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Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending November 29, 1899.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I have the honor to present herewith a report to November 29, 1899, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since November 18, 1899, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on November 29, 1899.

Very respectfully,
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending November 29, 1899. CR.

| 1899. Nov. 29 | To | 1899. Nov. 29 | By | 1899. Nov. 29 |
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| | Additional Water Fund, City of New York..... | \$154,981 99 | By Balance..... | \$5,843,882 81 |
| | American Museum of Natural History..... | 2,000 17 | Taxes..... | \$2,965,695 54 |
| | Anti-toxine Fund..... | 4,396 74 | Arrears of Taxes..... | 119,977 99 |
| | Appellate Division, Supreme Court, Court-house..... | 402 23 | Interest on Taxes..... | 16,547 29 |
| | Block Tax Assessment Map Fund..... | 300 00 | Fund for Street and Park Openings..... | 9,393 71 |
| | Botanical Museum, Herbarium, etc., Construction of..... | 447 70 | Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886..... | 81,280 14 |
| | Borough of Brooklyn..... | 35,934 65 | Harlem River Improvement Fund..... | 18 82 |
| | Borough of Queens..... | 20,911 05 | Additional Public Park Fund..... | 28 47 |
| | Borough of Richmond..... | 2,376 48 | Interest on Street and Park Openings..... | 4,343 66 |
| | Bridge Over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens..... | 39,567 79 | Interest on Street Improvement Fund..... | 13,512 70 |
| | Bridge Over Harlem River at Third Avenue..... | 792 00 | Charges on Arrears of Taxes..... | 12 00 |
| | Bridge Over Harlem River at First Avenue..... | 1,578 70 | Charges on Arrears of Assessments..... | 842 00 |
| | Bridge Over Harlem River at One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street..... | 31,011 95 | W. M. Fund, No. 2..... | 63 57 |
| | Bridge Over New York and Harlem Railroad..... | 30 00 | Interest on Setting Meters..... | 28 65 |
| | Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Avenues..... | 48 00 | Towns of Westchester—Taxes..... | 93 24 |
| | Charges on Arrears of Assessments..... | 1,262 83 | Towns of Westchester—Assessments..... | 111 50 |
| | Construction and Maintenance of Public Parkways..... | 12,773 08 | Towns of Westchester—Interest on Taxes and Assessments..... | 78 47 |
| | Constructing a New Bridge Connecting Pelham Bay Park and City Island..... | 1,012 93 | Towns of Westchester—Fees and Charges..... | 5 50 |
| | Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn..... | 11,549 11 | Sundry Licenses..... | 3,003 25 |
| | Corporate Debt Fund—Redemption Permanent Water Loan, City of Brooklyn..... | 132 00 | Department of Health, Borough of Brooklyn—Salaries, 1899..... | 46 00 |
| | Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Queens..... | 1,000 00 | Department of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn—Salaries, 1899..... | 21 77 |
| | Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Richmond..... | 30 00 | Department of Education..... | 46 00 |
| | Croton Water Fund..... | 13,368 06 | Tapping Pipes..... | 255 50 |
| | Croton Water Rent Refunding Account..... | 136 65 | Department of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn—Contingencies, 1899..... | 31 68 |
| | Department of Correction—Building Fund..... | 3,976 99 | Restoring and Repaving..... | 2,843 50 |
| | Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock, etc..... | 3,406 00 | Restoring and Repaving, Borough of The Bronx..... | 128 83 |
| | Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn..... | 14,181 30 | Additional Water Fund..... | 445 75 |
| | Dock Fund..... | 41,331 17 | Street Incumbrance Fund..... | 89 00 |
| | East River Park—Improvement of Extension..... | 5,105 58 | Forfeited Recognizances..... | 2,500 00 |
| | Eleventh Ward Park Fund..... | 67 62 | Intestate Estates..... | 27 16 |
| | Extension of Broadway and Kingsbridge Road, etc..... | 108 00 | Commissions—Public Administrator..... | 482 54 |
| | Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette..... | 52 50 | Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, Towns of Eastchester and Pelham..... | 42 11 |
| | Excise Taxes..... | 57,133 66 | Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund..... | 69 37 |
| | Excise Taxes, Kings County..... | 17,090 62 | Excise Taxes, City of New York..... | |
| | Excise Taxes, Queens County..... | 6,368 45 | Hilliard..... | \$4,444 72 |
| | Excise Taxes, Richmond County..... | 330 56 | Michell..... | 1,806 66 |
| | Fire Department Fund—Sites, etc..... | 128 00 | Phipps..... | 372 40 |
| | Fort Washington Ridge Road Fund..... | 93,955 40 | Unclaimed Salaries and Wages..... | 6,623 78 |
| | Fund for Street and Park Openings..... | 750 00 | General Fund..... | 327 40 |
| | Health Department—Condemnation of Buildings Fund..... | 555 65 | Kane..... | \$1,616 24 |
| | Hester Street Park Fund..... | 87 22 | Comptroller..... | 1 00 |
| | Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 11, Laws of 1894..... | 1 20 | McCartney..... | 1,856 00 |
| | Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 194, Laws of 1896..... | 1,264 77 | Whalen..... | 178 03 |
| | Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 643, Laws of 1897..... | 25 00 | Keating..... | 21 50 |
| | Intestate Estates..... | 42 00 | O'Brien..... | 200 00 |
| | Jerome Avenue Paving..... | 6,064 75 | Surrogates..... | 493 40 |
| | Metropolitan Museum of Art..... | 622 12 | Holly..... | 3,913 27 |
| | Mulberry Bend Park—Construction of..... | 88,738 63 | Borough of Brooklyn— | 8,279 44 |
| | New East River Bridge Fund..... | 11,532 00 | New York and Brooklyn Bridge..... | 15,505 84 |
| | New Hall of Records—Building Fund..... | 7,236 69 | Water Rents..... | 23,078 00 |
| | New York Public Library Fund..... | 5,899 47 | Sundry Licenses..... | 408 50 |
| | New York and Brooklyn Bridge..... | 12 95 | Marker Rents and Fees..... | 860 00 |
| | Public Driveway—Construction of..... | 220 80 | House Rents..... | 268 00 |
| | Public Park, Twelfth Ward, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth Streets..... | 8,891 25 | Coroners' Fees..... | 30 00 |
| | Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund..... | 10 85 | New York and Brooklyn Bridge..... | 37 97 |
| | Public School Library Fund, Borough of Queens..... | 3 80 | Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund..... | 920 62 |
| | Public School Library Fund, Borough of Richmond..... | 164 10 | Street Vaults..... | 57 60 |
| | Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2..... | 138 38 | Dock and Slip Rents..... | 203 62 |
| | Refunding Taxes Paid in Error..... | 948 13 | Court Fees and Fines..... | |
| | Repaving—Chapter 475, Laws of 1895..... | 3,058 86 | Leary..... | \$52 50 |
| | Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund..... | 134 29 | Kerrigan..... | 440 00 |
| | Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works..... | 221 48 | General Fund..... | \$535 65 |
| | Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx..... | 11,585 81 | Kane..... | 1,431 36 |
| | Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Brooklyn..... | 1,827,500 00 | Keating..... | 3 50 |
| | Revenue Bonds, 1899..... | 866 66 | McCartney..... | 38 00 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—County Clerk's Office..... | 2,780 82 | Whalen..... | 500 00 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Claims, etc..... | 810 35 | Taxes..... | 2,508 51 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Dewey Celebration..... | 562 50 | Water Rents..... | 925,443 89 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Expert Accountants..... | 200 00 | Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds..... | 8,073 26 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Extension of Bridge Over Harlem Railroad, etc..... | 34 52 | Twenty-ninth Ward—Assessments..... | 1,173 98 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Increased Salaries of Employees, Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Richmond..... | 30,835 17 | Thirty-first Ward—Assessments..... | 2,495 66 |
| | Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments..... | 871 81 | Interest on Taxes..... | 501 81 |
| | Riverside Park and Drive—Completion of Construction..... | 10 50 | Arrears of Water Rates..... | 34,972 99 |
| | Rose Hill Place, Construction of..... | 2,326 20 | Interest on Water Rates..... | 7,225 86 |
| | School Building Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... | 3,338 75 | Prospect Park, Instal..... | 3,742 27 |
| | School Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn..... | 216 00 | Interest on Prospect Park, Instal..... | 1,317 20 |
| | School Building Fund, Borough of Queens..... | 10 93 | Eighth Ward Improvement Fund..... | 2,243 73 |
| | School Building Fund, Borough of Richmond..... | 77,631 50 | Sewer Instal, Twenty-sixth Ward..... | 67 55 |
| | School-house Fund..... | 13 00 | Sewer Instal, Twenty-ninth Ward..... | 8,907 62 |
| | St. John's Park—Construction and Improvement of..... | 100,577 12 | Sewerage Fund, Laws of 1892..... | 9,273 72 |
| | Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886..... | 8 00 | Street Opening Fund..... | 109 81 |
| | Street Improvement Fund—Williamsbridge Sewer..... | 13,183 92 | Assessment Fund, Laws of 1886..... | 4,218 77 |
| | Street Improvement Fund—Borough of Brooklyn..... | 48 00 | Flagging Tax, Assessments, Thirtieth Ward..... | 1,084 78 |
| | Street Improvement Fund—Borough of Queens..... | 20 00 | Opening and Grading, Assessments, Thirtieth Ward..... | 3,020 27 |
| | Street Improvement Fund—Borough of Richmond..... | 700 00 | Opening and Grading, Assessments, Thirty-first Ward..... | 57 04 |
| | Theatrical and Concert Licenses..... | 234 74 | Improvements, Town of New Lots..... | 226 90 |
| | Unclaimed Salaries and Wages..... | 1,825 75 | Twenty-sixth Ward—Grading and Paving..... | 161 44 |
| | Viaduct at Melrose Avenue, Over New York and Harlem Railroad..... | 81 57 | Interest on Assessments..... | 165 40 |
| | Water Maintenance, Borough of Brooklyn..... | 12,764 31 | | 590 26 |
| | Water-main Fund, Borough of Brooklyn..... | 275 70 | | 1,672 31 |
| | Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn..... | | | 2,180 36 |
| | Advertising..... | \$11,173 75 | | |
| | Babies' Wards of the Post-Graduate Hospital..... | 779 00 | | |
| | Board of Assessors..... | 2,879 47 | | |
| | | \$2,804,478 58 | | |

1899.
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To Bay Ridge Free Library, Borough of Brooklyn.....

\$200 00

Board of Public Improvements.....

4,890 08

Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....

33 30

Bureau of Licenses.....

1,806 68

Bureau of Municipal Statistics.....

6 28

Children's Fold of The City of New York.....

1,431 57

City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.....

8,916 59

City Magistrates' Courts, Second Division.....

13,524 92

CITY RECORD.....

1,260 55

City Court of New York.....

9,638 30

Civil Service of The City of New York, Expenses of.....

6,911 97

College of The City of New York.....

2,334 38

Commissioners of Accounts.....

11,503 11

Commissioner of Jurors' Office, New York County.....

2,988 87

Commissioner of Jurors' Office, Kings County.....

2,324 90

Commissioners of Records, Kings County.....

3,408 15

Contingencies—Chamberlain's Office.....

50 51

Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....

824 17

Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....

10 00

Court of General Sessions.....

9,848 82

Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....

5,781 49

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.....

4,575 93

County Clerk, Kings County.....

7,782 48

County Court, Kings County.....

350 00

County Detective, Kings County.....

8,308 29

County Interpreter, Kings County.....

125 00

Department of Bridges.....

100 00

Department of Buildings.....

3,805 20

Department of Correction.....

28,167 18

Department of Education.....

16,427 87

Department of Health.....

573,497 53

Department of Highways.....

32,949 22

Department of Parks.....

47,955 77

Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....

42,854 38

Department of Public Charities.....

47,340 83

Department of Sewers.....

36,295 05

Department of Street Cleaning.....

10,440 07

Department of Taxes and Assessments.....

178,248 86

Department of Water Supply.....

26,473 45

Disciplinary Training School, Borough of Brooklyn

43,307 02

District Attorney's Office, New York County.....

6 00

District Attorney's Office, Kings County.....

18,998 11

Election Expenses.....

6,474 93

Examining Board of Plumbers.....

29,140 16

Expenses Made Necessary by Primary Election Law.....

1 75

Fees and Expenses of Jurors, New York County.....

49,020 51

Fees of Clerk, Court of General Sessions.....

9,852 00

Fire Department Fund.....

80 00

Fire Department.....

141,511 51

Flushing Hospital.....

648 80

Free Library, University Settlement Society.....

666 66

General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of The City of New York

416 66

Harlem Library.....

200 00

Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....

6,917 94

Hospital Fund.....

7 00

House of the Good Shepherd.....

1,292 26

Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....

5,532 57

Interest on Revenue Bonds, 1899.....

4,578 70

Interest on the City Debt.....

8,888 88

Judgments.....

3,883 56

Law Department.....

26,093 40

Law Library in Brooklyn.....

558 33

Long Island City Public Library.....

125 45

Maimonides Free Library.....

791 26

Municipal Assembly and City Clerk.....

4,924 25

Municipal Courts, City of New York.....

5,810 08

New York Catholic Protectory.....

20,118 35

New York Free Circulating Library.....

6,833 33

Normal College.....

5,316 69

Police Station-houses—Rents, etc.....

675 00

President, Borough of Manhattan.....

954 40

President, Borough of The Bronx.....

8 36

Preservation of Public Records, County Clerk's Office.....

1,172 88

Preservation of Public Records, Register's Office.....

1,672 62

Preservation of Public Records, Surrogate's Office.....

925 00

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....

4,784 28

Public Administrator of the County of New York.....

1,883 79

Public Instruction.....

43 47

Public Library, Borough of Brooklyn.....

549 52

Redemption of the City Debt.....

2,000 00

Register.....

11,124 79

Register, Kings County.....

7,810 55

Rents.....

13,769 99

Repaving Streets and Avenues.....

1,862 21

Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....

9,268 03

Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....

2,991 64

Salaries—Department of Finance.....

48,361 11

Salaries and Expenses, Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.....

2,419 47

Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the State of New York

416 66

Sheriff of the County of New York.....

9,303 98

Sheriff's Office, Richmond County.....

621 87

Sloane Maternity Hospital.....

1,344 07

Special Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.....

1,374 99

Special Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County.....

1,024 99

Stenographer to Grand Jury, Kings County.....

475 30

Supreme Court, First Department.....

54,266 61

Supreme Court, Second Department, Kings County.....

13,203 93

Surrogate's Court, New York County.....

12,588 30

Surrogate's Court, Kings County.....

4,511 93

St. John's Hospital.....

1,344 00

The Judiciary.....

335 70

Treasurer of Kings County.....

1,428 48

Young Womens' Christian Association Library.....

1,325 00

Balance.....

23,869,849 47

\$1,786,398 46

\$4,590,877 04

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By

Borough of Brooklyn—

Advertising Sales.....

Redemption Fund.....

Gilon.....

\$56 00

735 28

Borough of Queens—

House Rents.....

Restoring and Repaving.....

Water Rents.....

Sundry Licenses.....

O'Brien.....

Keating.....

Rasquin.....

Flanagan.....

39 00

50 00

1,665 13

8 00

General Fund.....

Kane.....

McInnes.....

\$80 00

278 50

358 50

Taxes.....

Austen.....

377,960 01

Water Rents.....

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3,265 66

Long Island City:

Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

Water Rents.....

Interest on Water Rents.....

Assessments for Local Improvements

Interest on Assessments.....

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3,594 54

161 18

238 53

12 42

128 34

51 96

Newtown:

Town Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

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625 76

229 68

119 58

Flushing:

Town Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

Village Taxes.....

Frontage Taxes.....

Interest on Village Taxes.....

Assessments for Local Improvements

Interest on Assessments.....

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160 30

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23 96

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Jamaica:

Town Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Water Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

Village Taxes.....

Interest on Village Taxes.....

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851 47

183 57

18 48

46 68

176 68

6 79

Richmond Hill:

Village Taxes.....

Interest on Village Taxes.....

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Far Rockaway:

Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Interest on School Taxes.....

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217 00

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Rockaway Beach:

Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Interest on School Taxes.....

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121 02

4 68

5 52

28

Whitestone:

Village Taxes.....

Flagging Taxes.....

Frontage Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

School Taxes.....

Assessments for Local Improvements

Interest on Assessments.....

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27 84

48

63

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3 75

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1 35

College Point:

Taxes.....

Interest on Taxes.....

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32 40

1 25

Borough of Richmond—

Sundry Licenses.....

General Fund.....

Water Rents.....

Court Fees and Fines.....

Taxes.....

McCabe.....

Kane.....

Dalton.....

Seaton.....

Austen.....

34 00

39 00

175 99

25 00

113,415 68

State, Town and County Taxes:

Northfield.....

Southfield.....

Westfield.....

Middletown.....

Castleton.....

Gilon.....

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830 26

133 28

18 91

292 61

1,212 64

Village Taxes:

Edgewater.....

New Brighton.....

Port Richmond.....

Tottenville.....

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109 75

221 24

133 04

1 38

Road Taxes, Town of Southfield.....

Road Taxes, Town of Middletown.....

Lamp Taxes, Village of Edgewater.....

Lamp Taxes, Village of New Brighton.....

Water Taxes, Village of Edgewater.....

School Taxes, 29 Districts.....

Interest on Taxes.....

Assessments for Local Improvements,

Village of Edgewater.....

Assessments for Local Improvements,

Village of New Brighton.....

Assessments for Local Improvements,

Village of Port Richmond.....

Interest on Assessments.....

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219 69

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PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

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

| NAMES. | No. | NAMES. | No. |
|--------------------|-----|---------------------|------|
| Russell, Elizabeth | 69 | Erdman, Mary | 390 |
| Jackson, Henry | 105 | Wall, John T. | 391 |
| Ahearn, Daniel | 109 | Vollhart, Edward | 426 |
| Breesant, Fannie | 118 | Connolly, Henry A. | 429 |
| Morris, Fred | 127 | McArdle, Henry | 431 |
| Cohen, Abraham | 145 | Cohen, Harris | 432 |
| Peters, George | 147 | Delufsky, Morris | 440 |
| Kenny, George | 160 | Jermulofsky, Sender | 444 |
| Myers, Charles F. | 161 | Bachrach, Solomon | 445 |
| Duffy, John C. | 175 | Wadick, Joseph | 449 |
| Goldberg, Henry M. | 182 | Spiegel, Henrietta | 455 |
| Unangel, Charles | 197 | Pocher, Antoinette | 457 |
| Youngs, William P. | 236 | Katz, Louis | 459 |
| Tallman, Pierre C. | 246 | Cassidy, Frank | 460 |
| Riordan, Daniel | 253 | Wall, John T. | 464 |
| McDonald, John | 271 | Mullins, Dennis | 476 |
| Korn, Jacob | 294 | Doyle, John F. | 484 |
| Wall, John T. | 296 | Feist, Simon | 492 |
| Riordan, Daniel | 302 | Topf, Henry | 505 |
| Mathews, Albert H. | 322 | Cruikshank, Edward | 510 |
| Voegel, Henry | 325 | Ludin, Samuel A. | 3372 |
| Distefano, Michael | 329 | Lardner, William J. | 3385 |
| Hein, Francis | 342 | Finck, John | 3394 |
| Kaeler, William | 343 | Ward, James | 3473 |
| O'Leary, Sarah | 347 | Kahn, Samuel | 3493 |
| Clancy, John J. | 357 | Bailey, Ebenezer | 3511 |
| Parkhurst, Richard | 358 | Wilcox, Ransom E. | 3562 |
| Ahearn, Daniel | 362 | Bunce, Theodore D. | 3563 |
| Kyle, John | 383 | O'Leary, Sarah A. | 3583 |

SANITARY BUREAU.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent :

- 1st. Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports from the Willard Parker, Reception, Riverside and Kingston Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Report on changes in the hospital service.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following changes in the hospital service be and are hereby approved :

Willard Parker Hospital.

| NAMES. | POSITION. | SALARY. | ACTION. | DATE. |
|----------------|-------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| Lizzie Byrnes | Ward Helper | \$168 00 | Resigned | Nov. 22, 1899 |
| Julia Galvin | Cook | 252 00 | Appointed | " 21, " |
| Bridget Hogan | Ward Helper | 168 00 | " | " 23, " |
| James McCauley | Helper | 600 00 | " | " 1, " |

Riverside Hospital.

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|---------------|-------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| Bessie Butler | Ward Helper | \$168 00 | Appointed | Nov. 20, 1899 |
|---------------|-------------|----------|-----------|---------------|

Kingston Avenue Hospital.

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|---------------|------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| Thomas Marron | Cook | \$300 00 | Appointed | Nov. 20, 1899 |
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The resignation of Fred M. Parker, M. D., an Interne, to take effect December 15, 1899, was received and accepted.

- 4th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses :

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following apartments in tenement-houses in The City of New York are so overcrowded that less than four hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses ; it is

Ordered, That the number of occupants in said apartments be and are hereby reduced as follows :

| No. of Order. | ON PREMISES. | LOCATION OF ROOM. | OCCUPANT. | REDUCED TO | |
|---------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|-----------|
| | | | | Adults. | Children. |
| 1409 | No. 15 Marion street | Second floor, f. f. n. | Margherita Sausever | 3 | 5 |

- 5th. Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at north side Olin street, second house east of railroad, and No. 2862 Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and No. 375 Prospect place, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot north side Olin street, second house east of railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot north side Olin street, second house east of railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, be required to vacate said building on or before December 5, 1899, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 2862 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 2862 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be required to vacate said building on or before December 5, 1899, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted :

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot No. 375 Prospect place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants ;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on Lot No. 375 Prospect place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be required to vacate said building on or before December 5, 1899, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

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

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

On motion, it was

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

| Vacations. | | | |
|---------------|---|---------------|---|
| No. of Order. | LOCATION. | No. of Order. | LOCATION. |
| 573 | BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. North side of Flower street, first building west of White Plains road. | 1752 | East side of Perry avenue, first house south of Gun Hill road. |
| 1493 | Northwest corner of Moshulu parkway and Granada place. | 2024 | No. 959 Washington avenue. |
| 1621 | East side Marion avenue, first house south of One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street, Fordham. | 28032 | BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. No. 3 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street. |
| | | 32651 | No. 220 West Forty-eighth street. |
| | | 36098 | No. 291 East Third street. |

7th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows :

| No. | BUSINESS, MATTER OR THING GRANTED. | ON PREMISES AT |
|-------|------------------------------------|---|
| | | BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. |
| 1 | To keep a lodging house | No. 118 Avenue D. |
| 2 | " | No. 9 Bowery. |
| 3 | " | No. 11 Bowery. |
| 4 | " | No. 13 Bowery. |
| 5 | " | No. 21 Bowery. |
| 6 | " | No. 25 Bowery. |
| 7 | " | No. 26 Bowery. |
| 8 | " | Nos. 37 and 39 Bowery. |
| 9 | " | Nos. 39½ and 41 Bowery. |
| 10 | " | No. 53 Bowery. |
| 11 | " | No. 69 Bowery. |
| 12 | " | Nos. 70 and 72 Bowery. |
| 13 | " | No. 73 Bowery. |
| 14 | " | Nos. 81 and 81½ Bowery. |
| 15 | " | No. 83 Bowery. |
| 16 | " | No. 85 Bowery. |
| 17 | " | Nos. 86 and 88 Bowery. |
| 18 | " | Nos. 90 and 92 Bowery. |
| 19 | " | No. 96 Bowery. |
| 20 | " | No. 98 Bowery. |
| 21 | " | No. 105 Bowery. |
| 22 | " | No. 112 Bowery. |
| 23 | " | No. 125 Bowery. |
| 24 | " | No. 143 Bowery. |
| 25 | " | No. 185 Bowery. |
| 26 | " | No. 212 Bowery. |
| 27 | " | Nos. 219 and 221 Bowery. |
| 28 | " | No. 243 Bowery. |
| 29 | " | Nos. 262 and 262½ Bowery. |
| 30 | " | No. 268 Bowery. |
| 31 | " | No. 270 Bowery. |
| 32 | " | No. 274 Bowery. |
| 33 | " | Nos. 276 and 278 Bowery. |
| 34 | " | No. 280 Bowery. |
| 35 | " | Nos. 300 and 302 Bowery. |
| 36 | " | No. 317 Bowery. |
| 37 | " | No. 340 Bowery. |
| 38 | " | No. 354 Bowery. |
| 39 | " | No. 356 Bowery. |
| 40 | " | No. 358 Bowery. |
| 41 | " | No. 1553 Broadway. |
| 42 | " | No. 591 Broome street. |
| 43 | " | No. 4 Chatham square. |
| 44 | " | No. 6 Chatham square. |
| 45 | " | No. 9 Chatham square. |
| 46 | " | Nos. 11 and 12 Chatham square. |
| 47 | " | No. 94 Division street. |
| 48 | " | No. 9 Duane street. |
| 49 | " | No. 4 East Broadway. |
| 50 | " | No. 208 Eighth avenue. |
| 51 | " | No. 352 Eighth avenue. |
| 52 | " | No. 370 Eighth avenue. |
| 53 | " | No. 583 First avenue. |
| 54 | " | No. 152 Greenwich street. |
| 55 | " | No. 183 West Houston street. |
| 56 | " | No. 3 James street. |
| 57 | " | No. 9 Mulberry street. |
| 58 | " | No. 128 Park row. |
| 59 | " | No. 162 Park row. |
| 60 | " | No. 173 Park row. |
| 61 | " | No. 180 Park row. |
| 62 | " | No. 182 Park row. |
| 63 | " | Nos. 188 and 192 Park row. |
| 64 | " | Nos. 189 and 191 Park row. |
| 65 | " | No. 194 Park row. |
| 66 | " | Nos. 219 and 221 Park row. |
| 67 | " | No. 223 Park row. |
| 68 | " | No. 404 Pearl street. |
| 69 | " | No. 450 Pearl street. |
| 70 | " | No. 460 Pearl street. |
| 71 | " | No. 468½ Pearl street. |
| 72 | " | No. 10 Pell street. |
| 73 | " | No. 18 Pell street. |
| 74 | " | No. 4 Rivington street. |
| 75 | " | No. 6 Rivington street. |
| 76 | " | No. 2412 Second avenue. |
| 77 | " | No. 400 Seventh avenue. |
| 78 | " | Nos. 93 and 95 Sixth avenue. |
| 79 | " | No. 90 South street. |
| 80 | " | No. 199 South street. |
| 81 | " | No. 27 Tenth avenue. |
| 82 | " | No. 583 Tenth avenue. |
| 83 | " | No. 295 Third avenue. |
| 84 | " | No. 386 Third avenue. |
| 85 | " | Nos. 2231 to 2237 Third avenue. |
| 86 | " | No. 2240 Third avenue. |
| 87 | " | Nos. 2258 and 2260 Third avenue. |
| 88 | " | No. 2291 Third avenue. |
| 89 | " | Nos. 2315 and 2317 Third avenue. |
| 90 | " | No. 2374 Third avenue. |
| 91 | " | No. 5 Thompson street. |
| 92 | " | No. 510 West Broadway. |
| 93 | " | No. 535 West Broadway. |
| 94 | " | No. 197 Worth street. |
| 95 | " | Nos. 293 and 295 Eighth street. |
| 96 | " | No. 307 East Twelfth street. |
| 97 | " | Nos. 151 and 153 East Twenty-third street. |
| 98 | " | Nos. 328 to 332 East Twenty-third street. |
| 99 | " | Nos. 340 and 342 East Twenty-third street. |
| 100 | " | No. 135 West Thirtieth street. |
| 101 | " | No. 224 East Forty-second street. |
| 102 | " | Nos. 437 and 439 West Forty-second street. |
| 103 | " | Nos. 247 and 249 East Forty-fourth street. |
| 104 | " | No. 200 East Sixty-fifth street and No. 1109 Third avenue. |
| 105 | " | Nos. 154 and 156 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. |
| 106 | " | No. 168 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. |
| 11869 | To conduct a day nursery | No. 1528 Avenue A. |
| 11870 | " | No. 92 Washington street. |
| 11871 | To use beds in dormitories | Fort Washington avenue and One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street. |
| 11872 | To keep 10 chickens | Nos. 420 and 422 East Eighteenth street. |
| 549 | To keep 2 cows | No. 289 East Ninety-eighth street. |
| 107 | To keep a lodging-house | Nos. 108 and 108½ Bowery. |
| | | BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. |
| 550 | To keep 1 cow | Bronx Wood Park, Williamsbridge. |
| 551 | " | Saw Mill lane, east of Westchester avenue. |
| 552 | " | Webster avenue, between Two Hundred and Thirty-third and Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, Woodlawn. |
| 553 | " | Southeast corner Maps avenue and Jerome street, Williamsbridge. |
| 554 | " | North side Old Boston Post road, 500 feet southwest of Fifth avenue, Eastchester. |
| 555 | To keep 2 cows | Gunhill road, Williamsbridge. |
| 556 | " | North side Old Boston Post road, 650 feet southwest of Fifth avenue, Eastchester. |
| 557 | " | West side of Town Dock road, 300 feet south of Old Boston Post road. |

| No. | BUSINESS, MATTER OR THING GRANTED. | ON PREMISES AT |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. | | |
| 11873 | To slaughter cattle..... | Nos. 240 to 248 Hudson avenue. |
| 11874 | To use smoke-house..... | No. 518 Grand street. |
| 11875 | To build a water-tight cesspool..... | Northwest corner Ocean avenue and Avenue P. |
| 11876 | To keep 6 chickens..... | No. 157 Lexington avenue. |
| 11877 | To keep 12 chickens..... | No. 123 North Fourth street. |
| 11878 | "..... | No. 346 Metropolitan avenue. |
| 11879 | "..... | No. 158 Leonard street. |
| 11880 | To keep 60 chickens..... | No. 201 Chauncey street. |

Reports on Applications for Store and Wagon Permits for the Sale of Milk.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits for the sale and delivery of milk in The City of New York be and the same are hereby granted :

| No. | LOCATION. | No. | LOCATION. |
|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | | |
| STORES. | | | |
| 677 | No. 206 Thompson street (duplicate). | 10862 | No. 404 East Sixth street. |
| 690 | No. 362 Bleecker street (duplicate). | 10863 | No. 54 Mulberry street. |
| 1184 | No. 128 Ninth avenue (duplicate). | 10864 | No. 303 Broome street. |
| 2266 | No. 383 Bleecker street (duplicate). | 10865 | No. 1757 Third avenue. |
| 3652 | No. 142 West Nineteenth street (duplicate). | 10866 | No. 152 West One Hundred and Third street. |
| 4004 | No. 1576 First avenue (duplicate). | 10867 | No. 328 East Seventy-fifth street. |
| 33 | No. 297 Bleecker street. | 10868 | No. 345 East Ninety-second street. |
| 34 | No. 65 Carmine street. | 10869 | No. 97 Avenue C. |
| 144 | No. 247 East Twenty-eighth street. | 10870 | No. 537 East Sixth street. |
| 146 | No. 443 West Forty-fifth street. | 10871 | No. 87 Avenue B. |
| 376 | No. 27 Eighth avenue. | 10872 | No. 456 West Twenty-seventh street. |
| 1264 | No. 106 First avenue. | 10873 | No. 1506 Lexington avenue. |
| 1469 | No. 159 East Fifty-third street. | 10874 | No. 115 Broome street. |
| 2311 | No. 425 Third avenue. | 10875 | No. 214 Eldridge street. |
| 2879 | No. 1681 Avenue A. | 10876 | No. 1693 Third avenue. |
| 3479 | No. 339 East Twenty-third street. | 10877 | No. 1593 First avenue. |
| 4060 | No. 510 Sixth avenue. | 10878 | No. 1475 First avenue. |
| 4176 | No. 205 Tenth avenue. | 10879 | No. 417 Third avenue. |
| 4470 | No. 167 Suffolk street. | 10880 | No. 458 Third avenue. |
| 4599 | No. 515 West Forty-third street. | 10881 | No. 178 Spring street. |
| 5579 | No. 331 West Forty-fourth street. | 10882 | No. 162 Greenwich street. |
| 5764 | No. 237 East One Hundred and Eighth street. | 10883 | No. 622 Hudson street. |
| 7947 | No. 135 Suffolk street. | 10884 | No. 326 East Twelfth street. |
| 8388 | No. 1339 Avenue A. | 10885 | No. 431 East Seventeenth street. |
| 8441 | No. 756 Eighth avenue. | 10886 | No. 77½ Washington street. |
| 9978 | No. 60 East End avenue. | 10887 | No. 95 Sheriff street. |
| 10353 | No. 294 Broome street. | 10888 | No. 107 Clinton street. |
| 10547 | No. 1606 Avenue A. | 10889 | No. 1885 Second avenue. |
| 10562 | No. 510 West Forty-fourth street. | | |
| 10588 | No. 138 Norfolk street. | WAGONS. | |
| 10890 | No. 123 Elizabeth street. | 633 | No. 422 Amsterdam avenue. |
| 10891 | No. 529 East Eleventh street. | 812 | No. 122 Cedar street. |
| 10892 | No. 87 Ridge street. | 813 | " |
| 10893 | No. 371 First avenue. | 814 | " |
| 10894 | No. 410 West Forty-second street. | 2386 | No. 1026 Sixth avenue. |
| 10895 | No. 208 Forsyth street. | 2387 | " |
| 10896 | No. 126 Ludlow street. | 2388 | " |
| 10897 | No. 189 East Houston street. | 2389 | " |
| 10898 | No. 176 Orchard street. | 2390 | " |
| 10899 | No. 1737 Avenue A. | 2391 | " |
| 10900 | No. 163 Thompson street. | 2392 | " |
| 10901 | No. 320 Broome street. | 2393 | Nos. 336 and 338 Ferry street, Hoboken, N. J. |
| 10902 | No. 374½ Grand street. | | |
| 10903 | No. 183 West Tenth street. | BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. | |
| 10904 | No. 373 Hudson street. | STORES. | |
| 10905 | No. 237 East One Hundred and Second street. | 466 | No. 894 Tinton avenue. |
| 10906 | No. 300 East Ninety-fifth street. | 467 | No. 895 Fleetwood avenue. |
| 10907 | No. 2161 Fifth avenue. | 468 | No. 3526 Park avenue. |
| 10908 | No. 209 East Seventy-sixth street. | 469 | No. 3802 Third avenue. |
| 10909 | No. 1473 Fifth avenue. | 470 | No. 3857 Third avenue. |
| 10910 | No. 426 East Eighty-first street. | 471 | No. 504 Bergen avenue. |
| 10911 | No. 121 East Houston street. | | |
| 10912 | No. 106 Eighth avenue. | BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. | |
| 10913 | No. 123 Worth street. | STORES. | |
| 10914 | | 3904 | No. 455 Fifth avenue. |
| | | 3905 | No. 144 West street. |
| | | 3906 | No. 216 H-yt street. |
| | | 3907 | No. 110 Boerum street. |
| | | 3908 | No. 45 Boerum street. |
| | | 3909 | No. 27 Siegel street. |
| | | 3910 | No. 1091 Bedford avenue. |
| | | 3911 | No. 23 Coles street. |
| | | 3912 | No. 208 Forty-sixth street. |
| | | 3913 | No. 162 Cook street. |
| | | 3914 | No. 320 Stuyvesant street. |
| | | 3915 | No. 164 Van Brunt street. |
| | | 3916 | No. 494 Henry street. |
| | | 3917 | No. 84 Johnson avenue. |
| | | 3918 | No. 50 Montrose avenue. |
| | | 3919 | Wyona avenue and Eastern parkway. |
| | | 3920 | No. 1876 Pacific street. |
| | | 3921 | No. 75 Eagle street. |
| | | 3922 | No. 1201 Forlieth street. |
| | | 3923 | No. 85 Leonard street. |
| | | 3924 | No. 169 Marion street. |
| | | 3925 | No. 1486 Bergen street. |
| | | 3926 | No. 150 Albany avenue. |
| | | 3927 | No. 1507 Bergen street. |
| | | 3928 | No. 73 Schenectady avenue. |
| | | 3929 | No. 167 Greenpoint avenue. |
| | | 3930 | No. 183 Boerum street. |
| | | 3931 | No. 321 Oakland street. |
| | | 3932 | No. 1266 Herkimer street. |
| | | 3933 | No. 195 Green street. |
| | | 3934 | No. 165 India street. |
| | | 3935 | No. 751 Metropolitan avenue. |
| | | 3936 | No. 326 Stockton street. |
| | | 3937 | No. 501 Humboldt street. |
| | | 3938 | No. 551 Nostrand avenue. |
| | | 3939 | No. 416 Hudson avenue. |
| | | 3940 | No. 1075 Fifth avenue. |
| | | 3941 | No. 288 Lexington avenue. |
| | | 3942 | No. 952 Manhattan avenue. |
| | | 3943 | No. 371 Prospect avenue. |
| | | 3944 | No. 61 Fifth avenue. |
| | | 3945 | No. 168 Fulton street. |
| | | 3946 | No. 118 Carlton avenue. |
| | | 3947 | No. 127 Eagle street. |
| | | 3948 | No. 161 Franklin street. |
| | | 3949 | No. 91 Eagle street. |
| | | 3950 | No. 112 Franklin street. |
| | | 3951 | No. 101 Franklin street. |
| | | 3952 | No. 11 Bedford avenue. |

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows :

| No. | BUSINESS, MATTER OR THING DENIED. | ON PREMISES AT |
|-----------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | |
| 961 | To board and care for two children..... | No. 208 East Forty-first street. |
| 962 | To occupy basement..... | No. 716 Sixth street. |
| BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. | | |
| 963 | To keep 8 chickens..... | No. 122 Chauncey street. |
| 964 | To keep 10 chickens..... | No. 12 Vandevort place. |
| 965 | To keep 15 chickens..... | No. 74 Hamilton avenue. |
| 966 | To keep 18 chickens..... | No. 681 Herkimer street. |

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked :

| No. | BUSINESS, MATTER OR THING REVOKED. | ON PREMISES AT |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | |
| 11626 | To use smoke-house..... | No. 1331 Second avenue. |
| 296 | To sell and deliver milk..... | No. 4 Albany street. |
| 406 | "..... | No. 143 West Twenty-seventh street. |
| 583 | "..... | No. 530 West Forty-fourth street. |
| 793 | "..... | No. 1762 Third avenue. |
| 802 | "..... | No. 50 East Houston street. |
| 1005 | "..... | No. 68 West Third street. |
| 3216 | "..... | No. 221 Avenue C. |
| 3772 | "..... | No. 288 Seventh avenue. |
| 5238 | "..... | No. 32 Greenwich avenue. |
| 5377 | "..... | No. 343 West Sixteenth street. |
| 5670 | "..... | No. 1066 First avenue. |
| 5772 | "..... | No. 763 Ninth avenue. |
| 6652 | "..... | No. 424 East Tenth street. |
| 7689 | "..... | No. 104 Stanton street. |
| 7798 | "..... | No. 135 Suffolk street. |
| 7928 | "..... | No. 734 Washington street. |
| 8288 | "..... | No. 190 Henry street. |
| 8318 | "..... | No. 626 East Sixth street. |
| 8707 | "..... | No. 429 West Thirty-second street. |
| 8817 | "..... | No. 1624 Madison avenue. |
| 9610 | "..... | No. 972 First avenue. |
| 9837 | "..... | No. 110 Thompson street. |
| 9159 | "..... | No. 63 Carmine street. |
| 10810 | "..... | No. 218 Chrystie street. |
| 633 | "..... | No. 195 Spring street. |
| 812 | "..... | No. 4 Albany street. |
| 813 | "..... | No. 4 Albany street. |
| 814 | "..... | No. 4 Albany street. |
| 33 | "..... | No. 88 Carmine street. |
| 34 | "..... | No. 628 Hudson street. |
| 144 | "..... | No. 247 East Twenty-eighth street. |
| 140 | "..... | No. 443 West Forty-fifth street. |
| 376 | "..... | No. 33 Eighth avenue. |
| 1264 | "..... | No. 106 First avenue. |
| 1409 | "..... | No. 159 East Fifty-third street. |
| 2311 | "..... | No. 425 Third avenue. |
| 2879 | "..... | No. 1681 Avenue A. |
| 3489 | "..... | No. 320 East Twenty-fifth street. |
| 4060 | "..... | No. 510 Sixth street. |
| 4176 | "..... | No. 205 Tenth street. |
| 4470 | "..... | No. 175 Suffolk street. |
| 4599 | "..... | No. 515 West Forty-third street. |
| 5579 | "..... | No. 202 Prince street. |
| 5764 | "..... | No. 331 West Forty-fourth street. |
| 7947 | "..... | No. 424 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street. |
| 8388 | "..... | No. 46 Jefferson street. |
| 8441 | "..... | No. 1339 Avenue A. |
| 9978 | "..... | No. 756 Eighth avenue. |
| 10353 | "..... | No. 66 East End avenue. |
| 10547 | "..... | No. 294 Broome street. |
| 10562 | "..... | No. 1606 Avenue A. |
| 10736 | "..... | No. 510 West Forty-fourth street. |
| 10858 | "..... | No. 141 Delancey street. |
| 1347 | "..... | No. 160 Eldridge street. |
| 1943 | "..... | No. 331 East Ninety-third street. |
| 2070 | "..... | No. 331 East Ninety-third street. |
| 2335 | "..... | No. 160 Eldridge street. |
| 2336 | "..... | No. 160 Eldridge street. |
| 2309 | "..... | No. 2576 Eighth avenue. |

8th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded as follows :

| No. of Order. | ON PREMISES AT | TIME EXTENDED TO | REMARKS. |
|-----------------------|--|------------------|---|
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | | |
| 28508 | No. 156 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street..... | Dec. 15, 1899 | Modified so as not to require the vacation of the stable, and that a further modification in relation to ventilation of water-closet apartments be denied. |
| 33139 | No. 33 Cornelia street..... | Dec. 15, 1899 | Modified so as not to require the dwarf partitions of water-closet to be extended to the ceiling, nor the water-closet apartments to be specially ventilated. |
| 39333 | No. 1848 Park avenue..... | Dec. 24, 1899 | Modified so as not to require the provision of additional water-closets. |
| 39588 | No. 209 West Sixty-sixth street..... | Dec. 24, 1899 | Modified so as not to require the cleaning and whitewashing of walls and ceilings of halls. |
| 39765 | No. 535 East Sixteenth street..... | Dec. 26, 1899 | Modified so as not to require the removal of pan water-closets, providing said closets are put in good sanitary condition. |
| 41097 | No. 180 Norfolk street..... | Dec. 26, 1899 | Modified so as not to require a new iron house-drain, provided the present earthen house-drain be repaired and made gas tight. |
| 36207 | No. 11 Division street..... | Dec. 24, 1899 | Modified so as to allow the brick work of school sink to be faced with hot tar, provided said brick work be scraped, cleaned and the joints pointed with cement, and that an extension of time be denied. |
| 41615 | No. 48 Chrystie street..... | Dec. 27, 1899 | |
| 42070 | No. 301 East Thirtieth street..... | Dec. 27, 1899 | |
| 42315 | No. 52 Lewis street..... | Dec. 27, 1899 | |
| 42837 | No. 609 Amsterdam avenue..... | Dec. 27, 1899 | |
| 41459 | No. 626 East Thirteenth street..... | Dec. 27, 1899 | |
| 41802 | No. 316 East Thirty-eighth street..... | Dec. 24, 1899 | |
| 41914 | No. 216 Chrystie street..... | Dec. 24, 1899 | |
| BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. | | | |
| 2553 | No. 2493 Third avenue..... | Dec. 23, 1899 | |
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | | |
| 2636 | No. 209 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street..... | | Rescinded. |
| 18307 | No. 322 East Sixty-third street..... | | " |
| 18848 | No. 28 Water street..... | | " |
| 19464 | No. 1695 Lexington avenue..... | | " |
| 23203 | No. 239 East Seventy-fifth street..... | | " |
| 24502 | No. 165 Elizabeth street..... | | " |
| 24410 | No. 332 East Sixty-third street..... | | " |
| 25633 | No. 114 East Ninety-eighth street..... | | " |
| 25694 | No. 116 East Ninety-eighth street..... | | " |
| 30799 | No. 316 and 318 West Fifty-ninth street..... | | " |
| 30791 | Nos. 302 to 316 East One Hundred and First street..... | | " |
| 30936 | No. 233 West Seventeenth street..... | | " |
| 34794 | No. 449 West Sixteenth street..... | | " |
| 35575 | No. 42 Eighth avenue..... | | " |
| 36449 | No. 267 West Thirty-eighth street..... | | " |
| 38349 | No. 12 Horatio street..... | | " |
| 39480 | Nos. 2047-2053 Lexington avenue..... | | " |
| 39793 | No. 84 Pitt street..... | | " |
| 40552 | No. 209 East One Hundred and Eleventh street..... | | " |
| 40505 | No. 314 East One Hundred and Eighth street..... | | " |
| 17752 | No. 1½ First street..... | | " |
| 22002 | No. 315 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street..... | | " |
| 23004 | No. 446 West Thirty-second street..... | | " |
| 41184 | No. 165 Elizabeth street..... | | " |
| 41471 | No. 114 East Ninety-eighth street..... | | " |
| 41600 | No. 116 East Ninety-eighth street..... | | " |
| 41601 | No. 2 Mott street..... | | " |
| 42100 | Northeast corner One Hundred and Twentieth street and Fourth avenue..... | | " |
| 30850 | No. 428 East Eighty-sixth street..... | | " |
| 33309 | No. 328 East Sixty-third street..... | | " |
| 34538 | Nos. 164, 168 and 172 East Ninety-fourth street..... | | " |
| 40424 | No. 6 Horatio street..... | | " |
| 40425 | | | " |
| 40426 | | | " |
| 42156 | | | " |
| BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. | | | |
| 2526 | West side Robbins avenue, first house south of Westchester avenue..... | | Rescinded. |

On motion, it was
Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied :

| NO. OF ORDER. | ON PREMISES AT | NO. OF ORDER. | ON PREMISES AT |
|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. | | | |
| 10075 | No. 201 Broome street. | 42084 | No. 318 East Twenty-fifth street. |
| 13201 | No. 77 Broome street. | 42247 | No. 259 West Twenty-sixth street. |
| 28959 | No. 303 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street. | 46165 | No. 304 East Forty-third street. |
| 32058 | No. 163 Allen street. | 41835 | No. 197 Third avenue. |
| 36230 | No. 130 Columbia street. | BOROUGH OF THE BRONX. | |
| 40318 | No. 314 Tenth avenue. | 2602 | No. 1414 Franklin avenue. |
| 40563 | No. 213 East Ninety fifth street. | 2604 | West side White Plains road, third house north of Kossuth avenue. |
| 41132 | No. 136 East Eighteenth street. | | |

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

FIRST DIVISION.

Division of Sanitary Inspection.

- 2d. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector :
- (a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.
 - (b) Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps.
 - (c) Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil dumps.
 - (d) Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses.
- Ordered on file.
- 3d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.
- On motion, it was
Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows :

| NAME. | FROM | TO | REMARKS. |
|-------------------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| Harmon A. Vedder, M. D. | October 30 | November 25 | |

Report in respect to the sale of barrels at the dumps of the Street Cleaning Department.
The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of the report to the Department of Street Cleaning, with the recommendation that all barrels received at the various street cleaning dumps be destroyed.

Report in respect to dangerous condition of vacant lots at Nos. 302 to 316 East One Hundred and First street.

On motion, it was
Resolved, That a copy of the report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector in respect to the dangerous condition of vacant lots Nos. 302 to 316 East One Hundred and First street, Borough of Manhattan, be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements, with the request that, for sanitary reasons, the Department of Highways be authorized and directed to have said lots fenced.

SECOND DIVISION.

Division of Contagious Diseases.

- 4th. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector :
- (a) Monthly reports of charitable institutions.
 - (b) Report of inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital.
- Ordered on file.
- 5th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.
- On motion, it was
Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows :

| NAME. | FROM | TO | REMARKS. |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| William Kasmire | November 22 | November 25 | |
| Isabel K. Kelly | November 27 | | |

THIRD DIVISION.

Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.

- 6th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 7th. Report of violations of section No. 63 of the Sanitary Code.
The Secretary was directed to notify the persons named in said report that a repetition of the offense will be sufficient cause for the revocation of their permits.
- 8th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.
- On motion, it was
Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows :

| NAME. | FROM | TO | REMARKS. |
|------------------|-------------|----|----------|
| Ambrose Lee, Jr. | November 21 | | |

Report of seizure of a carcass of beef at West Washington Market.
The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of the report to the New York State Board of Health.

Report of seizure of a carcass of beef at West Washington Market.
The Secretary was directed to forward a copy of the report to the Connecticut State Board of Health.

Report in respect to inspections of Barren Island. Ordered on file.

FOURTH DIVISION.

Division of Bacteriology.

- 9th. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered on file.
- Report in respect to the matter of sending culture tubes through the mail. Ordered on file.

FIFTH DIVISION.

Division of Medical Inspection of Schools.

- 10th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 11th. Reports on applications for leave of absence.
- On motion, it was
Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows :

| NAME. | FROM | TO | REMARKS. |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| R. H. Pretlow, M. D. | November 27 | December 20 | |

SIXTH DIVISION.

Division of Marine Inspection.

- 12th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

Report in respect to inspection of Long Island State Hospital, and violations of section 3, chapter 637, Laws of 1899. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

2d. Reports on applications for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

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

| NAME. | FROM | TO | REMARKS. |
|------------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| Charles E. Hoyer | December 6 | December 16 | |

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

The following Communications were Received from the Registrar of Records :

1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.

2d. Reports on applications to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

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

| NAMES. | RETURN. | DATE. |
|----------------------------|---------|---------------|
| Male infant (Levis) | Born | Nov. 23, 1879 |
| Ferdinand West | " | " 19, 1894 |
| Edward F. A. Van de Lamput | Died | May 28, 1899 |
| John S. Tackney | " | Sept. 16, " |
| Oscar Wilson | " | Oct. 21, " |
| Lewis Pyzer | " | Nov. 7, " |
| Amelia Greenbaum | " | " 11, " |
| John Meyer | " | " 15, " |
| Frederick Schecker | " | " 16, " |
| John Varga | " | " 16, " |
| Maddalena Schifavora | " | " 20, " |
| Mary Josephine Ryan | " | " 22, " |
| Marco D'Angelo | " | Oct. 8, " |

3d. Reports on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following certificates :

| NAMES. | RETURN. | DATE. |
|----------------|---------|----------------|
| George Brigot | Born | April 16, 1891 |
| Bernard Gross | " | Aug. 11, 1892 |
| John Hastedt | " | Jan. 3, 1893 |
| Samuel Gross | " | Feb. 8, 1895 |
| Giovanna Scala | " | Apr. 10, 1896 |

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

The leave of absence of Frederic D. Bell was extended to December 4, 1899.

Applications were received from the Long Island Agricultural Company and Kane & Wright for a hearing upon orders issued by the Board and referred to the Corporation Counsel.

A communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission in respect to the transfer from the position of Medical School Inspector to that of Medical Inspector and ordered on file.

A communication was received from the New York State Civil Service Commission in respect to the classifications of Resident and Assistant Resident Physician and referred to the Secretary.

Report of a regular meeting of the Medical Board of Willard Parker and Riverside Hospitals was received and ordered on file.

Report of the Sanitary Superintendent in respect to application for permit to dock the steamship "J. W. Taylor" at the wharf in the Borough of Brooklyn, and

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the application of Busk & Jevons, agents for the owners of the ship "J. W. Taylor," for a permit to allow said ship to come to her wharf in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and load in the usual manner, be and is hereby denied.

Ayes—The President and Commissioners Cosby and York.

Noes—Commissioner Jenkins.

On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted :

Whereas, An application has been made to the Board of Health by Busk & Jevons, agents for the owners of the ship "J. W. Taylor," for a permit allowing the said ship and its cargo to be landed within the jurisdiction of The City of New York; and

Whereas, It has come to the knowledge of the Board of Health that the said ship "J. W. Taylor" cleared from the port of Santos, Brazil, during a period when said port was infected with the bubonic plague; and the Board of Health having investigated and satisfied itself that the said disease is an infectious disease; and there is every reason to believe that the ship and the cargo contained therein will be likely, if permitted to land within the jurisdiction of this city, to endanger the public health, and the landing and discharge of the cargo within the jurisdiction of The City of New York would be dangerous to the public health and imperil the lives and health of the inhabitants of The City of New York; now, therefore, for the purpose of averting the same, and for the protection of the inhabitants of The City of New York, the Board, deeming that the lives and health of said inhabitants are likely to be seriously imperiled and affected if said ship or any part of its cargo be permitted to come within the jurisdiction of the city; it is

Resolved, That the application for a permit be and the same is hereby denied; and it is further

Resolved, That the President of this Board shall cause such measures to be taken as will notify the owners or consignees of said ship "J. W. Taylor," and such other persons as may have connection therewith, that under no circumstances will the Board of Health permit either said ship or its cargo to be brought to or landed anywhere within The City of New York; and that if said cargo is brought within the jurisdiction of The City of New York, it will be taken possession of by the Board of Health, to the end that the same may be examined and, if found essential to the preservation of health, condemned, as likely to prove dangerous to the life and detrimental to the health of the inhabitants of this city; it is further

Resolved, That the President of this Board be and is hereby directed to cause a notice to be served upon the owner or owners of the lighters which have been used for the purpose of transferring the cargo from said ship, "J. W. Taylor," that said lighters will not be again permitted to land at any of the docks or wharves within The City of New York until said lighters have been properly examined and their sanitary condition passed upon by the Board of Health; and the Sanitary Superintendent is hereby directed to take such measures as may be necessary to carry out the purport of this resolution.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
December 19, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record :

Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I respectfully notify you of the following promotion in the Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx :

Peter A. Murphy, from Leveller to Transitman, without increase of compensation, to take effect January 1, 1900.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges,
City of New York.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
FIFTH DISTRICT,
NO. 154 CLINTON STREET,
December 20, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record :

SIR—Louis S. Posner, of The City of New York, has this day been appointed, on probation, to the position of Stenographer in the Municipal Court in The City of New York for the Fifth District of the Borough of Manhattan.

Yours respectfully,
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE,
Justice, Municipal Court, Fifth District.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,
December 20, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, of the following changes in the working force of this Department:

Death of Chris. C. Clark, Teamster with team.
William A. Waite, No. 493 Ash street, appointed Teamster with team.

Respectfully yours,
AUGUST MOEBUS,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

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ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor
ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

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9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. MCCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

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

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Borough of Queens.

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Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.
No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

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JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.
JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.
MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.
JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

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HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond, Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

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F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan.
PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37 Municipal Building.
JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.
GEO. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.
WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.
JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.
EDWARD I. MILLER, Deputy Commissioner for Richmond.

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WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

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Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.
ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

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No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD J. YORK, President of the Board; JOHN B. SEXTON, JACOB HESS, HENRY E. ABELL, Commissioners.

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Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.
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Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEAL, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
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Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
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Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 30.
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Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
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New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
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COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

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County Court-house, Long Island City.
HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

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Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.

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Part II.

Part III.

Part IV.

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Held in the building for Criminal Courts. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.
EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK MCDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
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Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-

third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM SCHNITZPAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.
Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLING-HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.
CORNELIUS FURGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).
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Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.
Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN, Justice; GEO. W. DAMON, Clerk.
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton, ALBERT REYNOLD, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.
CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS

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

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

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
List 5880, No. 1. Sewers and appurtenances in Stebbins avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Jennings street, with branch in Home street, between Stebbins avenue and Prospect avenue.

List 5892, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks and laying crosswalks in Jackson avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Stebbins avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Jennings street; both sides of Home street, from Prospect avenue to Stebbins avenue; both sides of Chisholm street, from Freeman street to Stebbins avenue; south side of Freeman street, from Chisholm street to Lyman place, and east side of Lyman place, from Freeman street to Stebbins avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Jackson avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before January 23, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
December 22, 1899.

THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF THE CITY of New York hereby give notice that the cost of the following-named local improvements is greater than the estimate heretofore made therefor, viz.:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
List 6122, No. 1. Grading and paving Orient avenue, from Metropolitan avenue to Olive street, with asphalt pavement, \$607.12.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Orient avenue, from Metropolitan avenue to Olive street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—and that said Board of Assessors has added to the assessments heretofore laid for said improvements, the

said excess of the cost over said estimate and apportioned the same upon the several parcels of land according to their respective proportions of the original assessment, and the said Board of Assessors has prepared lists showing the amounts of such additions, and the same are now on file in the office of said Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, where the same can be examined by all persons interested, and that the said Board will meet in the said office on the 16th day of January, 1900, at 11 A. M., to hear objections (if any) to the same.

EDWARD McCUE,
EDWARD CAHILL,
THOS. A. WILSON,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
JOHN B. MEYENBERG,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
December 13, 1899.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,
177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for:

1. Public Place, laying out, at Pelham avenue, Southern Boulevard and Crotona avenue.
2. Change of Final Map at intersection of east side of Anthony avenue and the southwesterly side of Burnside avenue.

3. Change of name, Craven street to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Dawson street to Truxton street.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on January 4, 1900, at 2 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated DECEMBER 18, 1899.
LOUIS F. HAFFEN,
President.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 21, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1900.

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
No. 1. FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER-PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1521.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New

York, by changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue, from a point 1,039.33 feet north of a point 779.50 feet south of the center line of West One Hundred and Fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 13 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 20th day of December, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue, from a point 1,039.33 feet north of a point 779.50 feet south of the center line of West One Hundred and Fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the center line of Edgecombe avenue, distant 779.50 feet south of the center line of West One Hundred and Fifth street, elevation 85.0 feet above city datum; thence northward on the center line of Edgecombe avenue, distance 259.83 feet, elevation 86.66 feet; thence northward along said center line distance 259.84 feet, elevation 88.33 feet; thence still northward along said line, distance 259.83 feet to the center line of West One Hundred and Fifth street, elevation 90 feet; thence still northward along said center line, distance 259.83 feet, elevation 92.50 feet; thence northward along said line, distance 259.84 feet, elevation 95 feet; thence still northward along said center line, distance 259.83 feet, elevation 97.50 feet; thence still northward along said center line, distance 259.83 feet, elevation 100 feet.

All elevations above city datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 20th day of January, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated New York, December 22, 1899.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in the territory bounded on the north by Wythe avenue and Norman avenue, on the east by Lorimer street, on the south by Bedford avenue, and on the west by North Twelfth street, in the Fourteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 13 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 20th day of December, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in the territory bounded on the north by Wythe avenue and Norman avenue, on the east by Lorimer street, on the south by Bedford avenue, and on the west by North Twelfth street, in the Fourteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A." North Thirteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of North Thirteenth street and Wythe avenue; the elevation to be 9.42 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Thirteenth street and Berry street, the elevation to be 13.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Thirteenth street and Bedford avenue, the elevation to be 9.63 feet above mean high-water datum.

"B." North Fourteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of North Fourteenth street and Wythe avenue, the elevation to be 10.27 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to a point distant 120 feet north of the northwest corner of North Fourteenth street and Berry street, the elevation to be 13.05 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fourteenth street and Berry street, the elevation to be 13.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fourteenth street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 11.82 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fourteenth street and Banker street, the elevation to be 9.75 feet above mean high-water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fourteenth street and Bedford avenue, the elevation to be 9.33 feet above mean high-water datum.

"C." North Fifteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of North Fifteenth street and Wythe avenue, the elevation to be 7.19 feet above mean high-water datum.

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fifteenth street and Banker street, the elevation to be 11.20 feet above mean high-water datum.

2d. Thence southerly to a point distant 183 feet north of the center line intersection of North Fifteenth street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 11.60 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fifteenth street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 10.62 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to a point distant 180 feet north of the northwest corner of North Fifteenth street and Bedford avenue, the elevation to be 11.30 feet above mean high-water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to the intersection of North Fifteenth street and Bedford avenue, the elevation to be 9.73 feet above mean high-water datum.

"D." Banker Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Banker street and Norman avenue, the elevation to be 7.90 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Banker street and North Fifteenth street, the elevation to be 11.20 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to a point distant 87 feet north of the northwest corner of Banker street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 12.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Banker street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 11.10 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to a point distant 55 feet south of the southwest corner of Banker street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 11.73 feet above mean high-water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Banker street and North Fourteenth street, the elevation to be 9.75 feet above mean high-water datum.

"E." Dobbin Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Dobbin street and Norman avenue, the elevation to be 8.86 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to a point distant 224 feet north of the northwest corner of Dobbin street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 11.91 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Dobbin street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 10.00 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to a point distant 82 feet south of the southeast corner of Dobbin street and Nassau avenue, the elevation to be 10.84 feet above mean high-water datum.

"F." Nassau Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Nassau avenue and Gurnsey street, the elevation to be 8.90 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence easterly to the intersection of Nassau avenue and Lorimer street, the elevation to be 9.90 feet above mean high-water datum.

"G." Bedford Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Bedford avenue and North Fourteenth street, the elevation to be 9.53 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence easterly to the center of the block, the elevation to be 10.13 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence easterly to the intersection of Bedford avenue and North Fifteenth street, the elevation to be 9.73 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence easterly to the center of the block, the elevation to be 10.08 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence easterly to the intersection of Bedford avenue and Gurnsey street, the elevation to be 9.42 feet above mean high-water datum.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named territory at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named territory will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and in corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of January, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated New York, December 22, 1899.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, will give a public hearing, at a meeting of the said Board, to be held at the office of the said Board, as above, on Wednesday, December 27, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., to all persons affected by or interested in a "Map showing lands in the Towns of Lewisboro, Poundridge and Bedford, Westchester County, New York, to be acquired for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure water, for the use of the City of New York," which said map has been prepared by the Commissioner of Water Supply and submitted to the said Board of Public Improvements for approval.

Dated New York, December 22, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

VAN TASSEL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction, at their sales stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1899,

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

Three horses, no longer fit for use in the Department, Nos. 653, 818 and 1073.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

VAN TASSEL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the places below stated,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899,

the following property belonging to the Fire Department of The City of New York, and no longer fit for its use:

At Drill-yard, in rear of Headquarters, Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh street, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Lot No. 1. 1 four-wheel Tender, Registered No. 87.
" 2. 1 Water Tower, Registered No. 2.
" 3. 1 Wrecking Truck.
" 4. 1 Top Wagon.
" 5. 1 Battalion Wagon.
" 6. 1 Battalion Wagon.
" 7. 1 Ahrens Steam Fire Engine, Registered No. 356.
" 8. 1 two-wheel Tender, Registered No. 5.
" 9. 1 four-wheel Tender, Registered No. 34.

At Repair Shop, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third Street, at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

Lot No. 10. Old Harness.
" 11. 1 Foot Lath.
" 12. 1 Blower.
" 13. 1 Bolt Cut ing Machine.
" 14. Old Rope Ladders.
" 15. 1 old Sleigh.
" 16. 1 old Sleigh.
" 17. Old Wheels.
" 18. Old Radiators.
" 19. Old Air Pumps.
" 20. Old Wire Cable.
" 21. Old Ball Nozzles.
" 22. Old Lobe Respirators.
" 23. Scrap Brass (about 2,500 lbs., more or less).
" 24. Scrap Iron (about 6 tons, more or less).
" 25. Old Tires (about 2 tons, more or less).
" 26. One Gas Tire Setter.

At Storehouse, No. 20 Eldridge Street, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Lot No. 27. About 30 pieces old Rubber Hose, without couplings.
" 28. About 30 pieces old Rubber Hose, without couplings.
" 29. About 30 pieces old Rubber Hose, without couplings.
" 30. About 30 pieces old Rubber Hose, without couplings.
" 31. About 30 pieces old Canvas Hose, without couplings.
" 32. About 47 pieces Old Canvas Hose, without couplings.
" 33. About 20 pieces Old Rubber Suctions, without couplings.
" 34. Old Rubber Remnants.
" 35. Old Rope Remnants.
" 36. 4 Steel Sliding Poles.
" 37. 6 Old Barrels.
" 38. 1 Old Pump.
" 39. Old Carpet.
" 40. 2 Old Office Desk.
" 41. 2 Old Bedsteads.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately. The right to reject all bids is reserved.

The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale (except Lots Nos. 23, 24 and 25, which must be paid for at the time of weighing and delivery), and must remove the articles within twenty-four hours after the sale.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the places above specified.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 12, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the Fire Hose below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

1. Four thousand (4,000) feet 2½-inch Fire Hose, "Eureka Special" brand or equal thereto.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars, and the time for delivery thirty days.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the hose, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 5, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the FIRE HOSE below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

1. Five thousand (5,000) feet 2½-inch Cotton, Rubber-lined Fire Hose, "Elephant" brand or equal thereto.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars, and the time for delivery thirty days.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the hose, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 2, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, VIZ.:

800 Tons Egg Size,
200 Tons Broken Size.

—will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10:30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1899,

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

The coal is to be free-burning, of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows:

"Lackawanna," by New York, Ontario and Western Railroad, or any other free-burning coal.

—all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

The bidder must name the particular kind of coal he proposes to furnish and state where and by whom it is mined.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various houses and the fire-boats of the Department in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of a Weighmaster designated for that purpose by the Department. All as more fully set forth in the specifications to the contract, to which particular attention is directed.

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

Bidders must write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures, stating the price per ton for each size and the total amount.

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Hundred (100) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 2, 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FUR- nishing Five Hundred Tons of White Ash Coal, pea size, for the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Department of Health, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

JANUARY 3, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope inclosed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing Coal for Kingston Avenue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its presentation, to the head of said Department,

ment, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Board and read.

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

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

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about Five Hundred (500) Tons of White Ash Coal, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specifications attached to and which form a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished by the Secretary, at the office of the Department, fourth floor, southwest corner Sixth avenue and Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET
AND SIXTH AVENUE,
New York, December 14, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE REMOVAL OF NIGHT soil, offal and dead animals from the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of sections 1205 and 1206 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Department of Health, fourth floor, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

DECEMBER 27, 1899.

Form of contract and specification can be seen at the office of the Secretary.

M. C. MURPHY,
President,

C. GOLDBERMAN,<

NEW YORK, December 14, 1899.
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A PAVILION, TO BE KNOWN AS "DIPHTHERIA PAVILION," AT KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN (ESTIMATES TO BE OF THREE KINDS), FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING a pavilion, to be known as "Diphtheria Pavilion," at Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn (estimates to be of three kinds), for the Department of Health of The City of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Department, at their office, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, until 10 A. M. o'clock of the

20TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899,

at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making estimates for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Department of Health, indorsed "Estimates for building a Pavilion, to be known as 'Diphtheria Pavilion,' at Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Health of The City of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

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 \$10,000. 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 the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimates, and shall not at any time after the submission of estimates dispute or complain of the 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 Health and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

3d. Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price 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 hereunder.

4th. Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, omitting the plumbing, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price 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, omitting the plumbing, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work hereunder.

5th. Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, omitting the steam heating, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price 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, omitting the steam heating, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work hereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount 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 sureties 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 Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised 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 estimates are made without any connection with any other person making estimates for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimates must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimates 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties 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 on its completion, and that which said Corporation, or the Department of Health, 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 estimate as the basis, and the amount 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, and stated in the proposals, 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 is to be approved 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 National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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.

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. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Contract and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, fourth floor, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, New York.

M. C. MURPHY,
 President,
 WM. T. JENKINS, M. D.,
 JOHN B. CONBY, M. D.,
 ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
 BERNARD J. YORK,
 Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
 NEW YORK, December 14, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1899,

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

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Anthony avenue to Monroe avenue.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and west side of Concourse to Monroe avenue.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 3. SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, between Twentieth street and Fifteenth street.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof. Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED, IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY. Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of The Bronx at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, and as to the Borough of Brooklyn at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAS. KANE,
 Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
 NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1899,

at 11 o'clock A. M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read. For the following works in the

Borough of The Bronx.

REBUILDING AND REPAIRING THE SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET (BUNGAY STREET), from Austin place to former Weatmore avenue.

Borough of Brooklyn.

BUILDING AN EARTH EMBANKMENT OVER AND AROUND SEWERS IN OSBORN STREET, from Hegeman avenue to 180 feet north of Riverdale avenue.

SACKMAN STREET, from Hegeman avenue to New Lots road.

HINSDALE STREET, from Hegeman avenue to Newport avenue.

MARKET STREET, from Sutter avenue to 395 feet north of the centre of Sutter avenue.

SUTTER AVENUE, from Fountain avenue to Crescent street.

HEGEMAN AVENUE, from Osborn street to Powell street.

HEGEMAN AVENUE, from Saediker avenue to Williams avenue.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof. Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED, IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY. Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of The Bronx at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, and as to the Borough of Brooklyn at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAS. KANE,
 Commissioner of Sewers.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northern boundary of The City of New York to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 5th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as White Plains Road, from the northern boundary of the City to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of the Bronx and Pelham parkway, distant 13,403.13 feet easterly of the eastern line of Tenth avenue.

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of said parkway for 89.74 feet;

2d. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 150 feet radius for 95.81 feet, the centre of said circle lying in the northern line of said parkway;

3d. Thence northeasterly for 316.23 feet, on a line deflecting 19 degrees, 28 minutes 16 seconds to the left from the northeastern prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its western extremity;

4th. Thence northerly deflecting 30 degrees 36 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 6,360.17 feet;

5th. Thence northerly deflecting 21 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 8,489.23 feet;

6th. Thence northeasterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 341.07 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 60.78 feet;

7th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,133.43 feet;

8th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 3,100 feet radius, and tangent to the preceding course for 428.66 feet;

9th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 309.27 feet;

10th. Thence northeasterly deflecting 8 degrees 18 minutes 46 seconds to the right for 707.40 feet;

11th. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 750 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 293.13 feet;

12th. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 450.78 feet;

13th. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 650 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 250.13 feet;

14th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 208.7+ feet to the northern boundary of The City of New York;

15th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds to the left along said line for 100.01 feet;

16th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 29 degrees 22 minutes 10 seconds to the left for 207.6 feet;

17th. Thence southerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 750 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 288.61 feet;

18th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 470.78 feet;

19th. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 650 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 254.05 feet;

20th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 714.67 feet;

21st. Thence southwesterly deflecting 8 degrees 18 minutes 46 seconds to the left for 316.54 feet;

22d. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 3,000 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 474.84 feet;

23d. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 1,133.43 feet;

24th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 441.97 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 77.55 feet;

25th. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 6,007.75 feet;

26th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 606.01 feet;

27th. Thence southerly deflecting 16 degrees 54 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 99.88 feet;

28th. Thence southerly deflecting 2 degrees 56 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 531.45 feet;

29th. Thence southerly deflecting 7 degrees 7 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 204.94 feet;

30th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 11 degrees 28 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 305.08 feet;

31st. Thence southwesterly deflecting 2 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 543.48 feet;

32d. Thence southerly deflecting 19 degrees 44 minutes 43 seconds to the left for 410.86 feet;

33d. Thence southerly deflecting 4 degrees 36 minutes 48 seconds to the right for 6,122.23 feet;

34th. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 780 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 416.61 feet;

35th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 75.47 feet;

36th. Thence southwesterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 150 feet radius for 273.48 feet to the northern line of the Bronx and Pelham parkway, the radius of said circle drawn southerly from the extremity of the preceding course deflects 19 degrees 28 minutes 16 seconds to the left from the prolongation of said course;

37th. Thence easterly along the northern line of the Bronx and Pelham parkway for 89.74 feet;

38th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 55 minutes 50 seconds to the right for 794.42 feet;

39th. Thence southerly deflecting 47 degrees 17 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 3,999.78 feet;

40th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 100 feet;

41st. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 3,955.99 feet;

42d. Thence northeasterly for 817.91 feet to the point of beginning.

White Plains road is shown on "Plan and Profile showing proposed widening, extending and grades of White Plains Road, from the Bronx and Pelham parkway to the northern boundary of the City," filed in office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, the office of the Register of the County of New York, and the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on the 24th day of July, 1899 and also on "Plan and Profile showing the locating and laying out and the grades of White Plains Road, from Morris Park avenue to the Bronx and Pelham parkway, filed in the three offices above-mentioned on the 4th day of August, 1899."

Dated New York, December 22, 1899.

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

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of Thomas F. Gilroy, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire certain real estate under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the First Separate Report of Paul Halpin, Adrian H. Dean and John S. Enos, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on the 10th day of July, 1899, and a copy thereof filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County at Carmel in said county, on the 11th day of July, 1899.

Notice is further given that said report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 10, 15, 18, 37, 42, 43, 45, 50, 52, 56, 65, 73, 74, 75, 78 and 85.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York to be held in and for the Second Judicial District at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, County of Westchester, and State of New York, on the twenty-third day (23d) of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, November 22, 1899.

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

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate on the EASTERLY SIDE OF MINSTER STREET, NORTH OF DRIGGS AVENUE, in the Seventeenth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at No. 146 Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 20, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall

In the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties to objecting, at our office on the 5th day of January, 1900, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, December 20, 1899.

GEORGE W. PALMER,
JOHN H. DOUGLASS,
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate in ELEVENTH AVENUE, WINDSOR PLACE AND SHERMAN STREET, in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes, by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at No. 146 Grand street in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 20, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 5th day of January, 1900, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, December 20, 1899.

HENRY MARSHALL,
WALTER PERRY,
HARRIS G. EAMES,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening, extending and widening of BURNSIDE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 9th day of January, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 11 o'clock A.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of January, 1900.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Anthony avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northerly along last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southerly side of Burnside avenue; thence northeasterly to the intersection of the northerly side of Burnside avenue with the middle line of the block between Anthony avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Ryer avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eightieth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Valentine avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along last mentioned parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn

parallel to the easterly side of Valentine avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West); thence southerly along said westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West) to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation westerwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Carter avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line, to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 6, 1899.

GEORGE M. VAN HOESSEN, Chairman,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of January, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 23, 1899.

JOHN LARKIN,
WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER,
EDWARD D. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of January, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of January, 1900, at 4 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 18th day of January, 1900.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead-line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Exterior street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the westerly side of Exterior street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of Exterior street with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Girard avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East, with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report

herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 12, 1899.

EDWARD S. KAUFMAN, Chairman,
F. S. McAVOY,
W. ARROWSMITH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of January, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 14, 1899.

FORDHAM MORRIS,
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,
WILLIAM GROSSMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of January, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 3, 1899.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER,
WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening of SIXTH AVENUE, from Sixth street to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 26th day of June, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 26th day of June, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 18, 1899.

CHARLES G. BENNETT,
WILLIAM H. GOOD,
ALFRED F. BRITTON,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), at the junction of Morris avenue, College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-second street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 5, 1899.

BURTON N. HARRISON,
CHARLES BRANDT, Jr.,
JOHN W. STOCKER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks, relative to acquiring title to the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands and the lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of the City of New York, on the North river, between Bank street and the centre line of the block between Bank and Bethune streets and between West street and Thirtieth avenue, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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

First—That we have completed our preliminary report and our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the uplands, lands, lands under water, premises, buildings and wharf property affected thereby, having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Rooms 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 10th day of January, 1900; that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting upon the said 10th day of January, 1900, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on said day at 2 o'clock.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, at Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of January, 1900.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court house, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of February, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed, and for such other and further relief as may be just and meet.

Dated New York, December 13, 1899.

FRANKLIN BIEN, Chairman,
JOHN H. JUDGE,
GEORGE C. CLARKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN J. PRINCE,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extension of WEBSTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northerly side of Moshulu parkway to Bronx River road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, August 3, 1899.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER,
WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY,
ROBERT KELLY PRENTICE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening of KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE, between Putnam avenue and Chauncey street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of June, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order.

thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of June, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of the City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 13, 1899.

RICHARD GOODWIN,
JOSE E. PIDGEON,
WILLIAM SMITH,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BATHGATE AVENUE, although not yet named by proper authority, from Wendover avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 30th day of October, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 3d day of January, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, up to and including the 30th day of October, 1899, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 6, 1899.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES,
LOUIS EICKWORT,
ISAAC H. KLEIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BELMONT STREET, although not yet named by proper authority, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 2, 1899.

JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
MORRIS JACOBY,
JOSEPH KAUFMANN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 29, 1899.

ASA A. ALLING,
EDWARD F. HOLLISTER,
FLOYD M. LORD,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening of UTICA AVENUE, between the division line of the former Town of Flatbush and Flatlands and the line of Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 26th day of January, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 26th day of January, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 12, 1899.

RICHARD GOODWIN,
MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
FRANK GALLAGHER,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on BOSTON ROAD, EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, in the Twenty-third Ward of said City, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for High School purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 12, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said City, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 27th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 2d day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 11, 1899.
GEORGE EDWARD KENT,
JOHN H. SPELLMAN,
CLIFFORD W. HARTBRIDGE,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 30th day of October, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, up to and including the 30th day of October, 1899, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 3, 1899.

ELLIS E. WARING,
JAMES E. MAHON,
THOMAS J. CARLETON, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 7, 1899.

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

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
BROOKLYN, December 18, 1899.

SALE OF GREASE, BAGS, BARRELS, BONES, RAGS, METAL AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION to the highest bidder at the Storehouse of the Almshouse at Flatbush, Brooklyn, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1899,

at 11 A.M., all empty Flour, Sugar, Pork, Mackerel, Whisky, Alcohol, Oil and Miscellaneous Barrels, Bones, Fat, Iron, Rags, Lead, Brass, Copper and Bags, which may accumulate during the year 1900. The estimated quantity of each can be ascertained at the said Storehouse.

Bids on Metals, Bones and Fat must be per pound—On Barrels and Bags, per piece.

All quantities to be "more or less," all qualities to be "as are."

All aforesaid articles to be received by the purchaser at the aforesaid Storehouse, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery, excepting in the case of "Bones and Fat," which must be removed every other day by the purchaser without previous notice.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay 25 per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase. Such amount shall be fixed by the Commissioner and said purchaser shall pay said sum to him on the day of the sale, and shall pay the balance in cash or certified check on a New York City bank to the Superintendent of Almshouse upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, also the right to order a resale of any articles that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after a written notice has been mailed to him to do so. This, however, does not apply to the "Bones and Fat," which, if not removed every other day, the Commissioner reserves the right to sell the same without notice.

In all cases of resale the purchaser is to forfeit to the use of The City of New York the 25 per cent. paid at the time of sale.

I will also sell, to the highest bidder, on the date and in the manner aforesaid, for cash:

8 Horses, 1 Coupe, 1 Hearse, 20 Oil Barrels, 4 Turpentine Barrels, 4 Vinegar Barrels, 1 Brandy Cask.

A. SIMIS, Jr.,
Commissioner of Public Charities for the
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF MAIN STEAM AND RISING LINES, RETURN LINES, ETC., INCLUDING NEW RADIATORS THROUGHOUT THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the Installation of Main Steam and Rising Lines, Return Lines, etc., including New Radiators throughout the Metropolitan Hospital on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Eight Thousand (\$8,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner.
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF TWO BRIDGES CONNECTING THE KITCHEN IN AN ADJOINING BUILDING WITH THE WEST AND SOUTH WINGS OF THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the erection of Two Bridges connecting the Kitchen in an adjoining Building with the West and South Wings of the Metropolitan Hospital, on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of 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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE WOOD FLOORING, STEEL CEILINGS AND PAINTING, ETC., TO BE PUT IN THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the wood flooring, steel ceilings and painting, etc., to be put in the Metropolitan Hospital, on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the Head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars.

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

several matters stated therein are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DESTRUCTION AND BANISHMENT OF ALL ROACHES AND WATER-BUGS FROM THE INSTITUTIONS OF THIS DEPARTMENT MENTIONED HEREIN DURING THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ABOVE- mentioned work at the institutions as named, viz:

Bellevue Hospital.
Emergency Hospital.
Lodging-house for Homeless Men.
Alms-house.
City Hospital.
Idiot Asylum.
Infants' Hospital.
Metropolitan Hospital.
Gouverneur Hospital.
Harlem Hospital.
Fordham Hospital.
Epileptic Hospital.
Central Office.
Out-door Poor Department.

—and all small buildings connected with these institutions, and keep said institutions and buildings free from all roaches and water-bugs during the year 1900, 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.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Destruction and Banishment of all Roaches and Water-bugs, etc., etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of eight hundred dollars (\$800.00).

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

indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

Bidders 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 at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR TELE- phone Service, for 1900 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, on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Telephone Service for year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or security or trust companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 13, 1899.

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

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE REFITTING WITH NEW DOUBLE SASH AND WINDOW FRAMES AND INSIDE WINDOW GUARDS OF THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the Refitting with new Double Sash and Window Frames and Inside Window Guards of the Metropolitan Hospital, on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of 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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND INSTALLATION OF ONE PASSENGER ELEVATOR AND TWO DUMB-WATERS IN THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the Erection and Installation of one Passenger Elevator and Two Dumb-waters in the Metropolitan Hospital, on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 12, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND INSTALLATION OF ONE PASSENGER ELEVATOR AND TWO DUMB-WATERS IN THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the Erection and Installation of one Passenger Elevator and Two Dumb-waters in the Metropolitan Hospital, on Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

of Brooklyn, included within the boundaries of certain lots designated by the numbers 6381 to 6385, both inclusive, in Block 126, which lots are described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northeasterly side of Flatbush avenue 128.40 feet southeast of the southeasterly corner of Flatbush avenue and Avenue K, which point is 375 feet northwest of the northerly corner of Flatbush avenue and Hubbard place; thence southeasterly along Flatbush avenue 96 feet; thence northeasterly at right angles to Flatbush avenue 100 feet; thence northwesterly parallel with Flatbush avenue 96 feet; thence southwesterly at right angles to Flatbush avenue 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Parcel No. 2.
All that certain parcel of land formerly part of the Old Hunter Fly road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, running through certain lots on Ralph avenue, which lots are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Ralph avenue, distant 40 feet from the southeasterly corner of Ralph avenue and Butler street; running thence southeasterly along Ralph avenue 60 feet; thence easterly and at right angles to Ralph avenue 200 feet; thence northerly and parallel to Ralph avenue 60 feet; thence westerly and at right angles to Ralph avenue 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Parcel No. 3.
All that certain parcel of land formerly part of Reid's lane or road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, running through certain lots known as numbers 278, 280, 284 and 286 Reid avenue, and numbers 530 and 532 Macon street, which lots are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Macon street and Reid avenue; thence southwesterly along the westerly side of Reid avenue 100 feet; thence westerly parallel with Macon street 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with Reid avenue 100 feet to the southerly side of Macon street; thence easterly along the southerly side of Macon street 125 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Each of the said several parcels to be sold upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

The quit claim deeds for the several parcels to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

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

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolutions adopted May 17, 1899.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 16, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS,
ROOMS 1 and 3, MUNICIPAL BUILDING,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 15, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessments Rolls in the following-entitled matters have been completed and are now due and payable, and the authority for the collection of the various installments of assessments mentioned therein have this day been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the penalty of the law.

Sewer Map N, District 29—Assessment for sewers in the Eighth Ward, under chapter 365, Laws of 1889; chapter 452, Laws of 1890, and chapter 520, Laws of 1895; fifth installment.

Assessment for benefit from Prospect Park (for lands taken), under chapter 244, Laws of 1878; twenty-second installment.

Main sewers in Map S, Drainage District No. 39, under chapter 516, Laws of 1896, assessed upon the District in the Twenty-sixth Ward and parts of Wards Twenty-four, Twenty-five, Twenty-eight and Twenty-nine; third installment.

Assessments for grading and paving the following-named streets, under chapter 310, Laws of 1894:

Market street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue; fifth installment.

Richmond street, from Jamaica avenue to Fulton street; fifth installment.

Belmont avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Powell street; fifth installment.

Sutter avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Alabama avenue; fifth installment.

Berriman street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots road; fifth installment.

Snediker avenue, from Liberty avenue to Dumont avenue; fifth installment.

Logan street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots road; fifth installment.

Sackman street, from Eastern parkway to Livonia avenue; fifth installment.

Vermont street, from Jamaica avenue to Eastern parkway; fifth installment.

Hinsdale street, from Atlantic avenue to Sutter avenue; fourth installment.

Ashford street, from Jamaica avenue to Arlington avenue; fourth installment.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, and title 19, section 9, as amended by chapter 599, Laws of 1892, and chapter 888, Laws of 1895, as amended by section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

On all taxes and on all assessments except assessments for grading and paving, which shall hereafter be paid to the Collector, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum, for the unexpired portion thereof. On all taxes, assessments and water rates paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected, as part of every such tax, assessment or water rate, interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable, to the date of said payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

M. O'KEEFE,
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears,
Borough of Brooklyn.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING, from Fifth avenue to old city line. Area of assessment:

Both sides of Forty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to old city line, and to the extent of half the blocks north

MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 1900,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right title and interest of The City of New York, in and to the several parcels of land and premises situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1.

All that certain parcel of land formerly part of the Flatbush Turnpike road, being that portion lying south-west of the centre line of said road, in the Borough

and south of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth avenue and the old city line.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING. Between Palmetto street to Putnam avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Knickerbocker avenue, between Palmetto street and Putnam avenue, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intermediate streets and terminating street and avenue.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

SEWERS IN EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST NINETEENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST THIRTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST TWELFTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN EAST ELEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN AVENUES C AND D; IN AVENUE C, BETWEEN CONEY ISLAND AVENUE AND FLATBUSH AVENUE, AND IN AVENUE D, BETWEEN EAST ELEVENTH STREET AND FLATBUSH AVENUE. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Eleventh, East Twelfth, East Thirteenth and East Fourteenth streets, between Avenues C and D; also, both sides of Avenues C and D; also, both sides of Avenue C, between Coney Island and Flatbush avenues, and both sides of Avenue D, between East Eleventh street and Flatbush avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 5, 1899, 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 sixty days 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 office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 3, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

JEROME AVENUE—SEWERS. Between East One Hundred and Seventieth street and Belmont street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth street to Belmont street; also block bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-first and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets, Townsend avenue and Jerome avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 12, 1899, 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 sixty days 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, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 10, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

SEVENTH WARD.

SCAMMEL STREET—BASIN. northeast corner Water street. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 6 to 22 inclusive; 44 to 51 inclusive, and 53 to 63 inclusive of Block No. 260, in Section No. 1.

TWELFTH WARD.

NINETEENTH STREET—BASIN. northwest corner of Lexington avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Park avenues, and east side of Park avenue, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets.

NINETY-SIXTH STREET—BASINS. north and south sides, between Riverside avenue and the roadbed of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 of Block 1254 in Section No. 4, and Lot No. 1 of Block 1897 in Section 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREETS—BASINS. on the northeast and southeast corners of Eighth avenue, respectively. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; west side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets; also north side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; east side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets; south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and the street summit west of Seventh avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREETS—BASINS. on the northeast corners of Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: North sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, between Macomb's lane and Eighth avenue; and west side of Macomb's lane, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREETS—BASINS. on the northeast corners of Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: North sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets, and the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Macomb's lane and Eighth avenue; also the west side of Macomb's lane, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREETS—BASINS. on the southeast corners of Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Macomb's lane and Eighth avenue, and east side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, 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 sixty days 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 office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER. between Webster and Third avenues; also, **SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE**, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and the street summit, north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; also, **SEWER IN BATHGATE AVENUE**, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue; also, **SEWER IN WASHINGTON AVENUE**, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue; also, **SEWER IN VANDERBILT AVENUE**, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Webster to Third avenue; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of Park avenue, East, and Park avenue, West, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Tremont avenue; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from a point distant about 200 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of Lafontaine avenue, from Tremont avenue to Quarry road; both sides of Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to a point distant about 340 feet north of Samuel's street (One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street); both sides of Fulton avenue, from Fairmount place, West, to Tremont avenue; both sides of Tremont avenue, from Park avenue to Belmont avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Bathgate avenue to Lafontaine avenue; both sides of Lebanon street, from Lafontaine avenue to Hughes street; both sides of Samuel's street (One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street), from Bathgate avenue to Arthur avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Bathgate avenue to Third avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Bathgate avenue to Third avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, 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 sixty days 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, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

SIXTH WARD.
PRESIDENT STREET—REPAVING. between Clinton and Court streets. Area of assessment: Both

sides of President street, between Clinton and Court streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING. between Thirty-ninth and Forty-first streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-first streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.

FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 49 to 53, inclusive, of Block No. 241.

FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING. from Fifth avenue to old city line (excepting from Fifth to Seventh avenues). Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-third street, between Seventh avenue and old city line, and to the extent of half the blocks on both sides of Eighth avenue.

FORTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 23 to 33, inclusive, of Block No. 225.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 104 and 111 of Block No. 222.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING. between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

ELEVENTH WARD.
SOUTH ELLIOT PLACE—REPAVING. between Atlantic avenue and Hanson place. Area of assessment: Both sides of South Elliot place, between Atlantic avenue and Hanson place.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

KINGSTON AVENUE—SEWERS. between St. John's place and Eastern Parkway; also, **SEWER IN ALBANY AVENUE**, between Eastern Parkway and Union street; also, **SEWER IN DEGRAW STREET**, between Kingston and Albany avenues; also **SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY**, north and south sides, between Kingston and Albany avenues; also **SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY**, north and south sides, to summits, westerly, from Kingston avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kingston avenue, from St. John's place to Eastern parkway; both sides of Albany avenue, from Eastern parkway to Union street; both sides of Degraw street, from Albany to Kingston avenues; both sides of Eastern parkway, between Kingston and Albany avenues; both sides of Eastern parkway, extending westerly from Kingston avenue about 351 feet; both sides of Albany avenue, from Eastern parkway to Degraw street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, 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 sixty days 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 office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 2, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PER- sons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1899 to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes, at his office, in the borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.

Borough of The Bronx, corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.

Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8 Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Borough of Queens, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.

Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

—before the 1st day of January, 1900, as provided by section 919 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid after the 1st day of December, 1899, one per centum will be charged, received and collected, in addition to the amount thereof, and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1900, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the

rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the 2d day of October, 1899, on which day the assessment-rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1899 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 916 of said act.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS,
ROOMS 1 AND 3 MUNICIPAL BUILDING,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 1, 1899.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE AS- sessment Rolls for the "Third Installment" in the following entitled matters have been completed and are now due and payable and the authority for the collection of the various assessments mentioned therein, has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the penalty of the law.

Opening and Grading the Following-named Streets:

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Eight avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

Also for Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-eighth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to the old city line.

Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fiftieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-third street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Also for Opening, Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

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Forty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Grading:

Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the old city line.

Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, and title 19, section 9, as amended by chapter 599, Laws of 1892, and chapter 888, Laws of 1895, as amended by section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

On all taxes and on all assessments except assessments for grading and paving, which shall hereafter be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum, for the unexpired portion thereof. On all taxes, assessments and water rates paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected as part of every such tax, assessment or water rate, interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable, to the date of said payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

M. O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Brooklyn.

INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York, of the late City of Brooklyn, of the County of Kings, and of the Corporation in Queens and Richmond Counties now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from November 20, 1899, to January 1, 1900.

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

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn, will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 27, 1899.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS TO SUPPLY PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS AND STATIONERY, OFFICIAL WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES TO THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

TO PRINTERS AND LITHOGRAPHERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Forms, Pamphlets and Stationery, i. e., Official Writing Paper and Envelopes, etc., will be received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, in the City Hall, until 11 o'clock A. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899.

The said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record to be held in the Mayor's Office at or about the time above mentioned. Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in an envelope sealed with sealing-wax, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Printed, Lithographed or Stamped matter," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the persons making the estimate they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. A guaranty or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, may sign the said consent in place of householders or freeholders. 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.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor.

The amount of preliminary security to be given until such award shall be not less than three per cent. nor more than five per cent. of the amount of the bond required.

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 the said three per centum or five per centum. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record, who has charge of the estimate box; and no estimate will be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said Supervisor and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of a 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 to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accepts but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimates will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interest.

The contract for printing and lithographing, etc., may be awarded, in the discretion of the Board of City Record, item by item, or Department by Department, to different bidders, or, as a whole, to the lowest responsible bidder in the aggregate—unless there be an item involving more than five hundred dollars, or several items each involving the expenditure of a like sum, in which case a contract or contracts will be made with the lowest bidder or bidders on such item or items, and the contract for the remainder of the work for the Department will be awarded to the bidder ascertained to be lowest after the deduction of such item or items. The bids must, therefore, be in detail on the items required for a Department or Court, and also the aggregate bid for such Department or Court on which bids are offered.

The printed or lithographed blanks, etc., must be folded, and put up in packages by the contractors, according to the directions of the Supervisor of the City Record.

The contractor or contractors must complete the delivery of the blanks, etc., at the office of the City Record within one hundred and twenty (120) days from the execution of the contract or contracts, unless the work is delayed by a Court, Department, Board or Bureau. From the operations of this rule are excepted the calculation cards for the Department of Taxes, and other blanks, "copy" for which cannot be prepared until the tax rate for 1900 has been fixed. Provision will be made for payment of a proportionate part of the contract price, when it shall appear that the contractor has done his work, until temporarily stayed by the inability of a Department, etc., to furnish "copy."

As many of the printed forms would be made worthless by typographical errors, or by mistakes in the preparations of samples, proofs must be furnished. Particular care must be taken that the names of the new incumbents of offices are put upon the blanks.

The delivery of the work must begin within five days from the execution of the contract, and be continued in such a manner that the immediate needs of the Department shall be supplied.

For particulars as to the quantities and kinds of Printing and Lithographing, reference must be had to the samples and specifications on file in the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, New York City. The kinds of paper to be used are indicated on the samples. Copies of the specifications may be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall.

By order of

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,
Mayor.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel.
BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

WM. A. BUTLER,
Supervisor of the City Record.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899,

for conveying pupils on every school-day, from January 1 to December 31, 1900, as follows:

From Riverdale to Public School 146 and return, one stage.

From Pelham Bridge to Public School 99 and return, one stage.

From Fort Schuyler to Public School 99 and return, one stage.

From Hudson Park to Public School 66 and return, three stages.

From Eastchester to Public School 101 and return, one stage.

From One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Kingsbridge road to Public School 52 and return, one stage.

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

For terms of contract and for information as to further requirements, inquire of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street.

The Committee reserves the right to discontinue any or all stages at any time.

NEW YORK, December 15, 1899.
THADDEUS MORIARTY,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR CONVEYING pupils to and from schools in the Borough of Queens on every school-day from January 1 to December 31, 1900, will be received by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1899.

For terms of contract and for information as to further requirements, inquire of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, or the Superintendent of Schools, Borough of Queens, Morris Building, Flushing, N. Y.

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

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Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899,

for Furniture for Eastern District High School, Borough of Brooklyn.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 6, 1899.
RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1899,

for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus and Electric Lighting Plant for Public School 120; also for Furniture for Addition to Public School No. 5, Borough of Brooklyn.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 14, 1899.
RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating

Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
Room 9, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Horses will be sold at public auction, at the salesrooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 130 East Thirteenth street, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899,

at 10 A. M.
Thirty-third Precinct—
"Fritz," No. 81.
Thirty-fourth Precinct—
"Reno," No. 111.
"Star," No. 354.
Thirty-eighth Precinct—
"Eddy," No. 168.
Fortieth Precinct—
"George," No. 104.
"Ben," No. 206.
"Fred," No. 227.
Forty-fifth Precinct—
"Jim," No. 247.
Sixty-second Precinct—
"Jim," No. 293.
Sixty-eighth Precinct—
"Fred," No. 139.
Sixty-ninth Precinct—
"Bobby," No. 337.
Seventieth Precinct—
"Billy," No. 344.
By order of the Board of Police.
ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELE-
graph."
Evening—"Daily News," "Commercial Advertiser,"
Weekly—"Weekly Union."
Semi-weekly—"Harlem Local Reporter."
German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor, City Record.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 1701, No. 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 9, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park row, Room 1701, until one (1) o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1701, No. 21 Park row, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR

LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK, IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY. Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1701, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 15, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park row, Room 1701, until one (1) o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1701, No. 21 Park row, at the hour above mentioned.

FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ERECTING AN AUTOMATIC LOW-PRESSURE STEAM-HEATING APPARATUS IN THE NEW BRIGHTON VILLAGE HALL AT NEW BRIGHTON, STATEN ISLAND, IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK, IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Plans for above work can be seen, and blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET
CLEANING.DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.CONTRACT (PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 547,
419 AND 420 OF THE GREATER NEW
YORK CHARTER) FOR FURNISHING FOR-
AGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPART-
MENT OF STREET CLEANING, FOR THE
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE
BRONX.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVEL-
opes and indorsed with the name and address of
the person or persons making the same, and the date of
presentation, and a statement of the work and supplies to
which they relate, will be received at the office of the
Department of Street Cleaning, in The City of New York,
until 12 o'clock M. ofTUESDAY, THE 26th DAY OF DECEM-
BER, 1899,at which time and place the estimates will be publicly
opened and read for the Furnishing and Delivery of
Forage, as follows:

- 1,176,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard
known as Prime Hay.
- 283,000 pounds good, clean, long Rye Straw.
- 2,184,000 pounds clean No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to
be bright, sound, well cleaned, and reason-
ably free from other grain, weighing not less
than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.
- 103,000 pounds first quality Bran.
- 10,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be
awarded will be required to execute such contract
within five days from receipt of a notice to that effect,
and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will
be considered as having abandoned such contract and
as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Com-
missioner of Street Cleaning will readvertise and relet
the work, and so on till the contract be accepted and
executed.Bidders are required to state in their estimate,
under oath, their names and places of residence, the
names of all persons interested with them therein,
and if no other person be so interested they
shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made
without any connection with any other person mak-
ing any bid or estimate for the above work or sup-
plies, and that it is in all respects fair and without
collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the
Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bu-
reau, 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. Where more
than one person is interested, it is requisite that the
verification be made and subscribed by all the parties
interested. Each estimate shall also be accom-
panied by the consent, in writing, of two householders
or freeholders of The City of New York, with their re-
spective places of business or residence, or of two (2)
guarantee or surety companies, duly authorized by law
to act as surety, incorporated under the Laws of the
State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Com-
ptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to
the person or persons making the estimate, they
will on its being so awarded become bound as his or their
sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of
Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, and that if he or they
shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay
to The City of New York any difference between the sum
to which he or they would be entitled on its completion
and that which The City of New York may be obliged
to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract
may be subsequently awarded. The consent above men-
tioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirma-
tion, 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; that he has
offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an
intention to execute the bond required by law. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall
be approved by the Comptroller.The price in the bid or estimate must be written, and
also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for
the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is
expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Clean-
ing to reject all the bids, if, in his judgment, it be deemed
best for the interest of the City. No bid will be accepted
from or contract awarded to any person who is in
arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who
is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obliga-
tion to the Corporation.Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a cer-
tified 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 by money to that amount.
On the acceptance of any bid, the checks or
money of the unaccepted bidders will be re-
turned to them, and upon the execution of the con-
tract the check or money of the accepted bidder will 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 they will be rejected.
The form of the agreement (with specifications), show-
ing the manner of payment for the articles, may be seen,
and forms of proposals may be obtained at the main
office of the Department.

JAMES McCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated New York, December 12, 1899.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN
the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure mate-
rial for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such
as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—
free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of
Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row Borough of
Manhattan.JAMES McCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Fort George and
Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company the right or
franchise to construct and operate a street surface
railroad in, upon and along certain streets, avenues,
parkways and highways in The City of New York.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The
City of New York, as follows:WHEREAS, THE FORT GEORGE AND
Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company has duly
presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of
New York, by presenting and filing with each house
thereof, its application, in writing, for a grant of the
franchise or right to use the streets, avenues, parkways
and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter
mentioned, and for the construction, maintenance and
operation of a double-track street surface railroad in or
upon the surface of the same; andWhereas, The said Municipal Assembly, by resolu-
tion adopted November 22, 1898, approved by the Mayor
on the 5th day of December, 1898, gave public notice of
such application, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber,
in the City Hall of The City of New York, on the 22dday of December, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon,
such application of said railroad company would be first
considered and a public hearing had thereon, which
notice was published daily for at least fourteen days
prior to the hearing, in two daily newspapers published
in The City of New York, viz., in the "New York
World" and in the "New York Journal and Adver-
tiser," which papers were first designated, in writing, by
the Mayor of said City, on the said 5th day of Decem-
ber, 1898; andWhereas, After public notice given as aforesaid and
at a public hearing duly held in pursuance of such
notice, whereat all persons so desiring were given an
opportunity to be heard and were heard, such applica-
tion was first considered by the Railroad Committees of
both houses of said Municipal Assembly:Section 1. The Municipal Assembly of The City of
New York hereby grants to the Fort George and
Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company, subject to the
conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right
and franchise to use the streets, avenues, parkways and
highways of the city, and to construct, maintain and
operate a double-track street surface railroad in and
upon the following streets, avenues, parkways and high-
ways, viz.:Commencing at the intersection of One Hundred and
Thirtieth street and the Boulevard, or Eleventh avenue,
now known as Broadway, and connecting there with
the railroad of the Metropolitan Street Railway
Company at present constructed on the Boulevard;
running thence northerly along said Boulevard, or
Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, to the
intersection of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street
and Eleventh avenue, including that portion of the
Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broad-
way, which is situated between One Hundred and
Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh
street, which was also known as the Boulevard Lafayette;
and also from the junction of said Boulevard, or
Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, with One
Hundred and Forty-fifth street; running thence easterly
through, upon and along One Hundred and Forty-fifth
street to the Harlem river; all in the Borough of
Manhattan, City of New York, together with the neces-
sary connections, switches, sidings and turnouts re-
quired for the accommodation and operation of said
railroad.Sec. 2. The grant of said franchise or right to use
said streets, avenues, parkways and highways, is made
subject to the following conditions:First—That the said right, privilege and franchise to
construct and operate its said railway shall be held and
enjoyed by said railroad company, its lessee or suc-
cessors, for the term of twenty-five years with the privilege
of a renewal of said grant for the further period of
twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of the
right, such revaluation to be of the right, privilege and
franchise to construct and operate said rail-
road by itself, and not to include any value derived
from the ownership, control or operation of any other rail-
road, line or tracks by the grantee, its successors or
assigns; provided, however, that the consent of the
owners of one-half in value of the property bounded on
such streets, avenues, parkways and highways shall be
first obtained, or in lieu thereof the favorable deter-
mination of three Commissioners, approved by the
Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, that such
railroad should be constructed and operated.Second—Upon the termination of the said franchise
or right, whether original or renewed, there shall be a
fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee in
the streets, avenues, parkways and highways aforesaid,
with its appurtenances, and the said plant and property
shall be and become the property of the City on the
termination of the grant on paying the grantee such
valuation. Such payment shall be at a fair valuation of
the said plant and property as property, excluding any
value derived from the franchise.Third—The mode of determining the valuations and
revaluations herein provided for shall be as follows: One
disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board
of Estimate and Apportionment; one disinterested
freeholder shall be chosen by the railroad company; these
two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder;
the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall
make the valuations and revaluations aforesaid.
Such appraisers shall be chosen at least sixty days
prior to the expiration of the grant, or of the renewal
thereof, and their report shall be filed with the
Comptroller of the City not more than thirty days
thereafter. They shall act as appraisers and not as
arbitrators; they may base their judgment upon their
own experience and upon such information as they may
obtain by inquiries and investigation without the pres-
ence of either party; they shall have the right to exam-
ine the books of the railroad company. The valuations
so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive
upon both parties.Fourth—The said Fort George and Eleventh Avenue
Railroad Company shall for and during the first five
years after the commencement of the operation of any
portion of its railroad annually, on November 1st, pay
into the treasury of the City, to the credit of the Sinking
Fund thereof, three per cent. of its gross receipts for
and during the year ending September 30th next pre-
ceding; and after the expiration of such five years make
a like annual payment into the treasury of the City to
the credit of the same fund, of five per cent. of its gross
receipts, as required by section 95 of the Railroad Law.The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having
among other things made inquiry and determined said
above mentioned percentage to be inadequate, and on
December 5th, 1899, fixed and adopted as the money
value of said privileges or franchises, as follows:Four per centum of the gross receipts during the first
five years of operation;Six per centum of the gross receipts during the second
five years of operation;Eight per centum of the gross receipts during the third
five years of operation, andTen per centum of the gross receipts during the re-
maining years of operation.The said Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad
Company in addition to the percentages first herein set
forth, as required to be paid by the Railroad Law,
after commencement of the operation of any portion of
its railroad, shall pay into the treasury of the City, to
the credit of the Sinking Fund, percentages of its gross
receipts as follows:For and during the first five years one per cent. of
such gross receipts.For and during the second five years one per cent. of
such gross receipts.For and during the third five years three per cent. of
such gross receipts, and thereafter five per cent. of such
gross receipts.That but one fare shall be exacted for passage over
the railroad constructed under this grant and over the
lines of any railroad system operated in connection
therewith, and that the gross receipts from joint busi-
ness shall be divided in the proportion that the length
of said railroad operated hereunder shall bear to the
entire length of the railroad system which shall be
operated in connection therewith, and of the railroad to
be constructed thereunder.Fifth—The said railroad may be operated by under-
ground electrical power substantially similar to the sys-
tem of underground electrical traction now in use on
the railroads in Second, Sixth, Eighth, Lenox and Ma-
dison avenues in this city, and by any other motive
power except locomotive steam power, which may be approved
by the Board of Railroad Commissioners and consented
to by the owners of property, in accordance with the
provisions of the Railroad Law.Sixth—The said railroad shall be constructed and
maintained subject to the supervision and control of the
Commissioner of Highways and the Commissioner of
Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, of The City of
New York, in all matters with respect to which said
Commissioners are respectively invested with the power
of regulation and control by the Charter of said city.Sec. 3. The said grant is also upon the further con-
ditions, namely:First—The said railroad shall be constructed and
operated in the latest improved manner of street rail-way construction, and the railroad and property of said
company shall be maintained in good condition through-
out the full term of this grant.Second—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said
railroad shall be five cents; and said company shall not
charge any passenger more than said sum for one con-
tinuous ride from any point on its road or on any road, line
or branch operated by it or under its control, to any
point thereon or any connecting branch thereof within
the limits of The City of New York. The cars on said
railroad shall be run as often as the public convenience
may require.Third—The said railroad company shall apply to each
car a proper fender and wheel-guard conformably to
such laws and ordinances as may hereafter be enacted
or adopted by the State or City authorities.Fourth—All cars of said railroad company shall be
heated during cold weather conformably to such laws
and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be
enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and
each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas
system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting
equally efficient.Fifth—In case of any violation or breach of or failure
to comply with any of the provisions of this section, this
grant may be forfeited by suit brought by the Corpora-
tion Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said railroad
company.Sec. 4. This grant is also upon the further and expressed
condition that the provisions of article IV. of the Rail-
road Law applicable thereto be complied with.Sec. 5. The said company shall at all times keep
the street between its tracks and for a distance of two
feet beyond the rails upon either side thereof free and
clear from ice and snow.Sec. 6. The said railroad company, so long as it shall
continue to use any of its tracks upon said streets, ave-
nues or public places, shall have and keep in permanent
repair that portion of such streets, avenues and public
places between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two
feet in width outside of its tracks, under the supervision
of the proper local authorities and whenever required
by them to do so and in such manner as they may pre-
scribe.Sec. 7. This grant is also upon the further condition
that if the right to construct and operate a railway on
the Boulevard now known as Broadway, between Man-
hattan street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street,
shall also be acquired by any other railroad company
under a grant for which application was pending on the
22d day of November, 1898, such other company shall
have an equal right in and to the railway tracks con-
structed thereon and to the structure appurtenant to
the tracks, upon paying one-half of the cost of
construction; the said companies to adjust and
arrange their respective rights and interests in said prop-
erty and the ownership thereof as they may deem most
beneficial to their interests, and convenient for the oper-
ation of their respective railroads, it being the intent and
purpose of this provision to restrict the number of tracks
on said portion of the Boulevard now known as Broad-
way to two, allowing, however, to each company its
separate slot and conduit construction with necessary
switches and connections.Sec. 8. This grant shall not become operative unless,
within ten days after the passage thereof, the said rail-
road company shall duly execute under its corporate
seal an instrument in writing, wherein said company
shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf
to pay the compensation and to conform to, abide by and
perform all the conditions and requirements in this or-
dinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the
office of the Comptroller of The City of New York.Sec. 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
Published in accordance with resolution adopted by
the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York on
the 17th day of December, 1899, and approved by his
Honor the Mayor on the same day.

NEW YORK, December 6, 1899.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Kingsbridge Railway
Company the right or franchise to construct and
operate a street surface railroad in, upon and along
certain streets, avenues, parkways and highways in
The City of New York.Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The
City of New York, as follows:WHEREAS, THE KINGSBRIDGE RAILWAY
Company has duly presented to the Municipal
Assembly of The City of New York, by presenting and
filing with each house thereof, its application, in
writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use the
streets, avenues, parkways and highways in The City
of New York, hereinafter mentioned, and for the con-
struction, maintenance and operation of a double-track
street surface railroad in or upon the surface of the
same; andWhereas, The said Municipal Assembly, by resolution
adopted November 22, 1898, approved by the Mayor
on the 5th day of December, 1898, gave public notice of such
application, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in
the City Hall of The City of New York, on the 22d day
of December, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, such
application of said Railroad Company would be first
considered and a public hearing had thereon, which
notice was published daily for at least fourteen days
prior to the hearing, in two daily newspapers published
in The City of New York, viz., in the "New York
World" and in the "New York Journal and Advertiser,"
which papers were first designated, in writing, by the
Mayor of said city on the said 5th day of December,
1898; andWhereas, After public notice given as aforesaid, and
at a public hearing duly held in pursuance of such
notice, whereat all persons so desiring were given an
opportunity to be heard, and were heard, such applica-
tion was first considered by the Railroad Committees of
both houses of said Municipal Assembly:Section 1. The Municipal Assembly of The City of
New York hereby grants to the Kingsbridge Railway
Company, subject to the conditions and provisions
hereinafter set forth, the right and franchise to use the
streets, avenues, parkways and highways of the city,
and to construct, maintain and operate a double track
street surface railroad in and upon the following streets,
avenues, parkways and highways, viz.:Commencing at the intersection of the southerly side
of Manhattan street and the Boulevard, or Eleventh
avenue, now known as Broadway, and running thence
with double tracks through, along and upon said
Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broad-
way, to the Kingsbridge road at or near One Hundred
and Sixty-ninth street, including that portion of the
Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broad-
way, which is situated between One Hundred and
Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh
street, which was also known as the Boulevard Lafayette,
and connecting with the proposed tracks on the
Kingsbridge road and Broadway.Also commencing at the junction of the Kingsbridge
road and the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue at or
near One Hundred and Sixty-second street and extend-
ing thence with double tracks through, along and upon
the Kingsbridge road to its intersection with Broad-
way at or near One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street
and extending thence with double tracks through,
along and upon said Broadway upon the bridge over the
Harlem Ship canal and upon the proposed bridge, when
constructed, over Spuyten Duyvil creek to the
northernmost point of intersection of West Two
Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as
Riverdale avenue) with Broadway; thence
westerly from the junction of Broadway with Two
Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as Riv-
erdale avenue), through, along and upon West Two
Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as Riv-
erdale avenue), to Riverdale avenue; thence northerly
through, along and upon Riverdale avenue to the
northerly boundary line of The City of New York; to-
gether with the necessary connections, switches, sidingsand turnouts required for the accommodation and
operation of said railway.Sec. 2. The grant of said franchise or right to use
said streets, avenues, parkways and highways, is made
subject to the following conditions:First—That the said right, privilege and franchise to
construct and operate its said railway shall be held and
enjoyed by said railway company, its lessee or suc-
cessors, for the term of twenty-five years with a
privilege of a renewal of said grant for the further
period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation
of the right, such revaluation to be of the right,
privilege and franchise to maintain and operate
said railroad by itself, and not to include any
value derived from the ownership, control or opera-
tion of any other railroad, line or tracks by the
grantee, its successors or assigns; provided, how-
ever, that the consent of the owners of one-half in
value of the property bounded on such streets,
avenues, parkways and highways shall be first ob-
tained, or in lieu thereof, the favorable determination
of three commissioners, approved by the Appellate
Division of the Supreme Court, that such railroad
should be constructed and operated.Second—Upon the termination of the said franchise
or right, whether original or renewed, there shall be a
fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee
in the streets, avenues, parkways and highways aforesaid,
with its appurtenances, and the said plant and
property shall be and become the property of the city
on the termination of the grant on paying the grantee
such valuation. Such payment shall be at a fair valua-
tion of the said plant and property as property, ex-
cluding any value derived from the franchise.Third—The mode of determining the valuations and
revaluations herein provided for shall be as follows:
One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the
Board of Estimate and Apportionment; one disinter-
ested freeholder shall be chosen by the railway com-
pany; these two shall choose a third disinterested free-
holder; the three so chosen shall act as appraisers,
and shall make the valuations and revaluations aforesaid.
Such appraisers shall be chosen at least sixty
days prior to the expiration of the grant, or of the re-
newal thereof, and their report shall be filed with the
Comptroller of the City not more than thirty days
thereafter. They shall act as appraisers, and not as
arbitrators; they may base their judgment upon their
own experience and upon such information as they may
obtain by inquiries and investigation without the pres-
ence of either party; they shall have the right to ex-
amine the books of the railway company. The valua-
tions so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be
conclusive upon both parties.Fourth—The said Kingsbridge Railway Company
shall for and during the first five years after the com-
mencement of the operation of any portion of its rail-
road annually, on November 1st, pay into the treasury of
the City, to the credit of the sinking fund thereof, three
per cent. of its gross receipts for and during the year
ending September 30th next preceding; and after the ex-
piration of such five years make a like annual payment
into the treasury of the City to the credit of the same
fund, of five per cent. of its gross receipts, as required
by section 95 of the railroad law.The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having,
among other things, made inquiry and determined said
above-mentioned percentage to be inadequate, and on
December 5th, 1899, fixed and adopted as the money
value of said privileges or franchises as follows:Four per centum of the gross receipts during the first
five years of operation;Six per centum of the gross receipts during the second
five years of operation;Eight per centum of the gross receipts during the third
five years of operation; andTen per centum of the gross receipts during the re-
maining years of operation.The said Kingsbridge Railway Company, in addition
to the percentages first herein set forth, as required to
be paid by the Railroad Law, after commencement of
the operation of any portion of its railroad, shall pay
into the treasury of the City to the credit of the Sinking
Fund, percentages of its gross receipts as follows:For and during the first five years one per cent. of
such gross receipts.For and during the second five years one per cent.
of such gross receipts.For and during the third five years three per cent. of
such gross receipts, and thereafter five per cent. of such
gross receipts.That but one fare shall be exacted for passage over
the railroad constructed under this grant and over the
lines of any railroad system operated in connection
therewith, and that the gross receipts from joint busi-
ness shall be divided in the proportion that the length
of said railroad operated hereunder shall bear to the
entire length of the railroad system which shall be
operated in connection therewith, and of the railroad to
be constructed thereunder.Fifth—The said railroad may be operated by under-
ground electrical power substantially similar to the sys-
tem of underground electrical traction now in use
on the railroads in Second, Sixth, Eighth, Lenox and
Madison avenues in this city, and by any other motive
power, except locomotive steam power and overhead
electrical power, except as hereinafter provided, which
may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commis-
sioners and consented to by the owners of property,
in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad
Law. Provided, however, that the portion of
said railway which lies between the south side
of the bridge over the ship canal and the city line,
upon Kingsbridge road (now known as Broadway), Two
Hundred and Thirtieth street and Riverdale avenue,
may be operated by the overhead trolley electric system
upon double tracks, or upon single tracks with turnouts,
only until the grade of said streets, now determined,
shall have been finally determined and the roadbeds
thereof shall have been regulated, graded and paved
according to such determination; the reconstruction of
said railroad to be simultaneous with such grading
and paving, which reconstructed system shall conform
to the system in operation south of the said ship canal.Sixth—The said railroad shall be constructed and
maintained subject to the supervision and control of the
Commissioner of Highways and the Commissioner of
Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies of The City of
New York, in all matters with respect to which said
Commissioners are respectively vested with the power
of regulation and control by the Charter of said city.Sec. 3. The said grant is also upon the further con-
ditions, namely:First—The said railroad shall be constructed and
operated in the latest improved manner of street rail-
way construction, and the railroad and property of said
company shall be maintained in good condition through-
out the full term of this grant.Second—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said
railroad shall be five cents, and said company shall not
charge any passenger more than said sum for one con-
tinuous ride from any point on its road, or on any road,
line or branch operated by it or under its control, to any
point thereon or any connecting branch thereof within
the limits of The City of New York. The cars on said
railroad shall be run as often as the public convenience
may require.Third—The said railway company shall apply to each
car a proper fender and wheel-guard conformably to
such laws and ordinances as may hereafter be enacted
or adopted by the State or City authorities.Fourth—All cars of said railway company shall be
heated during cold weather conformably to such laws
and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be
enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and
each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas
system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting
equally efficient.Fifth—In case of any violation or breach of or failure
to comply with any of the provisions of this section, this
grant may be forfeited by suit brought by the Corpora-
tion Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said railway
company.Sec. 4. This grant is also upon the further and ex-
pressed condition that the provisions of Article IV. of
the Railroad Law applicable thereto be complied with.

Sec. 5. The said company shall at all times keep the street between its tracks, and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails upon either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow.

Sec. 6. The said railway company, so long as it shall continue to use any of its tracks upon said streets, avenues or public places, shall have and keep in permanent repair that portion of such streets, avenues and public places between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks under the supervision of the proper local authorities and whenever required by them to do so and in such manner as they may prescribe.

Sec. 7. This grant is also upon the further condition that if the right to construct and operate a railway on the Boulevard, now known as Broadway, between Manhattan street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, shall also be acquired by any other railway company under a grant for which application was pending on the 22d day of November, 1898, such other company shall have an equal right in and to the railway tracks constructed thereon and to the structure appurtenant to the tracks upon paying one-half of the cost of construction; the said companies to adjust and arrange their respective rights and interests in said property and the ownership thereof as they may deem most beneficial to their interests and convenient for the operation of their respective railways, it being the intent and purpose of this provision to restrict the number of tracks on said portion of the Boulevard now known as Broadway to two, allowing, however, to each company its separate slot and conduit construction with necessary switches and connections.

Sec. 8. This grant shall not become operative unless within ten days after the passage thereof the said railway company shall duly execute under its corporate seal and instrument in writing, wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to pay the compensation and to conform to, abide by and perform all the conditions and requirements in this ordinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Sec. 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately. Published in accordance with resolution adopted by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York on the 5th day of December, 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor on the same day.

NEW YORK, December 6, 1899.
P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899,

for the following work and materials for parks in the Borough of Manhattan:

- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOR-
AGE.
- No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.
- No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
CRUSHED TRAP-ROCK.
- No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING A
STEAM ROAD ROLLER.
- No. 5. FINISHING AND ERECTING COMPLETE
IN PLACE LOW PRESSURE STEAM-
HEATING APPARATUS FOR GYM-
NASIUM BUILDING AT HAMILTON
FISH PARK ON PITT STREET, BE-
TWEEN HOUSTON AND STANTON
STREETS.

THE CONTRACTS MUST BE BID FOR SEPA-
RATELY.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examina-
tion, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to
the nature and extent of the work or materials, and
shall not, any time after the submission of an esti-
mate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor as-
sert that there was any misunderstanding in regard
to the nature or amount of the work to be done or ma-
terials to be furnished.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making
the same, the names of all persons interested with
him or them therein, and if no other person be so in-
terested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made
without any connection with any other person making
an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects
fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no mem-
ber 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in
The City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will,
on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties
for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or
refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corpora-
tion any difference between the sum to which he would be
entitled on its completion and that which the Corpora-
tion 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 esti-
mated amount of the work by which the bids are
tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accom-
panied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each
of the persons signing the same that he is a householder
or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the
amount of the security required for the completion of this
contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and
over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise,
and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith
and with the intention to execute the bond required
by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances
of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded
to the person or persons for whom he consents to
become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the
security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of
The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered
unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one
of the State or National banks of The City of New York,
drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money
to the amount of five per centum of the amount of
the security required for the faithful perform-
ance of the contract. Such check or money must not
be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the esti-
mate, 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 re-
fuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the
contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same,
the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited
and retained by The City of New York as liquidated
damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall

execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the
amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Blank forms for proposals for the contracts, and in-
formation relative thereto, can be had at the office of
the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
December 14, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
December 14, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899,

for materials required and work to be done in the
Borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES.
- No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
HARDWARE.
- No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
BLACKSMITHING MATERIALS.
- No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MAT-
TERIALS.
- No. 5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
LUMBER.
- No. 6. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WOOD
ASHES AND BONE.
- No. 7. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.
- No. 8. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOR-
AGE.
- No. 9. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
BRICKS AND CEMENT.
- No. 10. RESURFACING WITH ASPHALT A
PORTION OF THE WALKS IN PROS-
PECT PARK.

Nos. 1 TO 5, INCLUSIVE.

Schedules of materials, with specifications for the
same and samples thereof, may be seen at the Litchfield
Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.
The materials are to be delivered as required during
the year 1900.

The amounts of security required are as follows:
No. 1..... \$1,500 00
No. 2..... 600 00
No. 3..... 1,000 00
No. 4..... 600 00
No. 5..... 1,500 00

NO. 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.

100 tons of Canada Unbleached Wood Ashes,
2 tons of Pure Ground Bone.
The above to be delivered at Prospect Park, in the
Borough of Brooklyn, when and where required, within
thirty days after the award of the contract.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred
Dollars.

NO. 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.

800 gross tons of Lehigh Steep Coal;
140 gross tons of Lehigh Egg Coal;
140 gross tons of Lehigh Furnace Coal.
The above to be delivered during the year 1900, as
required, upon the various parks and parkways in the
boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
The amount of security required is Twenty-two
Hundred Dollars.

NO. 8, ABOVE MENTIONED.

140,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality known as
"Prime Sweet Timothy."
35,000 pounds of Red Clover Hay.
30,000 pounds of Clean Rye Straw.
7,500 bushels of No. 1 White Clipped Oats.
30,000 pounds of Clean, Sound, No. 2 Yellow Corn.
8,000 pounds of First Quality Bran.
All of the above to be delivered in such quantities and
at such times as may be directed, during the year 1900,
at the Prospect Park Stables, in the Borough of
Brooklyn.
The amount of security required is Two Thousand
Dollars.

NO. 9, ABOVE MENTIONED.

50,000 North River Hard Bricks.
100 barrels Dyckerhoff Portland Cement.
200 barrels Lehigh Portland Cement, or Cement
of equal quality.
200 barrels Hoffman Rosendale Cement.
The above to be delivered upon the various parks and
parkways of the Borough of Brooklyn, during the year
1900, as may be required.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred
Dollars.

NO. 10, ABOVE MENTIONED.

50,000 square feet (approximately) of Old Walks in
Prospect Park to be resurfaced.
25,000 square feet (approximately) of New Walks in
Prospect Park to be constructed.
Thirty (30) days will be allowed for the completion of
the work.

Specifications may be seen at the Litchfield Mansion,
Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.
The amount of security required is Five Thousand
Dollars.

THE CONTRACTS MUST BE BID FOR SEPA-
RATELY. BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE
FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN
THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THE
BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE
TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy them-
selves, by a personal examination of the samples of
materials mentioned in the specifications, as to the
nature and quantity of the materials required, and
shall not any time after the submission of an estimate,
dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that
there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature
or quantity of the materials to be furnished.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making
the same, the names of all persons interested with him
or them therein, and if no other person be so interested,
it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made
without any connection with any other person making
an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects
fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no mem-
ber 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in
The City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will,
on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for
its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or re-
fuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corpora-
tion any difference between the sum to which he would be
entitled on its completion and that which the Corpora-
tion 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 esti-
mated amount of the work by which the bids are
tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accom-
panied 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
above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with
the intention to execute the bond required by section
27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of The City
of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the
person or persons for whom he consents to become
surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security
offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City
of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE,
CROCKERY, PAINTS, OILS, LUMBER, IRON,
ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITEN-
TIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, 1900.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FUR-
NISHING** Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Paints,
Oils, Lumber, Iron, etc., for the Kings County Peni-
tentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, during the year 1900,
in conformity with samples and specifications, will be
received at the office of the Commissioner of Correc-
tion, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New
York,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899,

until 11 A. M., sharp.
All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Peni-
tentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense, and
quantities allowed as received there.

Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without
fail.

Deliveries to be more or less.

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, ETC.

92. 2,000 yards Brown Sheet.
93. 2,000 yards Blue Denim.
94. 2,000 yards Burlaps.
95. 570 gross Porcelain Buttons.
96. 72 gross Black Bone Buttons.
97. 6 gross Rubber Overcoat Buttons.
98. 25 gross large Nickel Pants Buttons.
99. 25 gross small Nickel Pants Buttons.
100. 18 gross Pants Buckles.
101. 150 dozen Spool Cotton, Clark's O. N. T.,
Nos. 30, 36, 40 and 50, white.
102. 150 dozen Spool Cotton, Clark's O. N. T.,
Nos. 30, 36, 40 and 50, black.
103. 150 yards Brown Gingham.
104. 150 yards Men's Felt Hats.
105. 75 yards Damask Table Linen.
106. 24 yards Damask Napkins Linen.
107. 200 yards Bleached Muslin.
108. 5,000 Millard's Needles, 1 to 5 and 5 to 10.
109. 1,200 yards Farmer Satin.
110. 300 yards Sleeve Lining.
111. 400 yards Black Silesia.
112. 15 gross Men's Leather Shoe Laces.
113. 5 gross Women's Cotton Shoe Laces.
114. 1 gross Spool Silk, Button-hole Twist.
115. 1 gross White Linnen Thread.
116. 1 gross Dark Blue Thread.
117. 5 dozen Uniform Straw Hats.
118. 2 dozen Tailor's Tape Measures.
119. 8 gross Collar Buttons, long shank.
120. 8 boxes Wax Tapers.
121. 50 gross Clothes Pins.
122. 2 gross Fine Combs.
123. 2 gross Coarse Combs.
124. 1 dozen Flour Sieves (fine).
125. 12 boxes each Red, White and Blue Tailor's
Chrome.
126. 5 gross Lamp Chimneys.
127. 5 gross Lamp Wicks.
128. 1 gross Lantern Burners.
129. 4 dozen Lantern Globes.
130. 1 gross Lantern Wicks.
131. 50 pounds Sailmaker's Twine.
132. 300 feet Manila Rope, 1 1/2 by 16.
133. 200 feet Manila Rope, 1 inch in diameter.
134. 200 feet Garden Hose.
135. 3 Loads Sawdust.
136. 1 Cord Stick Hickory.
137. 4 Cords Stick Oak.
138. 12 sets Ring for Bramhall-Deane Co.'s
Range.
139. 1 Double Block and Fall for Rope, 1 inch in
diameter.

140. 6 dozen Pitchers (pints).
141. 6 dozen Pitchers (quarts).
142. 6 dozen Pitchers (2 quarts).
143. 6 dozen Pitchers (4 quarts).
144. 6 dozen Vegetable Dishes.
145. 4 dozen Butter Dishes, covered.
146. 12 dozen Dinner Plates.
147. 12 dozen Dessert Plates.
148. 2 dozen Wash Pitchers.
149. 2 dozen Wash Basins.

PAINTS, OILS, ETC.

150. 2,000 pounds, White Lead, pure in oil.
151. 100 gallons Raw Oil.
152. 100 gallons Boiled Oil.
153. 100 gallons Turpentine.
154. 3 barrels Lamb Black.
155. 3 barrels Whiting.
156. 10 gallons White Shellac.
157. 10 gallons Copal Varnish.
158. 5 gallons Light Japan Dryer.
159. 500 pounds Putty.
160. 25 pounds Yellow Ochre.
161. 10 pounds Ultra Marine Blue.
162. 10 pounds Burnt Umber, ground in oil.
163. 10 pounds Dark French Green.
164. 2 pounds Burnt Sienna.
165. 2 pounds Raw Sienna.
166. 50 gallons Benzine.
167. 60 barrels Kerosene Oil.
168. 250 gallons Crude Oil.
169. 300 gallons Machine Oil.
170. 200 gallons Cylinder Oil.
171. 50 gallons Lard Oil.
172. 3 barrels disinfectant, "Gaskells" or equal.

LUMBER, ETC.

173. 100 pieces Best White Pine Ceiling, 3/4-in. x
9-in. x 16-ft., Banded and Center
Beaded, T. & G., D. B. S.
174. 100 pieces Best White Pine, 3/4-in. x 9-in. x 16-
feet, T. & G., D. B. S.
175. 100 pieces Spruce Joist, 2-in. x 4-in. x 16-ft.,
dressed all sides.
176. 1,000 feet Best North Carolina Yellow Pine
Flooring, 3/4-inch x 4-in., truly
matched.
177. 1,000 feet Best North Carolina Yellow Pine
Flooring, 1 1/2-in. x 4 in. truly
matched.
178. 10 pieces Best Spruce Timber, 3-in. x 12-in.
x 21-ft.
179. 10 pieces Best Spruce Timber, 3-in. x 8-in. x
21 ft., straight and true.
180. 300 feet Quartered Oak, dressed two sides,
1/2-in. thick, 8-in. wide and over.
181. 300 feet 3/4-in. Quartered Oak, D. B. S., 8-in.
wide and over.
182. 300 feet 1 1/2-in. Quartered Oak, D. B. S., 8-in.
wide and over.
183. 300 feet Quartered Oak, D. B. S., 2-in. thick,
8-in. wide and over.
184. 300 feet 3-in. Oak, Best Plain, D. B. S., 12-in.
wide and over.
185. 300 feet 4-in. Oak, Best Plain, D. B. S., 12-in.
wide and over.
186. 1,000 feet 3/4-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B. S.
187. 1,000 feet 3/4-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B. S.
188. 1,000 feet 1 1/2-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B. S.
189. 500 feet 3/4-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B. S.

ENGINEERS AND PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES.

190. 6 J. L. Mott's, Iron Trap Water Closets,
fittings for same.
191. 10 Square Yards, 1-in. Hair Felt.
192. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
193. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
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211. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
212. 100 pounds Light Castings.
213. 10 pounds Pipe Cement.
214. 25 pounds Albany Grease.
215. 25 3/4-in. x 6-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
216. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 8-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
217. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
218. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
219. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 8-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
220. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
221. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4 in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
222. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
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Washers.
224. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
225. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 2 1/2-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
226. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 3-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
227. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 2-in. Lag Screws and
Washers.
228. 1 dozen 3/4-in. Stop and Waste Cocks for
Iron Pipe.
229. 1 dozen 1-in. Stop and Waste Cocks for Iron
Pipe.
230. 2 dozen 1/2-in. Water Faucets for Iron Pipe,
Lever Handles.
231. 1 dozen 3/4-in. Water Faucets for Iron Pipe,
Lever Handles.
232. 1 dozen 4-in. Tube Brushes.
233. 1 dozen 3 1/2-in. Tube Brushes.
234. 1 10-in. Stilson Wrenches.
235. 1 14-in. Stilson Wrenches.
236. 1 18-in. Stilson Wrenches.
237. 1 24-in. Stilson Wrenches.
238. 12 3/4-in. by 18-in. Water Gauge Glasses for
Steam Boilers.
239. 12 3/4-in. by 16-in. Water Gauge, with Wash-
ers.
240. 25 pounds Babbit Metal.
241. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 00.
242. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 0.
243. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 1.
244. 25 3/4-in. by 2 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and
Washers.
245. 25 3/4-in. by 3 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and
Washers.
246. 25 3/4-in. by 4-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
247. 25 3/4-in. by 6-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
248. 25 3/4-in. by 2 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and
Washers.
249. 25 3/4-in. by 3 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and
Washers.
250. 25 3/4-in. by 4-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
251. 2 2-in. Steam Cocks.
252. 3 1 1/2-in. Steam Cocks.
253. 3 1 1/2-in. Steam Cocks.
254. 3 1-in. Steam Cocks.
255. 1 4-in. Globe Valve.
256. 1 3-in. Globe Valve.
257. 3 2-in. Globe Valves.
258. 6 1 1/2-in. Globe Valves.
259. 12 1-in. Globe Valves.
260. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
261. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
262. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
263. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
264. 6 1-in. Angle Valves.
265. 6 3/4-in. Angle Valves.
266. 2 1 1/2-in. Vertical Check Valves.

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| 268. | 6 3/4-in. Check Valves. |
| 269. | 6 3/4-in. Check Valves. |
| 270. | 6 3/4-in. by 3-in. Bushings. |
| 271. | 6 3/4-in. by 2-in. Bushings. |
| 272. | 6 3/4-in. by 2 1/2-in. Bushings. |
| 273. | 6 3/4-in. by 2-in. Bushings. |
| 274. | 12 2-in. by 1 1/2-in. Bushings. |
| 275. | 12 1 1/2-in. by 1 1/4-in. Bushings. |
| 276. | 12 1 1/4-in. by 1-in. Bushings. |
| 277. | 12 1-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings. |
| 278. | 24 3/4-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings. |
| 279. | 24 3/4-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings. |
| 280. | 24 3/4-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings. |
| 281. | 24 3/4-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings. |
| 282. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 283. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 284. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 285. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 286. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 287. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 288. | 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left. |
| 289. | 6 Elbows, 4-in. |
| 290. | 6 Elbows, 4-in. |
| 291. | 12 Elbows, 2-in., Right. |
| 292. | 12 Elbows, 2-in., Right and Left. |
| 293. | 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right. |
| 294. | 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left. |
| 295. | 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right. |
| 296. | 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left. |
| 297. | 24 Elbows, 1-in., Right. |
| 298. | 24 Elbows, 1-in., Right and Left. |
| 299. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 300. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 301. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 302. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 303. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 304. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 305. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 306. | 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 307. | 6 Tees, 3-in. |
| 308. | 6 Tees, 3-in. |
| 309. | 12 Tees, 2-in. |
| 310. | 12 Tees, 2-in. |
| 311. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 312. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 313. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 314. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 315. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 316. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 317. | 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in. |
| 318. | 3 4-in. Plugs. |
| 319. | 3 4-in. Plugs. |
| 320. | 12 2-in. Plugs. |
| 321. | 12 1 1/2-in. Plugs. |
| 322. | 12 1 1/2-in. Plugs. |
| 323. | 24 1-in. Plugs. |
| 324. | 24 3/4-in. Plugs. |
| 325. | 24 3/4-in. Plugs. |
| 326. | 24 3/4-in. Plugs. |
| 327. | 24 3/4-in. Plugs. |
| 328. | 24 3/4-in. Plugs. |
| 329. | 3 4-in. Flange Unions. |
| 330. | 3 4-in. Flange Unions. |
| 331. | 12 2-in. Flange Unions. |
| 332. | 12 1 1/2-in. Flange Unions. |
| 333. | 12 1 1/2-in. Flange Unions. |
| 334. | 24 1-in. Flange Unions. |
| 335. | 12 3/4-in. Flange Unions. |
| 336. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 2-in., Right and Left. |
| 337. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 2-in., Right. |
| 338. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left. |
| 339. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right. |
| 340. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left. |
| 341. | 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right. |
| 342. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 1-in., Right and Left. |
| 343. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 1-in., Right. |
| 344. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 345. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 346. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 347. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 348. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right and Left. |
| 349. | 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right. |
| 350. | 6 1 1/2-in. Galvanized Unions. |
| 351. | 12 1-in. Galvanized Unions. |
| 352. | 12 3/4-in. Galvanized Unions. |
| 353. | 12 3/4-in. Galvanized Unions. |
| 354. | 12 3/4-in. Galvanized Unions. |
| 355. | 12 1-in. Return Bends. |
| 356. | 12 3/4-in. Return Bends. |
| 357. | 6 1 1/2-inch Headers, 4 Pipe. |
| 358. | 6 1-in. Headers, 4 Pipe. |
| 359. | 500 feet 2-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 360. | 500 feet 1 1/2-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 361. | 500 feet 1 1/2-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 362. | 1,000 feet 1-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 363. | 500 feet 3/4-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 364. | 500 feet 3/4-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 365. | 500 feet 3/4-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 366. | 200 feet 3/4-in. Steam Pipe. |
| 367. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 2-in. |
| 368. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/2-in. |
| 369. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/2-in. |
| 370. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1-in. |
| 371. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-in. |
| 372. | 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-in. |
| 373. | 5 pounds 2 1/4 by 4 Garlocks, Steam Packing. |
| 374. | 5 pounds 2 1/4 by 4 Garlocks, Steam Packing. |
| 375. | 30 feet 3/4-in. Square, Tucks Packing, Rubber Back. |
| 376. | 30 feet 3/4-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core. |
| 377. | 30 feet 3/4-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core. |
| 378. | 30 feet 3/4-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core. |
| 379. | 3 square yards 3-16-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing. |
| 380. | 4 square yards 3/4-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing. |
| 381. | 4 square yards 3-16-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing. |
| 382. | 3 square yards 1-32-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing. |
| 383. | 12 Arch Plates. |
| 384. | 12 Furnace Door Linings. |
| 385. | 3 dozen Single Pendant Cocks, 3/4-in. by 3/4-in. |
| 386. | 1 gross Gas Pillars. |
| 387. | 1 gross Gas Tips, 6 Feet. |
| 388. | 1 gross Gas Tips, 4 Feet. |
| 389. | 6 sides Belt Lacing. |
| 390. | 12 Man Hole Gaskets, 15 by 11. |
| 391. | 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 4 1/2 by 3. |
| 392. | 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 5 by 3 1/2. |
| 393. | 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 6 by 4. |
| 394. | 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 3 1/2 by 2 1/2. |
| 395. | 6 barrels Fire Clay. |
| 396. | 200 Arch Fire Brick. |
| 397. | 600 Fire Brick. |

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| 412. | 100 3/4-in. x 3-in. Carriage Bolts. |
| 413. | 4 gross 3-in. Wood Screws, No. 16. |
| 414. | 4 gross 3-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 415. | 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 12. |
| 416. | 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 417. | 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 418. | 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 419. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 420. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 421. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 12. |
| 422. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 423. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 424. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 425. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 12. |
| 426. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 427. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 428. | 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 429. | 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 12. |
| 430. | 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 431. | 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 432. | 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 433. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 10. |
| 434. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 8. |
| 435. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 436. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4. |
| 437. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 6. |
| 438. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4. |
| 439. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4. |
| 440. | 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 3. |
| 441. | 10 pounds 8-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks. |
| 442. | 10 pounds 6-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks. |
| 443. | 10 pounds 4-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks. |
| 444. | 10 pounds 2-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks. |
| TIN SHOP SUPPLIES. | |
| 446. | 6 boxes, 14 by 22 inches, XX English Bright Plate Tin. |
| 447. | 3 boxes, 14 by 22 inches, X English Bright Plate Tin. |
| 448. | 25 boxes, 14 by 22 inches, Merchant's Old Method Roofing Tin. |
| 449. | 100 pounds 16-oz. Sheet Tinned Copper, in sheets, 3 feet by 5 feet. |
| 450. | 2 Pigs Block Tin. |
| 451. | 2 Pigs Lead. |
| 452. | 100 pounds Zinc, 30 inches wide, in one roll. |
| 453. | 5 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 26. |
| 454. | 2 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 28. |
| 455. | 3 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 24. |
| 456. | 3 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 20. |
| 457. | 2 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 18. |
| 458. | 3 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 10. |
| 459. | 2 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 6. |
| 460. | 1 bundle Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 12. |
| 461. | 2 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 14. |
| 462. | 1 bundle Galvanized Wire, No. 6. |
| 463. | 1 bundle Tinned Wire, No. 12. |
| 464. | 2 rings Copper Wire, No. 14. |
| 465. | 3 pounds 8-oz. Tinned Rivets. |
| 466. | 3 pounds 12-oz. Tinned Rivets. |
| 467. | 3 pounds 1-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 468. | 3 pounds 1 1/2-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 469. | 3 pounds 2-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 470. | 5 pounds 4-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 471. | 3 pounds 8-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 472. | 5 pounds 16-lb. Tinned Rivets. |
| 473. | 3 pounds 3/4-in. Rivets with Burrs. |
| 474. | 1 set Solid Punches. |
| 475. | 1 set Cast Shank Round Punches. |
| 476. | 1 set Rivet Sets and Headers. |
| 477. | 1/2 dozen Scratch Awns. |
| 478. | 1 Improved Tin Roofing Folder. |
| 479. | 2 Side Cutting Solid Steel Pliers, with 5 by 7 Cutters. |
| 480. | 3 pairs Wing Dividers, 6 inch., 12 inch., 18 inch. long. |
| 481. | 1 pair No. 0 Improved Cutting Nippers. |
| 482. | 2 pairs No. 80 Roofing Shears, Hand Cut, 3 1/2 inch. |
| 483. | 1 pair Newtown's Patent Circular Shears, with 2 pairs of dies each, 2 1/2 by 5 1/2 inch, in diameter, to cut circles from 3 to 14 inch, in diameter. |
| BLACKSMITHS' SHOP AND STABLE. | |
| 485. | 10 bars Flat Iron, 3/4 by 1 inch. |
| 486. | 10 bars Flat Iron, 3/4 by 2 inch. |
| 487. | 10 bars Flat Iron, 3/4 by 2 1/2 inch. |
| 488. | 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch. |
| 489. | 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch. |
| 490. | 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch. |
| 491. | 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch. |
| 492. | 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch. |
| CONSTRUCTION. | |
| 493. | 100 barrels Portland Cement. |
| 494. | 100 barrels Saylor's Atlas Cement. |
| 495. | 25 barrels Finishing Lump Lime. |
| 496. | 2 barrels Plaster. |
| No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items. | |
| No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors; to be delivered in installments, as required, except such as are designated in the specifications. | |
| The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, etc., 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, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Correction, or his duly authorized agent, and read. | |
| THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897. | |
| No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. | |
| The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. | |
| Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner. | |
| Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article. | |
| Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or 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. | |

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| Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or deposit companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York. | |
| No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. | |
| Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law. | |
| 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, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. | |
| Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. | |
| Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. | |
| Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine. | |
| The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner, Room 22 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular. | |
| FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner, Department of Correction. | |
| DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX, December 11, 1899. | |
| PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, LEATHER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES FOR YEAR 1900. | |
| SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, LEATHER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES during the year 1900, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M., | |
| THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899. | |
| All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of Twenty-sixth street), for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, and Quantities allowed as received by storekeeper. | |
| Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail. | |
| Deliveries to be more or less— | |
| DRY GOODS, ETC. | |
| 90. | 215 gross Coat Buttons. |
| 91. | 960 gross Suspender Buttons. |
| 92. | 600 gross Brace Buttons. |
| 93. | 100 gross Pants Buckles. |
| 94. | 600 yards 18-inch Bunting, Red, White and Blue. |
| 95. | 40 dozen Women's Wool Hoods. |
| 96. | 800 yards Huckabuck Toweling. |
| 97. | 200 yards Unbleached Table Linen. |
| 98. | 35,000 yards 4-4 Brown Muslin. |
| 99. | 8,000 yards 4-4 Bandage Muslin (Ulrica C). |
| 100. | 800 yards 4-4 Bleached Muslin (Anchor Brand). |
| 101. | 1,200 yards 8-4 Bleached Muslin (Anchor Brand). |
| 102. | 10 pieces Oiled Muslin. |
| 103. | 6 dozen Linen Napkins. |
| 104. | 50 Rubber Coats (Assorted Sizes). |
| 105. | 75 pairs Rubber Boots (Assorted Sizes). |
| 106. | 50 Oilskin Suits with Hats. |
| 107. | 1,600 yards No. 4 24-inch Cotton Duck. |
| 108. | 25,000 yards Ticking. |
| 109. | 11,150 yards Awning Stripe. |
| 110. | 50 packs Pins. |
| 111. | 10 gross Safety Pins, No. 3. |
| 112. | 10 gross Safety Pins, No. 2. |
| 113. | 100 pounds Black Linen Thread, No. 30 (skeins). |
| 114. | 370 pounds Black Linen Machine Thread, No. 50 (Barbour's). |
| 115. | 200 pounds Wd. Brown Linen Thread, No. 50 (Barbour's). |
| 116. | 200 dozen White Basting Cotton, No. 30. |
| 117. | 100 dozen Fine Combs. |
| 118. | 150 dozen Plantation Combs, 6 1/2 by 1 1/4. |
| 119. | 90 dozen Spectacles (Assorted). |
| 120. | 125 gross 5-4 Cotton Shoe Laces. |
| 121. | 200 bunches 5-4 Leather Shoe Laces. |
| 122. | 200 dozen O. N. T. Spool Cotton, No. 36 (100 white, 100 black). |
| HARDWARE. | |
| 123. | 6 dozen Peg Awl Hafts. |
| 124. | 19 dozen Pick Axes. |
| 125. | 4 dozen Can Openers. |
| 126. | 5 reams Sandpaper (Assorted). |
| 127. | 30 dozen 14-inch F. B. Files. |
| 128. | 20 dozen 14-inch 3/4-round Files. |
| 129. | 9 dozen 3-inch Taper Saw Files. |
| 130. | 9 dozen 4-inch Taper Saw Files. |
| 131. | 8 dozen Glass Cutters. |
| 132. | 2 dozen Hay Forks. |

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| 141. | 5 kegs 6d. Cut Nails. |
| 142. | 15 kegs 8d. Cut Nails. |
| 143. | 15 kegs 10d. Cut Nails. |
| 144. | 3 kegs 20d. Cut Nails. |
| 145. | 1 keg 30d. Cut Nails. |
| 146. | 2 kegs 40d. Cut Nails. |
| 147. | 5 kegs 6d. Finishing Nails. |
| 148. | 2 kegs 8d. Wire Nails. |
| 149. | 3 boxes Horseshoe Nails, Nos. 1-7, 1-8, 1-9. |
| 150. | 150 Stone Breaker's Hammers. |
| 151. | 4 dozen Garden Hoes. |
| 152. | 24 Axe Handles. |
| 153. | 200 Sledge Handles. |
| 154. | 300 Pick Axe Handles. |
| 155. | 100 Striking Hammer Handles. |
| 156. | 80 dozen Combined Mop and Scrub Handles. |
| 157. | 2 dozen Butcher Knives. |
| 158. | 9 dozen Iron Padlocks, W 2 Keys. |
| 159. | 5 dozen Sand Stones. |
| 160. | 6 dozen Scythe Stones. |
| 161. | 3 dozen Barber's Shears. |
| 162. | 3 dozen Scissors 8-inch Trimmers. |
| 163. | 200 dozen Table Spoons. |
| 164. | 100 dozen Tea Spoons. |
| 165. | 10 dozen Scoop Shovels, No. 4. |
| 166. | 43 dozen Flat Shovels, No. 2. |
| 167. | 5 dozen Spades. |
| 168. | 10 kegs Horseshoes F. & H. 2 each Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7. |
| 169. | 300 gross Screws (Assorted). |
| 170. | 5 dozen W. & B. Razors, No. 753. |
| 171. | 20 dozen 2-foot Carpenter's Rules. |
| 172. | 3 dozen Hay Rakes. |
| 173. | 5 dozen Garden Rakes. |
| 174. | 4 dozen Ward Thermometers. |
| 175. | 10 dozen Papers Fitted Tacks (Assorted). Oils, Paints, ETC. |
| 176. | 135 barrels Kerosene Oil. |
| 177. | 5 barrels Raw Linseed Oil. |
| 178. | 2 barrels Cylinder Oil. |
| 179. | 1 barrel Engine Oil. |
| 180. | 1 barrel Lard Oil. |
| 181. | 1 barrel Machine Oil. |
| 182. | 1 barrel Neatsfoot Oil. |
| 183. | 9 barrels Marine Journal Oil. |
| 184. | 1 barrel Signal Oil. |
| 185. | 35 barrels Turpentine. |
| 186. | 33,000 pounds White Lead in Oil. |
| 187. | 4,000 pounds Prince's Metallic Paint, Dry. |
| 188. | 100 pounds Prussian Blue in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans. |
| 189. | 200 pounds Venetian Red in Oil, 25 one-pound, 25 two-pound, 25 five-pound cans. |
| 190. | 300 pounds Indian Red in Oil, 25 one-pound, 50 two-pound, 35 five-pound cans. |
| 191. | 100 pounds Burnt Sienna in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans. |
| 192. | 100 pounds Raw Sienna in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans. |
| 193. | 300 pounds Chrome Green in Oil, 25 one-pound, 50 two-pound, 35 five-pound cans. |
| 194. | 100 pounds Chrome Yellow in Oil, 2 |

No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 19, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GENERAL REPAIRS TO STEAMER "MINNAHANONCK."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR GENERAL repairs to Steamer "MinnaHanonck," in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1899.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The work must conform in every respect to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX, December 13, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Miscellaneous Articles, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899.

All goods to be delivered at once on Dock foot of East Twenty-sixth street for Blackwell's Island storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

- SPECIAL REQUISITION NO. 407.
- Penitentiary.
- 35 1½-inch White Pine Boards, 16 feet long, D.B.S.
 - 15 2 by 4 Spruce Joists, planed, 15 feet long.
 - 10 4 by 4 Chestnut Posts, planed, 16 feet long.
 - 10 3 by 4 Spruce Joists, planed, 15 feet long.
 - 25 1-inch White Pine Boards, tongued and grooved, beaded and centrebeaded.
 - 1 keg 10-Penny Cut Nails.

- SPECIAL REQUISITION NO. 424.
- Penitentiary.
- 1 set of Circular Grate Bars of the Tupper pattern, to be made in three sections; same to be 2 feet 11¼ inches in diameter. To have ¾-inch opening.
- SPECIAL REQUISITION NO. 431.
- Riker's Island.
- 600 pounds Princes' Metallic Paint, Dry.
 - 10 gallons Japan Dryer.
 - 10 gallons Inside Varnish.
 - 1 barrel Whiting.
 - 12 dozen No. 2 Flat Shovels.
 - 1 dozen Spades.
 - 3 boxes Roofing Tin, 14 x 20, Special Requisition No. 374.
 - 1 coil 5-inch Best Manila Bolt Rope.

No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.

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

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

as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioner may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 13, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899.

All goods to be delivered at once to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

- 200 feet Rubber Belting, "Single," 1½-in.
- 300 feet Single-ply Belting, 1½-in.
- 2,000 pounds White Lead, "Atlantic."
- 15 barrels Lamp Black.
- 1 barrel Prince's Metallic Paint.
- 1 barrel Linseed Oil.
- 3 barrels Brush Makers' Pitch.
- boxes XX English Bright Plate Tin.
- boxes X American Bright Plate Tin.
- 50 pounds Green Paint.
- 11 Window Curtains.
- 150 yards Sharp Sand.
- 100 barrels Saylor's or Atlas Cement.
- 100 barrels Portland Cement.
- About 192 yards best Lowell Body Brussels Carpet (or equally as good), to cover room 36 by 36 feet, made, laid, lining, etc., complete.
- About 70 square yards Inlaid Linoleum, to cover hall, etc., in Female Prison, made, laid, etc., complete.

17. About 150 square yards Inlaid Linoleum, to cover Main Hall and Office of Prison, made, laid, etc., complete.

18. About 150 yards best Lowell Body Brussels Carpet (or equally as good), to cover room 36 by 28 feet, with border, made, laid, lining, etc., complete.

No bond or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.

Samples on exhibition only at the Kings County Penitentiary.

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

Bidders are requested to foot up their bids.

Awards will be made on the lowest items.

Goods will be received in one delivery.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
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