

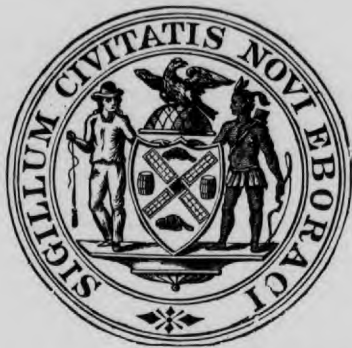
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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 1544, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the three months ending June 30, 1899.

Yours very respectfully,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner.

Census Report for Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Mar. 31, 1899.	Admitted.	Dis- charged.	Trans- ferred.	Died.	Adopted.	Escaped.	Remaining June 30, 1899.
Bellevue Hospital.....	788	5,691	4,151	1,303	436	..	..	589
Workhouse Help.....	29	616	604	..	..	..	2	39
Emergency Hospital.....	10	58	37	22	1	..	..	8
Harlem Hospital.....	42	802	418	329	57	..	..	40
Fordham Hospital.....	41	232	179	20	31	..	..	42
Gouverneur Hospital.....	39	697	249	374	60	..	..	3
City Hospital.....	753	1,922	1,862	9	203	..	..	601
Workhouse Help.....	39	66	83	..	..	..	..	22
Almshouse.....	2,298	520	849	..	121	..	..	1,845
Workhouse Help.....	26	1,649	..	..	..	..	..	41
Blind Asylum.....	115	16	17	..	..	..	..	114
Incurable Hospital.....	113	5	3	..	1	..	..	114
Metropolitan Hospital.....	499	1,886	1,720	21	155	..	..	489
Workhouse Help.....	6	8	6	1	..	..	..	7
Infants' Hospital—								
Children.....	187	287	185	..	84	3	..	202
Adults.....	25	127	104	..	..	..	..	48
Workhouse Help.....	73	119	150	..	..	..	..	42
Randall's Island—								
Asylums and Schools.....	508	133	86	..	9	..	3	543
Workhouse Help.....	32	67	65	..	..	..	..	34
Idiot Asylum.....	460	31	32	..	10	..	..	449
Colored Home and Hospital.....	211	71	66	..	17	..	..	199
Lodging-house for Homeless Men.....	20	17,289	15,950	1,344	..	..	..	15
	6,314	32,292	26,816	3,423	1,185	3	5	5,220

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1899.

Hon. T. S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner :

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith quarterly report of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for your information and to be forwarded by the Secretary with his report to the Honorable Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; also for publication in the CITY RECORD.

Respectfully,

W. A. PRICE, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

Quarterly Statement, ending June 30, 1899.

Salaries.....	\$100,910 17
Supplies.....	256,569 36
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Building and Apparatus.....	9,976 32
Transportation of Paupers, etc.....	3,148 49
Poor Adult Blind.....	28,950 00
Rent for Harlem Hospital.....	1,375 00
Rent for Fordham Hospital.....	1,275 00
Rent of Gouverneur Hospital Stables.....	100 00
Clothing for Insane Patients.....	3,619 04
Donations to G. A. R. Veterans.....	2,679 00
Burial of Veterans and Headstones.....	2,240 00

Lodging-house for Homeless Men—	
Schedules.....	\$2,232 83
Pay-rolls.....	1,805 15
New Ambulance, Horse, Harness and Repairs.....	\$4,037 98
Department of Public Charities' Building Fund.....	1,451 16
	9,367 65
Total.....	\$425,699 17

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Respectfully,

W. A. PRICE, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, July 13, 1899.

Quarterly Report for the three Months ending June 30, 1899.

ADMISSIONS TO THE DIFFERENT INSTITUTIONS FROM CENTRAL OFFICE.

To Examining Physician.....	11,778
To Almshouse, direct.....	510
To Colored Home, direct.....	75
	12,363

Children.

To Nursery Hospital.....	149
To Infants' Hospital.....	108
	257
Discharged to parents and guardians.....	190
Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment.....	272
Blind relieved with money (579 applicants).....	\$28,950

Transportation has been afforded to seventy-three (73) sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, thereby preventing their becoming a charge upon the county.

There have also been two hundred and ninety-eight (298) insane sick and destitute persons committed to the State Almshouse at Flatbush, Kings County, N. Y., to be cared for by the State Board of Charities, thus relieving this Department of their care and maintenance.

There has been one (1) alien pauper sent to his home in Europe through the State Board of Charities, thereby relieving this county of his care and maintenance.

Passes granted to applicants.....	31,223
Meals.....	1,512
Discharges from the Almshouse.....	0
Calls for sick wagon.....	263
Admissions to the Lodging-house.....	1,770

Abandonment and bastardy payments.....	\$17,216 38
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Respectfully,

GEO. BLAIR, Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE EXAMINERS OF THE OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOR THE MONTHS OF APRIL, MAY AND JUNE, 1899.

Dependent Children, Second Quarter, 1899.

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	TOTALS.
Applied for admission.....	624	737	767	2,128
Number approved.....	281	301	254	836
Number approved, owing to ability to pay part.....	21	14	43	78
Number disapproved.....	322	422	470	1,214
Reasons for disapproving—				
Non-residents.....	35	41	58	134
Immigrants.....	3	9	6	18
Unknown at residence given.....	47	87	97	231
Able to pay.....	3	22	18	43
Able to be supported at home.....	234	263	291	788
Of the number approved following were committed.....	100	114	140	354
Of the number committed following were temporary (four months or less).....	35	39	46	120
Of the number committed following agreed to pay part.....	18	11	20	49
Of the number committed following actually entered institutions.....	97	100	120	317
Discharges approved.....	35	27	38	100
Discharges disapproved.....	6	7	4	17
Money paid to institutions upon the recommendation of this Department.....	\$618.67	\$747.17	\$921.01	\$2,286.85
Number of children in various institutions committed by the Courts and this Department.....	14,881	14,872	14,756	..

Number approved includes children under two years of age, for whom no commitments are issued, hence the difference between number approved and number committed.

Discrepancy in number committed and number actually entering institutions is due principally to the refusal on the part of the institutions to accept children having any physical defect. Children so affected are sent temporarily to Randall's Island Hospital for treatment.

Maternity Cases, Second Quarter, 1899.

	SLOANE MATERNITY HOSPITAL.			NEW YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE.			MOTHERS' AND BABIES'.			OLD MARION STREET MATERNITY HOSPITAL.		
	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.
Approved.....	19	37	20	5	31	10	3	3	12	2	..	5
Disapproved.....	18	18	62	2	4	5	15	16	14	..	..	2
Reasons for disapproving—												
Non-residents.....	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Immigrants.....	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Unknown at residence given.....	3	5	23	1	2	1	..	..	4	..	..	2
Able to pay.....	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Not emergency.....	15	12	32	1	..	3	15	14	10	..	..	..

	NEW YORK FOUND- LING HOSPITAL.			NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM.			NURSEY AND CHILD'S.			NEW YORK INFIRMARY.			FLOWER HOSPITAL.	
	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.
Approved.....	24	23	28	11	3	2	9	14	4	..	..
Disapproved.....	24	2	16	12	7	1	8	13	11	1	..
Reasons for disapproving—														
Non-residents.....	1	..	..	1	..	..
Immigrants.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Unknown at residence given.....	1	1	1	..	2	..	4	2	..	..	..
Not emergency.....	23	..	15	11	4	..	4	11	9	1	..
Able to stay at home.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..

Hospital Cases, Second Quarter, 1899.

	RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED.			SETON.			FLOWER.			BABIES.		
	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.
Number approved.....	45	28	21	2	10	15	41	24	21	25	3	8
Number approved to pay part....	5	3	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	3	..	1
Number disapproved.....	16	18	11	..	1	..	25	18	24	2	2	4
Reasons for disapproving—												
Non-residents.....	6	3	1	..	..	..	4	1	7	1	1	..
Immigrants.....	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Unknown at residence given.....	7	6	5	..	1	..	19	13	13	1	..	3
Able to pay for treatment.....	2	7	5	..	..	..	2	4	4	..	1	..

	NEW YORK POLYCLINIC.			POST GRADUATE.			MOUNT SINAI.		
	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.
Number approved.....	22	18	14	33	35	40	141	133	130
Number approved to pay part.....	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number disapproved.....	8	15	9	27	43	67	36	42	40
Reasons for disapproving—									
Non-residents.....	..	3	3	4	3	7	11	15	9
Immigrants.....	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	3	4
Unknown at residence given.....	5	8	4	4	12	17	2	2	1
Able to pay for treatment.....	3	4	2	18	26	43	21	22	26

Second Quarter, 1899.

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	TOTALS.
<i>Mothers with Babies.</i>				
Number approved.....	19	8	7	34
Number disapproved.....	13	5	2	20
Reasons for disapproving—				
Non-residents.....	2	..	..	2
Unknown at residence given.....	4	4	1	9
Able to stay at home.....	7	1	1	9
<i>Fallen Women.</i>				
Number approved.....	19	14	21	54
Number disapproved.....	11	26	10	47
Reasons for disapproving—				
Non-residents.....	5	5	1	11
Unknown at residence given.....	6	21	9	36

LODGING-HOUSE FOR HOMELESS MEN.

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

LODGING-HOUSE FOR HOMELESS MEN, }
June 30, 1899.

Hon. JOHN W. KELLER, President, Department of Public Charities:

MY DEAR SIR—I beg to submit for your information the quarterly report ending June 30, 1899, of the above institution.

Very respectfully yours,
WM. B. O'ROURKE, Superintendent.

Lodgers.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	CHILDREN.	TOTAL.
Lodgers.....	5,743	1,699	243	7,685
Lodging-house Help*.....	1,567	..	..	..
Bellevue Hospital Help*.....	7,677	..	..	..
Out-door Poor Department Help*.....	308	..	..	..
Central Office Help*.....	72	..	..	..
Total.....	15,367	1,699	243	17,309

* Unpaid.

Nativity.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
United States.....	3,169	516
Ireland.....	1,432	966
Germany.....	514	86
England.....	241	61
Other nations.....	387	70
Total.....	5,743	1,699

Ages.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
20 years and under.....	332	45
30 ".....	1,619	280
40 ".....	1,498	330
50 ".....	940	292
Over 50 years.....	1,354	752
Total.....	5,743	1,699
Average age.....	39	47

Time in City.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
5 days and under.....	979	32
30 ".....	463	32
6 months and under.....	333	15
1 year and under.....	133	19
5 years and under.....	428	160
Over 5 years.....	1,810	1,138
Natives.....	1,577	303
Total.....	5,743	1,699

References.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
References given.....	2,478	875
No references given.....	3,265	824
Total.....	5,743	1,699

Classification.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
Good reference.....	586	159
False reference.....	427	101
Bad reference.....	3	8
Doubtful.....	207	30
Unknown.....	256	47
Previously investigated.....	986	516
Pending.....	13	14
Total.....	2,478	875

Last Residence.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
Lodging-house.....	3,637	805
Boarding-house.....	1,942	613
Own home.....	164	281
Total.....	5,743	1,699

Miscellaneous.

	MALES.	FEMALES.
Sent to Superintendent Out-door Poor.....	442	147
Sent to court as vagrants.....	195	38
Sent to hospital.....	17	17
Treated by House Doctors.....	826	158
Sent to work at Bellevue Hospital.....	278	3
Sent to work at Out-door Poor Department.....	46	..
Sent to work at Central Office.....	51	1
Sent to work at Randall's Island.....	28	6
Sent to work on steamer "Brennan," Kitchen.....	24	1
Sent to work at City Hospital.....	10	..
Sent to work at Almshouse.....	7	..

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,
July 10, 1899.

Hon. JOHN W. KELLER, President:

SIR—I hereby transmit, for your information, my report for the second quarter, ending June 30, 1899:

Number of applicants during April, 1899	3,437
" " " May, 1899	3,423
" " " June, 1899	3,395

Total	10,255
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Which were distributed as follows:

Number assigned to Bellevue Hospital	5,844
" " City Hospital	1,839
" " Metropolitan Hospital	1,899
" referred to Dispensary	430
" " Out-door Poor	90
" " Willard Parker Hospital	1
" " Craig Colored Home	1
" refused to go to Island Hospitals	147
" rejected	4

Total	10,255
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Respectfully,
HORACE BIGELOW, Examining Physician.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

TINSMITH'S REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Cook House—April 1, put new bottom in boiler. April 3, put new bottom in boiler. April 4, repaired 2 messpans, 2 boilers. April 6, put new bottom in boiler. April 8, repaired 4 messpans. April 10, put new bottom in boiler. April 11, 2 cans repaired. April 12, put new bottom in boiler. April 14, 1 messpan repaired. April 17, put new bottom in boiler and repaired 2 cans. April 19, put new bottom in boiler and repaired 1 boiler, 2 cans and 1 messpan. April 20, repaired 1 can. April 21, repaired 1 steam boiler, 6 messpans and 3 pails.

Cook House—May 1, repaired 3 pails, 1 steam boiler, 2 ice coolers. May 3, repaired 4 messpans, 1 can. May 8, repaired 3 boilers, 1 can. May 15, repaired 2 boilers, 1 can. May 17, repaired 3 pails, 1 boiler. May 22, repaired 2 new skimmers. May 23 to 31, repaired 6 cans, 3 messpans, 2 large boilers, 1 cover.

Cook House—June 1, repaired 1 messpan and 1 can. June 3, repaired 1 milk boiler. June 5, 6 and 7, repaired 2 boilers and 1 can. June 8 and 9, repaired 2 messpans, 1 cover and 1 can. June 10 to 12, repaired 1 boiler, 1 can, 1 messpan cover, made 1 new skimmer. June 13 to 17, repaired 2 messpans, 1 cover and 3 cans. June 19, repaired 3 cans and 3 boilers. June 20, repaired 1 boiler. June 21, repaired 1 can. June 22 to 26, repaired 3 cans and 3 boilers. June 27 to 30, repaired 3 cans, 2 boilers and coffee boiler.

Fordham Hospital—Made 2 new skylights, June 14, 15 and 16.

Gouverneur Hospital—Repaired mail box.

Stable—Repaired 2 ambulance lamps, 2 lanterns and 1 sprinkling can.

Miscellaneous work in Wards, etc.—Repaired 2 foot-baths, 1 wash-basin, dinner pans, ice box; 6 square feet of zinc. Used 8 square feet zinc for gas stove. Repaired fish boiler for Male Training School, kettle in Male Prison Ward, lamp for Commissioner Keller, 2 can covers. Made reflector for gas burner. Repaired ice-cooler and tank for water closet. Put in 1 new piece pipe for ice-box. Repaired dinner pan, Ward 15; salt-water can for Second Surgical Division, wash-basin for Male Prison Ward and ice-box. Covered gas-stove board, 1 square foot zinc. Repaired 1 fire-pail. Repaired and tinned china closet on bottom. Put on 2 pieces of tin between gas stove and walls, Ward 23; 1 piece tin on ice-box in annex to Ward 23, 1 new hand on dining-room clock. Repaired ice-box in Ward 24. Put on new faucet and bottom on ice-cooler in Doctors' Laundry. Made fender for stove in Doctors' Laundry.

ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Ward 1—Repaired steam valve, fumigated ward (twice).

Ward 2—Repaired steam valve and gas pipe, crank of bandage roller, and cold-water pipe.

Ward 3—Repaired steam valve.

Ward 5—Repaired invalid's chair.

Ward 7—Repaired sink and hot-water faucet.

Ward 8—Made crank for bandage roller.

Ward 9—Repaired steam valve (twice).

Ward 11—Repaired steam valve.

Ward 12—Repaired water-closet.

Ward 16—Repaired water-closet and water pipe.

Ward 18—Repaired water-closet and gas pipe.

Ward 19—Repaired water-closet.

Ward 20—Repaired water-closets (twice).

Ward 21—Repaired hot-water closet.

Ward 22—Repaired hot-water faucet.

Ward 22—Repaired sink and water-closet.

Ward 23—Repaired steam valves (twice) and 1 sterilizer.

Ward 28—Repaired hot-water faucets.

Ward 29—Repaired hot-water faucets.

Ward 30—Made crank for bandage roller.

Ward 31—Repaired water-closet and steam valves. Removed awnings.

Ward 32—Removed gas brackets. Made hose connection.

Ward 33—Repaired hot-water pipe.

Ward 34—Removed gas brackets.

Ward 35—Repaired hot-water pipe.

Ward 36—Fumigated rooms (5 times).

Ward 37—Fumigated rooms (6 times). Made cold-water connection from Ward 32.

Ward 38—Repaired steam valves (4 times).

Ward 39—Repaired steam valves.

Ward 40—Repaired steam valves.

Ward 43—Repaired steam valves.

Morgue—Repaired 2 hot-water faucets, steam valve and steam valve on trap.

Cook-house—Put 175 feet 1-inch galvanized pipe and 2 valves in dish-warmers, disconnected boiler, tested and connected steam boiler and disconnected boiler, repaired steam valves and 2 cleavers.

Boiler-room—Repaired 3 wheelbarrows, 4 ash hoes, feed pump. Removed old steam pipes from old boiler-room (twice); repaired fire hoe and made ash hoe. Made water connection from feed-pump to laundry pipe, connection for new 1-inch hose.

Male Training School—Cleaned waste-pipe. Repaired range and sink. Sharpened one-half dozen knives. Put set of brick in range. Repaired boiler.

Stable—Repaired 2 ambulance gongs, 2 ambulance lamps, harness, 2 brackets and wing of ambulance, 3 hangers for ambulance lamps. Made 2 hooks, S hook. Repaired ambulance lamp.

Wash-house—Repaired shifter, laundry engine, driving pulley, loose pulley on extractor. Tight pulley on extractor, 3 extractors, old extractors (twice), tight pulley on shaft. Stuffed box on mangle (twice). Repaired extractor and shifter on washing machine, belts (13 times). Put new rubber cushions on extractor. Repaired and stuffed boxes on 2 mangles. Repaired pulley on main shaft, steam valve on mangle and belt. Put new apron on mangle, new set of springs on extractor.

General Drug Department—Repaired steam valves (twice). Removed radiators (twice). Repaired steam pipe, hand rail.

Carpenter Shop—Made eight bolts. Disconnected and removed old radiator, made staples.

Male Lodging House—Repaired faucet, cold water pipes (twice).

Miscellaneous—Repaired go-cart and front door of fumigator. Put new grate in Doctors' Laundry. Repaired sink in dressing room, elevator engine. Removed old cable from elevator car. Sharpened one dozen chisels for mason. Repaired gas brackets in Doctors' Room (2), range in Doctors' Kitchen, water closet on dock, new Y branch on main Croton water pipe to boiler-room, steam trap in yard near morgue, water-pipe in garret, one and one-half dozen tools for mason, elevator engine and cable on elevator. Supplied lodging house with two 3/4-inch elbows and one 1 1/4-inch elbow. Removed iron frame from window on dock. Made cold water connection to garden. Repaired hot water pipe under drug cellar, elevator engine, governor on ammonia engine, tools for stonemason (twice), cold water-pipe bathroom, cellar. Cleaned range in Doctors' Kitchen. Repaired cold water pipe under bath room cellar, two ranges in Emergency Hospital.

Respectfully,
WM. B. O'ROURKE, Superintendent.

PLUMBER'S REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Ward 1—Repaired hot-water faucet, hot and cold water faucets in Operating Room.

Ward 2—Repaired water pipe to water-closet cistern. Cleared hot and cold water pipes and repaired same. Repaired hot and cold-water faucet. Cleared water-closet.

Ward 4—Repaired two cold and one hot water faucets, hot and cold water faucets in Operating Room, two hot-water faucets in bath room. Cleared water-closets.

Ward 6—Repaired two cold-water faucets.

Ward 7—Put on gas pillar and tip, two gas tips and pillars. Repaired hot-water faucet.

Ward 8—Put on two gas pillars and tips, etc., hot-water faucet, hot-water faucet in Operating Room. Cleared Croton pipe of cistern, water-closet. Repaired hot and cold water faucets.

Ward 9—Repaired hot and cold water faucets. Cleared water-closets.

Ward 10—Repaired leak under sink and cleared out water-closet, cold-water faucet in Operating Room. Cleared water-closet. Repaired hot and put in new cold-water faucet in Operating Room. Cleared water-closet in tower. Repaired hot and cold water faucets. Cleared water-closet and repaired cold-water faucet in Operating Room.

Ward 11—Repaired hot-water faucet at sink, hot-water faucet. Cleared water-closet.

Ward 12—Repaired hot-water faucet, two cold-water faucets and leak in waste-pipe.

Ward 13—Repaired hot-water faucet and sink waste pipe in Operating Room, cold-water faucet in Operating Room.

Ward 14—Repaired leak under bath-tub. Put new hot-water faucet in bath tub. Supplied ward with 14 feet 3/8-inch tees.

Ward 15—Repaired leak in cistern and soldered 2 flush pipes of closet, repaired cistern leak with 16 feet 1/2-inch galvanized pipe, 2 1/2-inch galvanized elbows, repaired sink hot-water closet.

Ward 16—Cleared water-closet (twice). Repaired hot and cold water faucets.

Ward 17—Repaired leak under sink, leak at two sinks in tower.

Ward 18—Repaired two closet cisterns. Cleared water-closet.

Ward 19—Repaired two hot-water faucets, Croton pipe at bath-tub, hot-water faucet, two hot-water faucets at sink. Cleared out water-closet.

Ward 20—Repaired hot-water faucet.

Ward 22—Put on new gas-tips in bath-room. Repaired hot-water faucet at sink.

Ward 23—Cleared sink in kitchen, Annex to Ward 23. Repaired leak at steam valve, Annex to Ward 23. Cleared gas stove, waste-pipe, Annex to Ward 23. Put in new 18 by 36 inch galvanized-iron sink and changed Croton pipes, two 3/4-inch galvanized street L's and two 3/4-inch iron couplings. Repaired hot and cold water faucets in bath-room, hot-water faucet in Annex.

Ward 24—Repaired hot-water faucet. Put in new cold-water faucet. Repaired hot and cold water faucets, cistern plunger and hot-water faucet. Cleared waste-pipe of bath-tub. Repaired valve of water-closet cistern, leak of waste-pipe of sink.

Ward 25—Cleared and repaired sink waste-pipe. Repaired valve of water-closet cistern, hot-water faucet. Cleared sink waste-pipe.

Ward 26—Repaired leak under bath-tub.

Ward 27—Repaired two hot-water faucets. Put on new cold-water faucet. Repaired sink waste-pipe, two hot-water faucets, cold-water faucet.

Ward 28—Repaired hot-water faucet, plunger water-closet cistern. Cleared water-closet. Repaired gas-stove leak.

Ward 29—Cleared sink waste-pipe. Repaired closet-cistern valve.

Ward 30—Repaired 2 hot and 2 cold water faucets, 3 hot-water faucets, hot-water faucet in bath-tub.

Ward 31—Put in galvanized-iron and lead pipe for hot-water basin in Operating Room; used 25 feet galvanized-iron pipe, 2 only 1/2-inch stop-cocks, 2 feet 1/2-inch A lead pipe, 4 pounds solder. Put in new sink in Nursery. Used 60 feet 1/2-inch galvanized-iron pipe, 25 feet 2-inch cast-iron pipe, 10 feet 2-inch lead waste, 25 pounds calking lead, 3 pounds oakum, 1 2-inch full S lead trap, 9 pounds solder, 16 only 1/2-inch galvanized elbows, 3 only 1/2-inch galvanized street elbows, 2 only galvanized 1/2-inch T's, 2 only 3/4-inch galvanized T's, 12 only 3/4-inch iron pipe, 2 only 3/4-inch caps, 2 only 3/4-inch sink cocks, flange and thimble; 2 only 1/2-inch stop cocks, 6 only 1/2-inch straps, 2 only 2-inch cast-iron 1/2-inch bends; 1 only 2-inch cast-iron sweep bends. Repaired hot-water faucet in basin. Put in new hot-water faucet, 20 feet 3/4-inch galvanized pipe, 7 feet 3 inches 1/2-inch galvanized pipe, 2 only 3/4-inch stop-cocks, 2 only 3/4-inch soldering nipples. Used 4 pounds solder, 2 only 3/4-inch galvanized elbows, 2 only 3/4-inch galvanized T's, and 3 only 1/2-inch galvanized unions.

Ward 32—Put in 1 1/2-inch rubber stopper in bath-tub, turned on hot water supply for building. Repaired slop sink flush pipe, cold-water faucet.

Ward 33—Cleared out water-closet. Repaired hot and cold water faucets. Put in new tip and burner on gas jet.

Ward 34—Repaired hot-water valve in bath-tub, cold-water faucet. Put new 1 1/2-inch plug in bath tub. Repaired leak hot and cold water faucets in bath-room, flush pipe of slop sink cistern, hot-water faucet in Nurses' room. Cleared pipe of cesspool in bath-room floor.

Ward 35—Repaired closet cistern-valve.

Ward 36—Cleared sewer pipe in street. Repaired hot-water faucet at Kitchen. Fastened closet cistern to wall, cleared cold-water faucet. Put on 2 new 1-inch plugs and 3 feet brass safety chains in basin. Cleared sink and repaired hot-water faucet in kitchen. Cleared basin waste pipe.

Ward 37—Repaired 2 hot and 2 cold water faucets. Cleared kitchen-basin. Put in new 1-inch rubber plug in basin and 18-inch safety chain. Repaired pipes to bath-tub. Cleared waste of wash-basin.

Ward No. 38—Cleared untrinal waste pipe. Repaired sink waste pipe on second floor, hot water faucet in kitchen, cleared sink in kitchen. Repaired leak in bath tub.

Ward No. 39—Cleared sink waste pipe. Repaired hot and cold water faucets. Put in gas pipe for stove. Used 15 feet 3/8-inch gas pipe, used 4 only 3-inch L's, 1 only 3/8-inch independent burner cocks, 1 only 3/8-inch Cap, 4 only 3-inch straps, repaired leak in kitchen gas pipe, hot water faucet at sink.

Ward No. 43—Cleared water closet trap. Repaired combination cock in bath tub.

Cook House—Put on new hot water faucet at sink in O. D. R. Kitchen. Repaired hot water faucet.

Gouverneur Hospital—Cleared sink waste pipe operating room. Cleared sewer to street. Repaired cistern valve in closet. Repaired basin bowl. Put in dispensary one new basin bowl. Repaired leak of Croton pipe in dispensary. Cleared out waste pipe of tubs in Laundry. Cleared Doctor's water closet. Repaired cistern valve.

Harlem Hospital—Put in new rifle syphon jet in closet. Repaired closet cistern dispensary, leak over hot water boiler. Put in new 3/4-inch stop cock. 2 wash tray cocks in laundry. New cold water faucet in second floor sink. Repaired combination cock of bath tub. Cleared waste pipe of bath tubs and repaired stop cock of water main. Cleared waste pipe of sinks on second floor, cleaned water closet on second floor. Repaired closet in dispensary and repaired closet in stable.

Male Training School—Repaired sink waste pipe in kitchen. Cleared sewer for M. T. S. building. Cleared out 2 bath tubs and sink on second floor.

Doctor's Rooms—Cleared hot water pipe to Doctor's rooms, fourth floor. Put one 3/8-inch independent burner cock in room 4.

Emergency Hospital—Cleared water closet and repaired hot and cold water faucets. Cleaned gas stove and put up pipe 8 feet copper-wire.

Medical Baths—Repaired hose on douche table. Repaired hot water pipe to douche table. Repaired 18 1-inch valves on douche table. Put in new hose and 4 feet copper-wire.

Miscellaneous—Cleared sink in Milk Hall. Repaired hot and cold water faucets at Miss Brennan's room, cistern in Men's Dormitory on dock. Supplied to Tinsmith 10 pounds solder. Repaired hot-water faucet in Milk Hall sink, hot-water faucet in Doctor's Kitchen. Cleared closet and repaired cistern, Out-door Poor Dispensary. Supplied 12 feet brass chain to dock. Repaired closet valve in Office tower. Put in 6 feet 1/2-inch galvanized iron pipe, 2 only 1/2-inch L's, 1 1/2 brass soldering, nipples, 2 feet 1/2-inch lead pipe. Repaired Croton pipe in Lodging House tower. Supplied Engineer with bundles 1-inch galvanized iron pipe, 12 only 1-inch elbows. Repaired hot and cold water faucet in Undertaker's Room, Morgue. Cleared sewer under Female Prison Ward. Supplied Engineer with 1 only 3/4-inch faucet. Put in new pipe for closet and sink in Townsend Cottage. Used 1 only 4-inch cast-iron trap, 1 only 4-inch by 2-inch double Y branch iron, 1 only 2-inch 1 1/4-inch bend cast-iron, 2 only brass ferrules, 2 feet of 4-inch iron pipe, 1 only 4-inch lead pipe, 30 pounds calking lead, 12 pounds solder, 5 feet 2-inch lead waste-pipe. Repaired leak in basin in second-floor tower. Put in new wash basin bowl and new nickel-plated plug in telephone office. Changed gas-pipe in rooms of Out-door Poor Dispensary. Repaired hot-water faucet in Townsend Cottage, hot-water pipe in Coroner's Office, valves in Autopsy Room. Cleared sink in Undertaker's Room. Put new waste-pipe under basin in Miss Brennan's room. Used 2 feet 2-inch cast-iron pipe, 2 feet 2-inch lead waste-pipe, 1 only 2-inch brass ferrule, 4 pounds calking lead, 5 pounds solder. Repaired valve in cistern of fourth floor toilet. Put in new 3/4 S 2-inch trap. Used 6 pounds solder, 3 pounds calking lead, 2 feet 2 inches. Put in 2 feet 6 inches of 1 1/2-inch lead pipe in Orderlies' Dining Room. Repaired leak in gas-pipe, and repaired hot-water faucet in Out-door Poor Dispensary. Cleared Croton pipe to cistern Lodging House. Repaired hot-water valves of sink in Autopsy Room, closet on fourth floor. Put in new 3/4-inch S 2-inch lead trap, 2 feet 2 inches. Used 2 feet 3 inches of 1 1/2-inch lead pipe, 1 only 2 inch ferrule, 6 pounds solder, 3 pounds calking lead in large Cook House. Removed gas-pipe from Carpenter Shop. Put in new 1/2-inch stop-cock in Room 4 in Dispensary, 12 feet 6 inches of 3/4-inch galvanized pipe. Used 2 new faucets, 3 only 3/4-inch galvanized L's, 1 only 3/4-inch galvanized union, in Female Lodging House bath-room. Cleared sink, Room 6, Dispensary. Replaced syphon in closet, 3 feet 1/2 inch galvanized pipe, put on 1 rickett coupling for Superintendent's office. Repaired and put up gas stove in Carpenter shop, leak at sink in Autopsy Room, Morgue, leak at basin in Autopsy Room, Morgue. Put

in new hot-water faucet female Lodging-house. Repaired hot-water faucet in Townsend Cottage. Cleared sink in Milk Hall, waste-pipe of bath tub in Stable, water-closet in Townsend Cottage, sewer under Milk Hall, sewer of Workhouse dormitory. Repaired hot-water faucet and cleared basin in Morgue. Supplied Tinsmith with 10 pounds of solder June 10, Janitor of Dock with 60 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, 20 only $\frac{3}{4}$ galvanized L's, 45 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ gas-pipe, 6 only 1-inch galvanized L's, 4 only $\frac{3}{4}$ T's, galvanized, 3 only 1 T, galvanized, 6 only $\frac{3}{4}$ block L's, 6 only tin straps. Repaired hot water faucet Orderlies O. D. room. Cleared sink of undertakers' room in Morgue. Put in waste-pipe for new Kitchen on dock, 1 only 2-inch full S lead trap. Used 2 feet 6 inches $\frac{1}{2}$ lead pipe, 8 pounds of solder. Repaired hot-water faucet and cleared waste-pipe of tub in Doctors' Laundry. Put in new leader pipe for Gate-house. Used 1 only 4-inch S iron trap, 1 only 4-inch $\frac{1}{2}$ bend, 2 foot 4-inch iron pipe, 10 pounds calking lead, 2 pounds oakum. Cleared waste-pipe of sink in Drug store.

Respectfully,
WM. B. O'ROURKE, Superintendent.

CARPENTERS' QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Ward 1—Repaired 2 stools, 3 new rails, chair, 1 new leg, 2 new rails, laundry box, 2 hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 1 lock and 1 key, stools, 1 new rung, 1 bed tray, windows and shades, 2 sash cords, new pocket, 2 feet pine, 1 new weight, 16 pounds; 4 feet party strip, new slat for shades, 2 bed trays, putting up door, 30 feet pine, 1 lock on medicine closet, closet, 3 screws.

Ward 2—Made 1 new screen, 12 feet pine, 6 hinges, 3 dozen screws. Repaired chair, new seat, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 2 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, screen, 1 dozen screws, dining-room table, 2 feet pine, 1 pound nails, laundry box, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, table, 1 castor, 1 dozen screws, 2 feet pine, chair, windows and shades, 10 feet stop bead, 2 sash cords, swinging door, 2 feet pine, table, 4 feet pine, windows, 3 sash cords, back-rest and stool.

Ward 3—Repaired door, 1 hinge, 1 chair, chair, 2 rails, chair, new veneer seat, 2 dozen brass head nails, table, chair and stool, new veneer seat on chair, 2 dozen brass head nails. Putting down new flooring in passageway between Wards 3 and 4, 60 feet soft yellow pine flooring, $\frac{3}{4}$ inches wide, 5 pound nails, 2 saddles for door, 7 feet yellow pine, 25 feet 2-inch plait for base, 1 pound nails. Made 18 splints for Ward 3, 12 feet white wood, 2 dozen splints, 30 feet white wood.

Ward 4—Repaired closet, 6 screws, drawer of medicine closet, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 2 chairs, 2 rungs, 2 legs.

Ward 5— $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen hooks; repaired shades, shades and windows, 6 sash cords, chair, drawer, 2 feet pine, 1 dozen screws, stool.

Ward 6—Repaired windows and shades, 6 sash cords, 1 new lock, 1 new key. Used 16 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 pound nails, used for new top on table. Repairing table, 19 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 pound nails. Made 1 pair crutches for patient. Repaired screen, laundry box, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, sash in bath-room, 3 sash cords.

Ward 7—Repaired shades, hinge on swinging door, 4 screens, 3 locks, 2 new keys, laundry box, one-half dozen screws, 2 stools, 2 rails. Put new lock on closet, 1 new key. Repaired tray, 1 new leg; 1 bed tray; windows and shades, 2 sash cords; making handle for brush, 10 feet pine, 2 chairs, shades and screens, 4 hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; door operating-room, screen, window sash, 2 sash cords; window shade, 4 hat hooks, 4 screw hooks, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws.

Ward 8—Repaired windows, 1 sash cord; crib, closet, screen, used 4 feet pine, 2 sash cords; laundry box, 2 feet pine, 6 screws; locks, 2 screens, 1 head-rest, 2 feet pine, 1 hinge, double-action spring.

Ward 9—Repaired chair, 1 new rail, one-half dozen screws; chair, new seat, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; screen, 1 new rail; windows and shades, 4 sash cords, 10 feet stop bead; screens. Putting up 21 window bases, used 84 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch yellow pine, 7 dozen screws. Repaired 2 chairs, 2 chairs.

Ward 10—Repaired stool, one-half foot pine, 8 screws; 2 chairs, one-half dozen screws, 1 new seat, 2 dozen brass tacks; 2 chairs, new seat, 2 dozen brass tacks; 2 stools, 4 new rails; 2 arm-chairs, one-half dozen screws, 2 new seats, 4 dozen brass nails. Put new lock on closet, 1 key. Repaired lock, 1 key; lock, 2 new keys; planed floor, laundry box, 2 feet pine, 2 T hinges, 1 dozen screws; windows in kitchen.

Ward 11—Repaired windows and shades, 5 sash cords; chair, new seat, 2 dozen brass nails; door, 1 large hinge, 7 inches, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws; screen, 1 foot pine, one-half dozen screws, 4 new rails; 1 dozen splints, 12 feet white wood; laundry box, 2 feet pine, 1 dozen $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch screws, No. 7. Making bed block, 4 feet pine.

Ward 12—Repaired lock on medicine closet; door, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; lock on medicine closet, 1 new key; small chair, 2 hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Used 75 feet of $\frac{2}{3}$ -inch pine for chart hooks, 1 dozen hooks, 1 paper 2-inch wire nails, 2 bed trays.

Ward 13—Making bulletin-board, 14 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, $\frac{3}{4}$ dozen screws, 4 hold-fasts. Repaired windows and shades, 4 sash cords, 1 stool, casing of door. Sharpening knives and scissors; 4 bars for windows, 16 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch yellow pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws.

Ward 14—Repaired 1 stool, 1 new rail; back-rest, 2 feet pine, 6 screws; screen, 3 dozen screws, 1 rail, shade.

Ward 15—Repaired stool and chairs, 1 new seat, 2 dozen brass tacks; lock. Putting down 12 feet of door saddles, yellow pine. Repairing lock on refrigerator, 1 staple, 1 hasp.

Ward 16—Repaired shades, 1 catch; wheel chair, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; 2 feet of pine for back in sink, new cupboard catch on dish-closet, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; two children's chairs, shades, 4 feet of pine; bandage box, 4 feet of pine; windows and shades, 6 sash cords, 1 packet, 2 feet of pine; lock, 2 keys, instrument closet; window sash, 2 sash cords, 2 new sash weights; 36 pounds of 40-foot sash cord for clothes lines, 6 children's chairs and 1 stool.

Ward 17—Repaired table, new top, 16 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 pound of nails; water-closet, 2 hinges, 1 dozen screws; door of desk, 1 shade, 2 buttons for screens; windows and shades, 4 sash cords.

Ward 18—Repairing chair, 1 leg, back-rest, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screens, 2 feet of pine, 1 tray, 1 new leg. Making bulletin-board, 14 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, $\frac{3}{4}$ dozen screws, 4 hold-fasts. Repaired windows and shades, 2 sash cords; drawer in kitchen; 6 white porcelain knobs, 2-inch, for drawers and doors.

Ward 19—Made new handle for broom, 1 foot pine, 1 dozen screw hooks. Repaired back rest, making 5 window bars, 8 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; chair, 1 new veneer seat, 2 dozen brass nails; 1 screen, 2 feet pine; chair, new back and seat, veneer; 2 dozen brass-head nails; screen, 3 feet pine, 2 chairs, stool; floor piazza, 6 feet yellow pine, 4-inch wide, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws; laundry box, 2 T hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws.

Ward 20—Repaired 2 bed trays, 1 new leg, 2 bed trays and 1 stool. Making box, 35 feet pine, 1 pound nails.

Ward 21—Repaired door knob, 3 stools, 4 new rails, 2 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 2 dozen screws, 2 chairs and 1 bed tray, 1 dozen screws. Making box for plants on fire-escape, 18 feet square pine, 1 pound nails.

Ward 22—Taking down shelving, putting-up closet. Repaired screen, 2 feet pine screen, 2 screens, bed tray. Putting-up bulletin board shelf in ward, 25 feet pine, 2 pounds nails; window sash, 4 sash cords, doctor's drawer in table, 2 keys.

Ward 23—Repairing laundry box, 2 feet pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, priest's communion box, hanging 4 window awnings, 2 dozen staples; wardrobe lock, 1 key; laundry box, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Putting-up 9 wire window screens, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound 1-inch wire nails. Repaired chair, window sash.

Ward 24—Repaired book hand-rest, table.

Ward 25—Repaired screen, 2 rails, 2 feet pine; windows and shades, used 6 sash cords; stool, 1 new rail, 2 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine; screen, 4 feet pine; windows and shades, 2 sash cords.

Ward 26—Repaired 1 lock. Making bulletin board, 14 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 3 dozen screws, 4 hold-fasts. Repaired window and shades, 2 sash cords; lock, 1 key; lock, 1 new key. Made 4 blocks for ice box, 2 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch joist.

Ward 27—Five feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine for water bed. Repairing laundry box, $\frac{1}{2}$ -dozen screws, lock, head-rest.

Ward 28—1 hook and eyes, 1 key. Repaired arm chair and stool, one brass plate, 2 screws, chair, new rail, windows and shades, 4 sash cords, 1 new pocket 2 feet pine, 2 bed trays, 1 bed tray, window sash, 2 sash cords, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Making box for plants on fire-escape, 18 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 pound nails.

Ward 29—Repaired bars in sash, 4 foot pine screen, 2 foot pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 2 dozen $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, drawers, used 5 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 6 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 2 drawer pulls, 4 screws, 2 bed stands, used 4 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 shutter knob. Making 2 new drawers, 3 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 6 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ pine, 4 drawer pulls, 8 screws. Repaired chair, new arm. Repairing and hanging 9 pair shades, 12 brass chart hooks. Making frame for chart, 2 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch white wood. Repairing bed screen, 2 new rails, 2 dozen chart hooks, windows and shades, 3 sash cords, shade, 1 new roller, screen, chair, 2 bed trays, screen, windows and shades, 4 sash cords, stool, shades and sash, 2 sash cords. Changed sash weights from 14 to 16 pounds. Repaired step ladder, 3 feet pine.

Ward 30—Repairing bandage roller, 1 foot pine, ice box, 1 dozen screws, stool, screen, 2 hinges, 4 screws, bed stand.

Ward 31—4 hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Hanging windows in locksmith shop. Repaired 2 chairs, 3 rails, 1 new seat, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, chair, 1 new seat, 2 dozen brass tacks, 2 cradles for babies, transom, lock, 1 new key, cover of bath tub, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, shutters, 1 hinge, 4 screws lock, laundry box, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, bed tray, screen, 1 dozen screws, medicine drawer, 2 bed trays, stool, chair and bed tray, also crib, top shade, 2 screens, closet, 4 feet pine, 1 pound of nails, door. Taking down storm door. Repaired blinds.

Ward 32—Making large covering for door, 8 tongue and groove boards, 1 12-foot pine board, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 160 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, 14 foot $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine for shelving. Putting up bulkhead, 50 feet pine, 5 pounds nails, 1 hook and eye, 4 screw hooks, 15 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, used for stand for closet. Repairing 1 lock. Putting up clock, book case and 3 looking glasses. Making shelf for fire

extinguisher, used 4 square feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 4 screw hooks, 1 hook and eye. Repairing chairs, 1 dozen bed blocks, locks, 2 keys.

Ward 34—Repairing lock, windows and doors. Making 2 towel rollers. Putting up shelving and pair racks, used 25 feet square $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 dozen screw hooks, 2 iron brackets, 1 drawer lock, 1 key, 2 dozen $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch screws. Filing 2 keys, repaired lock, windows, 4 sash cords. Repaired windows, 12 sash cords.

Ward 35—Repaired shades, 6 feet pine for shelf.

Male Ward 36—Repaired locks, 2 new keys, lock on medicine closet, lock, 2 keys, door and lock.

Female Ward 37—Used 5 locks, 3 new keys. Repairing lock, 1 key.

Ward 38—Repaired 2 locks, 2 new keys, 15 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 gross screws for window screens, 1 chair, door knob, lock, new key, chair, locks, 2 keys, window sash, 10 sash cords.

Ward 39—Repaired 1 lock, 10 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 dozen screws, 20 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 gross $\frac{3}{4}$ screws for screens for windows, 1 dozen back flap hinges, 6 dozen $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch screws, 1 dozen screw eyes, locks on door, 2 dozen $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, 10 hinges, 5 dozen screws, 10 screw eyes, lock on medicine closet; used for shelving 64 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 20 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 dozen screws, 2 pounds nails, 2 cupboard catches, lock. Making table for gas stove, 3 feet pine, 2 sheets tin, one-half pound tin nails.

Ward 40—Repaired 2 bed trays, 2 new legs, transom over door, 2 chairs, 2 bolts, door and knob, lock, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws.

Ward 41—Taking down storm door.

Ward 42—Taking down storm door.

Ward 43—Female Lodging House—Repaired 10 shades; used 30 yards shade cord, 4 screw eyes, window shade.

Miscellaneous—Used 6 two and a half-inch screws for Mr. Boyd's electric chair. Repairing telephone box (twice), 3 sheets sand paper for Dr. Rice, 1 hank sash cord; screens for windows, used 42 square feet wire cloth, 1 gross $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch No. 7 screws, Room 15; 4 blocks for ice chest. Made boxes for flowers for porch, 34 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 pounds of nails. Repaired windows and shades Room 16; transom, 4 sash cords, 2 screws, 1 padlock, 1 key. Hanging 15 wire screens, used 6 dozen screws. Repaired for Room 16, armchair, new veneer seat, 2 dozen brass-head nails; 2 feet 3 by 3 joist block for ice-box. Scales at coal dock, 20 feet long, 10 inches wide, spruce planks, 2 inches thick, 3 pounds 5-inch spikes; Room 16, chair, new veneer seat, 2 dozen brass nails, new lock on screen door, 1 key, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 1 padlock and key, 1 hasp and 2 staples. Making 12 eight-foot poles for gardener, used 24 feet one and half-inch pine, 8 strips 10 feet long 2 inches wide, 15 feet pine $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 1 padlock and key for cellar under reception office, 2 staples, 1 hasp, 3 new keys for doctor in Room 5, 2 new keys for doctor in Room 4, 4 blocks for joist in Room 16; used 170 square feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch clear pine for Bulletin Boards, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ gross screws for Bulletin Board. Hanging shade Room 18, 2 feet pine. Tearing down old carpenter shop, between Ward 31 and Townsend cottage. Platform—6 joists 3 by 4, 35 ceiling boards. Making box for Dr. Pierce, Room 16, 30 feet pine, 1 pound nails; made box for doctor in Room 14, 30 feet pine, 1 pound of nails. Repaired shades Room 18, 1 new catch, 6 yards shade cord. Wire window screens, 2 sash lifters, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 18 square feet wire cloth. Bureau drawer, 1 castor and screens, 8 feet pine, and put up blinds in Room 15, 2 hinges, 4 screws, 2 fasteners. Making 2 signs for Fordham Hospital, 14 feet pine $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds of nails, box for Dr. Ritter, 30 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 boxes for Dr. Pomeroy, 40 feet pine. Cased table for Dr. Ritter, 4 feet pine.

Superintendent's office—Making shelf for Superintendent's office, 4 feet ash. Repaired door, 3 feet pine.

Reception Office—Repairing setter big door, seat Reception Office closet, 2 brass hinges, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Stretcher chair, new seat, 3-foot pine chair.

Male Training School—2 pounds nails, 2 5-inch pin hinges, 2 hinges, 8 screws, 3 knob screws. Repairing bureau drawers, floor, windows and shades, 8 sash cords, 4 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ inches, white wood, windows and shades, 4 sash cords, closet and bath-room, windows and shades, 4 sash cords, 8-foot stop bead.

Morgue—10 pounds nails, 2 keys, 20 pounds tenpenny nails, 20 pounds tenpenny nails, 40 pounds tenpenny nails. Repaired lock on big front door, 20 pounds tenpenny nails.

Dock and Steamboats—Making large table, 14 feet long by 3 feet 10 inches wide. 1 gross 2-inch screws, 2 pounds tenpenny nails.

Lodging, Male and Female—New lock, 1 key, 40 bed blocks, 36 bed blocks.

Doctors' Laundry—Repaired 1 sleeve board. Used 30 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine for table. Repairing tables, shelves, drawers, doors, floor and windows. Used 40 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch and 80 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 50 feet yellow pine, 12 feet stop bead, 3 dozen screws, 12 drawer-pulls, 2 hooks and eyes, 5 pounds nails, 2 padlocks, 2 keys. Repaired base and table, 12 feet pine, 2 pounds nails.

Townsend Cottage—Repaired windows and shades, 2 sash cords.

Paint Shop—4 dozen brass tacks for screens. Making bottom for oil-can, 3 feet pine.

Clothes House—Putting up racks and shelves. Laying new floor in temporary clothes-room, 30 feet 3 by 4 joists, 90 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine boards, 12 feet long, 9 inches wide, 15 pounds nails. Tearing down old racks in old clothes house and putting up the same in the new.

Amphitheatre—Making board for X-ray slide, 2 feet pine.

Drug Store—4 dozen screws, 8 hinges, 3 dozen screws. Repaired 1 bed tray, 2 new legs, 5 feet black walnut for shelf, 2 closet catches, 1 dozen screws, 8 2-inch hinges, 3 dozen 1-inch screws, 3 feet whitewood for shelf, 2 brass screw pulleys, sink.

Kitchen—Repaired 1 stool, 1 new rail, 10 yards sash cords, 9 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine for table, strainers, new wire bottoms, 2 feet wire cloth, new spoon, 3 feet ash, 6 inches wide. Boxing in pipe, 20 feet pine, 3 pounds nails, 6 feet oak, 20 inches wide.

Dining-room, Employees—9 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 2 dozen screws. Repaired chair, 1 new rail, 2 chairs, 1 foot pine for rails, 1 window bar, 4 feet yellow pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, meat board, chairs (3), 5 chairs, 1 knob, 2 feet 3 by 4 joists for blocks, ice box, 2 chairs.

Store Room—Made new shoe for door, 9 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Repaired cover on sugar box, 6 screws, 1-foot pine chair, 1 dozen $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, lock and closet, 24 bed blocks, 1 padlock, 2 new keys, 2 staples, 1 hasp.

Stable—Putting end in telephone box, 3 feet pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws. Repaired ambulance bed for No. 7 stretcher, new netting in window frame, 2 feet pine, 1 dozen 1-inch screws, 2 dozen splints, 25 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch whitewood, ambulance; 3 feet ash, new handle in pitchfork, 3 dozen splints for ambulance, 30 feet whitewood, ambulance; 1 button, 1 dozen brass screws, 1 sash lift, wheelbarrow, 2 pounds nails, stall, 5 feet pine, 2 pounds nails, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch screws for ambulance, fitting 2 keys for padlock, ambulance seat, 1 one and one-half-inch flap hinge, 1 knob and screw-eye. Altered whiffletree, new irons, ambulance, new padlock, 2 keys. Repaired wagon, 1 bolt, ambulance; 2 feet ash, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, ambulance; 2 bolts and nuts. Made 5 dozen splints for ambulance, 48 feet whitewood. Repaired ambulance, new whiffletree, 2 six-inch bolts and nuts.

Male Prison Ward—Repairing Laundry box, 4 square feet pine, 2 T hinges, 1 dozen screws, new base, 8 feet pine.

Female Prison Ward—Setting spring on bed, 4 blocks for ice-box, 2 feet 3 by 4 joists, used 20 brass cord hooks. Repairing big door, bed tray, base, 4 feet pine.

Dressing Room—Repaired chair, 1 new seat, 2 dozen brass nails.

Dispensary and Out-door Poor on Pier—2 padlocks, 2 keys, 4 staples, 2 hasps. Making 24 rollers, for plaster, 2 feet pine, 24 screw-eyes. Repaired 2 settees, 1 new rail, 4 screws, 1 settee, 1 new leg, 1 new rail, 3 hooks and eyes, 2 sheets sand paper. Repaired locks, 3 new keys, 4 chairs, 4 new rails, 2 new legs, 1 foot $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 1 dozen screws. Used 30 feet pine, 10 feet 3 by 3 joists, 1 pound nails for making table. Repaired 3 chairs, 5 chairs, 3 new rails, lock, 1 key. For Mr. Blair, 3 dozen 1-inch screws, 2 closet locks, 2 keys, 1 dozen screws, door and screen, making 2 dozen rollers for plasters, 2 chairs.

Central Office on Pier—1 new spiral spring, 2 screws, repaired lock, 2 keys for Commissioner Keller for office, 20 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 2 dozen screws.

Gouverneur Hospital—Repaired 5 stools, 8 new rails, seat, 8 screws, 2 stools 4 new rails, chair, 8 screens; used 104 square feet wire cloth, 3 papers No. 4 tacks. 2 wire window screens, used 18 feet square wire cloth, 1 paper No. 4 tacks.

Emergency Hospital—Repairing windows and shades, 4 sash cords, locks, 2 chairs.

Gate-house—Repaired chair, 1 foot pine for cleats, 16-inch screws, 3 rails, Gate-house lock, 6 hooks and eyes for doors, chair. Taking down storm-doors. Building scaffold for painters, 12-foot joists, 3 by 4; 72 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ pine, 2 pounds nails; blinds, 4 dozen staples, 1 rail, 1 new lock. Taking down painters' scaffold. Repairing transoms, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 2 new slides. Taking down storm-door. Repairing cabinet, 2 feet pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound nails, hanging shades.

Doctors' Dining-room—Repaired case.

Doctors' Kitchen—Ground 4 knives. Taking out windows and putting up wire screens, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screens, making grating, 6 feet pine.

Annex—Repaired windows and shades, 4 sash cords.

Library—Repaired 2 locks, 2 new keys, chair, new seat, veneer, 2 dozen brass nails, chair, 1 new veneer seat, 2 dozen brass tacks.

Elevator—Repaired chair, 2 screws to the Elevator Engineer, 1 closet remade, 3 dozen screws, 2 hinges, 10 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ pine, 6 hat hooks, 2 pounds 8-penny nails. Opening transoms on first to sixth floor. Repaired 2 doors, one 8-inch barrel bolt, 1 dozen screws.

Wash House and Laundry—3 sheets sand paper, 2 sheets sand paper, 72 castors, 192 screws for clothes boxes, 50 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ pine, 10 12-foot $\frac{3}{4}$ boards, 40 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ pine, 96 screws, $\frac{1}{2}$ foot 2-inch pine, 3 window catches, 2 doors, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen screws, 6 feet 2-inch pine, 1 dozen $\frac{2}{3}$ -inch screws, 2 pounds 10-penny nails, 1 joist, 6 feet long 3 by 4; 1 pound nails, 6 hammock hooks, 2 dozen screws. Making partition and door, 3 joists, 3 by 3, 12 feet long; 8 10-inch ceiling boards, 96 feet, 2 spikes, 2 hinges, 1 dozen screws, 5 pounds nails. Repaired horse, 6 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ pine, 1 rim lock and knobs and spindle, 1 dozen galvanized hammock hooks, 2 dozen 1-inch screws.

Plumber Shop—Making drawer for plumbers' tools, 10 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pine, 1 dozen screws, 1 padlock and key, 1 hasp, 2 staples.

Electrician—2 dozen screws, 2-inch; ½ dozen screws, 2-inch; 2 pounds 8-penny wire nails, 5 pounds 5-inch spikes, 1 gross 2½-inch screws, 2 dozen 1¼ No. 7 screws, 2 dozen 1¼ No. 8 screws, 1 new padlock, 2 keys.

Gardener—6 poles for vines, 42 feet long, 2¼ inches wide; used 6 square feet pine.

Tin Shop—For bench and shelving, 52 square feet tongue and groove boards, ¾ inch wide; 4 boards, 2 screw eyes, 2 packages 1-inch wire nails, flat head, No. 12.

Respectfully,

WM. B. O'ROURKE, Superintendent.

PAINTERS' QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Ward 1—Put in 7 panes of glass, 14 by 20.
Ward 2—Painted 1 screen door, 2 coats. Varnished 1 wheel chair, 2 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18; 3 panes of glass, 14 by 20. Painted 1 door, 2 coats; 1 clinic basket, 3 coats.
Ward 3—Painted 1 screen, 2 coats; 1 chair, 3 coats; 3 clothes closets, 3 coats.
Ward 5—Painted 1 screen, 2 coats. Put in 9 panes of glass, 16 by 20; 9 panes of glass, 12 by 18. Painted ceiling, walls and woodwork of ward, 3 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of bath-room, 3 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of dining-room, 3 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of operating-room, 3 coats; 19 bedsteads, 13 stands, 1 ice box, 2 closets, 4 tables, 8 bed trays, 4 screens, 1 bath tub, all 3 coats. Lettered 6 jars.
Ward 6—Painted 1 screen, 2 coats. Put in 3 panes of glass, 12 by 20. Painted 1 bath tub, 2 coats.

Ward 7—Lettered 12 bottles. Put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18. Lettered 7 boxes; 7 medicine bottles. Painted 1 bulletin-board, 4 coats. Lettered 3 medicine bottles.

Ward 8 and 9—Painted 3 screens, 2 coats; 1 bath tub, 2 coats; 1 sink, 2 coats; 1 stand, 2 coats; 2 waste boxes, 2 coats; 1 medicine closet, 2 coats. Put in 5 panes of rough plate glass, 15 by 36, in medicine closet. Painted 2 screens, 2 coats; 1 bed rest, 2 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats; 1 chair, 4 coats. Lettered 2 medicine bottles, 4 jars. Painted 1 refuse-box, 2 coats.

Ward 10—Painted and lettered 1 waste box, 3 coats. Lettered 6 medicine bottles. Painted 1 bulletin board, 4 coats; 18 stands, 2 coats.

Ward 11—Painted 1 Bulletin board, 4 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats.

Ward 12—Lettered 15 bottles, 1 box. Painted 6 tables, 2 coats; 3 screens, 2 coats; 24 bed blocks, 2 coats; 1 stool, 2 coats; inside of operating room, 2 coats; 2 tables, 2 coats; 1 medicine closet, 2 coats; 1 bottle rack, 2 coats; 4 stools, 2 coats; 1 sink, 2 coats; 1 irrigator stand, 2 coats; 10 drawers, 2 coats; 1 towel rack, 2 coats; 11 stands, 2 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18.

Ward 13—Painted 15 stands, 2 coats; door casings and frames, 2 coats; 1 stool, 3 coats; 29 chairs, 3 coats; cover of bath tub, 3 coats. Varnished 1 desk, 2 coats. Lettered 6 medicine bottles. Painted 20 stands, 2 coats; 19 bedsteads, 2 coats; 4 fire buckets and stand, 2 coats; 4 refuse cases, 2 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass, 14 by 20; 1 pane of polished plate glass, 12 by 18.

Ward 14—Painted 1 screen, 2 coats; 2 screens, 2 coats.

Ward 15—Painted 4 stands, 2 coats; 4 chairs, 2 coats; 1 table, 2 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats; 2 screens, 2 coats; 1 waste box, 2 coats.

Ward 16—Lettered 3 jars, 4 bottles. Put in 2 panes of glass, 16 by 20. Painted 1 stool, 4 coats. Lettered 14 boxes, 6 bottles, 2 jars. Painted 1 bulletin board, 4 coats. Put in 6 panes of glass, 14 by 20. Stained and varnished 1 bed tray, 2 coats. Painted 2 chairs, 2 coats.

Ward 17—Painted 14 stands, 2 coats; 1 bulletin board, 4 coats; 1 clothes closet, 2 coats.

Ward 18—Put in 2 panes of glass, 16 by 20. Painted 22 chairs, 3 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass, 12 by 18. Painted ceiling, walls and woodwork of bath-room, 3 coats; 1 bath-tub, 4 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of laboratory, 3 coats; 3 closets, 3 coats. Put in 1 pane of plate glass, 36 by 50 (rough). Painted 1 screen, 2 coats.

Ward 19—Painted 6 chairs, 3 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 15 by 31. Painted 4 chairs, 3 coats; 2 chairs, 2 stools, 3 coats; 2 chairs, 6 stools, 3 coats; 1 stool, 3 coats; 2 bed rests, 2 coats; 2 screens, 2 coats; 6 window guards, 2 coats; 3 screens, 2 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats.

Ward 20—Lettered 5 bottles. Painted 1 flower box, 2 coats.

Ward 22—Put in 1 pane of glass, 16 by 26. Lettered 18 bottles. Painted 4 screens, 2 coats. Lettered 9 bottles. Painted 1 bulletin board, 4 coats. Lettered 7 medicine bottles.

Ward 23—Painted 4 screens, 2 coats; 9 window screens, 2 coats. Put in 4 panes of glass, 14 by 20. Painted bath-tub and sink, 2 coats. Lettered 5 bottles.

Ward 24—Painted 1 stand, 2 coats; 1 refuse box, 2 coats.

Ward 25—Painted 1 bed rest, 2 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18. Painted 3 screens, 2 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of bath room, 3 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of nurses' room, 3 coats.

Ward 26—Painted 15 stands, 2 coats; 4 closets, 2 coats; 1 wash stand, 2 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18; 1 piece of glass, 22 by 50. Lettered 4 pitchers. Painted 1 screen, 2 coats; 3 closets, 2 coats; 1 wash stand, 2 coats; 1 table, 2 coats; 1 bath tub, 2 coats; 1 radiator, 2 coats; 1 sink, 2 coats.

Ward 27—Painted 14 stands, 2 coats; water-closets, bowls, 2 coats; 1 bath tub, 2 coats; 1 rack, 2 coats; 7 beds, 2 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats; 4 screens, 2 coats; 3 tables, 4 coats; 2 medicine closets, 4 coats; 8 chairs, 4 coats; 1 back rest, 2 coats. Lettered 5 pitchers, 2 medicine bottles. Painted 2 chairs, 4 coats.

Ward 28—Lettered 26 bottles, 2 boxes, 11 bottles, 2 bottles, 8 bottles and 5 boxes, 5 bottles. Painted 1 clinic basket, 2 coats.

Ward 29—Painted and lettered 4 tin boxes, 3 coats. Put in 39 panes of glass. Lettered 5 bottles, 7 jars, 1 tin box, 8 jars, 2 boxes, 2 jars, 3 bags. Painted ceiling and walls of ward, 3 coats; woodwork of ward, 2 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of bath room, 3 coats; ceiling, walls, and woodwork of kitchen, 3 coats; ceiling, walls and woodwork of linen room, 3 coats; 2 screens, 13 stands, 3 closets, 1 ice-box, sink and pipes, 1 mirror, 2 book cases, 2 boxes, 1 clock, all 3 coats. Lettered 2 jars, 2 pitchers, 9 bottles. Put in 4 panes of glass, 14 by 20. Lettered 3 bottles and 1 box, 10 boxes. Painted 2 chairs, 3 coats; 1 screen, 2 coats. Lettered 4 bottles, 1 box. Painted 1 bulletin board, 2 coats. Lettered 3 bottles, 1 box. Painted part of wall in Townsend cottage, 2 coats; 1 clinic basket, 2 coats. Lettered 9 medicine bottles.

Ward 30—Put in 1 pane of ground glass, 30 by 50. Painted 1 bulletin board, 4 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass, 14 by 22.

Ward 31—Made 32 numbers for beds. Lettered 14 bottles, 3 jars. Put in 3 panes of glass, one 40 by 40, one 20 by 42, one 4 by 4. Lettered 17 powder boxes. Put in 2 panes of glass, 10 by 12.

Ward 32—Painted temporary partition, 2 coats; 6 window guards, 2 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass, 12 by 16, in case. Painted 12 bed blocks, 2 coats.

Ward 33—Put in 2 panes of glass, 9 by 12.

Ward 34—Painted ceiling, walls and woodwork of Ward, 3 coats. Lettered 1 bottle. Painted 2 chairs, 3 coats. Lettered 9 bottles, 1 box. Painted 6 chairs, 3 coats.

Ward 35—Put in 2 panes of glass, 9 by 12; 1 pane of glass, 20 by 24.

Ward 36—Painted 1 medicine closet, 2 coats. Put in 8 pieces of glass, two 14 by 20; four 12 by 20; two 12 by 18, in medicine closet. Painted 10 beds, 10 stands, 10 bed-springs, 2 coats; 40 bed blocks, 2 coats.

Ward 37—Lettered 2 bottles, 1 tin box. Put in 2 pieces of glass, 16 by 20, in medicine closet.

Ward 38—Put in 6 panes of glass, 10 by 14.

Ward 39—Lettered 8 bottles. Painted 1 closet, 3 coats; 1 ice-box, 3 coats.

Ward 40—Put in 1 pane of glass, 18 by 30.

Female Prison Ward—Lettered 2 bottles, 2 boxes, 1 tin box. Put in 1 pane of glass, 20 by 26. Doctors' Hall—Put in 1 pane of glass, 10 by 12, in Room 17. Painted 1 screen for Room 15, 2 coats.

Miscellaneous—Put in 1 pane of glass, 14 by 28, in Dispensary. Painted 1 chair for Gate House, 2 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass in lower hall, 12 by 16; 1 pane of glass in Amphitheatre, 18 by 26. Painted 36 feet of moulding for Central Office, 3 coats; put in 1 pane of glass, 12 by 18, stairway, 18 by 19. Painted 5 clothes boxes for Laundry, 2 coats. Put in 1 pane of glass, 16 by 20, in Plumber's Shop; 1 pane of glass, 9 by 12, in Male Dormitory; 2 panes of glass, 10 by 12, in Laundry. Painted 1 bench for lawn, 2 coats. Put in 12 panes of glass, 14 by 16, in Apothecary's Department; 1 pane of glass, 20 by 40, in ambulance for Gouverneur Hospital. Painted dead wagon Lettered 10 bottles and 2 jars for Dressing-room. Painted 1 chair for Dressing-room, 3 coats; pigeon-holes, shelving and closet in Superintendent Blair's office, 2 coats; woodwork in Doctors' Laundry, 2 coats; brickwork in Doctors' Laundry, 2 coats. Put in 2 panes of glass, 12 by 18, in Doctors' Dining-room; 1 pane of glass 20 by 30, in Storeroom. Painted new closet in Laundry, 2 coats. Painted and lettered 2 medicine tanks for General Drug Department, 3 coats. Lettered 10 bottles for Dressing Office. Painted Apothecary's room on third floor, 3 coats; 12 window screens for Gouverneur Hospital, 2 coats; 2 benches for Dressing Office, 4 coats. Painted and varnished hearse, 3 coats. Painted part of Ambulance No. 8, 3 coats. Put in 2 panes of ground glass, 26 by 32, in Superintendent's Office door; 1 pane of glass, 20 by 26, in hearse. Painted inside and outside of Gate House, 3 coats.

Respectfully,

WM. B. O'ROURKE, Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT ON THE GROUNDS OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

Hon. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

SIR—Herewith I have the honor to submit my report for the second quarter of the current year. Requisitions for medical supplies have been filled for the undermentioned institutions, viz.:

1st. Regular monthly Medical Requisitions Nos. 4 to 6 for Bellevue Hospital, Bellevue Dispensary, Gouverneur Hospital, Harlem Hospital, Fordham Hospital, City Hospital, Blackwell's Island; Almshouse, Blackwell's Island; Metropolitan Hospital; Randall's Island Hospitals.

Workhouse, Blackwell's Island; New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island; City Prison (Tombs), Department of Correction.

2d. Special monthly requisitions for Superintendent Out-door Poor (general use), Photographical Department, the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Seventh District Prisons, Department of Correction (general use).

General Surgical Requisitions (monthly) Nos. 4 to 6 have been filled for the undermentioned institutions, comprising the following current numbers: Bellevue Hospital, 57 to 67, 74 to 84, 91 to 102; Gouverneur Hospital, 85; Harlem Hospital, 68, 86, 103; Fordham Hospital, 69; City Hospital, 70, 87; Almshouse, 71, 89, 104; Metropolitan Hospital, 72, 88, 105; Randall's Island Hospitals, 73, 90, 106.

In the manufacturing bureau the usual line of pharmaceutical and chemical compounds required by the institutions has been prepared. All medical supplies received from contractors have been carefully tested, whenever possible, and none accepted unless of the required quality. Many analyses have been made for other institutions. The quality of the condensed and cows' milk supplied by the several contractors has also been carefully controlled by daily inspection and periodical analysis.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES RICE, Chemist.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
CITY, MATERNITY AND EPILEPTIC HOSPITALS, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1899.

Hon. T. S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit the Labor Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1899:

Number of patients remaining March 31.....	753
“ admitted since.....	1,922
	<hr/> 2,675
Number of patients discharged.....	1,862
“ died.....	203
“ transferred to other institutions.....	9
“ remaining June 30.....	601

Workhouse Help.

Number remaining March 31.....	39
“ admitted since.....	66
	<hr/> 105

Number discharged.....	60
“ returned to Workhouse.....	23
“ remaining June 30.....	22

Carpenter's Report.

Made 10 pairs crutches, 1,030 swab sticks, 300 clothes tags, 1 ice-box rack, 1 ice-box grating, 1 ice run, 3 feet long by 20 feet wide; 1 heavy spruce truss for ice run, 1 sash, 1 chair seat, 2 hardwood faucet blocks, 2 pine stretcher blocks, 1 fire hose rack, 1 single ladder, 9 feet long, for boiler room; 1 pine platform, 13 feet long by 3 feet 3 inches wide; 2 hardwood mallets for tinmith, 1 axe handle, 2 temporary tables, 4 pine settees, 3 leg splints, 1 bandage roller, 1 bandage board, 3 feet by 3 feet; 7 new racks in towers for holding pans and chambers, 1 wooden runner, 1 bread board, 21 inches by 21 inches; 16 frames for ward notices, 1 pine cutting board, 22 feet by 30 feet; 4 pine shelf cleats, 1 bed board, 20 inch by 24 inch; 3 bed spring frames, 1 temporary platform, 18 feet by 12 feet; 1 temporary gallery, 2 meat boxes, each 2 feet 10 inches by 4 feet 6 inches by 16 inches; 108 feet pine cove, 1 pine box, 16 inches by 18 inches by 20 inches, and one 10 inches by 12 inches by 12 inches; 1 pine footstool, 2 dusting brush handles, 1 gang-plank for “Wickham,” 12 feet long and 24 inches wide; 1 board, 1 inch by 1 inch by 4 feet long; 1 pine packing box, extended dumbwaiter shaft, 16 feet from second to third floor. Fitted and put in 26 feet pine railing in female clothes room. In Nurses' Home, made 4 door casings, 30 feet pine base, 80 feet pine moulding, 80 feet pine back bond, 1 temporary platform and 1 temporary gangplank, 1 bread box, 21 inches by 24 inches by 30 inches. Made and put up 39 feet book closets, box settees. Fitted and hung 2 new doors. Put on 2 mortise locks, 4 door knobs. Altered and put new tops on 3 dining tables. In Laundry, made 6 ironing boards, 6 feet 6 inches long, 9 pairs horses, 1 skirt board. Made and put in 39 pine bars. Made 2 hardwood puddlers. Put in 755 sash cords, 18 sash bars, 2 pairs door knobs. Repaired 75 window sashes, 2 doors, 2 door locks, 5 wheelbarrows, 20 clothes hangers. In drug-store made and put up 5 shelves 12 inches wide and 8 feet long, 22 feet of pine casing 2 inches wide, 60 feet of crown moulding. Repaired 1 sink frame, removed 2 counters, reset 1 counter. For Gardener made 18 garden boxes 15 by 15 by 12 inches, 1 pine box 3 feet by 11 by 7 inches, 75 pine stakes 4 feet long. For Bellevue Hospital made 36 pairs crutches, 64 feet of ¾-inch quarter-round moulding, 60 feet of ½-inch cove moulding. Put on 39 feet of pine cornice on roof of store, 40 feet of pine crown moulding, 12 iron bars on Corporation kitchen windows, 1 rim on bath tub, 1 brass bolt, 2 dozen ¾-inch carriage bolts, 1 6-inch door bolt, 4 pairs porcelain door knobs, 1 chest, 9 wardrobes, 6 mortise and 2 drawer locks, 1 padlock, 3 hasps and 5 staples, 3 chair bottoms, 25 pairs 3-inch butt hinges, 5 pairs 2-inch narrow butt hinges, 1 pair 2-inch cast-steel butt hinges, 4 pairs 10-inch strap hinges, 2 pairs 6-inch T hinges, 1 pair 8-inch strap hinges. Put in 11 sash cords, 4 iron legs in bed spring, 5 pine slats in clothes closets. Made and put in 2 pine steps in stoop. Put up 6 window shades, 4 pairs shades and hangers. Took down 14 pairs window blinds. Altered 4 pairs crutches, 4 splints, 2 pine boxes, 6 ward dish cupboards, 4 window sashes. Cut 21 order books for ward use.

Repaired 1 pine partition, 2 fence gates, 1 clothes barrow, 1 shade stick, 3 window poles, 4 window shades, 3 pairs window shutters, 2 hardwood knife handles, 1 axe handle, 1 hoe handle, 2 mop handles, 1 rake handle and 1 garden rake; 10 wardrobes, 1 stoop railing, 2 stoop steps, 2 wright pockets, 4 pine benches, 1 stop bead, 3 parting strips, 50 feet of rail fence, 2 pine strips for cistern supports, 1 airshaft in Pavilion “O” ventilator, 4 towel racks, 5 clothes racks, 2 bed-pan racks, 1 drain board, 2 pine plugs, 2 trench covers, 1 dish cupboard, 1 dumbwaiter in Superintendent's kitchen, 1 pine board ¾ by 27 by 30 inches; 1 coal screen, 1 pilot-house sash, 3 fanlight sashes, 1 garden bench, 2 box stands, 2 door jambs, 28 screen frames, 5 sash frames, 2 walnut bath-tub frames, 2 lattice frames, 1 single ladder, 1 stepladder, 5 clothes closets, 5 medicine closets, 1 gas-stove table, 1 pine table, 4 dining-room tables, 3 tables, 2 bed springs, 16 doors, 1 door saddle, 4 pairs door jambs, 15 mortise and 3 wardrobe locks, 3 wardrobe catches, 6 pairs porcelain door knobs, 56 chairs, 60 ward stools, 16 bed trays, 7 head-rests, 2 back-rests, 8 bureau drawers, 5 water-closet seats, 3 meat carts; 5 meat, 6 ice and 3 bread boxes; 54 pairs inside blinds, 38 feet of flooring, 6 feet of moulding. Removed 1 glass partition in Superintendent's hall. Rehung 5 window shades. Cut and hinged 2 door panels in nurse's room. Ground 90 carving knives and 12 pairs scissors. Used for general work and repairs 2,091 feet of pine, 204 feet of yellow-pine sheathing, 14 lengths of joist for pine sheathing, 9 lengths of 2 by 3-inch and 9 lengths of 2 by 3-inch by 13-foot joist; 3 lengths of 2 by 9-inch by 13-foot spruce planks, 35 feet of 12-inch ash; 19 lengths of 1 by 9-inch by 13-foot tongued and grooved boards.

Painter's Report.

Painted water closet and bath room of Female Wards 13 and 14; calcimined ceiling and painted walls of male bath room, barber shop and Doctors' room in Morgue. Painted walls of Female Wards 1, 2, 5 and 6 and adjoining rooms. Painted walls of male nurses' dining room, drug-store, storeroom and main hall, female bath room and bread room. Painted and decorated Superintendent's office and dining room. Painted and puttied sashes in female dormitory; puttied glass in all the windows of Male Ward 11; painted and repaired windows in the laundry. Calcimined the ceiling and painted woodwork of dormitory, painted ceilings and walls in Doctors' dining room and pantry; painted all plumbers' work under sinks in 2 towers of male side. Painted 25 flower boxes, 12 pails, 3 sprinkling cans, 116 bedsteads, 6 medicine closets, 10 wardrobes, 250 bed blocks, 100 flower sticks for gardener, 16 frames for ward notices and put in glass in same. Painted, grained and varnished 33 stands, 2 tables, 1 writing desk. Painted 6 chutes, leader on roof of maternity, 1 storm door, 6 sashes in laundry, 50 pails of glass on lower sashes of windows of towers, 6 sashes in laundry. Bronzed 2 chandeliers. Lettered 33 signs for Doctors' Bulletin Board. Put in 39 pains of glass.

Tinsmith's Report.

Galvanized iron chute on female side of Hospital for soiled clothing, 5 large strainers, 2 fine strainers for drug store, 3 square dinner cans, 2 2-gallon milk pails, ½ dozen 6-gallon pails, 1 ice box, 3 galvanized-iron water coolers, 2 sprinkling cans for gardener, garbage can, 4 square meat cans, 1 galvanized-iron ventilator, 1 cabbage collender, 1 candlestick, 28 soap dishes for ward use, 1 2-gallon galvanized-iron pail, 7 dippers, 6 funnels. Put 40 feet leaders and elbows on stoves in male employees' dormitory, 12 feet gutters and 14 feet leader pipe on maternity. Put 8 feet zinc round gas stove in female 13.

Repaired, 7 sterilizers, zinc on 2 tables in laboratory; bound 2 floor mats with zinc for Nurses Home; lined 2 ice boxes with galvanized-iron, repaired zinc floor in Doctors' bath room. Put new bottoms in 6 milk pails, 4 water pails, 8 mush cans, 9 garbage cans, 3 ice boxes, 11 tea cans, 21 dinner cans, 1 coffee boiler and 1 ice box for Nurses' Home.

Plasterer's Report.

Removed and did mason work on iron doors in front of all the wards to the line of stair landing so that new iron doors may be furnished where necessary to shut the wards off from the stairs. Plastered walls where new metal ceilings were put up, plastered walls and ceilings of passageways in Nurses' Home; plastered walls in female wards 1, 2, 3 and 4, male dormitory, Superintendent's Office, kitchen and dining room. Cemented fireplace in Superintendent's Kitchen and floor in general kitchen. Mason work on fireplace in boiler room. Whitewashed all the trees round the grounds.

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. SCHILLING, Superintendent.

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
June 30, 1899.

Hon. JOHN W. KELLER, President:

SIR—Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1899, is herewith respectfully forwarded:

PATIENTS.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.
Remaining March 31, 1899.....	364	435	499	99	400
Births.....	13	13	26	26	....
Admissions.....	1,375	485	1,860	691	1,169
Total.....	1,752	633	2,385	816	1,569
Discharges.....	1,296	424	1,720	657	1,063
Transfers.....	8	13	21	3	18
Deaths.....	117	38	155	59	96
Total.....	1,421	475	1,896	719	1,177
Remaining June 30, 1899.....	331	158	489	97	392
WORKHOUSE HELP.					
Remaining March 31, 1899.....	..	6	6	2	4
Admissions.....	..	8	8	2	6
Total.....	..	14	14	4	10
Discharges.....	..	6	6	1	5
Transfers.....	..	1	1	1	....
Total.....	..	7	7	2	5
Remaining June 30, 1899.....	..	7	7	2	5

LABOR REPORT FOR THE SECOND QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

CARPENTER SHOP.

New Work.

Ward A—1 shelf, 6 feet by 7 feet pine, 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch screws.
Ward C—2 poles, 3-inch oak, 3 feet by $\frac{1}{2}$ foot pine, 1 leaf, 4 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 4 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine.
Ward E—1 shelf, 4 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine.
Ward F—1 shelf, 9 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine.
Ward G—2 towel racks, 4 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 4 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine.
Nurses' Home—Alterations, 1,130 feet, oak flooring, 16 feet yellow pine flooring, 24 feet $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 30 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 10 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 225 feet wall moulding, 16 feet 2-inch by 4-inch spruce, 25 pounds nails. 1 shelf, 12 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine, 18 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, 1 pound nails.
Staff—8 packing-boxes, 291 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ foot, 59 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 11 pounds nails.
Staff Dining-room—1 screen, 10 feet $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine.
Store—24 crutches, 64 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine.
Drug Store—1 medicine chest, 164 feet $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pine, 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws, 3 pounds nails 2 padlocks, hasp and staple.
Engineer—1 box, 6 cleats, 7 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound nails.

Repairs.

Ward A—1 chair.
Ward B—2 windows, 1 door, 4 chairs.
Ward C—1 window, 1 pound sash cord, 4 doors, 1 table.
Ward D—1 door-lock knob, 1 water-closet, 6 chairs, 3 back rests.
Ward E—1 door, 12 chairs.
Ward F—1 transom, 12 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pine, 4 stools, 5 chairs, 2 doors, lock, etc., $\frac{1}{4}$ pound sash cord, 1 window, 2 pounds sash cord, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws.
Ward G—7 chairs, 3 doors, 2 back rests, 1 lock, 2 water-closets.
Ward H—Floor, 35 feet yellow pine flooring, 1 pound nails, 24 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch screws. Floor in tank-room, 18-inch yellow pine flooring, 1 pound nails, 3 stools, 1 door, 1 bench.
Nurses' Home—1 table.
Main Office—1 window, $\frac{1}{4}$ pound sash cord.
Staff Kitchen—Cupboard and lift, 30 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound sash cord, 1 pound nails.
Bath House—1 door.
Employees' Dining-room—2 chairs.
Stable—Floor, 36 feet 2 inches spruce boards, 2 pounds nails.

PAINT SHOP.

Ward C—Delivery-room, woodwork; walls and ceilings painted, 3 coats; 4 tables, 6 stools.
Ward G—Woodwork, walls and ceilings painted, 3 coats; 15 rooms, 43 doors, sand-papered and painted 2 coats, 20 bedsteads painted. Ward F—55 bedsteads painted. Cottage—Roof and leaders painted. Nurses' Home—Roof, leaders and piazza painted; room, hallway and rear hallway painted. Staff—2 rooms painted, 3 coats. Hospital—1 medicine-closet painted, 25 lights glass set, 1 row-boat varnished.

MASONS' SHOP.

Plastering.	Feet.	Lathing.	Lath.
Wards, A, E, F, G, H.....	395	Ward A, 20; Ward H, 40.....	60
Nurses' Home.....	495	Nurses' Home.....	760
Cottage.....	50	Church.....	50
Church.....	350		
	1,290		870
Cementing.			
Ward A, Ft.....	80	Concreting.	
Boiler-house.....	70	Nurses' Home.....	60
Nurses' Home.....	240	Corporation kitchen.....	30
Corporation Kitchen.....	30	Sidewalk.....	880
Church.....	500		
	920		970

LINEN-ROOM, REPAIRS.

26 pair drawers, 256 sheets, 198 slips, 78 white spreads, 67 dresses, 154 blue jackets, 706 shirts, 152 towels, 42 chemises, 395 aprons, 932 pair pants, 26 winter coats, 66 night gowns, 58 blanket coats, 19 petticoats, 25 pair summer pants made, 1,000 unbleached slips, 466 unbleached sheets made.

SHOE SHOP.

69 pair shoes repaired.

ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

Usual repairs to water, steam, gas, and electrical apparatus.

GROUNDS.

Roads and pathways graded, trees and hedges pruned and clipped.

Respectfully submitted,

G. T. STEWART, Chief of Staff and Medical Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—ALMSHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
New York, July 13, 1899.

Hon. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner, Department Public Charities:

SIR—I respectfully beg to submit the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed at this institution for the quarter ending June 30, 1899.

Very respectfully,

ROBERT ROBERTS, Superintendent.

ALMSHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND—LABOR REPORT, SECOND QUARTER, 1899.

MALE INMATES.

Engineer's Department.

Average number employed daily, 32.

Put in pipe, 12 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 95 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 415 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 55 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 166 feet 1-inch, 10 feet $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 232 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 296 feet 2-inch, 7 feet 3-inch; heavy iron pipe, 6 lengths 4-inch; galvanized iron pipe, 155 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 632 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 215 feet 1-inch, 190 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 8 feet 2-inch; lead pipe, 2 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 2 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 6 feet $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 12 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; sewer pipe, 5 lengths 2-inch, 7 lengths 4-inch; fittings, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 26 malleable iron fittings, 2-inch 4; bends, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 2, 2-inch 3; nipples, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 8, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 34, 1 inch 8, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 6, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 6, 2-inch 1; R & E nipples, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1; elbows, 1-inch 1; unions, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 6, 1-inch 5, 2-inch 3; L's, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 12, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 43, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 31, 1-inch 20, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 4, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 15, 2-inch 3, 3-inch 1; L's galvanized iron, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 18, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 8, 1-inch 12; T's, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 8, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 14, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 20, 1-inch 8, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 4; cross T's, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 1, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 3; drop T's, 2; T's galvanized iron, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 2, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 2; disks, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 4, 3-inch 1; V's, 2-inch 2, 4-inch 3; pipe hooks, 29; pipe straps, 6; laces, 18; exhaust heads, 2; compression washers, 12; bushings, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, 2-inch 2, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 4, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 2, 4 by $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 1, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch by $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, 1-inch by $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 1, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch by $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1, 2-inch by $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1; reducing L's, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch by $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 2, 1-inch by $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1; couplings, R & L, 1, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 2, 1-inch 6; reducing couplings, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch by $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 2, 2-inch 1; valves, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 7, 1-inch 4; valve seats, 12; angle valves, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 3, 1-inch 1, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 2; globe valves, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, 1-inch 1, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 4, 2-inch 1; check valves, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1; gaskets, 2-inch 3, 6-inch 7, 4 by 2-inch 2, 4 by 4-inch 1; belting, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 40 feet; rubber, 1-16-inch, 3 square feet, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 2 square feet; earthen bends, 6-inch 2; bends, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 2, 2-inch 3, 4-inch 2; $\frac{1}{8}$ bends, 2-inch 4, 4-inch 5; $\frac{1}{4}$ bends, 2-inch 9, 4-inch 6, 5-inch 1; flanges, 2-inch 1; faucets, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 2; plugs, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 9, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 3, 1-inch 5, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 3, 2-inch 2, 3-inch 2; bath tub plugs, 1; wash hand-basin plugs, 6; double pendant cocks, 4; draw cocks, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 7, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 2; drip cocks, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 2; stop cocks, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch 1, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 8, 1-inch 2, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 1; bibb cocks, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 1; steam traps, No. 2, 1; S traps, 4-inch 1; lead S traps, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch 1, 2-inch 3; caps, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 8, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch 4, 1-inch 2; burner L cocks, 9; $\frac{1}{4}$ L burner cocks, 8; brackets, 2; water-closet basins, 1; water-closet stoppers, 1; complete cisterns, 3; complete water-closets, 2; 4-inch iron sinks, 24 by 17, 1; iron bath tubs, 3; sinks, with legs, 24 by 17, 1; double hubs, 2-inch 3; caulking leads, 75 pounds; solder, 34 pounds; charcoal, 4 bags; canvas packing, 2 pounds; Eureka packing, 2 pounds; ring packing, 2 pounds; wooden faucets, 24; wooden draw cocks, 6; water-pipe washers, 6; gauge glasses, 4. Repaired 4 steam traps, 2 wringers, 6 bolts, 1 coffee boiler, 1 soup boiler, 1 reducing valve, 1 washing machine, 2 steam gauges, 1 ball cock, 1 heating coil, 12 water-closet cisterns. Renewed 125 gas pillars, 242 gas tips, 12 valve dies, 12 faucet washers, 14 gaskets. Packed 66 valves, 10 pumps, 1 expansion joint. Keyed up 1 blowing-engine. Made 2 springs for sterilizer, 16 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch nipples, 8 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch nipples 2 feet long. Ground in valves for sterilizer, 4 blow-down cocks. Cleared out 4 boilers. Adjusted 1 engine. Taken out tubes of 1 boiler, and boiler sealed. Overhauled 1 house pump, 2 Laundry engines, 1 pump, 24 radiators, and made ready for testing. Tested 30 radiators. Tested and repaired 1 hot-water boiler. Replaced 2 gauge glasses, 2 radiators. Filed and cleaned holes for new tubes. Bored 6 man-hole plates for air vent. Cleaned 90 bath tubs, 81 urinals, 192 water-closets, 73 sinks, 7 sewers, 80 wash hand basins.

Blacksmith Shop.

Average number employed daily, 7.

Made 1 bolt for subway cover, 88 bolts with nuts, 38 bolts with nuts and washer, 6 eye bolts with nuts, 75 bucket ears, 10 bucket rivets, 75 bucket handles, 18 bedstead crossbars, 8 stone chisels, 16 corner irons, 42 dock spikes, 6 fire rakes, 3 sledge bars, 3 fire pokers, 6 fire hoes, 2 ash hoes, 1 hammer, 15 hooks, 8 holdfasts, 48 handles for water tubs, 105 rivets for water tubs, 2 man-hole grates, 4 posts, 6 plates for chairs, 96 rivets for railings, 244 staples, 6 blacksmith's tongs, 4 stove legs, 4 solder irons, 1 spring for baby carriage, 3 wrenches for lawn mower, 1 key wrench, 4 bars, 2 drawing-chains, 2 saucepan handles, 6 rings, 1 clasp ring, 1 leg for farm wagon, 72 braces for flower boxes, 12 awning frames, 8 braces for gate, 1 iron gate 8 feet wide, 2 pipe hangers 5 feet long. Repaired 1 axe, 40 bedsteads, 10 fire pokers, 3 fire hoes, 22 sledge bars, 2 ice tongs, 40 feet railing, 2 bolts, 7 cellar grates, 4 water tub handles, 2 farm wagons, 5 ambulance wagons, 4 meat wagons, 41 wheelbarrows, 1 hand-truck, 2 wagon springs, 2 boat-hooks, 7 hinges, 1 S wrench. Fastened 50 feet railing. Welded 8 wheelbarrow wheels, 2 hand-truck wheels, 2 handles on cleavers. Sharpened 52 pickaxes, 44 cold-chisels, 4 iron drills, 705 stone chisels, 46 stone drills, 29 stone hammers, 41 pitching tools.

For Bellevue Hospital—Made 3 sideboards for bedsteads. Repaired 1 roller chair, 6 iron bedsteads, 2 children's bedsteads.

For Metropolitan Hospital—Made for ambulance 1 brace, 112 bolts with nuts, 4 platform bars, 2 bars for springs. Repaired 6 ambulance springs, 1 axle, 8 clasps, 2 ambulance wagons. Welded 5 ambulance wheel tires, turned bigger 4 boxes for wheels.

For City Hospital—Made 48 corner irons for meat boxes, 24 double corner irons for meat boxes.

For Workhouse—Made 416 horseshoes.

For Steamship "Brennan"—Made 3 fire hoes, 1 axle for hand-truck. Repaired 8 hand trucks, 1 fire hoe.

For Central Office—Made 3 plates for ambulances. Repaired 1 Commissioner's carriage, 1 ambulance.

For General Storehouse—Repaired 1 hand-truck.

Machinist.

Average number employed daily, 1.

Repaired 25 locks, 12 clocks, 5 pair scissors. Fitted 36 keys. Sharpened 14 pair scissors. Regulated 418 clocks. Hanging 4 clocks. Put on 2 knobs, 1 keyhole plate, 1 striking plate.

For Harlem Hospital—Repaired 1 clock.

For steamship "Brennan"—Repaired 1 lock.

For General Storehouse—Repaired 1 clock.

Coopers.

Average number employed daily, 2.

Repaired 99 pails, 10 barrels, 5 tubs.

For Bellevue Hospital—Repaired 16 pails.

Tinsmith Shop.

Average number employed daily, 4.

Made 1 breadbox, new bottoms in 2 breadboxes, 25 dippers, 6 saucepans, 4 pudding pans, 1 saucepan handle, 2 butter dishes, 6 drip pans, 2 coffee pots, 3 oval teapots, 1 tea kettle, 1 beef tea strainer, 3 pipe covers, 498 mess pans, 28 washbasins, 24 6-gallon cans, 1 weather-cock, 12 20-gallon boilers, 1 galvanized-iron scoop, 16 roses on watering cans, 1 farina boiler, 1 tin pail, 5 feet $4\frac{1}{2}$ -inch stovepipe, 3 feet 6-inch stovepipe, 2 6-inch elbows, galvanized-iron leader, 3-inch, 12 feet; 4-inch, 7 feet; galvanized-iron gutter, 91 feet; roof of tea-house, 432 square feet; 1 butter churn, 1 cover on sterilizer, 1 commode pan, 1 wash boiler, 1 grate, Vigilant No. 5; 1 set brick, 1 set rings and cover. Lined 1 ice box, 1 receiving-box in Morgue. Altered 1 street sprinkler. Removed 11 stoves and pipe. Cleaned 1 range. Put up 1 stove, 125 feet No. 12 wire, 1 sheet galvanized-iron, 1 scaffold. Painted roof and gutters Wards R and S. Repaired 405 pieces tinware, 8 galvanized-iron cans, 3 roasting pans, 1 range, 3 leaders, 1 stove, 52 feet galvanized-iron gutter, 14 feet ridge pieces, 2 roofs.

For steamship "Brennan"—Made 2 soup strainers, 2 gravy strainers, 1 coffee strainer, 1 tea strainer, 1 tin dipper. Repaired 1 lantern, 1 oil can.

For Harlem Hospital—Made 1 colander, 2 tea strainers, 1 paint strainer.

For General Storehouse—Made 200 sample boxes, 150 dishpans.

Carpenter Shop.

Average number employed daily, 10.

Made 1 partition, 1 counter, 360 feet shelving, 1 circular bench 120 feet circumference, 125 bed end strips, 8 mosquito screens, 3 screen doors, 1 double screen door, 2 set of new steps, 1 butter pattern, 1 sledge handle, 3 peg legs, 4 wedges, 1 flagstaff cross-tree, 1 double water-closet on Coal Dock, 11 hammer handles, 6 flower boxes, 1 pair crutches, 1 small ironing board, 2 dipper handles, splints for Hospital, 1 table, with drawers, 1 hat rack, 1 manhole box, 1 frame for boiler certificate, 1 large closet, 2 hospital boards, 2 towel rollers, 26 hospital tables, 1 clothes rack, 1 peel, 3 ladders, 1 strainer handle. Made and put up 4 ladders, 4 platforms, 1 board fence, 1 picket fence, 2 shelves for irrigators in Operation Room A, surgery; 8 window screens in receiving box, Morgue; 10 roller slides and 50 turning spindles, 1 new bottom in soup wagon. Boarding around pumps in Boiler-house. Attaching 70 park benches. Repaired 105 stools, 130 chairs, 9 rockers, 12 night chairs, 12 wheel chairs, 6 benches, 4 steamer chairs, 4 arm chairs, 3 head rests, 46 doors, 18 windows, 81 sash cords, 1 door sill, 3 tables, 7 shades, 1 fanlight, 2 shelves, 1 ladder, 8 hospital screens, 1 mop closet, 4 dumbwaiters, 27 window screens, 1 bed tray, 40 bed end strips, 1 door screen, 1 bread cutter, 4 dining-room seats, 2 water-closet seats, 10 ice boxes, 4 water-closets, 1 shoe, 2 hammer handles, 2 pair crutches, 8 flower boxes and stands, 1 park bench, 1 rope of dumbwaiter, 5 transfer coffins, 7 floors, 4 staircases and railings, 3 fences, 2 sinks, 23 wheelbarrows, moulding in Ward A, 1 bath-tub, 1 saw-horse, 1 bureau, 2 carts, 3 meat boxes. Put up shelving in Boat-house, shades in Matron's Rooms, 190 new window shades, scaffolding for tinsmith, strips for gas-pipe in new Laundry, 1 closet in Cook's Room, new sash in new Kitchen. Putting in screens in doors and windows for Incurable Hospital and Wards L, R and S. Putting 2 knobs and 5 locks in doors, 12 fasteners on windows, castors on chair, glass in Matron's china closet. Setting boxes in 2 wheels. Removed scaffolding from South Pavilion, work benches, lumber and waste from old Maternity, seats and fence from old Kitchen, rubbish under Bath-house. Taken off butts and locks of old doors. Piled away 16,000 feet lumber. Enlarged Superintendent's hen yard. Sharpened 119 knives. Filed 6 saws. Altered table of shoe sewing machine. Fitted axletree and boring bolt holes in sprinkling cart. Hanging cover on bread barrel. Covering steam and water-pipes from Boiler-house to South Pavilion, pipe in Male Dining-room, water and steam-pipes in old Maternity. Remaking and hanging 1 blind. Cutting down water-pipe box at old Kitchen. Cutting floor for water-pipes in Female Bath House, 7 pockets in floor for gas-fitter, and repairing the same.

For Bellevue Hospital—Repaired 15 chairs, 1 arm chair, 1 rocker, 1 bread cutter, 1 wheel.

For Gouverneur Hospital—Repaired 9 stools.

For S. S. "Brennan"—Made 3 hammer handles.

For General Store House—Putting up 1 awning.

Paint Shop.

Average number employed daily, Almshouse, 6; Workhouse, 1; total, 7.

Painted 25 flower boxes and stands, 8 lamps, 13 wheelbarrows, 2 sinks, 7 radiators, 1 small table, 1 breadbox, 125 park bench strips, 1 skylight, 2 shelves, 1 sprinkling-cart, 2 flag poles, 1 weather vane, 4 screen frames, 5 bathtubs, 658 bed blocks, 1 door, 3 tanks, 1 partition, 2 closets, 1 rowboat, 4 ice-boxes, 1 settee, 29 feet lattice fence, railings Incurable Hospital, 420 square feet circular bench, 1,200 feet of fence, posts at South Pavilion, 94 feet railing, vestibule Ward H, vestibule Male Incurable, pantry Male Blind, new work on steps Male Incurable, pipe in Morgue, staircase Male Incurable, 64 square feet casings Male and Female Incurable, new work on 3 transfer coffins, fence around Protestant Church and Sewing Room, walls and ceilings of 15 Wards, pantries in Wards A, H and G, and Male Blind, dining-room Male Blind, 4 bath rooms, closet in South Pavilion, water-closets and vestibules in Wards F and H, office. Washed and calcimined 5,324 square feet, 5 ceilings. Painted, lined and lettered 1 census board, 1 sprinkling-cart, 1 bread barrel, 1 meat box, 13 signs, 2 water-coolers; polished 1 mirror frame, varnished 6 chairs, 2 outside doors, 1 rocker; stained and varnished 1 corner piece, 37 screens, 5 screen doors, painted and enameled 130 hospital tables, painted and varnished 1 arm chair, cleaned and varnished 1 chair, 1 rocking chair, receiving-box in Morgue. Cleaned 3 chairs, primed 1 skylight, 800 feet fence at Female Almshouse; washed, sized and calcimined 3 ceilings, put in glass 150 lights, touched up 1 roller chair, woodwork and walls in Ward E.

For Bellevue Hospital—Painted 2 iron bedsteads, 5 cribs; touched up 2 iron bedsteads.

For Steamship "Brennan"—Painted 15 bedsteads, 15 springs; put in glass 2 panes in lamp.

For Fordham Hospital—Painted 1 wagon.

For Gouverneur Hospital—Touched up 9 stools.

For General Storehouse—Painted 1 meat box.

Harness Maker.

Average number employed daily, 1.

Repaired 1 bridle, 1 breeching strap.

Upholsterer's Shop.

Average number employed daily, 1 upholsterer, 6 hairpickers; total, 7.

Made 5 hair cushions, 1 double hair mattress, 2 hair mattresses, 2 hair pillows; cut 15 awnings, cut and put up 9 awnings, 1 curtain; covered 1 lounge, 1 chair, 4 screens, 1 desk, 5 shelves with oilcloth; repaired 2 hair mattresses, 2 chairs; teased 120 pounds of hair.

For Bellevue Hospital—Made 7 hair mattresses, 74 hair pillows. Repaired 1 invalid chair. Teased 555 pounds hair.

For City Hospital—Repaired 1 mattress. Teased 30 pounds hair.

For Harlem Hospital—Made 1 hair mattress. Teased 35 pounds hair.

For Male Training Schools—Teased 40 pounds hair.

For Randall's Island Asylum and Schools—Made 1 double hair mattress, 12 hair mattresses. Teased 460 pounds hair.

For General Drug Department—Made 2 hair mattresses, 4 hair pillows. Teased 72 pounds hair.

For Central Office—Made 4 straps for Commissioner's carriage. Repaired carriage and cushion.

For steamboat "Brennan"—Made 1 hair mattress, 16 hair pillows. Teased 45 pounds hair.

Brush Shop.

Average number employed daily, 2.

Made 500 scrub brushes.

Bandage Shop.

Average number employed daily, 2.

Made 4,353 bandages of different sizes.

Wire Mattress Shop.

Average number employed daily, mattress maker, 1; helpers, 2—total, 3.

Made 59 wire mattresses. Stripped and taken apart 219 beds. Painted 117 beds.

Soap Factory.

Average number employed daily, 1.

Made:

32,981 pounds soft soap for Almshouse.

300 pounds soft soap for Fordham Hospital.

240 pounds soft soap for Harlem Hospital.

100 pounds soft soap for Gouverneur Hospital.

1,620 pounds soft soap for Bellevue Hospital.

540 pounds soft soap for City Hospital.

540 pounds soft soap for Metropolitan Hospital.

36,321, total.

Sock Factory.

Average number employed daily, operator, 1; helpers, 3—total, 4.

Made 1,322 pairs socks.

Shoemaker's Shop.

Average number employed daily, 10.

Made 14 pairs men's shoes, 5 pairs women's shoes, 218 pairs men's slippers.

Repaired:

489 pairs shoes for Almshouse.

86 pairs shoes for Bellevue Hospital.

6 pairs shoes for City Hospital.

1 pair shoes for Harlem Hospital.

9 pairs shoes for steamboat "Brennan."

6 pairs shoes for General Storehouse.

597, total.

Tailor Shop.

Average number employed daily, 13.

Made 68 pairs winter pants, 45 winter jackets, 95 vests, 140 winter caps, 36 cook's caps, 226 pairs summer pants, 50 summer jackets, 12 white duck jackets, 44 brown muslin pants and 16 brown muslin jackets for cooks. Repaired 2,582 pairs pants, 1,774 jackets, 660 caps.

For Medical Staff, Orderlies, Employees, etc.—Altered 5 pairs trousers, 1 suit, 1 overcoat. Repaired 18 pairs trousers, 2 coats. Relined 1 coat. Cleaned 13 pairs trousers, 24 suits, 1 overcoat. Pressed 27 suits, 27 pairs trousers, 1 coat, 6 overcoats. Bound 1 coat.

Cutting Room.

Average number employed daily, 1.

Cut 382 brown muslin shirts, 18 brown muslin jackets, 4 pairs brown muslin pants, 1,500 pillow-cases, 96 winter jackets, 38 duck coats for Orderlies, 40 pairs crash trousers for Cooks, 36 cooks' caps, 310 brown denim jackets, 1,549 pairs brown denim pants, 352 brown muslin sheets, 122 crash roller towels.

Masons, Bricklayers, Plasterers, Stonecutters.

Average number employed daily, 6.

General repairs in the different buildings and on the grounds.

Laborers.

Average number employed daily, 80.

Making, repairing and cleaning walks and roads; cleaning sewers and gutters, etc.; digging, planting and weeding, carting and sweeping, and all the necessary work on the grounds of the institution.

Orderlies, Male Helpers, etc.

Average number employed daily, 214.

All the necessary work in wards, hospitals, incurable wards, blind asylums, kitchens, dining-rooms, dish cellars, butcher shop, vegetable room, male water-closets, bathrooms, straw-house, morgue, male dormitory, both chapels, steamboats, at ventilators, driving ambulances, store and kitchen wagons, in clothes room, barber shop, day and night watchmen on the grounds and at the gates, as runners for physicians, drug store, etc.

Superintendent's Office.

Average number employed daily, 7.

Two clerks, 1 telephone operator, 4 messengers.

Steward's Office and Store.

Average number employed daily, 6.

One clerk, 5 porters.

*FEMALE INMATES.**Sewing Room.*

Average number employed daily, operators, 3; helpers, 48—51.

Made 125 pillow ticks, 2 bed ticks, 1,653 pillow cases, 9 mattress ticks, 412 muslin shirts, 347 muslin chemises, 4 muslin caps, 3 cushions, 1,445 sheets, 423 calico dresses, 314 checked hoods, 3 cushion ticks, 72 pairs socks, 505 checked aprons, 26 duck coats, 331 blue denim dresses, 319 roller towels, 5 mattresses, 6 table cloths, 15 awnings, 6 operating gowns, 6 abdominal bandages. Repaired 666 muslin shirts, 878 canton flannel shirts, 1,438 canton flannel drawers, 729 dresses, 90 night gowns, 398 chemises, 667 petticoats, 34 aprons, 54 hoods, 33 pillow cases, 252 sheets, 29 white spreads, 3 roller towels, 1,230 pairs socks, 175 pairs stockings, 3 canton flannel chemises, 12 bed ticks, 57 pillow ticks, 1 mattress, 30 awnings. Altered 66 dresses. Lengthened 20 dresses.

For steamboat "Brennan"—Made 60 pillow cases, 60 sheets.

For General Storehouse—Made 32 pillow cases, 12 mattress ticks.

Old Laundry for Inmates.

Average number employed daily, male, Almshouse, 10; female, Workhouse, 1—11.

Washed bedding and clothing, 106,447 pieces.

New Laundry.

Average number employed daily, male, Almshouse, 6; female, Almshouse, 7; female, Workhouse, 8—21.

For Hospitals, etc.—Washed bedding and clothing, 99,854 pieces.

For Physicians, Nurses, etc.—Washed clothing, 22,315 pieces; starched 9,176 pieces.

Ward Nurses and Female Helpers.

Average number employed daily, 173.

Adjusting and cleaning female wards, hospitals, helping in female dining-rooms and dish cellar, doing the necessary work in female bath-rooms, water-closets, reception ward, tea-house and various other parts of the Institution.

Female Workhouse Gang.

Average number employed daily, 17.

At scrubbing, washing, ironing and general help, under supervision of two Workhouse attendants.

RANDALL'S ISLAND ASYLUMS AND SCHOOLS
AND INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND,
June 30, 1899.

Hon. JOHN W. KELLER, President:

SIR—I respectfully submit the Labor Report of these institutions for the quarter ending June 30, 1899.

Respectfully,

M. C. DUNPHY, Superintendent.

SOUTH HOSPITAL, WARDS 1, 2 AND 3.

Carpentry.

Cut opening and set in door at south end of hallway, east side entrance, 2 feet by 6 feet. Framed and cased same with 30-foot clear pine 2 inches and 12 foot clear pine 1/2 inch and made 48-foot moulding for trimming. Renewed 2 door locks, 4 by 6 inches; 3 door knobs, 28 sash cords, 35 feet beading on sashes, 2 keys and 2 hooks and eyes on doors, 3 inches; 2 sash weights and 7 pairs of butts, 2 1/2 inches. Repaired 20 pairs sashes, 6 fanlights and 8 doors on balconies, using 15 pounds nails and 1 gross screws.

Plumbing.

Repaired sink in Ward 3. Cleaned out gas and waste pipes.

Painting.

Cleaned down ceilings and sidewalls of hallways and stairways of three stories of east and west sides and painted in 2 coats doors and all woodwork. Painted, grained and varnished a wainscoting 4 feet high throughout. Risers on stairs shellacked and stained all iron railing in 2 coats of emerald green, using 250 pounds white lead, 6 gallons turpentine, 2 gallons oil, 3 gallons varnish, 9 pounds emerald green, 2 pounds sienna and 2 pounds of Indian red. Painted, in 2 coats, ceilings, sidewalls and shelving in clothes room on first floor. Renewed 69 panes of glass.

Plastering.

Removed loose plaster and renewed 18 feet on ceiling in hallways.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired roof with 14 sheets tin 14 inches by 20 inches, using 5 pounds solder and 10 pounds nails, and painted entire roof with 5 gallons metallic red and painted roof of extension with 55 pounds metallic red and 2 gallons oil.

*NORTH HOSPITAL.**Carpentry.*

Renewed 2 keys, 1 door nosing and 36 sash cords. Repaired 2 caps on bath tubs, 2 doors, 3 chairs and 5 pairs of sashes, using 1/2 gross screws and 2 pounds nails.

Plumbing.

Cleaned out waste-pipes and repaired leaks in gas supply.

Painting and Glazing.

Renewed 23 panes of glass.

Plastering.

Repaired patch 10 feet hard finish. Cut openings in ceiling for architects.

Bricklaying.

Rebuilt brick walls on west side areaway, using 285 red brick and 2 barrels cement. Set 3 coping stones, 73 cubic feet, using 1 barrel cement and 1 load of sand.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired 15 feet leader pipe, 4 inches, and roof with 4 sheets of tin 14 by 20 inches.

*WARDS 11, 12 AND 13.**Carpentry.*

Made and set up a stud partition on ground floor, dividing wash-room from pantry; cased around sink and pipes, and laid new yellow pine flooring. Put new top on table 2 feet 2 inches by 6 feet, and put up yellow pine wainscoting 2 feet 6 inches high, using 185 square feet yellow pine 1 1/4 inches by 4 inches, 16 spruce joists 3 1/2 inches by 4 inches, 6 spruce planks 2 inches by 9 inches, 100 feet baseboard 7/8-inch. Laid new yellow pine flooring on second floor, using 1,265 square feet yellow pine 1 1/4 inch by 4 inches, 25 pounds spikes 20d, 70 pounds 10d nails, and 1/2 gross screws. On third floor, repaired 15 feet flooring, put in 6 window bars, 3 inches by 3 feet, and hand railings and guards on balconies, using 14 feet clear pine, 7/8 inch. Repaired 5 benches and 20 stools. Renewed 38 sash cords.

Plumbing.

On second floor, small room, removed wash trough and 2 bath tubs; on first floor, removed hot water heater, boiler and sink; reset the same in pantry, made all necessary connections and supplies with 50 feet pipe $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 15 feet pipe $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, 6 feet pipe 1 inch, 8 elbows $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 4 Tees, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 2 unions 1 inch, 4 unions $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 2 compression bibb cocks $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 2 valves $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 2 valves 1 inch, 20 feet cast-iron pipe 2 inches, 2 bends $\frac{1}{4}$ inch, 1 S trap 4 inches, 15 feet cast-iron pipe 4 inches, for waste-pipe, 30 feet cast-iron pipe 5 inches, 1 Y 5 inches, 1 cast-iron Tee 5 inches.

Painting.

Cleaning down ceiling and sidewalls on first floor. Calcimined ceiling, painted in 1 coat sidewalls, grained and varnished 30 feet wainscoting. On second floor, washed down ceilings and sidewalls; ceilings of large ward and 2 rooms adjoining calcimined. All sidewalls and woodwork painted in 2 coats. Painted wainscoting 4 feet high. Grained in oak and varnished hallway leading to same; also painted, grained and varnished pipe and ceiling ventilator painted black, using 300 pounds white lead, $\frac{3}{2}$ gallons oil, 8 gallons turpentine, 225 pounds whiting, 1 gallon dryer, 2 gallons varnish, 3 pounds glue and 1 pound Sienna.

Plastering.

On ground floor partition between wash-room and pantry 8 feet by 16 inches, both sides lathed and plastered and hardfinished. Sidewalls repaired with 800 laths, 240 square feet, using 3 loads sand and 2 bushels lime. On second floor, repaired hard finish on walls of Ward, 10 square feet. In hallways and small rooms, pointed up and patched 60 square feet.

Bricklaying.

Made a bath-room on ground floor by filling in with 30 loads ashes, leveling and laying brick floor. Built cesspool 12 feet by 12 inches, 2 feet deep, 15 feet by 16 feet, 240 square feet, using 8 barrels cement and 4 loads sand.

Tinsmithing.

Painted roof with 130 pounds metallic paint and 5 gallons boiled oil. Repaired 12 feet leader pipe, 4-inch.

Masonry.

Cut and set stone flag for cesspool in bathroom 2 feet by 4 feet, 6 inches thick, with hole in centre 9 inches by 9 inches for strainer.

WARDS 14 AND 16.

Carpentry.

Made 2 bread-boxes 3 feet high, 20 inches wide, 3 feet 6 inches deep, and 1 fire-board, using 60 square feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 4 strap hinges and 4 hooks and eyes. Renewed 1 rim lock, 4 inches by 6 inches, and 18 sash cords. Repaired 2 locks, 1 door knob and 18 stools, using 5 pounds 8d nails and 4 dozen screws.

Plumbing.

Made a new gas supply, using 75 feet 1-inch pipe, 3 ells, 1-inch and 2 tees, 1-inch. Put in 1 globe valve, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, to Croton supply. Cleaned out waste-pipes and repaired bath tub in Ward 16.

Painting.

Grained and varnished 2 bread-boxes. Renewed 6 pains of glass.

Bricklaying.

Repaired brick walls at north end of building, using $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel cement.

Tinsmithing.

Put guards around 2 stoves, using 30 feet 1-inch pipe and 2 dozen screws.

WARD 15.

Carpentry.

Renewed portion of 3d floor piazza, with 40 square feet yellow pine, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, and 2 spindle screws; 12 sash cords. Repaired 2 chairs and window sashes with 6 feet clear pine, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, using 1 barrel bolt, 5-inch, 5 pounds nails, 8d, and $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws.

Plumbing.

Repaired bursted pipe leading to Croton supply in bath-room, using 15 feet lead pipe, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 2 feet pipe, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 4 pounds solder, 1 elbow, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch; 1 union, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch. Put in hot-water connection from boiler, using 16 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lead pipe. Cleared out main sewer and waste-pipes throughout building.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired roof of extension with 165 sheets tin 14 inches by 20 inches, 12 bars solder and 3 pounds nails; painted same with 3 gallons metallic red; repaired main roof with 17 sheets tin and painted same with 7 gallons metallic red.

Glazing.

Renewed 8 panes of glass.

WARDS 21 TO 24.

Carpentry.

Made and placed on 4 new tops to dining tables, 2 feet 8 inches by 12 feet. Put up shelving in Wards 21, 22 and 23; placed on new cap frame to bath tub and renewed baseboard in Ward. Renewed 4 door knobs, 3 locks, 3 hooks and eyes, 1 bolt and 6 sash cords. Repaired four benches, 1 closet seat, main front doors and 3 chairs, using 230 square feet clear pine $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 22 feet clear pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws and 5 pounds nails. Repaired 18 sashes in basement, using $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws.

Painting.

Painted hallway in 1 coat and touched up and varnished wainscoting.

Plumbing.

Took down and cleared out gas fixtures; repaired sink and closets; cleared out waste pipes.

Tinsmithing.

Cleaned out range and pipe.

Plastering.

Repaired several patches in hallways and bathrooms and renewed fallen plaster in Ward 23, 18 square feet.

WARDS 25 TO 28.

Carpentry.

Made and put on 1 new table top in Ward 27, using 56 feet clear pine, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Renewed 3 wardrobe locks on medicine closets, 2 door knobs, 3 dozen coat hooks in bathroom, 12 sash cords and 5 seats and backs in chairs. Repaired 4 benches, 2 chairs and door leading into bath-room, using 60 square feet clear pine, $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches, and 13 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch.

Plumbing.

Repaired waste-pipe leading from trough in Ward 28, using 7 feet lead waste-pipe, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch. Cleaned out all gas and waste pipes.

Painting.

Painted wainscoting of kitchen in 1 coat, using 25 pounds white lead, 3 pounds Indian red and $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon oil. Renewed 3 panes of glass.

PAVILIONS A, B AND C.

Carpentry.

Made and put on strips to windows and 2 closet seats, 2 nosings on doors. Renewed 8 sash-cords and 4 perforated seats and backs in rockers and 6 keys for doors. Repaired 3 benches, 2 doors and 3 chairs and 1 wheel chair, using 15 feet clear pine, $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches, 10 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, and $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws.

Plumbing.

Put on 2 new compression faucets in bath tub $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 2 couplings $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, and 1 bushing $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch. Repaired tank supplying school sink and closets. Cleaned out gas and waste-pipes and main tank on roof. Renewed 1 globe valve, 2-inch; 4 foot pipe, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, and hot water supply to bath, using 3 feet lead pipe, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, 2 pounds solder and 1 coupling, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch.

Tinsmithing.

Painted entire roof in 1 coat, using 5 gallons metallic red.

PAVILION F.

Carpentry.

Renewed 13 feet flooring and 5 balcony rungs on piazza, 13 sash cords. Repaired 5 benches, 2 closet seats, 10 chairs, 5 fanlights and 4 sashes, using 15 feet clear pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 10 pounds nails, 12 stove bolts and $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws. Reseated 5 chairs with perforated seats.

Plumbing.

Put in supply pipe from hot water heater, using 120 feet galvanized pipe, 1-inch; 25 feet, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; 4 ells, 1-inch; 2 ells, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; 4 tees, 1-inch; 1 globe valve, 1-inch; 1 union, 1-inch. Made alterations in closet on second floor, ran a separate waste-pipe and made necessary connections to main sewer and put in a 4-inch S-trap, cast-iron, using 20 feet cast-iron pipe, 4-inch.

Glazing.

Renewed 13 panes of glass.

Plastering.

Finished up cement floor in bath-room.

Bricklaying.

Cut up 58 feet cement floor in bath-room for Plumber to set in waste pipe. Underlined with brick and built cesspool, 12 by 12 inches, 2 feet deep, 12-inch walls. Floor finished up in cement, using 75 red brick, 2 barrels cement and 1 load of sand.

Tinsmithing.

Renewed 10 feet leader pipe, 4-inch, and 2 hooks, 4-inch. Repaired 3 stove guards. Painted main roof with 1 coat of metallic red, using 10 gallons of same.

PAVILION G.

Carpentry.

Renewed 2 keys to doors and medicine closet and 3 perforated seats and backs to chairs. Repaired closet seat and placed strip on roof, using 8 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch.

Plumbing.

Cleaned out waste-pipes.

Painting.

Painted 2 stove-pipes black and 2 fenders and bath-tub green. Painted roof with 1 coat metallic red, using $1\frac{1}{2}$ gallons same.

Tinsmithing.

Took down and cleaned out 20-foot stove-pipe. Put in 1 grate and pivot.

DORMITORY 2.

Carpentry.

Made 1 clothes box, 4 feet 6 inches long by 2 feet 6 inches wide; covering for areaway opening, 4 inches high, 4 feet long and 6 inches wide. Repaired 18 feet flooring and handrail. Renewed 8 sash cords, using 60 feet clear pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 18 feet yellow pine $1\frac{1}{4}$ by 4 inches, 2 strap hinges 8-inch, $\frac{1}{4}$ gross screws and 5 pounds nails.

Plumbing.

Repaired water-supply pipe on first floor, cleaned out gas and waste-pipes, using 8 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe and 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ells.

Glazing.

Renewed 8 panes of glass.

Tinsmithing.

Painted entire roof with 5 gallons of metallic red.

FEEBLE-MINDED SCHOOL.

Carpentry.

Built extension to dining-room for kitchen purposes, 12 by 16 feet, 12 feet high, using 550 feet flap-boards, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch; 400 square feet yellow pine flooring, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch; 325 feet roofing boards; 10 beams, 2 by 9 inches, 13 feet long; 15 ceiling studs, 2 by 6 inches; 48 joists, 3 inches by 4 inches; 10 joists, 2 by 4 inches; 340 square feet clear pine, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, for window-frames, casings, water tables and sashes. Sidewalks and ceilings sheeted, 960 square feet. 45 feet base-board, yellow pine, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch. 1 set steps leading to lawn, 5 feet high, 75 square feet yellow pine, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch; 40 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch. Wash-drainer to sink and supports. 1 bread box, 2 feet deep, 4 feet long and 5 feet high. 5 window-frames, 2 feet 6 inches by 6 feet, 120 feet clear pine, 2-inch; 2 doors leading to dining-room and stairway; 2 drop doors on clothes-box, 2 feet by 4 inches; 2 rim locks, 4 inches by 6 inches; 5 pairs butts, 3-inch; 3 pairs strap hinges, 2 staples and 2 hooks and eyes. Renewed 2 locks and keys. Repaired 2 dining-room tables, using 20 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch; and 4 bed springs, using 30 pounds spikes, 10 pounds rod. nails and 1 gross assorted screws.

Plumbing.

Put up sink in extension to dining-room and made all hot and cold water connections, using 140 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, 25 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ells, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch tees, 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch unions, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch ells, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch tees, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch unions, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch S trap, 4 inches; 2 feet 2-inch cast-iron pipe, 2 feet 2-inch lead waste pipe, 1 2-inch ferrule, 6 pounds solder, 2 sink faucets, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch. Run new 4-inch sewer, using 40 feet 4-inch cast-iron pipe, 1 4-inch Y branch, 2 4-inch bends, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, and 6 lengths 4-inch earthen pipe. Took out gas fixtures, cleaned them out and cleaned out waste pipes.

Painting.

Washed down ceilings and side walls of main entrance, sewing-rooms, small hallways and reception-room. Painted throughout in two coats. Sewing-room grained and all wood-work varnished. 5 radiators painted black. Stairs leading to second floor stained and varnished. Painted 12 feet by 16 feet extension, outside, in two coats venetian red and trimmed in olive green; inside, all wood-work shellaced and varnished door sashes, painted in 2 coats, using 275 pounds white lead, 7 gallons turpentine, 3 gallons oil, 3 gallons varnish, 2 pounds chrome yellow, 2 pounds sienna, 9 pounds Indian red, 100 pounds venetian red, 5 pounds emerald green and 5 pounds drop black. Painted 4 bath-tubs green. Renewed 28 panes of glass.

Bricklaying.

Enlarged 2 openings to basement on south side and 4 openings on east and north sides, for ventilation, and rebuilt in bevel with brick and cement. Removed window-frame and enlarged same for door entrance 3 feet 8 inches. Slanted 5 window-sills 2 feet 3 inches each. Set 3 new stone sills 3 feet 8 inches by 2 feet, using 2 barrels cement, 2 loads sand, 400 red brick and 1 load of broken stone.

Tinsmithing.

Made and put gutter to main roof, using 145 sheets tin 14 by 20 inches, 15 bars solder, 2 pounds nails. Made 13 feet tube and 16 feet leader-pipe, 4-inch galvanized iron. Put new roof on extension, 12 by 16 feet, using 200 sheets tin, 14 by 20 inches, painted same, using 3 gallons metallic red.

QUARANTINE BUILDINGS 31 TO 34.

Carpentry.

Renewed 3 seats and backs to chairs and renewed 2 sash-cords. Repaired 2 rockers.

Plumbing.

Repaired leak in waste-pipes and cleaned out sewer stoppage.

Glazing.

Renewed 8 panes of glass.

Tinsmithing.

Renewed 2 scorcher grates, 2 pivots and 2 rests.

Painting.

Painted roofs of 31, 32, 33, 34 and Morgue, using 250 pounds metallic paint and 20 gallons oil.

DAY SCHOOL BUILDING.

Carpentry.

Extended platform 2 feet. Renewed 1 lock and 8 sash-cords. Repaired seats and benches, using 80 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ inch, and 2 pounds nails.

Plumbing.

Repaired steam-pipes, cleaned out closets and made repairs to hopper-closets. Cleaned out gas-pipes.

Painting.

Cleaned down ceilings and sidewalls in hallways, painted in 2 coats all wood-work. Painted wainscoting, grained and varnished storm doors and entrance painted in Olive green. Stairs stained and shellaced. Used 175 pounds white lead, 3 gallons turpentine, 1 gallon oil, 2 pounds Chrome yellow, 3 pounds Chrome green, 1 pound Drop black and 1 gallon varnish.

Plastering.

Pointed up cracks and patched for painters.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired roof with 8 sheets tin, 14x20 inches, and painted entire roof with 8 gallons Metallic red.

KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY BUILDINGS.

Carpentry.

Made and set 1 wash trough in extension 5 feet long, 2 feet 6 inches deep, 22 inches wide, using 3 spruce joists 3 by 4 inches, 45 feet clear pine $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch. Made stand using 40 feet clear pine $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 2 carving boards and 3 pan rests, using 28 feet clear pine $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch. Made 8 pot sticks 4 feet. Renewed 20 feet spruce floor 2 by 9 inches, 13 feet. Base board 5-inch and 6-inch. Made and set 1 frame for ironing stove, 4 feet high 4 feet square. Renewed 23 sash cords and 2 rim locks. Repaired 3 doors and jambs and one step leading to basement, with 6 feet spruce 2 by 9 inches and 14 feet clear pine $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 10 pounds nails 10 penny, $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws and 5 pounds 20 penny spikes.

Plumbing.

Made all necessary hot and cold water connections to new wash trough in kitchen extension with 50 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe and 25 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch unions, 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ells, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch valves, 1 2-inch valve, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lead sewer trap, 2 feet 2-inch lead pipe, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch compression cocks, 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch tees, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch bends, 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch bends, 1 Y branch, 15 feet 4-inch cast-iron pipe, 10 feet 2-inch cast-iron pipe, 1 4-inch plug. Repaired steam supply pipe leading to drying room with 60 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pipe, 26 feet 1-inch pipe, 2 tees, 2 ells and 2 unions 1-inch. Repaired tank on roof.

Plastering.

Removed loose plaster and finished up in hard finish 7 patches, using $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel lime, 1 pail plaster paris.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired roof and painted same with 7 gallons metallic red.

Bricklaying.

Built stone foundation under extension 50 feet long, 20 inches wide, 18 inches high. Brick walls built on same 12 inches thick, 50 feet long, 2 feet high, using 3 barrels cement, 2 loads sand and 1,000 bricks.

Masonry.

Cut 2 stones for steps 8 feet by 8 inches, 4 feet 6 inches, and 1 platform 8 inches thick, 4 feet by 4 inches.

NURSES AND ORDERLIES DINING-ROOM BUILDING.**Carpentry.**

Made 2 bread boxes, using 75 square feet California pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 2 pair butts, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, and 2 spring catches. Repaired 30 feet yellow pine flooring, 2 door-knobs, 2 locks, 2 spindles, 8 chairs, 2 tables and 2 fanlights. Renewed 10 sash cords.

Plumbing.

Put in new waste-pipes from sinks and hot and cold water supplies, and made all necessary connections, using 20 feet 2-inch lead waste-pipe, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch S trap, 1 2-inch ferrule, 10 pounds solder, 15 feet 1-inch pipe, 4 ells, 1 inch; 2 unions, 1 inch. Repaired connection to water back and basin with 15 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch lead pipe, and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch S lead trap.

Plastering.

Pointed up cracks for painter.

Painting.

Painted entire roof with 5 gallons metallic red.

Tinsmithing.

Removed 80 feet 6 inches stove-pipe. Made 2 6-inch ells. Cleaned range and pipe in nurses pantry.

ORDERLIES DORMITORY.**Carpentry.**

Made new platform at entrance, using 64 square feet yellow pine flooring $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, repaired upright posts with 8 feet California pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 2 pounds 10-penny nails, 20 3 by 4-inch spruce joists and 3 dozen screws.

SUPERINTENDENT'S COTTAGE.**Carpentry.**

Made and built 1 closet on second floor, 6 feet by 9 feet, using 160 square feet California pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 4 pair butts 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Renewed saddle of door with 6 oak $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 3 screw hook and eyes. Repaired window frames, using 12 feet California pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 1 pair 2-inch butts and 2 locks. Made 1 screen door and 2 window screens, using 18 feet California pine $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch and $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws.

Plumbing.

Ran a gas supply with 50 feet $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch pipe; 6 ells, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch; 4 tees, $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch. Repaired gas-pipes in Bath-room; repaired hot-water pipes.

Painting.

Painted veranda in 2 coats, 2 vases, benches and wire screens; using 10 pounds chrome yellow, 10 pounds drop black, 1 pound indian red, 1 pint dryer, 1 gallon oil and 2 gallons turpentine.

Tinsmithing.

Cleaned chimneys of Kitchen and Laundry ranges and flue to steam-boiler.

WORKHOUSE BUILDING.**Carpentry.**

Made a cover for scuttle on roof, using 8 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch and 15 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch; 1 pound rod nails. Repaired 1 door and 2 locks, 15 feet flooring and renewed 8 sash cords.

Painting.

Painted 2 long benches in main room on first floor.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired 20 feet 4-inch galvanized-iron leader pipe.

Plastering.

First floor ceiling repaired, 35 square feet; using 30 lath, 2 coats gaged and hardfinished, base finished; closet walls repaired, 3 patches in hardfinish, 12 feet. Hallways and Bathroom finished in 2 coats, patched 50 feet. Repaired 35 feet on second floor hallway, and side finished 60 feet. Removed loose plaster on third floor and refinished 5 patches on ceiling, 1 coat gaged and walls repaired 60 running feet, new furring, 250 laths; 165 feet side walls repaired and hardfinished, using 2 barrels lime, 2 loads sand and 1 barrel plaster paris.

MAIN BOILER ROOM.**Plumbing.**

Put in new feed pump pipe; using 75 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pipe, 4 one and one-quarter-inch ells, 2 one and one-quarter-inch tees, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch Union, 1-inch valve, and 2 nipples, 3 inches long. Repaired steam-main and tank leading to closets.

Tinsmithing.

Repaired roof, using 8 sheets tin, 14 by 20 inches, and painted same, using 2 gallons metallic red.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.**Carpentry.**

Made box, 8 inches by 8 inches, 4 feet long, for pipes; made 2 crutches, 3 feet 6 inches long, 2 high shoes, 2 benches with backs, 26 inches high, 7 feet long, 10 inches deep, 1 bottom in baby carriage, using 30 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws, 101 pounds rod nails, 7 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 6 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; made 1 box for pipes, 18 inches square, using 3 spruce planks, 2 by 9.

Plumbing.

Put in sewer to basement leading to the main sewer, using 125 feet iron pipe, 6-inch. Repaired steam supply to radiator with 50 feet 1-inch pipe, 1 1-inch union and 2 1-inch ells.

FIRE-ENGINE HOUSE.**Carpentry.**

Repaired 2 window sashes and 2 chairs, using 10 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch; renewed 3 sash cords.

Plumbing.

Repaired gas supply with 30 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch unions, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch ells, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch tees and 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch nipples.

Tinsmithing.

Cleaned out stove-pipe.

Painting.

Painted roof with 2 gallons metallic red.

STEWART'S APARTMENTS.**Carpentry.**

Boarded up front of wash-basin, using 22 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; repaired floor in hallway, using 15 feet yellow pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, and 3 window screens.

Plumbing.

Repaired closet with 2 feet pipe, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 2 ells, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 8 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch; lead waste-pipe, 10 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lead pipe, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch nipple.

OFFICE.**Plumbing.**

Cleaned out basin and renewed 6 feet 2-inch cast-iron pipe.

MISCELLANEOUS.**Carpentry.**

Built 3 summer houses on south side of pavilions, 1 each at Wards 25, 26 and 27, using 165 spruce planks, $\frac{7}{8}$ by 9 inches; 30 spruce joists, 3 by 4 inches; 135 feet $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch clear pine seating, 12 inches wide, 15 inches high; 36 brackets; 270 feet back rail; 240 feet rafters, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 4 inches; 30 spruce beams, 2 by 6 inches; 180 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch; 45 pounds spikes; 30 pounds rod nails; 5 pounds 8d. nails. Made 1 body for hand-cart, 3 feet 6 inches by 5 feet 12 inches high, and put new bottom in with 17 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch oak and 17 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch. Rebottomed 3 coal carts, using 130 spruce boards, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch. Rebottomed 1 delivery wagon, using 30 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch oak. Made 7 garbage tubs and 9 covers, using 140 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch; 1 gross screws and 10 pounds nails. Repaired 18 chairs, 35 stools, 1 meat cart and 7 bed-springs. Repaired rim of ice-house, using 4 spruce planks, 2 by 9 inches, and 10 pounds spikes.

Plumbing.

Repaired branch sewer at Ward 11 with 4-inch cast-iron trap.

Painting.

Painted 4 summer-houses, 12 feet by 12 feet by 14 feet, in 2 coats, using 400 pounds Venetian red, 15 gallons oil, 5 gallons turpentine, 100 pounds white lead, 16 pounds chrome yellow, 5 pounds drop black and $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon dryer. Painted 75 posts, 6 inches by 5 feet; 15 benches, 2 meat boxes, 7 garbage tubs, 2 invalid carriages, 2 hand-carts, 3 pairs cart wheels and 2,500 feet wire fencing, using 25 pounds emerald green, 25 pounds Indian red, 10 pounds sienna, 10 pounds drop black and 10 pounds chrome yellow. Renewed 13 panes of glass.

Blacksmith.

Upset and made 70 pairs horseshoes. Made 150 2-inch staples for wire fence, 2 iron wheels for barrows, 1 iron grating for areaway on west side of North Hospital, 4 feet by 5 feet 6 inches; 8 tires for wagons and carts; 33 oak spokes, 3 inches by 2 feet; 32 feet of felly, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 4 inches; 9 standards on carts, 2 inches by 2 feet oak; 1 cart shaft, $\frac{3}{4}$ by 4 oak; 1 stove-guard for Ward 14, 2 feet 6 inches by 4 feet. Repaired 8 picks, 5 pairs ice-longes, 2 crow-bars, 17 fire irons and 3 wheelbarrows.

MALE WORKHOUSE HELP.

Month of April, average 50 men. 17 days unloading coal-boats. 5 days removing manure. 5 days cleaning away ashes and rubbish around grounds, assisting in boiler-rooms, rowing boat and assisting around stable and on farm.

Month of May, average 35 men. 18 days unloading coal-boats. 4 days unloading ice-boat. 5 days cleaning out cellars, dressing up dump, and general labor.

Month of June, average 30 men. 7 days unloading coal-boats (gas-coal). 4 days unloading ice-boat. Cutting up and removing several fallen trees around grounds, loading and carting coal to the different boiler-rooms, and general labor.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL.**Carpentry.**

Made and fitted up in small room of main hallway a record-room for books, etc., with 170 feet shelving, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, making 60 spaces for books, etc. Made 1 drop-table, 2 feet by 4 feet, using 8 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch. Built and inclosed large clothes closet underneath veranda, 4 feet deep, 3 feet high and 10 feet long, with partition in centre, and 2 double doors, 18 inches by 2 feet, with springs, and 4 pairs butts, 4-inch; 150 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, and 2 door handles; cut trapdoor to above, 2 feet by 3 inches. Made and set in pail-rack in bathroom on first floor, and hanger wallstrips, $\frac{7}{8}$ inches by 2 inches. Made 10 windows, $\frac{1}{4}$ inches thick, 10 feet long; 1 frame in basement window, 16 inches by 4 feet, using 19 feet clear pine, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, 60 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 10 pounds nails and 1 gross screws. Repaired storm-door at west-end entrance with 30 feet studding, 3 by 4 inches, 12 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch, 3 windows and sashes at Laundry, 4 baby-swings at summer-house and steps leading from Laundry to boiler-room, using 40 feet clear pine, $\frac{7}{8}$ inches. Put 3 new ropes to swings. Renewed 3 locks, repaired 2 wardrobes, 7 chairs and 8 window sashes, using 5 pounds nails and $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws. Made and placed in new bottom in ice house in Diet Kitchen 38 by 6 feet, made 2 racks 2 feet 6 inches by 3 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch oak, 2 strips on each side to close opening 2 inches by 6 feet, using 5 pounds nails and 30 brass screws.

Plastering.

Repaired several patches on floor in basement, and made 5 barrels whitewash, using 1 barrel cement and 1 load of sand. Basement and subcellar cleaned out, irrigated and whitewashed.

Masonry.

Set flagging over 12 inches earthen sewer and filled in opening with 1 load broken stone. Built up sea wall at rear end of storehouse where former run had been. Filled in with 5 loads quarried stone. Cut holes in stone steps leading to subcellar, east end of building, for iron grating.

FARM.**Carpentry.**

Made 9 troughs in piggery, handle for mowing machine and 1 stone boat. Repaired stable fence and stalls, using 46 spruce plank 2 inches by 9 inches and 20 2 inches by 6 inches, 30 spruce joists 3 inches by 4 inches and 4 2 inches by 4 inches, 200 feet clear pine $\frac{7}{8}$ inches, 40 feet clear pine $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 6 pairs butts 3 inches, 3 pairs strap hinges, 60 pounds nails, 1 rod, 50 pounds spikes, 20d, 1 gross screws 2 inches and 15 pounds 8d nails.

BOAT HOUSE.**Carpentry.**

Put up partition in north end of hallway 4 feet 10 inches high with sash, fanlight and door 2 feet 6 inches by 6 inches, built 2 benches for visitors 3 feet 6 inches long 16 inches high and 15 inches wide, 3-inch backs, extended hand-rail leading to float 15 feet. Put up brackets and pipe-strips to cisterns. Changed seats for boat crews, using 220 feet yellow pine strips $\frac{1}{4}$ inches, 30 feet clear pine 2 inches by 4 inches, 140 feet clear pine strips $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch by 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, 1 hat and coat rack with 8 hooks, 2 bolts 5 inches and 5 joists 3 by 4 inches. Built 1 set stairs at north end 5 feet high, 5 inches wide with platform and hand-rail, using 40 feet yellow pine $\frac{1}{4}$ inches, 35 feet clear pine $\frac{7}{8}$ inches and 10 feet 2 inches, 3 pounds spikes, $\frac{1}{2}$ gross screws and 5 pounds 8d nails.

Painting.

All outside woodwork, doors, sashes, etc., painted in two coats Venetian red; cornices and water table trimmed in olive green. Painted rooms in two coats, light color. Two benches painted olive green, grained and varnished two closets, and painted brick foundation in three coats.

STOREHOUSE.**Painting.**

Painted in two coats of Venetian red, cornices and doors trimmed in olive green, using for the above 500 pounds Venetian red, 450 pounds white lead, 15 gallons oil, 8 gallons turpentine, 18 pounds chrome yellow, 20 pounds drop black and 1 gallon varnish.

BOATHOUSE.**Plumbing.**

Put in 2 new 6-inch closet ranges, with tanks and flushing supply, run 4-inch cast-iron waste, and made all necessary connections, using 75 feet 4-inch cast-iron pipe, 1 4-inch sewer trap, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch 4-inch sewer trap, 3 4-inch Y branches, 2 4-inch tees, 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch bends, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch bends, 25 feet earthen pipe, 5 inch; 20 feet earthen pipe, 4 inch; 40 feet pipe, 1 inch; 20 feet pipe, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch; 4 tees, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch; 4 ells, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch; 15 feet pipe, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch; 10 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch lead pipe, 2 brass couplings, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch; 2 globe valves, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, and 6 pounds solder.

Plastering.

Removed loose plaster in rooms at rear end of building, and replastered same, 860 square feet, using 300 lath, 5 barrels lime, 2 barrels plaster of paris, 4 loads of sand and 2 bushels of hair.

Bricklaying.

Built 5 brick piers for girder, 28 inches by 2 inches, 3 feet high, and brick foundation, 110 feet, 2 feet high, 12 inches thick; 5 piers to closet at gas house, 18 inches by 18 inches, 2 feet high. Built up and cemented 80 feet sea wall, using 14 barrels cement, 3,200 red brick and 10 loads of sand.

Blacksmithing.

Made and placed 4 iron brackets to handrails at stoops of 1-inch round iron, 3 feet long.

Masonry.

Cut and set 2 stones for sills at openings in foundations of boat-house, 8 feet by 8 inches, 3 feet 6 inches long. Quarried and faced up sea wall, 82 feet long, 18 inches at landing. Cut 2 window sills for basement of Feeble-minded School, 4 inches thick, 6 inches wide, 3 feet 6 inches long. Cut and broke up 30 loads of stone for filling at sea wall. Cut and dressed 40 feet of curved curbing, 5 inches thick, 12 inches wide, for path leading to Infants' Hospital.

IMPROVEMENTS AT BOAT-LANDING.

Excavated ground and made paths and ashes and tar front, 2,336 square feet. Excavated for Croton supply, 5 feet deep, 27 feet long, and excavated for sewer pipe, 5 feet deep and 15 feet long. Sodded edges of paths at pavilions and office and plots at lower end of hill leading to boat-house, 2,580 square feet. Quarried 40 feet stone for gutter at boat-house. Dug holes and set 80

chestnut posts for wire fencing, 6 inches by 5 feet. Pumped out and filled 80 barrels tar. Screened 80 loads ashes. Used 52 barrels tar, 50 loads of ashes, 3 loads of sand and 1 barrel cement.

Engineer's Report.

Ward 1—Repaired leaks in radiator and icebox. Cleaned out gas and waste pipes.
Ward 2—Put on 3 handles to valves of radiators. Extended gas supply in nurses' room and put on 1 side bracket light; extended faucet in basin. Repaired supply pipe to sink, using 2 feet 1/2-inch pipe, 12 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 3 ells 3/4 inch and 1 union 3/4 inch.
Ward 3—Renewed 2 valves to radiators (one 1 inch and one 3/4 inch). Repaired leaks in same. Took down, cleaned out and replaced 6 gas fixtures. Put in 2 burner cocks, 3/8 inch. Cleaned waste-pipes and put in 1 side light bracket.
Ward 4—Made repairs to radiator and repacked valves. Took down and put up 3 gas fixtures and cleaned out waste-pipes.
Ward 5—Repaired radiators and repacked all valves. Cleaned out gas fixtures, sink and closet waste-pipes. Used 1 globe valve 1 inch, 1 union 1 inch and 2 ells 1 inch. Repaired icebox with 12 inches zinc and 1 pound solder.
Ward 6—Put in 1 new gas fixture in bath-room, repaired and repacked all radiators, cleaned out waste-pipes and extended steam-pipe in slop sink, using 18 feet pipe, 1/2-inch; 5 ells, 1/2-inch; 6 feet pipe, 3/8-inch, and 1 ell, 3/8-inch.
Ward 7—Repaired all radiators and repacked all valves, cleaned out gas-fixtures and renewed several burners.
Ward 8—Repaired and repacked all valves on radiators, cleaned out waste-pipes of basins and renewed 20 burners on gas fixtures.
Ward 9—Repacked all valves on radiators, renewed 8 burners and cleaned out gas and waste pipes.
Ward 10—Repacked all radiator valves, repaired steam-pipes, using 2 feet pipe, 1-inch. Cleaned out sink, closet and waste-pipes.
Ward 11—Repaired ice box and cleaned out gas-pipes.
Ward 12—Put in 1 double arm drop-light in closet, repacked all radiator valves and cleaned out gas and waste pipes.
Ward 13—Repacked all radiator valves, repaired valves in slop sink and cleaned out gas-pipes.
Ward 14—Cleaned out gas and waste pipes.
Ward 15—Repacked all radiator valves, repaired steam return pipe, repaired gas-pipe in Nurses' Room; using 15 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 1 ell, 3/4-inch. Put in 1 6-inch side light bracket.
Ward 16—Put in 1 new drop light in closet and 1 burner cock, 3/8-inch. Repacked all radiator valves, using 6 feet 3/8-inch pipe and 2 3/8-inch ells.
Ward 20—Repacked all valves on radiators and repaired with 2 ells, 3/4-inch, put 1 drop light in Bath-room and cleaned out waste-pipe.
Ward 21—Repacked all valves and cleaned out gas and waste pipes.
Main Boiler-room—Repacked Worthington pump and general overhauling to Woodward pump. Put in stay rod to boiler. Ran a steam supply to the purifying tank, repaired steam supply to washing machines, using 30 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 2 tees, 3/4-inch; 3 ells, 3/4-inch, and 1 angle valve, 3/4-inch. Thawed out and renewed 20 feet 1-inch pipe, 2 ells, 1-inch and 10 feet 3/8-inch pipe.
Pavilions A, B and C—Packed and repaired pump and renewed set grate bars.
Quarantine Buildings—Thawed out bursted pipes and repaired same, put in new Croton supply to cistern in No. 31 and 34, using 30 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 6 feet lead pipe 1/2-inch and 2 pounds solder.
Kitchen and Milk Rooms—Repaired steam supply and return pipes to boilers and kettles in main kitchen, ice-boxes in milk-room and extra diet kitchen and supply-pipe to coffee urn. Ran waste-pipe from ice-box in kitchen to main sewer and ran 3/4-inch water supply branch for wash troughs in Kitchen, using 20 feet C. I. pipe 2-inch, 14 feet pipe 1 1/4-inch and 1 Ell 1 1/4-inch, 40 feet pipe 3/4-inch, 1 Ell 3/4-inch, 2 bends 1/2-inch, 1 union 3/4-inch, and 1 valve 3/4-inch.
Doctors' Rooms—Repacked all radiator valves, took down, cleaned out and replaced gas-fixtures and renewed 7 burners. Cleaned out waste pipes to basins.
Dining Rooms—Repacked all radiator valves, repaired 2 ice-boxes and cleaned out gas-fixtures and waste pipes from closets.
Officers—Took down, cleaned out and replaced gas-fixture.
Basement—Cleaned out cesspool, calked joint on steam main, put in 1 globe valve 1 1/4-inch on steam supply, 1 globe valve on steam return in blanket-room, 2 ells 1/2-inch and 2 nipples 1/2-inch. Repacked valves on main, repairs to main riser, put on 1 1/2-inch valve and 1 1/4-inch Ell.
Male Workhouse Building—Put seat on closet and 3 faucets on sinks. Cleaned out main sewer.

School Census.

	DAY SCHOOL.	INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.	SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED.
Remaining March 31, 1899.....	355	95	217
Admitted.....	76	8	14
Total.....	431	103	231
Discharged.....	54	4	23
Remaining June 30, 1899.....	377	99	208
Average daily attendance.....	313	75	130

LABOR REPORT, INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

For Asylums and Schools.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Girls' aprons (bleached muslin).....	613	Sheets (bleached muslin).....	56
Girls' dresses (summer).....	659	Pillow ticks.....	454
Girls' drawers (brown muslin).....	729	Crumb cloths (Otis check).....	8
Girls' petticoats (jean).....	106	Window curtains, pairs.....	33
Girls' capes (cassimere).....	86	Hand towels (crash).....	266
Girls' work aprons (Otis check).....	243	Tablecloths (Damask).....	11
Girls' hats (flannel).....	87	Cushion covers (Otis check).....	24
Boys' shirts (brown muslin).....	274	Neckties (calico).....	300
Boys' work aprons (ticking).....	122	Muslin caps.....	1,500
Sheets (brown muslin).....	704	Buttonholes.....	9,070

For Infants' Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Women's chemises (brown muslin)....	66	Crib pillow ticks.....	110
Diapers.....	813	Tablecloths.....	3
Bibs.....	55	Table napkins.....	61
Towels (huckaback).....	82		

For Fordham Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	189	Pillow cases.....	170

For Harlem Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	147	Pillow cases (brown muslin).....	179

For Bellevue Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	841	Pillow cases (brown muslin).....	367

For Gouverneur Hospital.

Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	251

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

Asylums and Schools.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Girls' dresses (summer).....	613	Boys' jumpers (Otis check).....	300
Girls' drawers (brown muslin).....	477	Sheets (brown muslin).....	346
Girls' aprons (brown muslin).....	144	Window shades (Otis check).....	18
Boys' waists (Otis check).....	360	Crumb cloths (Otis check).....	12
Boys' shirts (brown muslin).....	1168	Sheets (bleached muslin).....	56
Boys' trousers (summer).....	1750	Muslin caps.....	500
Boys' coats (summer).....	374	Straight jackets.....	6

For Infants' Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Babies' Dresses (bar muslin).....	328	Doctors' gowns.....	24
Babies' petticoats (white flannel).....	232	Towels (huckaback).....	40

For Fordham Hospital.

Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	77

For Harlem Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	232	Pillow cases (brown muslin).....	133

For Bellevue Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	359	Pillow cases (brown muslin).....	751

For Gouverneur Hospital.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Sheets (brown muslin).....	39	Pillow cases (brown muslin).....	288

SHOEMAKING DEPARTMENT.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Shoes repaired, pairs.....	284	Braces made.....	1
High shoes made.....	5		

MAT-MAKING DEPARTMENT.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Door mats (rope), 34 inches by 21 inches	48	Rugs.....	1
Door mats (coir), 36 inches by 21 inches	6		

TINSMITHING DEPARTMENT.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Made.
Dish pans (12 quart).....	36	Tin boxes, 14 inches by 14 inches by 20 inches.....	3
Butter pans (10 quart).....	6	Tin boiler (20 gallons).....	1
Cans (7 gallons).....	18	Pie plates.....	12
Cans (3 gallons).....	6	Tin boilers (15 gallons).....	2
Wash-basins.....	37	Flour scoops.....	3
Mess pans.....	60	Bake pans, 10 inches by 16 inches.....	2
Dippers.....	27	Funnel (galvanized-iron, 2 gallons).....	1
Cups (1 pint).....	96	Can (galvanized-iron, 7 gallons).....	1
Saucepans.....	12	Garbage cans (galvanized-iron).....	2
Tin pails (3 quart).....	18	Tin boxes, 2 inches by 4 inches by 8 inches.....	12
Molasses cans.....	6	Watering pots (galvanized-iron).....	6
Tin measures.....	3	Soap boxes (galvanized-iron).....	5
Mess boxes.....	6	Coal hods (galvanized-iron).....	13
Coffee pots (10 gallons).....	3	Articles repaired.....	150
Oatmeal boilers.....	4	Wash-basins, to General Storekeeper.....	200
Tin pails (4 quarts).....	4		
Vegetable strainer.....	1		

GARDENING DEPARTMENT.

Laid out and planted, flower beds, 24, using the following:

Coleus Verchafetti.....	3,500	Vincas.....	125
Coleus Golden Bedder.....	2,500	Croton Perfectum.....	25
Coleus Peter Henderson.....	200	Begonia Rex.....	75
Coleus Fire Brand.....	200	Canna Lillies.....	150
Geraniums.....	3,000	Mowed and trimmed lawns and walks—Acres.....	30
Ivy.....	150		

Weeded and watered flower-beds and lawns daily.

BASKET-MAKING DEPARTMENT.

Articles.	Made.	Articles.	Repaired.
Invalid chairs.....	2	Clothes baskets.....	40
Market baskets.....	3	Meat baskets.....	1
Carriage body.....	1	Bushel baskets.....	2
Canopy frame.....	1	Market baskets.....	1
Hamper No. 1.....	1	Chairs reseatd.....	16
		Chairs rebaked.....	4
		Hamper No. 2.....	1

FARM.

Ploughed and prepared about 16 acres for the following crops: Onions, carrots, beets, parsnips, cabbage, corn, tomatoes, turnips, spinach, peas and beans. Kitchen garden about 1/2 acre. Planted from time to time lettuce and vegetables in general, with general attendance to same, such as hoeing, weeding and cultivating. Repaired cow stable, hog pen and fences, and whitewashed same from time to time. General attendance to horses, cows and hogs.

M. C. DUNPHY, Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGHES OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGHES OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, }
Nos. 126 AND 128 LIVINGSTON STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN
NEW YORK CITY, July 25, 1899. }

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, City of New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit the following report of the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, of The City of New York, for the three months ending June 30, 1899.

Yours very respectfully,

A. SIMIS, JR.,

Commissioner of Public Charities for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 27, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:

DEAR SIR—I herewith transmit Quarterly Report of General Bookkeeper:

Quarterly Statement ending June 30, 1899.

Supplies.....	\$41,852 79
Salaries.....	26,911 40
Alterations, additions and repairs to buildings and apparatus.....	1,883 89
Poor adult blind.....	9,800 00
Transportation of paupers.....	67 86
Burial of pauper dead.....	564 30
Rents.....	608 33
Donations to Grand Army veterans.....	1,693 35
Burial of veterans and headstones.....	1,330 00
Total.....	\$84,711 92

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL J. DOYLE, Bookkeeper.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:

DEAR SIR—The following is a general summary of the business of this office for the quarter ending June 30, 1899:

Number admitted to Almshouse.....	1,009
Number admitted to Kings County Hospital.....	1,728
Number ambulance calls made.....	328
Number pauper burial orders given.....	206
Number lunacy examinations made.....	137
Number admitted to institutions for deaf and dumb.....	6
Number admitted to Rome State Custodial Asylum.....	7
Number admitted to Craig Colony for Epileptics.....	1
Number inmates of Almshouse sent therefrom to their places of settlement in other States.....	7

Transportation furnished and paid for last above mentioned 7 persons..... \$26 20
Transportation furnished and paid for 3 idiots and 2 attendants, committed to
Rome State Custodial Asylum, said idiots and parents being destitute—
sent June 16 and 30..... 37 10
Number of approved applications for pensions to destitute adult blind..... 196
Amount of money paid by Comptroller at this office to 163 of the above-mentioned
blind applicants on June 26, 1899..... \$8,150 00

Respectfully,
J. SHORT, JR., Relief Clerk.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:
DEAR SIR—Herewith please find statement of abandonment complaints for quarter ending
June 30, 1899:

Orders given for abandonment warrants..... 296
Convictions..... 15
Letters to defendants before giving order to Court..... 356

Total..... 667

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE BROWN, Clerk.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:
DEAR SIR—Herewith please find report of bastardy complaints for quarter ending June 30,
1899:

Order given for bastardy warrants..... 67
Convictions..... 14
Married..... 4

Total..... 85

Respectfully submitted,
FLORENCE TREADWELL, Matron.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:
DEAR SIR—I herewith transmit quarterly report ending June 30, 1899, of Department of
Dependent Children:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Total number of county wards in homes March 31, 1899..... 4,206
April, 1899. Committed by Commissioner..... 197
May, " " " "..... 187
June, " " " "..... 165

April, 1899. Committed by Magistrates..... 45
May, " " " "..... 34
June, " " " "..... 37

Total committed..... 665

April, 1899. Discharged by Commissioner..... 126
May, " " " "..... 138
June, " " " "..... 135

Total discharged..... 399

April, 1899. Discharged by Magistrates..... 49
May, " " " "..... 51
June, " " " "..... 58

Total discharged..... 158

Total remaining in homes, June 30, 1899..... 4,314

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Total number of children in homes March 31, 1899..... 174
April, 1899. Received..... 13
May, " " " "..... 22
June, " " " "..... 17

April, 1899. Discharged..... 10
May, " " " "..... 6
June, " " " "..... 1

Total remaining in homes June 30, 1899..... 209

Total number of applications received in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens during
quarter..... 1,190
Total number of visits on investigation..... 1,924

Respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK GOODHUE, Clerk.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:

DEAR SIR—The report of the Kings County Morgue for quarter ending June 30, 1899, is
herewith respectfully submitted:

Number of bodies received..... 92
Identified..... 55
Unidentified..... 37

Interred by County (identified)..... 28
" " (unidentified)..... 37
Interred by relatives or friends..... 27

Respectfully submitted,
P. MAGUIRE, Keeper.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:
DEAR SIR—The report of the Kings County Hospital, for quarter ending June 30, 1899, is
herewith respectfully submitted:

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Patients remaining in hospital March 31, 1899.....	451	246	697
" " admitted during second quarter.....	1,206	515	1,721
	1,657	761	2,418
Patients discharged recovered.....	538	245	783
" " improved.....	513	160	673

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Patients discharged unimproved.....	25	8	33
" " to Long Island State Hospital.....	64	72	136
Patients died.....	134	42	176
	1,274	527	1,801
Total remaining, June 30, 1899.....	383	234	617
	1,657	761	2,418

Percentage recovered..... 32.37
" improved..... 27.83
" unimproved..... 1.35
" to Long Island State Hospital..... 5.61
" died..... 7.23
" remaining in hospital..... 25.61

Visits made by visiting staffs..... 100.00
Operations performed..... 372
Patients treated in Dispensary, males..... 97
" females..... 952
Total number of days treatment afforded in Hospital..... 492
Average per diem..... 60,165
Total daily census of employees from April 1 to June 30..... 654
Average per diem..... 12,829
Average per diem..... 141

Included in above is an average of 16 employees not on the pay-roll.
Women confined..... 40
Children born, males..... 20
Children born, females..... 22

Two cases of twins.
Total expenditures, including repairs, salaries, provisions, drugs, etc. (including
Alms house drug account)..... \$23,120 98
Per capita cost per diem for all persons in the hospital (60,165 days)..... \$0.3825

Gas, 190,900 feet..... \$209 99
Electric current, 5,585,800 watts..... 670 30
Drugs..... 2,877 25
Salaries..... 9,759 56
Provisions..... 8,655 90
Pea coal, 311,180 tons..... 926 18
Stove coal, 4,168 tons..... 21 80

\$23,120 98

Painting.

4 wards..... 60 doors.
7 rooms..... 30 transom lights.
County kitchen, outside..... 38 lights of glass in windows.
Engine room..... 70 window screens.
Laundry..... 22 chairs.
2 boxes on fire-escape..... 6 flights of stairs.
47 lawn benches..... 8 radiators.
1 bathroom..... 3 roofs.
1 closet room..... 1 front stoop.
2 bath tubs..... Office at storehouse.
47 bedsteads.

Carpenter Work.

1 potato bin..... 10 doors repaired.
3 clothes closets..... 132 window screens repaired.
1 step ladder..... 10 window screens made.
10 locks repaired..... 7 screen doors.
1 towel roller..... 1 starch table.
12 rocking chairs repaired..... 5 shelves.
8 children's chairs repaired..... 6 chairs caned.
15 window shades repaired.

Plumbing.

25 steam-pipes, repaired..... 6 radiators repaired.
20 faucets repaired..... 2 water sterilizers repaired.
18 water-closets repaired.

Steam-fitting.

Return from sterilizers altered: 100 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch steam-pipe, 3 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ steam-pipe, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ to
 $\frac{3}{8}$ tees, 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ union, 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ ells, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ brass ground union, 160 running feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch galvanized
pipe, in hot water boiler, stock used with pipe, 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch galvanized return bends, 2 12-inch
brass nipples, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lock nut, 2 1-inch lock nuts, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lock nuts, 1 1-inch globe valve,
1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch globe valve, 2 1-inch ells, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ells.
Steam pipe to bath: 5 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch ells, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch R. and L. nipple.
New coil for small hot water boiler: 96 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch extra heavy galvanized pipe, 11
 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch galvanized return bands, 2 12-inch brass nipples, 2 1-inch lock nuts, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch lock nuts,
1 1-inch globe valve, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch globe valve, 2 1-inch ells, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch ells.
New railing to fire room: 35 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pipe, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch tees, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch crosses,
4 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch R. and L. couplings, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch wall plates, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch lock nuts.
Steam-pipe to bath in Ward 3: 1 foot $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pipe, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cells, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch brass ground
union.

Articles Made in Sewing Room.

Sheets, dozen.....	56	Petticoats, dozen.....	3
Shirts, dozen.....	13	Night gowns, dozen.....	12
Baby slips, dozen.....	7	Chemises, dozen.....	4
Pillow slips, dozen.....	14	Drawers, dozen.....	1
Shrouds, dozen.....	8	Blankets hemmed, dozen.....	2
Wrappers, dozen.....	4	Binders, dozen.....	6
Aprons, dozen.....	5	Laundry bags, dozen.....	1
Towels, dozen.....	37	Table covers, dozen.....	1
Screen covers, sets.....	14	Canopies.....	33

Tailor Shop.

Patients' trousers, pairs.....	28	Aprons.....	50
Patients' coats.....	31	Trousers repaired.....	216
Coats (doctors').....	20	Coats repaired.....	185
Trousers, special, pairs.....	2	Suits cut and sent to Alms house.....	105
Overalls, pairs.....	9		

J. T. DURVEA, Medical Superintendent, Kings Co. Hospital.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 25, 1899.

Hon. A. SIMIS, JR., Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:
DEAR SIR—The report of the Kings County Alms house, for quarter ending June 30, 1899, is
herewith respectfully submitted:

	CHILDREN.		ADULTS.		TOTALS.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Remaining March 31, 1899.....	17	15	661	800	1,493
Admitted.....	81	89	227	379	776
Discharged.....	63	55	267	389	774
Died.....	20	21	30	23	94
Remaining June 30, 1899.....	15	28	591	767	1,401

The following is a list of the repairs, alterations, etc., during quarter ending June 30,
1899:

Carpentering.

Repaired floor in Sick Men's Building, Almshouse.
Set door jambs in Baby Ward.
Put up partition in Baby Ward.
Made and set cellar stairs in Almshouse.
Took down partition in Storehouse.
Put screens in Sick Ward, Men's Building.
Repaired floor in Male Almshouse.
Made and set cellar stairs in Storehouse.
Repaired doors in Baby Ward.

Put in window-screens in Baby Ward.
Put up platform in Storehouse.
Pointed pickets and fixed Albany avenue fence.
Put up shelves in Baby Ward closets.
Made door-stops and set partition in Baby Ward.
Overhauled writing desks in Storehouse.
Repaired windows in Storehouse.
Pine ceiling in Storehouse, 1250 feet.

Steam Fitting.

45 feet 1 1/4-inch iron pipe railing for Almshouse Yard.
Lining frame containing 400 feet 1-inch pipe.
Lining of furnace and walls of one boiler throughout.
Repaired return 27 feet of 2 1/2-inch pipe, Male Building.
New feed connection in Almshouse boilers.

Plumbing.

Repaired cans for Lodging House.
Cleaned out Men's water-closet, Almshouse.
Put in new hydrant in Men's yard, Almshouse.
Repaired tank-valve and flush-pipe, Female Almshouse.
Put in Hospital Laundry Extension, 15 by 3 inch leader-pipe.
Cleaned out main sewer-pipe.
Repaired gas fixtures in Male Almshouse.
Repaired faucet in Female Almshouse.
Repaired leak in water pipes in Idiot Pavilion.
Repaired gas fixtures in Idiot Pavilion.
Put in 1/2 dozen gas burners.
Put in 1/2 dozen gas tips.
Cleaned out water-closet in Almshouse Yard.

Repaired tank-valve and flush-pipe, Male Almshouse.
Put in sewer-pipe in Hospital Laundry.
Repaired coffee-kettles in Female Almshouse.
Cleaned out sewer vaults in Baby Ward.
Repaired tanks in Hospital, Ward 9.
Repaired water-closet in Ward 20.
Repaired basin in Ward 9.
Repaired valves in Ward 9.
Put in Laundry 30 feet of 5-inch iron pipe.
Put in Laundry 1 5-inch trap.
Put in Laundry 4 5-inch bends.
Put in Laundry 1 5 by 4-inch bend.
50 lbs. caulking lead.
Put water-closet in Central Office.

Masonry.

Lathe in the Almshouse Nursery.
Kosmocrete in Hospital Laundry.
Put on beams iron, Hospital Laundry.
Put on beams iron, Almshouse Laundry.
Repaired and plastered in Female Almshouse.

Put down foundation for machinery in Hospital.
Tore down walls in Almshouse Nursery.
Repaired plastering in Female Almshouse.
Repaired plastering in Nursery.
Cemented window jambs in the Engine House.

Miscellaneous.

Carted 100 yards for filling-in purposes.
Distributed 60 cubic yards of screenings around Almshouse walks.

Clothing Made.

Men's coats	73	Women's underwaists	2
Men's vests	48	Women's red flannel drawers	4
Men's pants	174	Shrouds	26
Men's undershirts	50	Bed ticks	151
Men's overshirts	100	Bed sheets	263
Men's jumpers	1	Pillow ticks	235
Men's drawers	116	Pillow cases	56
Men's aprons	18	Mattress ticks	50
Women's dresses	392	Napkins	48
Women's petticoats	394	Hand-towels	254
Women's chemises	207	Roller towels	6
Women's aprons	78	Table cloths	6
Women's nightgowns	132	Curtains	12

Clothing Repaired.

Men's coats	151	Women's petticoats	549
Men's vests	66	Women's chemises	325
Men's pants	174	Women's nightgowns	18
Men's undershirts	573	Women's tick aprons	10
Men's overshirts	1,018	Bed sheets	323
Men's drawers	811	Bed ticks	83
Men's socks	1,403	Pillow cases	58
Women's dresses	862		

D. J. MADDEN, Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

AN ABSTRACT OF THE TRANSACTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 5, 1899.
(Section 1546, Greater New York Charter.)

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Removal of Incumbrances.

(Section 545, Greater New York Charter.)

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand July 29, 1899	279
Incumbrances seized during the week	109
	388
Incumbrances redeemed and released	81
Incumbrances sold at auction July 31, 1899	77
	158

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand 230

Moneys

transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows:	
For trimming scows for week ending August 7, 1899	\$953 00
For redemption of incumbrances for week ending July 29, 1899	165 65

Pay-rolls and Bills

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 115—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Stokers of dumper "Cenerentola" for month of July, 1899	\$80 00
Schedule No. 116, Sundries—	
Gleason, Jos. G., rent of store	\$120 00
Holland, Edw., & Co., patrol service, etc.	888 00
Hill, Thos., ash carts	880 00
	840 00
New York Sanitary Utilization Company, removal of garbage	6,749 25
Plunkitt, Geo. W., rent of stable	1,250 00
	1,062 50
Total	\$11,781 75

Schedule No. 117—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, Cartmen, etc., for week ending August 3, 1899	\$41,874 36

Amounts of Material from all Dumps and Dumping Places, as follows:

	CART-LOADS, GARBAGE.	CART-LOADS, ASHES.	CART-LOADS, REFUSE AND OTHER MATERIAL.	CART-LOADS, TOTAL.
Department carts	4,140 1/2	12,888 3/4	4,246 1/2	21,275
Permit carts	362	6,557 1/2	616	7,529 1/2
	4,502 1/2	19,445 3/4	4,862 1/2	28,804 1/2

FINES IMPOSED FOR VIOLATION OF DEPARTMENT RULES, WEEK ENDING AUGUST 5, 1899.

Sweepers.

NAME.	SECTION.	DAYS FINED.	NAME.	SECTION.	DAYS FINED.
Joseph Phillipson	10 Sub.	1	Maurice Kerrigan, detailed	21	7
Fred. Drandt	10 Sub.	1	John Crawford	9	1
Frank Colasurdo	9	1	David Myles	27	1
James McCaffrey	58 Sub.	1	James Ward, detailed	38	1
Otto Kokesh	20	2	James P. Murray, detailed	2	1
James W. Jones	20	1	Thomas Dennell, detailed	28	1
George Worden, detailed	28	1	Pasq. Valletutte	3	1
Charles Coleman	4 Sub.	4	James E. Goldman	36	1
Vincenzo Cudemo	4 Sub.	1	George Campbell	7	1
Edward Maher	19	3	Gustave Trondle	23	1
Carmine Tarrollo	23	1	Michael O'Toole	23	2
Peter Wenzel	23	1	John C. Gartner	30	1
Martin Henchan	36	3			

Drivers.

NAME.	STABLE.	DAYS FINED.	NAME.	STABLE.	DAYS FINED.
Henry Seery, Hostler	A	1	Hugh Warren	A	1
Henry Himmer	A	2	Theodore Foreman	E	2
Hugh McLaughlin	K	5	Michael Moran	I	1
Denis J. Collins	D	2	Raphael Salerno	D	1
Patrick Gatens	E	1	Henry Herter	E	1
John McGuiness	C	3	James J. Cashman	K	1
Thomas J. Greeley	B	1	Daniel Adams	B	2
Philip Dolan	B	2	Philip McAndrews	B	1
James Smith	C	2	Michael Mulvey	C	2
Genora Lanzelli	G	1	James McHenry	C	15
William Murphy	D	3	Philip Woolf	K	3
Owen Reilly	A	2	Thomas Butler	E	1
Daniel J. Conway	K	1	Arthur P. Davis	K	1
Michael S. Dunne	K	1			

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Moneys

transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows:
For privilege dumping refuse foot of Gold street, etc., for week ending July 29, 1899

\$62 00

Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 88, Sundries—	
Abrams, Marcia, rent of store	\$90 00
Bellew, Patrick, rent of store	60 00
Curtis, N. Willard, rent of store	75 00
Devine, John J., rent of store	75 00
Dick, Maud W., rent of store	69 00
Graham, Daniel F., rent of store	54 00
Hunter, Samuel D., rent of store	75 00
Murphy, Peter J., rent of store	82 50
Nelson, John F., rent of store	90 00
Pyburn, John J., rent of store	75 00
Taft, Julius, attorney, rent of store	90 00
Tierney, Maria A., as administratrix	90 00
Total	\$925 50

Schedule No. 95—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers for week ending August 3, 1899	\$8,698 68

Schedule No. 96—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Hired Carts for week ending August 3, 1899	\$3,068 04

Schedule No. 94, Sundries—	
Brooklyn Sanitary Company, removal of garbage	\$10,000 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Pay-roll

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 16—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Hired Carts and Crematory, Employees for month of July, 1899	\$1,278 66

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Pay-rolls and Bills

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 39—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages, detailed Sweepers, for week ending July 27, 1899	\$34 52

Schedule No. 38, Sundries—	
Foley, Thomas, cleaning streets, etc.	\$800 00

Schedule No. 40, Sundries—	
Bornemann, Herman, cleaning streets, etc.	\$115 00
Card, William C., cleaning streets, etc.	411 67
Deegan, James, cleaning streets, etc.	325 00
Dorsey, John J., cleaning streets, etc.	160 00
Force & Co., William A., rubber stamps	60
Hohfeler, Matthew, sweeping streets, etc.	376 13
Larsen, Magnus, sweeping streets, etc.	658 00
Mulhall, James, collecting, etc., ashes, etc.	80 00
Schuly, Christopher, collecting, etc., ashes, etc.	275 00
Total	\$2,401 50

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan, designated
with full powers of Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending July 22, 1899.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury	\$490,783 46
" Sinking Funds	236,322 28
Total	\$727,105 74

Stock and Bonds Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds	\$3,500 00
Three per cent. Stock	80,860 61
Total	\$84,360 61

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$1,446,889 29
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" Warrants	562,587 57
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants	68,720 80
Total	\$2,078,197 66

Suits, Orders of Courts, Judgments, etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEYS.
Supreme.	William J. Kinsley...	\$1,733 90	Transcripts of judgments as follows:	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
"	John J. McKone...	400 00		Matthew F. Ennis.
Supreme, Richmond.	Charles W. Schuttdorf...	136 28		James Burke, Jr.
"	Staten Island Water Supply Company...	2,271 99		Christie & Brightman.
Supreme, Westchester.	The Westchester Home for Destitute Children...	141 28		William Bruerton.
Supreme.	Michael Fagan...	185 25		J. E. Smith.
"	John McElroy...	214 03		Ingle Carpenter.
"	Thomas B. Reilly...	198 82		"
"	Peter Henderson...	49 22		"
"	Albert Munster...	455 75		"
"	Frederick J. Carr...	109 34		"
"	Charles Heidelberg...	852 20		M. Meyer.
Supreme, Queens.	Robert Armstrong...	101 86		Charles Dussler.
"	Edward A. Slavin...	77 07		Thomas P. Burke.
"	Patrick Ward...	563 44		"
"	Theodore H. Hoffmann...	48 93		"
"	James E. Clonin and another...	142 98		"
Supreme, Kings.	John Murray...	16,483 46		Mulqueen & Mulqueen.
"	Alfred T. Wilson...	41 04		P. E. Callahan.
"	Richard Herrmann...	140 89		McKenzie & Beebe.
"	Frank V. Lenden...	37 72		Eugene Conran.
Supreme, Richmond.	David B. Van Name...	92 37		James Burke, Jr.
"	The Dossy Law Book Company...	120 49		"
Supreme, Queens.	Frank Rawlings...	63 10		A. C. Thayer.
"	Max Brill...	63 10		"
"	Isaac Almstead...	63 10		"
"	First National Bank of Staten Island...	63 10		"
"	Edward M. Fork...	63 10		"
"	Robert Goggin...	104 62		James Burke, Jr.
Supreme, Kings.	Thomas G. Carlin...	956 30		John B. Shanahan.
Supreme.	Albert Tilt...	1,654 50		Hawke & Flannery.
"	The People on relation of Sanders Shanks, as receiver, vs. The Comptroller...	522 74	Copies of order vacating writ of mandamus and order for alternative writ to Comptroller to pay relator \$522.74 or show cause within twenty days after service.	J. C. Guggenheimer.
"	In matter of application of Frederick Bundstein for payment of awards for lands on Fulton avenue, between Spring place and Twenty-third Ward boundary	239 28	Copy of order directing payment into court of amount of award, less any tax or assessment liens thereon and appointing referee herein.	J. F. Yawger.
Supreme, Kings.	Isaac S. Douglass...	216 25	Summons and complaint. For payment for services rendered former City of Brooklyn	Charles O. Grimm.
Supreme, Kings.	James and Catherine Trainor...	337 50	Summons and complaint. For payment of rent for part of premises Nos. 854-856 Gates avenue, leased by former City of Brooklyn	"
Supreme.	In matters of applications of Benjamin E. Valentine and others for payment of awards in re opening of Melrose avenue		Copy of order to show cause July 21, 1899, why order should not issue staying proceedings, etc.	Shearman & Sterling.
"	Henrietta A. Mittenacht...	549 49	Writ of mandamus directing Comptroller to pay judgment obtained by relator.	John Callahan.
"	In matters of application of B. E. Valentine and others for payment of awards in re opening of Melrose avenue.		Copies of three orders denying petitions with costs, etc., to respondents.	B. E. Valentine.
"	G. M. Smith and another, vs. The City et al.		Notice of pendency of action.	Pryor & Truax.
"	John H. Brobst...	350 00	Notice of settlement for \$350 and notice of lien of attorneys on amount.	Towns & McCrossin.
Supreme.	Alonso S. Gear...	1,333 34	Summons and complaint. For payment of balance of salary as Foreman of Pipe Yard.	R. W. G. Welling.
Supreme, Kings.	Martin Kelly...	25 20	Summons and complaint. For payment for removing snow and ice for City.	A. S. Sanborn.
Supreme, Queens.	Charles W. Losee...	6 00	For payment for services of W. W. Gower, assignor, as Ballot Clerk, rendered Town of Newtown.	J. J. Gleason.
Supreme.	Margaret Healy...		Summons and notice of lien of plaintiff's attorneys.	Hatch & Wickes.
"	William H. Healy...		Summons and notice of lien of plaintiff's attorneys.	"
"	The People ex rel. Rendrock Powder Company vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.		Copy order denying motion to quash writ of certiorari with costs (with bill of costs, \$31.70 inclosed).	Hawke & Flannery.
Supreme, Appellate Division.	The People ex rel. Rendrock Powder Company vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.		Copy of order denying appeal and sustaining order denying motion to quash writ of certiorari, with \$10 costs and disbursements.	"

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Bertha Burgdorf...	\$10,000 00	Summons and complaints. For damages for personal injuries, as follows:	Louis Steckler.
"	Wilhelmine Ehlers...	10,000 00		"
Supreme, Kings.	Veronika Manger, administratrix...	20,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages by death of late John Manger.	Morris & Whitehouse.
"	William Huber...	1,033 35	Summons and complaint. For damages to premises No. 469 Central avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.	Morris & Whitehouse.
Supreme.	In matter of petition of Ella M. Shaw to vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Hampden street, from Sedgwick to Jerome avenue.		Copy of order reducing assessment on Block No. 234, Ward No. 50, from \$806.13 to \$500.	Truman H. Baldwin
Supreme, Kings.	Wolf C. T. Limpert...	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries	P. F. Lorzer.

Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1899, July 17	Cornelius Foley...	\$877 50	For payment of balance of salary for time illegally deprived of position as Engineer in School No. 7, Borough of Queens.	John J. O'Neill.
" 17			Notices withdrawing claims filed June 12, 1899, for reimbursement of counsel fees, etc., under chapter 700, Laws of 1899, as follows:	
"	Henry L. Sayles...	3,000 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
"	Jacob Siebert...	15,000 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
" 17			For reimbursement of counsel fees and expenses incurred to defend themselves as public officers in proceedings which were dismissed, as follows:	
"	Henry L. Sayles...	5,000 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
"	Jacob Siebert...	17,500 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
"	Charles Dempsey...	3,000 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
"	Timothy J. Ormsby...	2,500 00		Jas. Koch and F. V. S. Oliver.
" 17	Maudell Kaufman and Hugh Cassidy...		For reduction of assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Fourth to Fifth avenues.	Truman H. Baldwin.
" 17			For reduction to 50 per cent. of amounts assessed for sewers on Twelfth and Thirtieth avenues, between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, and on Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Twentieth streets, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues, as follows:	
"	J. B. & J. M. Cornell, The Terminal Improvement Company			T. H. Baldwin.
"	The Terminal Warehouse Company...			"
"			For payment of difference from prevailing rates in wages as employees of City Departments, as follows:	
" 17	Patrick Clune...	55 00		Hunt & Ingle.
" 17	Daniel Finnerty...	160 00		"
" 17	Daniel Rock...	320 00		"
" 17	James Flood...	160 00		"
" 18	John T. Mayers...	400 00		James E. Smith.
" 18	Eugene F. Gearty...	1,565 00		William J. Walsh.
" 18	Thomas Feehan...	73 50		Hunt & Ingle.
" 18	Philip Metzger...	70 00		"
" 18	Charles Bessing...			Eugene Conran.
" 18	Patrick McGrath...			"
" 18	Archibald Molloy...			"
" 18	Michael Sullivan...			"
" 18	John Hanley...	75 00		Alden & Carpenter.
" 18	Bridget Kaufman, administratrix...	1,700 00		"
" 18	Peter Mahoney...	253 33		"
" 18	Martin Schilling...	66 00		"
" 18	Cornelius Manning...	210 00		"
" 18	Michael Rooney...	500 00		"
" 18	Richard Cleary...	130 00		"
" 18	Thomas Mulvihill...	300 00		"
" 18	Hugh Donnelly...	200 00		"
" 18	John Keenen...	300 00		"
" 18	Arthur Grunner...	700 00		"
" 18	Hans E. Bloom...	36 60		"
" 18	Lawrence J. Barry...	412 50		"
" 18	William Smith...	600 00		"
" 18	James Devins...	300 00		"
" 18	John Curtin...	811 00		"
" 18	Thomas J. Ryan...	337 50		"
" 18	William Garraghty...	44 00		"
" 18	John W. Serviss...	250 00		"
" 18	August Friskhorn...	1,037 50		"
" 18	Edward O'Conner...	425 00		"
" 18	Peter Carr...	315 00		Kugelman & Cohn
" 18	Leonard Morrison...	90 00		"
" 18	John C. Shaw...		For abatement in matters of various assessments for public improvements, as per schedules submitted in communications under dates of July 14 and (two) July 17, 1899.	John C. Shaw.
" 18	Albert Kuhnemuth...	25 80	For payment for supplies furnished Westchester School No. 1.	R. B. Aldcroft.
" 18	Mrs. Parker...	4 32	For refund of assessment paid for grading, etc., of Miller avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, as for Lot No. 6, Block 300, Ward No. 26.	"
" 18			For reimbursement under chapter 700, Laws of 1899, of counsel fees and expenses incurred to defend themselves as public officers in proceedings that were dismissed, as follows:	
"	R. J. Walmsley...	375 00		R. D. Hatch.
"	William H. Hart...	370 70		"
"	Richard F. Kenchan...	374 33		"
" 18	Harris Levy and another...	276 00	For refund of assessment paid on account of paving Goerck street.	Arthur Neville.
" 18	Orphan Asylum Society of Reformed Churches of Brooklyn and New York...	106 50	For payment for board and education of orphans at agreed price.	John J. Gleason.
" 18	Estelle Todd...	185 91	For payment of salary as Clerk to School Board, Borough of Queens.	Joseph Fitch.
" 18	Andrew Schrenk...	800 00	For payment of award for Lots Nos. 103 and 106 of Block 3262, of Twenty-fourth Ward, in matter of opening Fort Independence street, from Sedgwick avenue to Broadway	C. C. Ferris.
" 18	John V. Dahlgren...	863 14	For refund of personal taxes paid under protest.	James, Schell & Elkus.
" 18	Herman Fechter, assignee...	126 90	For payment for services rendered former Long Island City, by assignors, as per warrants issued therefor	Louis J. Marx.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1899.					1899.				
July 18	The Astoria Heights Land Company.		{ For adjustment of assessment for improvement of Grand avenue, Borough of Queens..... }	Hitchings, Pallister & Moen.	July 20	John O. Fordham....	\$75 00	For payment of rent for premises leased by Trustees of Common Schools of the Twenty-fourth Ward.....	Herman Vogel.
" 19	Mark Ash.....	\$776 56	For refund of assessments on Block 329, Lot No. 78, section No. 2, old Ward No. 73, for repaving Rivington and Lewis streets.		" 20	Michael J. Fitzpatrick.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	F. L. Backus.
" 19	New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor.....		{ For exemption from assessment for grading Surf avenue..... }	Strong & Cadwalader.	" 20	James Mitchell.....	6,000 00	For refund of counsel fees and disbursements incurred to defend themselves as public officers in proceedings which were dismissed, as follows:	"
" 19	George Kidney.....		For cancellation on tax-rolls on tax erroneously charged for 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894 and 1895 to claimant on non-existent premises.		" 20	Hannah Howard, administratrix of estate of M. J. Howard, deceased....	625 00		G. H. Bruce.
" 19	T. H. J. Heatley.....	145 50	For difference in wages from prevailing rates as City employees, as follows:	Schnitzer & Beihoff.	" 20	Frank Conjiano.....	1,000 00	For damages to premises, No. 87 St. Mary's avenue, Borough of Richmond, by change of grade.....	Benjamin Patterson.
" 19	Wm. H. Miller.....	137 50		R. H. Haskell.	" 20	Jane M. Foster.....	5,000 00	For damages by personal injuries, as follows:	B. H. Lord.
" 19	Jeremiah O'Brien.....	103 50	For payment of groceries supplied under orders of Overseer of the Poor of former Long Island City.....	T. P. Burke.	" 20	Leon Lindi.....	10,000 00		"
" 19	Rosina Weber.....	30 00			" 20	James Smith.....	1,565 00	For difference in wages from prevailing rates, as City Employees, as follows:	W. J. Walsh.
" 19	Walter S. Davies.....	299 57	For payment of interest on amount of awards for lands acquired by former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to chapter 444, Laws of 1895.....	Gumbleton & Hottenroth.	" 20	William Lawrence.....	232 80		Hunt & Ingle.
" 19	George R. Clark.....		For payment of award in matter of opening Grand Concourse, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Moshulu parkway.....		" 21	Patrick B. Murphy.....	939 00		W. J. Walsh.
" 19					" 21	W. C. B. Thornton, Trustee.....	1,753 95	For payment for materials supplied and services rendered by Robert Jones for Department of Health, Borough of Brooklyn	W. C. B. Thornton.
" 19			For payment of warrants issued by former Long Island City, as follows:	Thomas P. Burke.	" 21	Consolidated Gas Company.....	140,832 29	For payment for gas supplied to City, as per schedule.....	Turner, McClure & Rolston.
" 19	Ernest Fisk.....	7 50		"	" 22			For difference in wages, from prevailing rate, as City employees, as follows:	
" 19	John W. Brennan.....	5 50	For abatement of certain assessments, as per schedule submitted with communication dated July 19, 1899.....	J. C. Shaw.	" 22	James McGuire.....	100 00		Alden & Carpenter.
" 19	John C. Shaw.....				" 22	Patrick Cavanaugh.....	1,050 00		"
" 19	Charles F. Bond.....	463 00	For payment of rent of tool-house at foot of North Second street, Borough of Brooklyn, as per agreement.....	Hugo S. Mack.	" 22	Daniel O'Connor.....	200 00		"
" 19	M. A. Colwell.....	59,700 00	For payment of awards for Parcels Nos. 11 and 12, in matter of the Mayor, etc., acquiring lands in the Twenty-third Ward, for a public park.....	John C. Shaw.	" 22	Patrick Galvin.....	650 00		"
" 19			For payment of awards in matter of the Mayor, etc., acquiring Twelfth Ward lands, under chapter 56, Laws of 1894, as follows:		" 22	Michael Purcell.....	1,195 00		"
" 19	Anna Fellman.....	73,300 69		"	" 22	George Lehr.....	500 00		"
" 19	D. E. Seybel, executor.....	32,313 80		"	" 22	John Seymour.....	1,050 00		"
" 19	Bridget Curry.....	16,740 39		"	" 22	Felix Smith.....	750 00		"
" 19	E. A. Warby.....	20,048 60		"	" 22	John McCabe.....	610 00		"
" 19	Grozinger & Traut.....	4,332 00	For damages to merchandise by defective sewer.....	Purdy & Squire.	" 22	Thomas J. Bacon.....	616 00		"
" 20	Consolidated Gas Company.....	27,563 01	For payment for gas supplied 14,394 lamps and public markets, courts, etc.....		" 22	Joseph Cullen.....	225 00		"
" 20	Inebriates' Home for Kings County.....	115,435 02	For refund of expenditures from January 1, 1895, to May 1, 1899, for support and care of poor patients residents of and committed by magistrates of Kings County.....	Edw. A. Alexander.	" 22	Peter T. Kane.....	250 00		"
" 20					" 22	John J. Flynn.....	1,250 00		"
" 20					" 22	Bernard Fitzgerald.....	1,388 00		"
" 20					" 22	John Saul.....	475 00		"
" 20					" 22	"New York Press".....	61 20	For payment for advertising.....	Philip Carpenter.
" 20					" 22			For refund of counsel fees and expenses incurred to defend themselves as public officials in proceedings which were dismissed, as follows:	
" 20					" 22	Max F. Schmittberger.....	5,359 65		Koch & Oliver.
" 20					" 22	G. C. Squire, administratrix.....	6,000 00		"
" 20					" 22	W. L. D. O'Grady.....	200 00		John Delahunty.
" 20					" 22	William E. Frink.....	730 49		Roger Foster.
" 20					" 22	Edward R. Scott.....	425 00		

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 22, 1899.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
1276	June 23, 1899	Parks.....	The Bronx.....	Caldwell Lawn Mower Company.....	{ The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... }	\$700 00	For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, 12 horse lawn mowers and 25 imperial hand lawn mowers, and all the labor and material required to repair, put in proper order and maintain for one year from date of contract, 12 horse lawn mowers and 18 hand lawn mowers.....	\$925 00
1277	July 12, "	Sewers.....	Manhattan.....	D. W. Hemming.....	{ The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... }	10,000 00	For the construction of sewers in Elm street, between Duane and Pearl streets, between Pearl and Worth streets, between Leonard and Franklin and White streets, between White and Walker streets, between Walker and Canal streets, between Grand and Broome streets, between Jersey and Houston streets, between Houston and Bleeker streets, between Bleeker and Bond streets, and Bond and Great Jones street, Borough of Manhattan.....	19,930 00
1278	" 7, "	".....	".....	Frederick W. Dashe.....	{ The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... }	5,000 00	For the construction of sewers in Eleventh avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	9,143 50
1279	" 15, "	".....	".....	The New York Sewer Construction Company.....	{ Michael Regan..... John M. McCarthy..... }	2,000 00	For the construction of sewers in Ninth avenue, between Eighteenth and Twenty-third streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	4,512 45
1280	" 13, "	Education.....	Brooklyn.....	W. & T. Lamb.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	111,000 00	For erecting an addition to Public School 53, Borough of Brooklyn..	111,000 00
1281	" 11, "	".....	".....	Francis A. Williams, doing business under the firm name and style of Blake & Williams.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	13,060 00	For supplying heating and ventilating apparatus for Public School 5, Borough of Brooklyn.....	13,060 00
1282	June 22, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	The Manhattan Supply Company.....	{ William H. Barron..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... }	1,200 00	For supplying furniture, Item 1, for Public School 165, Borough of Manhattan.....	1,159 23
1283	" 22, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	The Manhattan Supply Company.....	{ William H. Barron..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... }	700 00	For supplying furniture, Item 1, for Public School 173, Borough of The Bronx.....	673 66
1284	" 29, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	A. G. Spalding & Bros.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	2,880 24	For supplying furniture, Item 5, for Public School 165, and furniture, Item 5, for Public School 157, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,880 24
1285	" 13, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	James G. Walsh.....	National Surety Company...	3,756 54	For supplying furniture, Item 3, Public School 159; furniture, Item 3, for Public School 163, and furniture, Item 3, for Public School 157, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,756 54
1286	May 26, "	".....	Brooklyn.....	Moquin-Offerman-Heisenbutel Coal Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	42,110 00	For furnishing and delivering at the respective schools in the Borough of Brooklyn 16,600 tons, more or less, of Wilkesbarre white ash coal, during the year ending May 1, 1900: For broken size coal (per ton of 2,240 pounds)..... \$3 96 For egg size coal (per ton of 2,240 pounds)..... 4 18 For stove size coal (per ton of 2,240 pounds)..... 4 49 Estimate as per Comptroller's certificate..... 42,110 00	
1287	July 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Thomas McKeown.....	National Surety Company....	8,781 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 35, Borough of Manhattan.....	8,781 00
1288	" 13, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	W. M. Fleischman.....	".....	3,489 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 90, Borough of The Bronx.....	3,489 00
1289	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	A. & W. Gray & Co.....	".....	1,182 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 19, Borough of Manhattan.....	1,182 00
1290	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Alfred Nugent & Son.....	{ The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... }	7,767 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools 58, 73 and 129, Borough of Manhattan.....	7,767 00
1291	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	".....	{ The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... }	6,000 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School 61, Borough of The Bronx.....	6,000 00
1292	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	James Hamilton.....	National Surety Company....	3,459 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School 100, Borough of The Bronx.....	3,459 00
1293	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	".....	".....	2,097 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School 74, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,097 00
1294	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	".....	".....	1,473 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 101, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,473 00
1295	June 20, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Tolmie & Kerr.....	".....	6,129 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools 22 and 23, Borough of Manhattan.....	6,129 00
1296	" 11, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	".....	".....	1,445 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School 62, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,445 00

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
1297	June 11, 1899	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	Tolmie & Kerr	National Surety Company	\$1,723 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 68, Borough of Manhattan	\$1,723 00
1298	" 11, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	"	"	594 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 91, Borough of The Bronx	594 00
1299	June 27, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	J. G. Mackay	H. W. Richardson William E. Good	235 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 73, Borough of Manhattan	698 00
1300	May 4, "	Parks	The Bronx	Harrisburg Foundry and Machine Works	American Surety Company of New York The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering one twelve-ton steam road roller of the twelve-ton Rochester type, or equal thereto, for the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx	1,685 00
1301	July 3, "	Sewers (Bond)	Brooklyn	E. J. McKeever	Patrick Farrell	200 00	For constructing sewer and appurtenances in Patchen avenue, between Halsey street and Macon street, in the Borough of Brooklyn: For 12-inch pipe sewer, per linear foot..... \$60 95 For manholes, each..... 30 00 For foundation plank, per foot, C. M..... 25 00	
1302	June 29, "	"	"	James H. Holmes	James F. Gillen Patrick Farrell	300 00	For constructing receiving-basins on the northeast corner Grant street and Bedford avenue, northeast corner Johnson place and Grant street, northeast corner Prospect place and Grant street, northwest corner Prospect place and Grant street, northeast corner Rogers avenue and Grant street, northwest corner Nostrand avenue and Grant street, Borough of Brooklyn: For each receiving-basin complete..... \$76 00	
1303	" 29, "	"	"	"	James F. Gillen Patrick Farrell	250 00	For constructing receiving-basins on the southeast corner Fifty-fifth street and First avenue, northeast corner Fifty-sixth street and First avenue, southeast corner Fifty-sixth street and First street, northeast corner Fifty-seventh street and First avenue, southeast corner Fifty-seventh street and First avenue, Borough of Brooklyn: For each basin complete, etc..... \$76 00	
1304	" 29, "	"	"	Matthew F. Meagher and Henry Newman, composing the firm of Newman & Co.	Lawrence F. Carroll Patrick Hayes	300 00	For constructing sewer and appurtenances in Lincoln road, from Flatbush avenue, in a southwesterly direction 202 feet, to the curb-line of East Twenty-first street, in the Borough of Brooklyn: For 12-inch cement pipe sewer, per linear foot..... \$0 99 For manholes, complete (each)..... 30 00 For foundation planking, per 1,000 feet, C. M..... 20 00	
1305	" 29, "	"	"	James H. Holmes	James F. Gillen Patrick Farrell	200 00	For constructing receiving-basins on the northeast corner Nostrand avenue and Linden boulevard; northeast corner Avenue A and Flatbush avenue; northeast corner Clarkson street and Rogers avenue; northwest corner Clarkson street and Rogers avenue, Borough of Brooklyn: For each receiving-basin..... \$78 00	
1306	" 29, "	"	"	Matthew F. Meagher and Henry Newman, composing the firm of Newman & Co.	Lawrence F. Carroll Patrick Hayes	400 00	For constructing sewer and appurtenances in Little street, from Evans street to United States street, Borough of Brooklyn: For 12-inch cement pipe sewer, per linear foot..... \$0 99 For manholes, complete..... 30 00 For foundation planking, per 1,000 feet, board measurement..... 20 00	
1307	" 13, "	Fire	Brooklyn and Queens	The Akron Rubber Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering 5,000 feet 2½-inch fire hose, "White Star" brand, or equal thereto, for the Fire Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	5,000 00
1308	" 13, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	The B. F. Goodrich Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering 2,000 feet of seamless rubber line fire hose, "White Anchor" brand rubber fire hose, or equal thereto, for the Fire Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	2,000 00
1309	" 14, "	Street Cleaning	Manhattan and The Bronx	Thomas Lenane	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	7,000 00	For furnishing and delivering forage, viz.: 1,048,800 pounds hay, 262,000 pounds rye straw, 2,010,200 pounds No. 2 white oats, 100,000 pounds first quality bran, 10,000 pounds first quality coarse salt, 15,000 pounds first quality rock salt, 10,000 pounds first quality oil meal, 15,000 pounds first quality oat meal for the Department of Street Cleaning, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	31,031 51
1310	" 18, "	Public Charities	Brooklyn and Queens	W. H. Henneberger	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	3,007 00	For furnishing and delivering 31,000 pounds best quality butter for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	6,014 00
1311	" 13, "	Fire	Brooklyn and Queens	Voorhees Rubber Manufacturing Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	2,250 00	For furnishing and delivering 4,500 feet 2½-inch fire hose, "Conqueror" brand, or equal thereto, for the Fire Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	4,500 00
1312	" 18, "	Public Charities	Brooklyn and Queens	C. W. Keenan	John A. Casey Charles Calman	800 00	For furnishing and delivering paints, painters' supplies, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	1,589 73
1313	" 11, "	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	D. G. Pecora	National Surety Company	3,570 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 78, Borough of Manhattan	3,570 00
1314	" 11, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	"	"	2,150 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at the Mixed High School, Borough of The Bronx	2,150 00

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

1899.
July 17. For furnishing manila rope and for dredging in Wallabout Canal—For Department of Docks and Ferries.

July 18. For Engineers' supplies and repairs—For Department of Public Charities.

July 18. No. 1. For regulating, grading and paving with granite-block pavement on sand foundation, the carriageway of Forty-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 18. No. 2. For regulating, grading and paving with granite-block pavement on sand foundation, the carriageway of Forty-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 18. No. 3. For regulating, grading and paving with granite-block pavement on sand foundation, the carriageway of Forty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 18. No. 4. For regulating, grading and paving with granite-block pavement on sand foundation, the carriageway of Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 20. For furnishing lumber and miscellaneous supplies—For Department of Correction.

July 20. No. 1. For sewers in Fifth avenue, from Overton avenue to Seventy-ninth street; Seventy-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to New York Bay, and Seventy-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to a point about 100 feet east of Fort Hamilton avenue—For Department of Sewers.

July 20. No. 2. Sewers in Washington avenue, to provide a new outlet for the Wallabout Market sewers to New Pier No. 2—For Department of Sewers.

July 20. No. 1. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways 5,000 lineal feet of curbstone and 10,000 square feet of bluestone bridging, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 2. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways 12 improved sprinkling trucks, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 3. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways about 380 gross tons of anthracite coal, egg size; also, about 20 gross tons of Cumberland bituminous coal, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 4. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways 1,000 chestnut posts; about 100,000 feet, B. M., spruce lumber; about 3,000 feet, B. M., white pine lumber; 2,500 feet, B. M., white oak lumber; 2,000 feet, B. M., white wood lumber, and 1,000 feet, B. M., hickory lumber, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 5. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways 14 sheet iron carts, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 6. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways about 132,000 feet, B. M., spruce lumber and about 41,000 feet, B. M., yellow pine lumber, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

1899.

July 20. No. 7. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways forage, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 8. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways about 1,500 cubic yards of Cow Bay sand, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

July 20. No. 9. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Highways 6 improved sprinkling trucks, Borough of Bronx—For Department of Highways.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

1899.

July 17. For furnishing forage—For Department of Parks.

Theodore P. Huffman and James O'Bowne, No. 650 West Thirty-fourth street, Principals.

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }
Broadway, } Sureties.

American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }

July 19. For sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Boulevard (Broadway) and Hamilton place—For Department of Sewers.

Walter J. Ford, No. 17 West One Hundred and Third street, Principal.

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }
Broadway, } Sureties.

The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }

July 20. For excavations at Red Hook Park—For Department of Parks.

Thomas F. Gilbride, Avenue E and East Second street, Brooklyn, Principal.

Mark Hamerschlag, No. 80 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn, }
Joseph B. Koplik, No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty- } Sureties.
second street, }

July 21. For furnishing manila rope—For Department of Docks and Ferries.

Travers Bros. Company, No. 107 Duane street, Principals.

Eugene T. Hawkins, No. 168 East Seventy-first street, }
James C. Conway, No. 43 West Ninety-fifth street, } Sureties.

July 21. For repairing fire-boat "Wm. F. Havemeyer"—For Fire Department.

John F. Walsh, Jr., No. 32 King street, Principal.

The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }
Broadway, } Sureties.

The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }

Official Designation.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from July 17 to July 22, 1899, both days inclusive.

Designation of Compensation.

Charles Kinkel, Bill Clerk, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, compensation at rate of \$1,500 per annum.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., AUGUST 12, 1899.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION JULY 1, 1899.	DEATHS.	BIRTHS.	MARRIAGES.	STILL-BIRTHS.	DEATH-RATE.
Manhattan.....	1,953,569	695	963	425	59	18.56
*The Bronx.....	163,537	79	73	7	6	25.21
Brooklyn.....	1,231,548	440	433	96	24	18.64
Queens.....	134,139	72	89	12	4	28.01
Richmond.....	67,260	32	26	4	1	24.82
City of New York.	3,550,053	1,318	1,584	544	94	19.37

* Many large institutions raise the death-rate.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

WEEK ENDING—														
	May 13.	May 20.	May 27.	June 3.	June 10.	June 17.	June 24.	July 1.	July 8.	July 15.	July 22.	July 29.	Aug. 5.	Aug. 12.
Phthisis.....	199	170	169	142	134	128	163	140	98	148	163	106	150	188
Diphtheria.....	175	219	238	249	227	219	198	191	191	192	161	134	155	104
Croup.....	12	13	12	7	10	10	7	11	10	4	4	3	..	..
Measles.....	377	438	404	420	422	375	330	278	216	253	203	164	156	4
Scarlet Fever.....	171	196	212	214	188	136	130	93	125	102	93	77	54	45
Small-pox.....	1	1	12	11	6	3	2	7	3	..	3	..	..	1
Typhoid Fever.....	26	12	58	13	12	18	16	30	16	30	30	40	43	29
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	961	1,049	1,105	1,056	999	883	848	750	659	729	657	524	558	371

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes.....	1,318	701	617	417	107	62	586	50	80	261	208	133
Diphtheria.....	30	11	19	2	5	11	18	10	1	1	..	..
Croup.....	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	4	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..
Measles.....	11	7	4	5	1	3	9	1	1	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever.....	2	..	2	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	12	10	2	..	..	..	..	1	3	7	1	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	15	5	10	6	3	4	15	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	181	84	97	119	34	6	153	4	..	..	9	9
Phthisis.....	169	102	60	3	2	..	5	3	31	92	34	4
Other Tuberculous Diseases.....	35	18	17	11	4	5	20	3	4	7	1	..
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	96	52	44	27	6	6	39	1	3	13	23	17
Heart Diseases.....	69	34	35	2	..	..	2	4	5	18	27	13
Bronchitis.....	16	8	8	8	3	1	12	..	..	..	4	..
Pneumonia.....	90	40	50	24	23	11	58	3	4	11	8	6
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	6	4	2	2	..	..	2	..	1	1	1	1
Diseases of Digestive System.....	164	88	76	91	15	3	109	5	7	18	14	11
Diseases of Urinary System.....	87	44	43	2	..	1	3	4	6	25	27	22
Congenital Debility.....	104	55	49	101	3	..	104	..	..	..	..	..
Old Age.....	25	10	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21
Suicides.....	14	10	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	7	3	1
Other violent deaths.....	59	49	10	..	..	4	4	8	4	24	16	3
All other causes.....	128	60	68	14	5	5	24	3	6	34	39	22

* Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and preterm births.

Causes of Death not Specified in the Foregoing Table.

Zymotic.	Circulatory.	Genito-urinary.
Cerebro-spinal Fever, 6; Septicæmia, 5; Puerperal Fever, 4; Syphilis, 3; Erysipelas, 3.	Embolic, 6; Senile Gangrene, 1; Aneurism, 1.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis, 82; Ovarian Diseases, 2; Diseases of Bladder, 3; Pyonephrosis, 2.
Dietetic.	Respiratory.	Locomotor.
Alcoholism, 12; Scurvy, 1.	Chronic Bronchitis, 1; Emphysema, 1; Pleurisy, 3; Bronchial Cyst, 1.	Necrosis, 2; Arthritis, 2.
Constitutional.	Digestive.	Integumentary.
Cancer, 48; Tubercular Meningitis, 20; Tuberculosis, 13; Rheumatism, 4; Diabetes, 5; Purpura, 1; Anæmia, 2; Tabes Mesenterica, 1; Rickets, 1.	Gastro-enteritis, 86; Gastritis, 6; Enteritis, 22; Cirrhosis, 11; Peritonitis, 4; Appendicitis, 11; Hernia, 3; Hepatitis, 2; Intestinal Obstruction, 5; Ulcer of Stomach, 3; Intestinal Ulceration, 1; Indigestion, 2; Stomatitis, 1; Jaundice, 1; Stricture of Intestines, 2; Dentition, 4.	Carbuncle, 1; Abscesses, 1.
Nervous.	Accident.	Other Causes.
Convulsions, 10; Meningitis, 28; Apoplexy, 34; Insanity, 8; Congestion of Brain, 1; Paralysis, 9; Locomotor Ataxy, 1; Tetanus, 1; Epilepsy, 2; Neurasthenia, 1; Cerebral Tumor, 1.	Poison, 2; Fractures, 23; Burns and Scalds, 5; Drowning, 13; Railroad, 4; Sunstroke, 1; Wounds, 1; Gunshot, 2; Electric Current, 1.	Otitis, 1; Puerperal Convulsions, 3; Foramen Ovale Open, 3; Post-partum Hemorrhage, 1; Miscarriage, 2; Spina Bifida, 1; Mastoiditis, 1; Umbilical Abscess, 1; Cleft Palate, 1; Intestinal Malformation, 1; Cranial Malformation, 1; Placenta Prævia, 1; Homicide, 5.

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

	WEEK ENDING—													
	May 20.	May 27.	June 3.	June 10.	June 17.	June 24.	July 1.	July 8.	July 15.	July 22.	July 29.	Aug. 5.	Aug. 12.	
Total deaths.....	1,139	1,151	1,202	1,462	1,070	1,160	1,369	1,607	1,652	1,559	1,444	1,245	1,318	
Annual death-rate	16.74	16.92	17.67	21.49	15.73	17.05	20.12	23.62	24.28	22.91	21.22	18.30	19.37	
Diphtheria.....	25	31	46	37	31	30	31	42	25	42	24	19	30	
Croup.....	10	4	10	7	10	3	7	6	2	6	1	4	1	
Malarial Fevers.....	2	2	3	4	5	1	4	3	5	2	11	6	4	
Measles.....	18	16	19	30	16	12	8	13	11	13	7	8	11	
Scarlet Fever.....	14	17	14	19	13	14	8	7	6	10	4	5	2	
Small-pox.....	..	3	2	3	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	8	4	5	3	6	5	8	10	11	8	10	15	12	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	4	1	11	12	9	10	9	10	16	19	12	15	15	
Diarrhoeal Diseases	18	11	19	60	71	120	245	350	344	318	264	180	181	
Diarrhoeal Diseases under 5 years.....	14	10	18	58	66	115	231	328	318	300	231	155	159	
Phthisis.....	141	141	139	137	117	145	139	140	163	154	140	122	169	
Bronchitis.....	30	31	32	45	26	19	26	20	21	14	29	15	16	
Pneumonia.....	168	144	168	148	97	100	104	114	103	89	103	63	90	
Other Diseases of Respiratory Organs.....	21	23	26	27	15	13	4	14	18	18	17	10	6	
Violent Deaths.....	61	72	68	173	76	57	68	74	104	62	67	57	73	
Under one year.....	201	206	253	375	263	317	487	634	666	634	512	437	417	
Under five years.....	339	360	440	594	422	495	664	845	873	863	702	600	586	
Fifty to sixty-five.....	629	635	593	686	499	533	585	600	639	569	578	508	599	
Sixty-five years and over.....	171	156	169	182	149	132	120	162	140	127	164	137	133	
In Public and Private Institutions.....	282	317	273	345	261	283	230	326	380	326	294	279	206	
Inquest Cases.....	161	157	163	214	109	144	194	169	217	157	154	154	171	
Mean barometer.....	29.924	30.045	29.89	29.909	29.961	29.958	29.983	29.915	29.880	29.838	29.899	29.840	29.812	
Mean humidity.....	66.	62.	67.	63.	73.	68.	66.	74.	62.	57.	73.	76.	74.	
Inches of rain and snow.....	.08	.02	.04	..	.83	.47	.06	1.91	.66	.98	.88	.82	2.30	
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	56.9°	62.6°	73.4°	78.2°	73.5°	73.4°	72.1°	78.6°	75.4°	77.7°	75.8°	77.6°	74.1°	
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	68.°	75.°	88.°	95.°	92.°	91.°	84.°	93.°	88.°	90.°	95.°	94.°	88.°	
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	50.°	52.°	58.°	63.°	57.°	61.°	59.°	64.°	66.°	66.°	64.°	65.°	60.°	

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospitals.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.									
	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Measles with Diphtheria.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever with Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever with Measles.	Scarlet Fever and Varicella.	Measles.	Diphtheria and Pertussis.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Varicella.
Remaining Aug. 5..	18	34	52	4	1	3	1	..	8	..	22	2	41
Admitted.....	4	11	15	1	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	4	11
Discharged.....	1	9	10	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	6	..	10
Died.....	..	8	8	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Remaining Aug. 12.	21	28	49	4	1	2	1	..	11	..	16	5	40
Total treated..	22	45	67	5	2	3	1	..	13	..	22	6	52

	KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL.											
	Diphtheria.	Erysipelas.	Varicella.	Scarlet Fever with Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Scarlet Fever with Measles.	Measles.	Measles with Diphtheria.	Pertussis.	Tonsillitis.	Diphtheria and Varicella.	Total.
Remaining August 5....	8	3	..	..	2	..	7	3	..	..	..	23
Admitted.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Discharged.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
Died.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Remaining August 12....	9	3	..	..	2	..	5	3	..	..	..	22
Total treated.....	12	3	..	..	2	..	7	3	..	..	..	27

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

BOROUGH.	WARDS.	SICKNESS.							DEATHS REPORTED.								
		Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Small-pox.	Phthisis.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Phthisis.	All Causes.
The Bronx	Manhattan.	First	2	1	1	1	..
		Second
		Third	1	..
		Fourth	1	..	2
		Fifth	3	2	..
		Sixth	1	..	2	7	3	1
		Seventh	2	..	3	5	1	..	8	3	..	1	5	3
		Eighth	1	2	3	1	3	..
		Ninth.....	3	..	6	1	1	..	7	2	8	3
		Tenth.....	3	..	13	1	5	3	1
		Eleventh.....	8	..	3	1	1	..	6	1	3	3
		Twelfth	14	..	16	5	6	..	14	1	2	16	14
		Thirteenth.....	5	..	6	6	1	..	2	2	1
		Fourteenth	1	2	1	2	1
		Fifteenth.....	2	4	..
		Sixteenth.....	1	..	6	4	1	6	2
		Seventeenth.....	4	..	12	1	8	1	10	5
		Eighteenth	2	..	4	4	9	1	..	1	5	2
		Nineteenth	21	..	9	4	19	2	..	1	2	10	10
		Twentieth	1	..	6	2	1	..	7	1	4	3
		Twenty-first.....	4	..	2	..	7	..	6	1	3	3
		Twenty-second	12	..	11	4	12	5	11	8
		Twenty-third	11	..	4	4	1	..	6	1	1	1	1	..	1	8	4
		Twenty-fourth.....	1	1	..	2	1	5	3
			Total	94	..	105	45	21	1	132	20	1	7	2	..	5	113	77
Brooklyn.	First .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
	Second	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
	Third.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fourth .....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fifth	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	14
	Sixth	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	28
	Seventh	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	11
	Eighth	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Ninth.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
	Tenth.....	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	19
	Eleventh	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	11
	Twelfth	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
	Thirteenth.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	6
	Fourteenth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
	Fifteenth .....	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7
	Sixteenth	2	..	..	5	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	17
	Seventeenth.....	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	27
	Eighteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	15
	Nineteenth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	7
	Twentieth .....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	Twenty-first	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	16
	Twenty-second	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	19
	Twenty-third .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	15
	Twenty-fourth.....	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	18
	Twenty-fifth.....	1	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	15
	Twenty-sixth	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	28
	Twenty-seventh.....	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
	Twenty-eighth.....	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	16
	Twenty-ninth .....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	33
	Thirtieth.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	14
	Thirty-first .....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
	Thirty-second.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Total.....	36	2	14	18	8	9	..	3	..	8	..	43	440
Queens.	First.....	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	21
	Second.....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	23
	Third.....	1	..	..	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	11
	Fourth.....	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	11
	Fifth.....	2	..	41	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	6
	Total.....	6	..	46	5	5	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	10	72
Richmond.	First.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
	Second .....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9
	Third.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
	Fourth.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
	Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Total.....	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	32

Inspections of Premises.

Total number of inspections made	10,019
Classified as follows:	
Inspections of tenement-houses	4,924
“ tenement apartments (at night), to prevent overcrowding	1,068
“ mercantile establishments	928
“ private dwellings	289
“ lodging-houses	73
“ stables	155
“ slaughter-houses	272
“ other premises	1,410

Total number of citizens' complaints attended to	1,060
“ verified	669
“ found baseless, or nuisance already abated	391
“ original complaints by Inspectors	712

Inspection of Foods, Milk Cows, etc.

Total number of inspections of milk	1,402
“ specimens examined	1,305
“ quarts of milk destroyed .....	..
“ inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods	7,715
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed	377,195
“ inspections of meat	8,432
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed	17,141
“ inspections of fish	5,450
“ pounds of same condemned and destroyed	28,600
“ milk cows examined (tuberculin test)	39
“ milk cows examined (physical test)	39
“ autopsies .....	..

Chemical Laboratory.

Milk—Adulterated	19
“ Unadulterated	7
Cream—Unadulterated	1
Croton Water—Partial sanitary analysis .....	..
“ Complete sanitary analysis	1
Water (Kensico supply)—Complete sanitary analysis .....	..
“ (Ridgewood supply)—Complete sanitary analysis	1
“ (Borough supplies)—Complete sanitary analysis .....	..
“ Well, contaminated	1
Blackberries, coloring, negative	1
Codfish, injurious metals, negative	1
Codfish cakes, injurious metals, negative	1
Hamburger steak, injurious metals and sulphites, negative	1

Experimental Analyses.

Estimation of suspended matter in Croton water
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Analysis of Croton Water, August 11, 1899.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance	Very slightly turbid.	Very slightly turbid.
Color	Light yellowish brown.	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.)	Marshy.	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides	0.127	0.218
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride	0.210	0.360
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅)	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates	0.0142	0.0243
Free Ammonia	0.0003	0.0005
Albuminoid Ammonia	0.0078	0.0135
Total Nitrogen	0.0209	0.0358
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling	2.41	4.14
“ { After boiling	2.41	4.14
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition)	0.875	1.50
Mineral matter (non-volatile)	3.091	5.30
Total solids (by evaporation)	3.966	6.80

Temperature at hydrant, 73° Fahr.

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, August 10, 1899.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance	Very slightly turbid.	Very slightly turbid.
Color	Light yellowish brown.	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.)	Marshy.	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides	1.270	2.175
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride	2.098	3.597
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅)	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates	0.0526	0.0902
Free Ammonia	0.0003	0.0005
Albuminoid Ammonia	0.0035	0.0060
Total Nitrogen	0.0557	0.0955
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling	2.27	3.90
“ { After boiling	2.27	3.90
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition)	1.575	2.70
Mineral matter (non-volatile)	4.374	7.50
Total solids (by evaporation)	5.949	10.20

Temperature at hydrant, 73° Fahr.

Inspections under Law Regulating Employment of Women and Children in Mercantile and Manufacturing Establishments.

CHILDREN'S EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.																						
			FOREIGN.										AMERICAN.												
	White.	Black.	Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	England.	Ireland.	Italy.	Hungary.	Bohemia.	Poland.	France.	Roumania.	Others.	N. Y. City.	N. Y. State.	New Jersey.	Pennsylvania.	Massachusetts.	Connecticut.	Michigan.	Illinois.	Others.	Total.	
Mercantile, Male	45	..	5	..	3	1	1	35	45
" Female	45	..	1	..	4	1	2	34	..	1	..	1	1	45
Manufacturing, Male	107	..	4	4	1	1	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	18	66	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	107
" Female ..	97	..	5	1	1	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	10	66	5	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	97
Total	294	..	15	5	9	2	2	6	5	1	..	..	..	30	201	8	4	..	3	..	..	..	3	294

CHILDREN'S EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES REFUSED.

	COLOR.		BIRTHPLACE.														CAUSE.					
			FOREIGN.									AMERICAN.										
	White.	Black.	Russia.	Austria.	Germany.	Italy.	England.	Ireland.	Hungary.	Bohemia.	Others.	New York City.	New York State.	New Jersey.	Massachusetts.	Total.	Under Age.	Over Age.	Insufficient Tuition.	Insufficient Education.	Physical Incapacity.	Total.
Mercantile, Male.....	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	..	..	..	7	..	4	1	2	..	7
" Female....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	2	..	3
Manufacturing, Male..	12	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	2	2	2	..	..	12	6	..	2	4	..	12
" Female....	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	2	1	1	..	..	8	..	1	..	7	..	8	
Total,	30	..	3	..	2	..	..	3	9	10	3	..	..	..	30	6	5	4	15	..	30	

Pathology and Bacteriology.

Total number of premises visited by Inspectors	11
" autopsies (human o, animal o)	14
" new cases treated with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors	13
" curative injections of diphtheria anti-toxin given by Medical Inspectors	13
" persons immunized with diphtheria anti-toxin by Medical Inspectors	13
" intubations performed	12
" inoculations of animals with toxins	1
" animals bled for anti-toxic serum	1
" samples of toxins tested	1
" samples of anti-toxic serum tested	1
" bacteriological examinations of suspected diphtheria, viz.: True 85, not diphtheria 29, indecisive 35, viz.: Culture made too late in disease 15, insufficient growth on culture medium 1, culture medium contaminated 7, culture medium dried up o, suspicious bacilli only found 12, no diphtheria bacilli found o, laryngeal cases, antiseptic applied within two hours o	149
" bacteriological examinations of convalescent cases of diphtheria, preceding disinfection	156
" bacteriological examinations of healthy throats in infected families .....	..
" cultures in cases of suspected diphtheria taken by Medical School Inspectors in schools, viz.: Diphtheria bacilli found o, diphtheria bacilli not found o, indecisive o .....	..
" examinations of blood from cases of suspected typhoid fever (positive reaction 11, negative reaction 30), Widal test	41
" samples of feces or urine examined for typhoid bacilli (typhoid bacilli found o, not found o), Hiss method .....	..
" bacteriological examinations of suspected tuberculosis (tubercle bacilli found 48, not found 32)	80
" microscopical preparations made and examined (tuberculosis)	93
" cases of pulmonary tuberculosis examined and removed to hospitals	2
" cases of pulmonary tuberculosis examined, removal not recommended .....	..
" animals vaccinated	2
" animals collected from .....	..
" grammes of vaccine virus collected .....	..
" cub. cent. of liquid vaccine virus prepared .....	..
" clinical tests of vaccine virus made	10
" samples of vaccine virus tested bacteriologically	28
" capillary tubes prepared	1,202
" small vials prepared	29
" large vials prepared	27
Amount of diphtheria anti-toxic serum produced in c.c. ....	..
Number of visits to Department Stations (collection of cultures, etc.)	270

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Total number of cases visited by Inspectors	1,309
" premises visited by Disinfectors	273
" rooms disinfected	560
" pieces of infected goods destroyed	152
" pieces of infected goods disinfected and returned	493
" persons removed to hospital	19
" primary vaccinations	55
" revaccinations	5
" certificates of vaccination issued	22
" cattle examined by Veterinarian	35
" glandered horses destroyed .....	..
" institutions inspected	40

Total number of dead animals removed from streets

2,218

Executive Action.

Total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances	1,064
" Attorney's notices issued for non-compliance with orders	506
" civil actions begun	17
" criminal actions begun .....	..
" arrests made .....	..
" judgments obtained in civil courts .....	..
" " criminal courts .....	..
" permits issued	278
" persons removed from overcrowded apartments .....	..

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM AUGUST 7 TO AUGUST 12, 1899, INCLUSIVE.

AUGUST 7, 1898.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

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From the Department of Finance—Advising the Commissioner that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contract of J. F. Walsh, Jr., for making repairs to the fire-boat "Wm. F. Havemeyer," and that the same is now a valid contract. Certificate ordered attached to contract.

From the Chief of Department—Respecting the request of the German "Herold" to be advised whether the Siamese couplings attached to stand pipe on building No. 225 William street are of the same size as the couplings in use by this Department, and reporting that they are of the regulation standard. Copy forwarded.

From the Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Respecting the communication from the Tottenville Fire Department, complaining of the non-delivery of hose for which requisition was made in 1898 under the instructions of the former Chief of Department, and reporting the facts in the case. Copy forwarded.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond. Reporting operations of Bureau for week ending 5th instant.

From the Foreman of Engine 70, Borough of The Bronx—Reporting loss of key No. 2-892, located in Keeney Hotel, Main street, City Island.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting no iron ladder leading from third story to roof, premises No. 148 Madison street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Fireman 1st grade Timothy W. Crowley, Hook and Ladder 9, Theatre Detail—Reporting aisles obstructed at the People's Theatre on the afternoon of the 5th instant, in violation of section 762, chapter 378, Laws of 1897. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Forwarding request from Assistant Foreman Engine 45, Borough of Brooklyn, for permission to enter a preliminary examination for promotion to the rank of Foreman, he having been on vacation when notice was forwarded to him to report for examination. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting chimney fire at No. 148 Madison street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 13—Reporting chimney fire at No. 400 West Broadway. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 55—Reporting chimney fire at No. 154 Mott street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedule 33 of 1899—Apparatus, Supplies, etc. \$4,771 08

AUGUST 8, 1899.

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From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the following premises in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, the law having been complied with, that the cases be dismissed:

No. 546 Eleventh avenue, C. Fromms, proprietor.

Northwest corner Sixth avenue and Twenty-eighth street, Hotel Regent (formerly Hotel Victoria).

Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the following premises in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, the law not having been complied with, that the same be enforced:

Nos. 1511 to 1521 Broadway, C. P. Sefton, proprietor.

No. 106 West Twenty-seventh street, New York Juvenile Asylum.

Foot West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, New York Magdalen Society.

Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting the application of Assistant Foreman Daniel E. Kain, Engine 45, Borough of Brooklyn, for permission to enter competitive examination for promotion to the rank of Foreman.

Forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner with communication of 5th instant, and recommending that the same be disapproved, because not forwarded through regular channel.

Recommendation approved.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting operations of Bureau week ending 5th instant.

From the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Reporting receipt on the 3d instant from the American Fire Engine Company of two new fourth-size steam fire-engines, for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in conformity with the specifications of the contract.

Referred.

From the Foreman of Engine 26—Reporting no scuttle opening in roof, with ladder leading thereto as a means of escape, at No. 1368 Broadway. To the Department of Buildings.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 23—Reporting violation of law relating to equipment for fire protection at Hotel Virginia, northwest corner Fifty-eighth street and Broadway. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Granting permission to set street lamp-post southwest corner of Thirty-third street and Fifth avenue, and southeast corner of Fifteenth street and Union square, and stating that these lamps when lighted will be under the care of the Consolidated Gas Company and connection will have to be made by said company with its mains. To the Chief of Department.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the following premises with the street boxes specified:

Louis Sherry, Forty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 523.

St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, No. 209 West Fifteenth street, 357.

Colored Home and Hospital, One Hundred and Forty-first street and Concord avenue, 2-338.

To the Chief of Department.

From the Long Island Auxiliary Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the following premises with the street boxes specified:

Hotel Brandon, No. 292 Washington street, 71.

Brooklyn Nursery, No. 396 Herkimer street, 368.

The Willowmere, No. 1740 Cropsey avenue, 2-264.

To the Chief of Department.

From the Union Subway Construction Company—Reporting that on the 8th instant the Metropolitan Street Railway Company are to cut into manhole at Broadway and Eighteenth street, under the direction of said company, and notifying this Department to have a representative present to see that its wires are not injured. To the Chief of Department.

From H. H. Cammann, President, Home for Old Men and Aged Couples—Requesting special permit to connect said premises, northwest corner Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street, with fire-house near by. To the Chief of Department.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Respecting complaint of Deputy Factory Inspector of unprotected furnaces at No. 102 Lewis street and No. 125 Goerck street, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the cause of complaint. Recommendation approved, and referred back, with directions to request compliance within ten days.

AUGUST 9, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Finance—Transmitting copy of opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated August 3, 1899, regarding the liability of the City for rent of premises west side of Buckley street, in the former City of Long Island City, Borough of Queens, occupied by Hook and Ladder 16. Copy forwarded Deputy Commissioner.

From the Corporation Counsel—Calling attention to Rule 42 of the Municipal Civil Service Rules, as approved by the State Civil Service Commission July 11, 1899, respecting the method to be observed in removal of persons from the classified service.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Announcing the death of Firemen 1st grade John Hineson, Engine 16, Borough of Brooklyn. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From Mayer & Gilbert, attorneys—Submitting certified copy of peremptory writ of mandamus, reinstating former Driver John J. Mehegan, Repair Shops. Copy forwarded Corporation Counsel with request for advice.

From Sullivan & Cromwell, attorneys—Requesting to be advised whether a list of volunteer firemen of the former towns of Flatlands, Flatbush, New Utrecht and Gravesend, who served from the time of annexation of said towns to the former City of Brooklyn, until the installation of the regular paid Fire Department, has been forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 459, Laws of 1899. Notified that the Deputy Commissioner has been requested to prepare such a list, and that when completed by him it will be forwarded, as the law directs.

From Turner & Timberman—Requesting an extension of thirty days' time to complete the establishment of telegraphic communication between the Palma House and these Headquarters. Application granted.

Referred.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect Webb's Academy and Home, Fordham Heights, with street-box 2-615. To the Chief of Department.

From Jacob Perlman—Complaining of defective flue at No. 148 Madison street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Corporation Counsel—Requesting information concerning the claim of Patrick McNally for additional compensation for alleged services as Blacksmith's Helper at Repair Shops. To the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

TRIALS.

AUGUST 10, 1899.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Assistant Foreman Manuel J. Garcia, Engine 26, "absence without leave." Transfer ordered.

Fireman 3d grade Thomas McParlan, Engine 12 (two charges), "under the influence of liquor" and "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay on each charge, ten days' pay in all.

Fireman 4th grade Peter J. Smith, Hook and Ladder 2, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 3d grade Maurice E. Sheehy, Engine 18, "disobedience of orders." Two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade James McCullen, Hook and Ladder 21 (two charges), "neglect of duty" and "disrespectful language to superior officer." Fined three days' pay on first charge.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Mulster, Hook and Ladder 14, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Arthur J. Lott, Hook and Ladder 5 (two charges), "disobedience of orders" and "neglect of duty." Fined four days' pay.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fireman 1st grade James A. Fullerton, detailed to Engine 62 (two charges), "absence without leave" and "under the influence of liquor." Fined seven days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Peter B. Carney, detailed to Hook and Ladder 16, "under the influence of liquor." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 3d grade Michael Emmet, Engine 61, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Timothy J. Manning, Engine 3, "neglect of duty." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 2d grade Frank J. Keating, Engine 16, "neglect of duty." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Christopher D. Boyne, Engine 1, "absence without leave." Fined seven days' pay.

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From the Corporation Counsel—Reporting that an appeal has been taken to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, and all proceedings stayed until the determination thereof in the matter of The People ex rel. John F. Brady against the Fire Commissioner, to be restored to the position of Driver in this Department.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company to connect the following designated premises with the street boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted: St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, 357.

Louis Sherry, 523.

Hotel Majestic, 624.

Colored Home and Hospital, 2-338.

Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the application of the Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, northwest corner Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Thirteenth street, to be telegraphically connected with these Headquarters through the fire-house nearby, and recommending that the same be denied and said institution referred to the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company or the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company, which provide such means of communication with these Headquarters. Recommendation approved and notified accordingly.

3. Respecting the application of the Long Island Auxiliary Company to connect the following-named premises with Department Headquarters, Borough of Brooklyn, and recommending that the same be granted, provided they use the same pattern and design of instrument as is used by the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company in the Borough of Manhattan:

Brooklyn Nursery, No. 396 Herkimer street.

Hotel Brandon, No. 292 Washington street.

The Willowmere, No. 1649 Cropsey avenue.

Recommendation approved.

4. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for permission to lay a subsidiary duct from manhole Fifth avenue and Thirty-third street to post southwest corner, and from manhole Fifteenth street and Union square to post southwest corner. Recommendation approved.

5. Respecting the request of Wilbur M. Gaige for the removal of telegraph wires crossing his premises Nos. 231 and 233 West Sixty-ninth street, and reporting that said wires are not the property of this Department. Notified accordingly.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 45, Borough of the Bronx—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Home for Incurables, east side Third avenue between One Hundred and Eighty first and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, and Peabody Home for the Aged, northwest corner Clover street and Boston road. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Granting permission to establish subsidiary connection from manhole Eighty-eighth street and First avenue, east side, with manhole northeast corner Eighty-eighth street and First avenue. To the Chief of Department.

From the New York Telephone Company—

1. Reporting that they will reconstruct Department pole lines on Blackwell's, Ward's and Randall's Islands, as recommended by the Chief of Department. To the Chief of Department.

2. Requesting permission to perform the necessary work at the Department building, corner White and Elm streets, to remove their aerial cables therefrom. To the Chief of Department.

From the Long Island Auxiliary Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the following premises with Department Headquarters, Borough of Brooklyn: Avon Beach Hotel, Cropsey avenue and Bay Twenty-second street; Fort Lowry Hotel, Cropsey avenue and Seventeenth avenue, and Prospect Hall, No. 263 Prospect avenue. To the Chief of Department.

From the Warren-Scharf Asphalt Company—Consenting to the opening of asphalt pavement at intersection of First avenue and Eighty-eighth street, from manhole, east side, to Department subway post, northeast corner. To the Chief of Department.

From Charles E. Fienken and others—Commending the bravery of Fireman 1st grade John McGough, Engine 33, in stopping runaway horse, 8th instant, corner Fifteenth street and Avenue A. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 13—Reporting chimney fire at No. 1544 Third avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From E. Solinger—Complaining of obstruction in hallway of premises 450 West Forty-fourth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Reporting death on May 19, 1899, of Sarah Bradley, widow of former Fireman and pensioner, John Bradley. To the Secretary of the Relief Fund.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

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From the Corporation Counsel—Returning the proposal of A. & C. Ferguson for furnishing forage for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and advising that, the said proposal being the lowest and the defect reported being merely a clerical one, the contract must be awarded to them provided they are willing to execute the contract at the correct figures. Copy of opinion and proposal forwarded Comptroller for action on the sureties.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Calling attention to a paragraph in Rule 38 of the Municipal Civil Service Rules which states that efficiency, punctuality and deportment will hereafter be essential requirements for all applicants for promotion, and asking for suggestions in order that said Commission may act in co-operation with this Department. Reply communicated, and copy forwarded Deputy Commissioner.

2. Certifying a list of names of persons eligible for appointment to the position of Oil Collectors.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Reporting that the New York Telephone Company are rebuilding their pole line on Arthur avenue between Tremont and Pelham avenues, and on Pelham avenue between Arthur and Webster avenues, and recommending that a blasting permit be granted by the Inspector of Combustibles to blast the necessary holes for the above work. Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the request of the Corporation Counsel for reinspection of the following-named premises in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, the law having been complied with, that the cases against the following premises be dismissed:

No. 140 Park row, J. J. McGuinness, proprietor.

Nos. 728 and 730 Broadway, Broadway Athletic Club.

Nos. 102 and 104 Vesey street, M. Guerin, proprietor.

Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting the request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the following premises in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, the law not having been complied with, that the same be enforced:

Nos. 1457 to 1461 Broadway, Hotel Rivers.

Nos. 515 and 517 Pearl street, Henry Hilderbrand, proprietor.

Recommendation approved.

From Joseph F. Hanley, on behalf of the Liberty Flag Club—Requesting permission to present Fireman 1st grade Bartholomew J. McDermott, of Hook and Ladder 21, with a series of preambles and resolutions commending his bravery at the Windsor Hotel fire, March 17, 1899. Permission granted.

From John A. Quintard—Requesting to be informed what salaries were paid the various officers of the New York Fire Department during the year 1897. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From the Assistant Foreman Engine 33, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Old Lady's Home, Fulton street, between Georgia and Sheffield avenues, and German Lutheran Hospital, southeast corner of New York avenue and Powell street. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Superintendent of the Manhattan State Hospital, Ward's Island—Relative to the report of the Chief of Department concerning erection of three telegraph poles on Ward's Island. To the Chief of Department.

From the Corporation Counsel—Requesting information concerning the claim of John Keelon for additional compensation for alleged services as Machinist in the Repair Shops. To Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

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From the Municipal Assembly—Transmitting certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen and by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Fire Department be and it is hereby requested to send to the several members of the Municipal Assembly badges admitting said members within fire lines."

From the Fire Marshal—Reporting transactions of Bureau for week ending the 12th instant.

From Rudolph Reimer—Respecting contract for coal for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Reply communicated.

From Mrs. Algernon Sidney Sullivan—Explaining the reason for failure of the management of the Nursery and Child's Hospital, Fifty-third street and Lexington avenue, to provide telegraphic communication with these Headquarters. The Assistant Corporation Counsel authorized to discontinue the legal proceedings for thirty days.

Referred.

The Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, to whom was referred the complaint of the Deputy Factory Inspector of a number of unprotected tailors' furnaces at Nos. 56, 58 and 84 Lewis street, submitted a report recommending that certain work be ordered done. Report approved, and referred back with instructions to enforce compliance within ten days.

THE FOLLOWING REQUISITIONS WERE PASSED:

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

For repairing hull of fire-boat	\$200 00
For extension ladder, etc., for Hook and Ladder 2	245 00
For repairing sewer connection, service pipes, etc.	200 00

Expenditure authorized and referred back.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

For repairs to rubber tires	\$323 00
For repairs to fire-boat "The New Yorker" (Engine 57)	375 00
For carpenter work, Engine 54	38 00
For roofing, Engine 48	90 00
For carpenter work, Engine 71	65 00
For grate, Engine 55	34 00
For plumbing work, Engine 34	83 60
For plumbing work, Engine 21	35 50

BOROUGHES OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

From the Foreman of 16 Engine—Reporting the death on the 7th instant of Fireman 1st grade John Hineson of his command. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

Notice of the death on May 19, 1899, of Sarah Bradley, widow of John Bradley, who was a pensioner at the time of his death. The Secretary of the Relief Fund and Bookkeeper notified.

From the American Steam Fire Engine Company—Two new fourth-size Metropolitan steam fire-engines, Nos. 2678 and 2679, intended for Engine Companies 60 and 61, Borough of Queens.

From Alfred Pagelow—In re lists of Volunteer Firemen of the former Towns of New Utrecht, Gravesend, Flatbush and Flatlands. Reply communicated.

From O. Wisner—In re condition of water hydrant in front of factory, No. 1088 Atlantic avenue. Reply communicated. Referred to the Department of Water Supply.

Referred.

From the Chief of Department—Submitting list of transfers of Firemen—transferring Fireman 1st grade Peter B. Carney from Engine 33 to Hook and Ladder 16, and Fireman 1st grade James J. Fullerton, Engine 34, to Engine 62, to take effect from and after 8 o'clock A. M. August 9, 1899.

From the Medical Officers—Recommending the retirement of Foreman John F. Welton of Engine 33 and Fireman 1st grade John Cantwell, Hook and Ladder 12. To the Chief of Department.

From the Chief of Battalion in Charge of Repair Shops—Reporting result of examination of dock and surrounding property at Canarsie. Copy forwarded Chief of Department.

From the Assistant Foreman of 34 Engine—Reporting chimney fire at No. 982 St. Mark's avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Frank Brewery—Requesting the placing of a fire alarm box in the immediate vicinity of his residence. To the Fire Alarm Branch.

From the Foreman of 16 Engine—Reporting chimney fire at No. 282 Lynch street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Foreman of 18 Engine—Reporting chimney fire at No. 226 Bleecker street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Foreman of 26 Engine—Reporting chimney fire at No. 202 Flatbush avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Foreman of 37 Engine—Reporting chimney fire at No. 13 Hamburg avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Medical Officers—Recommending the retirement of 1st grade Fireman Peter Hecker of 14 Engine. To the Chief of Department.

BILLS AUDITED.

Schedule 34, 1899—	
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	\$1,775 23
Schedule 35, 1899—	
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	\$5,382 38
Schedule 77, 1898—	
Borough of Brooklyn	\$1,966 25

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Telegraph Supplies, August 5	\$900 00
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CONTRACTS AWARDED BY THE FIRE COMMISSIONER.

(Under date of July 13).

Akron Rubber Company, 5,000 feet 2½-inch White Anchor hose..... \$5,000 00
B. M. Goodrich Company, 2,000 feet 2½-inch White Star hose..... 2,000 00

EMPLOYEES DISCHARGED.

Martin J. Phelan, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Dennis Slattery, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Charles C. Montague, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
William Montgomery, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
James Madden, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Thomas P. Morris, Temporary Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
James J. Nevins, Temporary Oil Surveyor, Bureau of Combustibles.
J. M. Gray, Assistant Inspector of Combustibles.
Charles H. Rogers, Temporary Veterinarian, Hospital Stables.
James Comisky, Temporary Assistant Fire Marshal, Bureau of Fire Marshal.
Patrick S. Haggerty, Temporary Assistant Fire Marshal, Bureau of Fire Marshal.

APPOINTED ON PROBATION FOR THREE MONTHS.

William Montgomery, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Thomas P. Norris, Oil Inspector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Henry B. Payne, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Joseph E. Ireland, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
E. S. Wilson, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
James G. Soden, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
Michael A. Foley, Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles.
William Wafer, Oil Surveyor, Bureau of Combustibles.
James J. Nevins, Oil Surveyor, Bureau of Combustibles.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS,
KINGS COUNTY.

THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS,
KINGS COUNTY,
ROOM 1, HALL OF RECORDS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, August 22, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with sections 1528 and 1546 of the Charter of New York City, you are hereby notified that, under the provisions of chapter 591 of the Laws of 1899 (which became a law May 15, 1899), the following appointments were made on the 15th day of August, 1899, during and subject to the pleasure of the Commissioner, salaries not yet fixed:

Moses F. McKnight, No. 195 Calyer street.
Charles Du Flon, No. 670A Union street.
George A. Booth, No. 116 Verona street.
Harry A. Stone, No. 203 Division avenue.
—and that, under like provisions, the following appointment was made on the 17th day of August, 1899:

Timothy N. Roberts, No. 212 Rutland road.
—and that, under like provisions, the following appointments were made on the 21st day of August, 1899:

Alfred Cassanese, No. 67 Main street.
Felix J. Kernan, No. 285 President street.
William H. Dix, No. 24 Kenilworth place.

Respectfully,

FRANK M. THORBURN,
Deputy Commissioner.

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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Mayor's Office.

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

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

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FEITNER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary, the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, and the CORPORATION COUNSEL, Members; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.

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

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.
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Borough of Manhattan.

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JAMES J. COOGAN, President.
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Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.
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Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
Office of the President, First National Bank Building New Brighton; 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.

WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

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JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

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No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street
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Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

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Office, No. 320

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
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Port Richmond, S. I.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

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Borough of Manhattan.
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Second District—Jefferson Market.
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Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

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Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. FRANK, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STERRS, Magistrate.
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Borough of Queens.
First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.
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Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

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KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.
County Court-house, Brooklyn.
GEORGE E. ABBOTT, Surrogate; MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

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Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or in the work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

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

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of Manhattan, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, 73 to 21 Park row; as to the Borough of Brooklyn, in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and as to the Borough of The Bronx, in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 73 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, August 17, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 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 Brooklyn:

No. 1. SEWERS IN GREENE AVENUE, from Patchen avenue to Bushwick avenue; BUSHWICK AVENUE, from Greene avenue to Weirfield street; WEIRFIELD STREET, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen avenue; EVERGREEN AVENUE, from Weirfield street to Halsey street; HALSEY STREET, from Evergreen avenue to Central avenue, and CENTRAL AVENUE, from Halsey street to Eldert street, being known as the "Main Sewer Relief and Extension."

Borough of The Bronx:

No. 2. SEWER IN ST. MARY'S STREET, from Robbins avenue to Cypress avenue.
No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Webster avenue to Brook avenue.
No. 4. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the existing sewer in West Farms road to Southern Boulevard.
No. 5. SEWER IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Grand avenue to Davidson avenue, and in DAVIDSON AVENUE, from the Fordham road to East One Hundred and Ninety-second 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 all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of Brooklyn in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and as to the Borough of The Bronx in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Sewers.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Ballot-boxes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Ballot-boxes," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boxes are to be of the first quality, and to be made in accordance with specifications and of material, as per sample in the office of the Superintendent of Elections.

Bidders will state a price for the work and material furnished, in accordance with specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity of boxes are to be completed within twenty days after the execution and delivery of this contract, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such places within The City of New York as may be required by the Superintendent of Elections.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the

proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department, or at the office of the Superintendent of Elections.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Brooklyn," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the

proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Queens," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of The Bronx," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to be in the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Richmond, in the City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of **FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.**

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Richmond," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved

by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to be in the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of **FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.**

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Manhattan," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to be in the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, }
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

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

NOTICE.

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

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

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

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 15, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved forms of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for building overflow and blow-off sewers, water-pipes and appurtenances, in connection with the Jerome Park Reservoir of the New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York, will be received at this office until

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at 12 o'clock, noon, and they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosures, form of bonds and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JOHN J. RYAN, President.
HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

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

Thursday, August 24, 10 A. M. **RECORD CLERKS.** Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and a paper on criminal law.

Friday, August 25, 10 A. M. **INTERPRETERS.** Subjects of examination: Translations, oral and written.

Monday, August 28, 10 A. M. **CLERK, BUILDING DEPARTMENT.** Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and special paper.

Tuesday, August 29, 10 A. M. **JUNIOR CLERKS (MALES).** Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing. In this examination, only applicants Nos. 456 to 641, whose applications were filed on or before July 31, 1899, will be examined.

Tuesday, August 29, 10 A. M. **ASSISTANT SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.** Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and special paper.

Wednesday, August 30, 10 A. M. **HORTICULTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN.** Subjects of examination: Technical knowledge, arithmetic and experience.

Thursday, August 31, 10 A. M. **DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF HOSPITALS.** Subjects of examination: Duties, reports and experience.

Friday, September 1, 10 A. M. **ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL.** Subjects of examination: Duties, experience, arithmetic and handwriting.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR BALCONIES AND FIRE-ESCAPES FOR THE DINING-ROOM BUILDING, PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR BALCONIES AND Fire escapes for the Dining-room Building, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, in conformity with plans 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 o'clock A.M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1899.

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

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, 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 (\$1,000) Dollars each.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, 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 State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Fifty (\$50) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The work must conform in every respect to the plans and 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 estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and George M. Walgrove, No. 42 East Twenty-third street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 15, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in altering and repairing the building of this Department occupied as quarters of Engine Co. No. 5, at No. 340 East Fourteenth street, will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in The City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A.M.

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

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.

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

Proposals must be made for all the work called for in the specifications.

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractors 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.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of One Hundred and Seventy-five (\$175) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST 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 all such real estate, and to any right, title or interest therein, not owned by The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND PARKWAY (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as laid out and established in pursuance of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part I, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of September, 1899, 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 Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

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Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, distance 630 feet westerly from the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence in a northerly direction, distance 471.51 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street distant 525 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left, radius 535.86 feet, distance 187.04 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 509.07 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the right, radius 1,203.30 feet, distance 149.72 feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street distant 588 feet westerly from Boulevard; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 250.83, to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street distant 588 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 397.89 feet, distance 216.42 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-second street, distant 527.75 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence in a reversed curve to the left, radius 484.44 feet, distance 328.26 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 451.18 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distant 370 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 729.71 feet, distance 210.87 feet; thence northerly and in a reversed curve to the left, radius 470 feet, distance 156.25 feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street distant 305 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve and parallel to the Boulevard, distance 459.66 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence northerly and curving to the left, radius 1,834.07 feet, distance 503.10 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 528.29 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left, radius 371.61 feet, distance 295.95 feet; thence in a northerly direction and in a reversed curve to the right, radius 300 feet, distance 235.62 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 377.08 feet; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 115 feet, distance 213.45 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, at a point distant 836 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence easterly and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 136 feet; thence northerly and at right angle to said street, distance 49.68 feet; thence northerly and curving to the left, and in continuation of a reversed curve from the 1st curve above-mentioned, whose terminus is at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 836 feet westerly from the Boulevard, radius 211 feet, distance 183.64 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 150 feet; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 53.60 feet, distance 45.33 feet; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 408.34 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard Lafayette; thence northerly and along said line, distance 64.57 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 54.95 feet; thence westerly, distance 478.30 feet; thence southwesterly and in a curved line to the left, radius 55.20 feet, distance 46.69 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 200 feet; thence southwesterly and curving to the right, radius 61 feet, distance 95.82 feet; thence southwesterly and in a reversed curve to the left, radius 215 feet, distance 399.07 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 377.08 feet; thence southerly and curving to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 192.52 feet to the easterly line of the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence southerly along said line, distance 392.98 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence easterly along said line, distance 156.37 feet; thence southerly and diagonally across said One Hundred and Fifty-first street, distance 62.33 feet, to the southerly line of said street; thence westerly along said line, distance 155.67 feet, to the easterly line of land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along the said line, distance 1,518.79 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly along the said northerly line, distance 118.23 feet; thence southerly and across the said One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and in a curved line to the left, radius 829.71 feet, distance 96.20 feet; thence southerly and tangent to last curve, distance 4.35 feet, to the southerly line of said One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 119.32 feet, to the easterly line of the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along said line, distance 1,716.64 feet, to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue, distance 52.25 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 141.72 feet; thence southerly and diagonally across said street, distance 60.47 feet, to the southerly line of said street; thence westerly along said southerly line, distance 149.22 feet, to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue, distance 719.50 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street extended easterly until it meet Twelfth avenue; thence easterly along said northerly line of said street produced, distance 145 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

As shown on three similar maps, plans and profiles of such said public drive and parkway so to be laid out as aforesaid, showing the location, width, course, windings and grades of the same, accompanied with explanatory remarks, and made by the Department of Public Works on the requisition of this Board, each of which is entitled "Map, Plan and Profile of a Public Drive and Parkway in the City of New York, as an extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette. Section No. 2, Extension of Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette. Under authority of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897."

The land to be taken for Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette, is located in Blocks 2002, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096,

2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2134, 2103, 2104 of section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, August 21, 1899.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on PROSPECT PLACE AND PARK PLACE, WEST OF NOSTRAND AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, 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.

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, at a Special Term thereof for the Hearing of Motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of August, 1899, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on Prospect place and Park place, west of Nostrand avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Park place (late Baltic street) distant two hundred (200) feet westerly from the westerly line of Nostrand avenue, running thence northerly and parallel to the said westerly line of Nostrand avenue, a distance of two hundred and fifty-five (255) feet and seven (7) inches to the southerly line of Prospect place (late Warren street); thence westerly along the said southerly line of Prospect place, a distance of two hundred and sixteen (126) feet and eight (8) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and parallel to said Prospect place, a distance of one hundred and twenty (120) feet and four (4) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of twenty-seven (27) feet and nine and one-half (9 1/2) inches; thence easterly and parallel to said Prospect place, a distance of one hundred and twenty (120) feet and four (4) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet and nine and one-half (9 1/2) inches to the northerly line of Park place; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Park place, a distance of two hundred and sixteen (126) feet and eight (8) inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, August 12, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
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Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of September, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 16th day of September, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North, with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of a certain unnamed street running westwardly from the westerly side of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, nearly opposite the junction of Kosuth place, with the easterly side of said Two Hundred and Eighth street to the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North, and its prolongation northwardly on an arc of a circle whose radius is 782.9 feet to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Gun Hill road 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 Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly and northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn at an equal distance from Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and equally distant line to the centre line of the Bronx river; thence southerly along said centre line of the Bronx river to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Seventh street and East Two Hundred and Ninth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the easterly side of Perry avenue; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Reservoir Oval, West, with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Eighth street and East Two Hundred and Tenth

street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of a certain unnamed street running westwardly from the westerly side of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, nearly opposite the junction of Kosuth place, with the easterly side of said Two Hundred and Eighth street to the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of October, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 26, 1899.

WALTER LARGE, Chairman,
DAVID M. KOEHLER,
JOHN J. HART,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on ELEVENTH AVENUE, WINDSOR PLACE AND SHERMAN STREET, in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, 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.

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, at a Special Term thereof for the Hearing of Motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of August, 1899, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on Eleventh avenue, Windsor place and Sherman street, in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, 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, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Sherman street with the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, running thence northerly along the easterly line of Eleventh avenue 200 feet to the southerly line of Windsor place, formerly Braxton street, running thence easterly along the southerly line of Windsor place, formerly Braxton street, 210 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Eleventh avenue 200 feet to the northerly line of Sherman street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Sherman street, 210 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, August 12, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
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Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 17-19 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, August 16, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1899, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, Auctioneer, the following buildings, parts of buildings, fences, etc., in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue.

No.	OBJECT.	APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS.
1	Part of Frame Shed..... Board and Picket Fence....	121.05 x 4.91. 48 lin. ft.
2	All of two 3-story frame houses..... 2 show-windows, 2 large, 2 medium and 2 small sheets of plate-glass; 2 plate-glass store doors; 2 show-windows, 8 medium and 8 small sheets of glass; 2 store doors, 4 medium sheets of glass. Baker's Oven..... Storm Shed..... Board and Picket Fence..... Wooden Steps.....	39.35 x 40.29. 14.29 x 12.1. 2.65 x 4.35. 128.1 lin. ft. 7.15 x 2.28. 180.8 lin. ft.
3	Board Fence.....	

The sale will take place on the ground, beginning with Map No. 1 and ending with Map No. 3.

The map or plan of the buildings and other structures may be examined at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the buildings from the street by the purchaser or purchasers within twenty days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the building, buildings or other structures.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

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