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, as 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 Poultry by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 22 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Twenty-five Dollars, being five per centum

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Contracted Work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 2 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 9, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR 1899, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WITH MEATS DURING THE YEAR 1899, AS PER CONTRACT AND SPECIFICATIONS.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weight allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

Meats to be as follows, viz.:

Chucks of Beef.....	220,000 pounds.
Salt Pork in barrels (family meat).....	25,000 "
Cuts of Mutton.....	20,000 "
Roasting pieces of Beef.....	20,000 "
Sirloin Steaks.....	10,000 "
Corneal Beef.....	10,000 "
Mutton Hindquarters.....	10,000 "
Bologna Sausage.....	8,000 "
	263,000 "

All to be more or less.

All Beef, Lamb, Mutton, and Veal used by this Department to be from animals killed and dressed in New York State. See specifications for full details.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898,

at 10 o'clock A.M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899 for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the

Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 2 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 5, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

MEATS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1899 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898,

and to be as follows, viz.:

Chucks of Beef.....	220,000 pounds.
Salt Pork in barrels, extra meat.....	25,000 "
Cuts of Mutton.....	20,000 "
Roasting pieces of Beef.....	20,000 "
Sirloin Steaks.....	10,000 "
Corneal Beef.....	10,000 "
Mutton Hindquarters.....	10,000 "
Bologna Sausage.....	8,000 "
	263,000 "

All to be more or less.

All Beef, Lamb, Mutton and Veal used by this Department to be from animals killed and dressed in New York State. See specifications for full details.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent of said Department, and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTIONS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST,

AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 2 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 5, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ICE FOR 1899, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR 100,000 PRICES QUALITY ICE, 2,000 POUNDS TO THE TON, NOT TO BE LESS THAN 10 CENTS PER TON, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898,

until 10 o'clock A.M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice for Kings County Penitentiary, 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 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, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two

sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Six Hundred Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 2 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Three Hundred 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 estimates, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

Black forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or at the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Room No. 5, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

New York, December 5, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR 100,000 POUNDS, MORE OR LESS, OF COMPRESSED YEAST. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bakinghouse, Blackwell's Island, Compressed Yeast. Bids will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, until

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at 10 o'clock A.M., the said Yeast to be delivered as requested during the year 1899.

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

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

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

The award 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.

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.

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

The quality of the Yeast must conform in every respect to the sample of the same on exhibition at the office of the said department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the Yeast, etc., required, before making their estimates.

