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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1899.

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

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 Correction for the three months ending June 30, 1899.

Yours, very respectfully,
N. O. FANNING, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining March 31, 1899.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Died.	Escaped.	Remaining June 30, 1899.
City Prison	430	4,469	2,712	1,893	1	..	293
District Prisons	284	10,594	6,340	4,347	1	..	220
Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island	706	379	357	..	..	..	728
Workhouse, Blackwell's Island	1,258	4,270	3,119	1,477	27	7	918
Kings County Penitentiary	491	169	268	9	..	..	383
	3,169	19,881	12,796	7,676	29	7	2,542

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Manhattan.

Salaries	\$57,886 82
Supplies	71,940 65
Repairs of buildings and apparatus	2,575 16
Repairs of steamboats	556 02
Improvements of Riker's Island	2,305 71
	\$135,264 36

Brooklyn.

Salaries	\$15,422 43
Supplies	13,067 01
Repairs of buildings and apparatus	1,259 19
Transportation, etc., Insane Criminals	84 92
Donations to discharged prisoners	1,036 92
Purchase of supplies needed for Kings County Penitentiary	10,565 14
	\$41,435 61

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. BENN, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

OFFICE OF CITY PRISON—LEONARD AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner, Department of Correction:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully report the following amount of fines which were imposed by the City Magistrates and Special Sessions Courts upon prisoners committed to this prison, and collected by me during the quarter ending June 30, 1899, as follows:

Special Sessions	\$1,260 00
City Magistrates	1,053 00
Total	\$2,313 00

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM FLYNN, Acting Warden, City Prison.

CITY PRISON, July 3, 1899.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF WORK DONE BY PAID AND UNPAID LABOR FOR THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

CARPENTER'S REPORT.

April—20 feet of pine, 1 by 12, for repairs in Prison; 1 pound of nails, 10d., for repairs in Prison; 4 planks, 1½-inch by 12, for benches, Old Prison; 2 pounds of nails, 10d., for benches, Old Prison; 12 feet of pine, 9 by 1, for benches, Old Prison.

May—200 feet ½-inch pine, for desk for Office; 100 feet ¾-inch pine, for desk for Office; 60 feet ¾-inch pine, for desk for Office; 12 feet ½-inch by 12 pine, for desk in Prison; 20 feet ½-inch pine, for use in Office; 15 feet ¾-inch pine, for use in Office; 50 feet 6-inch pine, for use in Prison; 20 feet 12 by 1 pine, for repairing in Prison; 1 pound nails, for repairing in Prison.

June—40 feet of pine, ¾ by 10, for repairing in Prison; 6 hinges, for repairing in Prison; 25 feet of pine, ½ by 10, for repairing in Prison; 5 pounds 10d. nails, for repairing in Prison; 1 box ¾-inch screws, for repairing in Prison; 10 feet of pine, 1 by 9, for repairing in Prison; 65 feet of pine, 1½ by 10, for benches in Prison Yard; 35 feet of pine, ¾ by 10, for benches in Prison Yard; 10 pounds of nails, for benches in Prison Yard; 1 package of screws, for benches in Prison Yard; 8 hinges for legs on bedsteads.

PLUMBER'S REPORT.

April—1 half-inch large stop-cock, for Tank Room; 4 one and one-half-inch elbows, Tank Room; 3 fittings, Tank Room; 1 stop-cock repaired, Tank Room; 10 feet of ¾ gas pipe, Female Prison; 6 three-eighth-inch elbows, Female Prison; 1 gas bracket, Female Prison; 4 water-closets repaired, Female Prison; 5 large tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 3 wooden pails

new hooped, for tiers; 1 seven-inch T, for range, Laundry; 1 seven-inch elbow, Laundry; 4 feet 7-inch stove pipe, Laundry; 1 new hoe for steam boiler; 1 rubber plunger, for Boys' Prison; 2 locks repaired in New Prison; 1 new bread box, for Bread Room; 8 feet 4-inch galvanized leader, for Prison Yard; 1 four-inch hook, Prison Yard; 2 feet 2-inch cast-iron joint pipe, for Kitchen; 2 two-inch cast-iron elbows, for Kitchen; 1 lead trap repaired, in Kitchen; 2 two-inch books, for Kitchen; 1 knob for cell door, for New Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, for New Prison; 1 water-closet repaired, Female Prison; 1 drawer lock repaired, in Office; 4 feet 2-inch leader, storm-house, Female Prison; 1 leader repaired, storm-house, Female Prison; 4 large tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 1 new bread box, for Bread Room; 3 fifteen gallon tin boilers, Kitchen; 2 large tin dippers, Female Prison; 1 new spring for lock, New Prison; 1 water-closet repaired, Boys' Prison; 2 locks repaired in Boys' Prison; 1 dozen screw eyes for windows, Old Prison; 6 tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 4 wooden pails new hooped, Old Prison; 1 square grate for boiler, Kitchen; 2 large tin dippers, New Prison; 2 new boilers repaired and new bottoms, Kitchen; 1 new rod for bedstead, New Prison; 6 nuts for bedstead, New Prison; 1 brass bibb-cock, Boys' Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, Female Prison; 1 tin dipper, Kitchen; 5 sheets galvanized iron for ventilator, Kitchen; 8 pounds solder, Kitchen; 1 brass bibb-cock, New Prison; lock repaired, New Prison; tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 6 sheets of tin for signs, painted, Prison; 1 brass bibb-cock, Boys' Prison; 1 new foot board for bedstead, New Prison; 4 tin boilers new bottomed, Kitchen; 3 new bolts for 3 locks, New Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, Old Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, Boys' Prison; 10 large sheets of tin for signs, painted, for Prison; 3 water-closets repaired, Female Prison; 1 new water-closet, in Ten Day House; 1 new trap, in Ten Day House; 4 feet water pipe, in Ten Day House.

May—1 new bottom for large coffee pot, Kitchen; 1 brass bibb cock, Old Prison; 2 locks repaired, New Prison; 2 washstands repaired, New Prison; 4 nuts for bedsteads, New Prison; 3 water-closets repaired, New Prison; 4 tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 2 large sheet-iron pans, Kitchen; 4 wooden pails, new hooped, New Prison; 1 15-gallon tin boiler, Kitchen; 10 large tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 1 new handle for key for gate, Old Prison; 4 brass bibb cocks, New Prison; 5 nuts for bedsteads, Old Prison; 1 new leg for bedstead, New Prison; 2 brass bibb cocks, Old Prison; 1 water-closet tank repaired, Old Prison; 4 new wall scrapers, Old Prison; hoop-iron for railing, Old Prison; 2 tin dippers, Female Prison; 1 water-closet repaired, Female Prison; 6 gas-tips for Old and New Prison; 2 new legs for bedsteads, Old Prison; 2 10-gallon tin boilers, Kitchen; 1 leader-pipe and strainer, Prison Roof; 2 bolts for locks, Boys' Prison; 2 knobs for locks, Boys' Prison; 1 new spring for lock, Boys' Prison; 2 large ventilators for skylight, Kitchen; 2 20-gallon tin boilers, new, Kitchen; 5 brass bibb cocks, Old Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, New Prison; 1 brass bibb cock, New Prison; 2 water-closets repaired, Female Prison; 1 brass bibb cock, Female Prison; 8 large tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 4 feet ½-inch gas-pipe, Office; 2 fittings, Office; 1 swing bracket, Office; 1 gas globe, Office; 6 gas-burners, Office; 6 wooden pails, new handles, New Prison.

June—5 feet ½-inch water pipe, Boys' Prison; 4 fitters, Boys' Prison; 2 elbows, Boys' Prison; 1 ½-inch brass bibb cock, Boys' Prison; 2 wash stands repaired, Boys' Prison; 1 ½-inch brass bibb cock, Female Prison; 2 chandeliers repaired, Old Prison; 12 wood pails, new handles and hoops, Prison Yard; 1 brass bibb cock, New Prison; 1 brass bibb-cock, Old Prison; 2 basin cocks, repaired, Matron's Bath Room; 1 waste-pipe repaired, Matron's Bath Room; 1 water closet repaired, Boys' Prison; 1 water closet repaired, New Prison; 18 feet 1½-inch water-pipe, Storm House in Yard; 1 elbow 1½-inch water-pipe, Storm House in Yard; 6 large tin boilers, new bottoms, Kitchen; 1 gas bracket, cellar in Prison; 1 brass bibb cock for water cooler, Keepers' Dining Room; 1 new bottom for sprinkling pot, New Prison; 2 basin cocks repaired, New Prison; 1 ½-inch brass bibb cock, New Prison; 6 ½-inch nuts, New Prison; 1 bread box, Bread Room; 1 brass bibb cock, Old Room; 1 water closet repaired, Old Room; 6 tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 2 covers for ranges, kitchen; 1 large tin dipper, Kitchen; 6 feet 1-inch water-pipe, Laundry; 2 brass couplings, Laundry; 1 lock repaired, Female Prison; 20 feet of ½-inch gas pipe, Female Prison; 1 ½-inch stop cock, Female Prison; 1 ½-inch union, Female Prison; 8 fittings, Female Prison; 1 gas bracket, Female Prison; 2 keys for closet, Female Prison; 1 large sheet of tin, sign painted in Prison; 10 feet of 2-inch iron pipe, Bath Room, Female Prison; 3 2-inch elbows, Bath Room, Female Prison; 1 2 inch iron trap, Bath Room, Female Prison; 5 2-inch fittings, Bath Room, Female Prison; 6 feet copper wire, Bath Room, Female Prison; 4 nuts for bedsteads, New Prison; 1 water closet repaired, New Prison; 1 brass bibb cock, Old Prison; 1 bibb cock repaired, Old Prison; 6 large tin boilers repaired, Kitchen; 3 wooden pails, new handles, New Prison; 1 brass bibb cock repaired, Female Prison; 1 gas bracket in pump room, Old Prison; 4 gas fittings, Old Prison; 1 gas stop cock, Old Prison; 1 large key for iron gate, office; 1 rubber plunger, Old Prison; waste pipe repaired, Female Prison; 3 nuts for bedsteads, Boys' Prison; 1 water closet repaired, Old Prison; 1 closet lock, Female Prison; 1 new bottom for coffee-pot, Kitchen; 3 nuts for bedsteads, Old Prison; 4 screws for locks, New Prison; 1 coffee-pot repaired, Kitchen; 1 hoop iron for cell door frame, New Prison; 1 large bolt, New Prison; 4 nuts for bedsteads, New Prison; 1 water closet repaired, Female Prison; 3 large tin boilers repaired, kitchen; 1 lock repaired, Female Prison; 2 brass bibb cocks repaired, New Prison; 3 water closets repaired, Female Prison; 2 6-quart tin dippers, Kitchen; 3 large tin boilers new bottomed, Kitchen; 1 brass bibb cock, New Prison; 1 coffee-pot new bottomed, Kitchen; 10 lbs. lead for waste-pipe, Female Prison; 2 gas burners, Female Prison.

PAINTER'S REPORT.

April—4 panes of glass put in New Prison, 2 barrels whitewash, whitewashing walls, Prison Yard; 2 gallons red paint, painting wood work, Female Prison; 2 gallons asphaltum, painting iron work, Female Prison; 1 gallon benzine, painting iron work, Female Prison; 1 quart varnish, painting iron work, Female Prison; 1 gallon green mixed paint, painting iron gate, Prison Yard; 1 gallon asphaltum, painting iron gate, Prison Yard; 6½ gallons white mixed paint, painting in the Prison; 1 quart of benzine, painting in the Prison; 1 quart of boiled oil, painting in the Prison; 1½ gallons of turpentine, painting in the Prison; ½ gallon of asphaltum, painting in the Prison; ½ gallon mixed paint, pink, painting in the Prison; ½ gallon mixed paint, brown, painting in Prison; ½ gallon mixed paint, red, painting in Prison; 7 gallons white paint, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 quart mixed paint, green, painting in Boys' Prison; 2 quarts black paint, painting in Boys' Prison; 3 gallons mixed paint, brown, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 quart turpentine, painting in Boys' Prison; 2 gallons mixed paint, brown, painting in Boys' Prison; 2½ gallons mixed paint, white, painting in Boys' Prison; 50 pounds mixed white lead, painting in Boys' Prison; 1½ gallons turpentine, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 quart dryers, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 quart of varnish, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 gallon of brown paint, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 gallon of white paint, painting in Boys' Prison; ½ gallon of asphaltum, painting in Boys' Prison; 1 gallon of black paint, painting in Boys' Prison; 50 pounds of white lead, painting in New Prison; 4 gallons of boiled oil, painting in New Prison; 5½ gallons of turpentine, painting in New Prison; 10 pounds of patent dryers, painting in New Prison; 3 quarts of liquid dryers, painting in New Prison; 10 pounds of drop black, painting in New Prison; 5 pounds of burnt umber, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon of mixed paint, painting in New Prison.

May—600 pounds of white lead, painting in Old Prison; 4 gallons of turpentine, painting in Old Prison; 10 gallons of boiled oil, painting in Old Prison; 1 gallon of liquid dryer, painting in Old Prison; 1½ gallons of metallic brown, painting in Old Prison; 1 gallon of asphaltum, painting in Old Prison; 15 pounds of Indian red, painting in Old Prison; 9 pounds of French ochre, painting in Old Prison; ½ gallon of shellac, painting in Old Prison; 4 gallons of metallic brown, painting in Old Prison; 2 gallons of asphaltum, painting in Old Prison; 7 gallons of metallic, painting in Old Prison; 250 pounds of white lead, painting in Old Prison; 2 gallons of dryer, painting in Old Prison; 2½ gallons of varnish, painting in Old Prison; 3 gallons of turpentine, painting in Old Prison; 14 pounds Indian red in oil, painting in Old Prison; 2 pounds chrome yellow oil, painting in Old Prison; 5 gallons japan black, painting in Old Prison; 2 gallons boiled oil, painting in Old Prison; 1 pint shellac, painting in Old Prison.

June—2 pounds chrome green in oil, painting in Old Prison; 2 gallons japan black, painting in Old Prison; 15 pounds white lead, painting in Old Prison; 1 gallon boiled oil, painting in Old Prison; 1 pound indian red, painting in Old Prison; 5 pounds chrome yellow, painting in New Prison; 4 pounds yellow ochre, painting in New Prison; 100 pounds white lead, painting in New Prison; 4 gallons turpentine, painting in New Prison; 2 gallons boiled oil, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon dryers, painting in New Prison; 5 gallons indian red, painting in New Prison; 200 pounds white lead, painting in New Prison; 2 gallons boiled oil, painting in New Prison; 3 gallons turpentine, painting in New Prison; 2 pounds yellow ochre, painting in New Prison; 16 pounds indian red in oil, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon dryers, painting in New Prison; 35 pounds white lead, painting in Storm House; 1 pound indian red in oil, painting in Storm House; 1 gallon boiled oil, painting in Storm House; ½ gallon turpentine, painting in Storm House; 1 quart of dryer, painting in Storm House; 1 pound of burnt umber, painting in Storm House; 25 pounds of white lead, painting in Prison; 2 gallons of boiled oil, painting in Prison; ½ gallon of dryers, painting in Prison; 5 pounds of green in oil, painting in Prison; 3 gallons of turpentine, painting in Prison; 1 gallon of japan black, painting in Prison; 2 pounds of raw sienna, painting in Prison; 200 pounds of white lead, painting in Prison; 3

gallons of boiled oil, painting in Prison; 1 gallon of dryers, painting in Prison; 1 pound of green in oil, painting in Prison; 5 gallons of turpentine, painting in Prison; 2 pounds of dry blue, painting in Prison; 1 gallon of varnish, painting in Prison; 2 pounds indian red in oil, painting in Prison; 1 pound drop black, painting in Prison; 25 pounds alum, painting in Prison; 25 pounds glue, painting in Prison; 25 pounds metallic (dry), painting in Prison; 2 pounds indian red in oil, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 10 pounds white lead, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 1/2 gallon boiled oil, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 1 quart of dryers, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 1 quart of varnish, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 1 pound of green in oil, painting, bath-room, Female Prison; 8 pounds of glue, painting in New Prison; 3 pounds of alum, painting in New Prison; 4 gallons of boiled oil, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon of dryers, painting in New Prison; 3 gallons of turpentine, painting in New Prison; 300 pounds of white lead, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon of varnish, painting in New Prison; 10 pounds of indian red, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon of varnish, painting in New Prison; 1 gallon of turpentine, painting in New Prison; 1/2 gallon of boiled oil, painting in New Prison; 1 quart of dryers, painting in New Prison.

MASON'S REPORT.

April—1/4 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 3 pecks cement, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel plaster, for use in the Prisons; 1/2 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 3 pecks plaster, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel cement, for use in the Prisons; 1/2 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel cement, for use in the Prisons.

May—3 pecks plaster, for use in the Prisons; 1 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel cement, for use in the Prisons.

June—1 1/2 barrels Portland cement, for use in the Prisons; 6 barrels sand, for use in the Prisons; 800 hard brick, for use in the Prisons; 2 bushels cement, for use in the Prisons; 1/2 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 1 peck plaster, for use in the Prisons; 2 bushels cement, for use in the Prisons; 2 pecks plaster, for use in the Prisons; 70 brick, for use in the Prisons; 1/4 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel cement, for use in the Prisons; 2 pecks plaster, for use in the Prisons; 1 barrel sand, for use in the Prisons; 15 hard brick, for use in the Prisons; 1/4 barrel lime, for use in the Prisons; 1 bushel cement, for use in the Prisons; 2 pecks of plaster, for use in the Prisons; 1/4 barrel of sand, for use in the Prisons.

SUPPLIES TAKEN FROM STOREROOM FOR USE IN PRISON.

April—1 dust brush, Boys' Prison; 1 door mat, Old Prison; 1 tier slate, Boys' Prison; 1 wooden pail, Old Prison; 1 paint brush, Old Prison; 1 dozen table spoons, Old Prison; 1 wooden pail, Old Prison; 1 dozen mess pans, Boys' Prison; 1 dust brush, Boys' Prison; 1/2 dozen hand towels, New Prison; 1 tier slate, Old Prison; 3 dozen sponges, Prison Yard; 1 white-wash brush, Old Prison; 1 box paste, Old Prison; 6 towels, Old Prison; 1 paint brush, Old Prison; 1 dust brush, New Prison; 1 tin cup, Old Prison; 6 tin cups, Prison Yard; 1 door mat New Prison; 3 spittoons, New Prison; 1 dust brush, Prison Yard; 1 closet lock, Prison Yard; 1/2 dozen towels, Female Prison; 1 dust pan, Boys' Prison; 2 sash tools, Boys' Prison; 35 tier slates, Old Prison; 3 sash tools, Painter; 1 stove brush, Old Prison; 6 table spoons, Old Prison; 6 table spoons, New Prison; 3 tin cups, Kitchen; 2 dust brushes, New Prison; 1 large tier slate, Old Prison; 1 wooden pail, Boys' Prison; 2 spittoons, New Prison; 5 tin cups, Prison Yard; 6 tin cups, Old Prison; 1 whitewash brush, Old Prison; 3 brooms, Prison Yard; 1 whitewash brush, Old Prison; 4 tin wash basins, Old Prison; 1 feather duster, Female Prison; 1 door mat, Boys' Prison; 1 whitewash brush, Old Prison; 1 whitewash brush, Old Prison; 1/2 dozen tin wash basins, Old Prison; 1 whitewash brush, Old Prison; 4 Fritchard tools, Paint Shop; 1 pound brush, Paint Shop; 2 sash tools, Paint Shop; 1 door mat, Old Prison; 1 door mat, Office; 1 dust pan, Old Prison; 1 dust brush, Old Prison; 1 feather duster, Boys' Prison; 1/2 dozen soup pans, Old Prison; 2 water pails, Old Prison; 1/2 dozen spoons, Old Prison; 1/2 dozen wash basins, Old Prison; 2 dust brushes, New Prison; 1 feather duster, Boys' Prison; 8 mess pans, Prison Yard; 1 wooden pail, Old Prison.

WILLIAM FLYNN, Acting Warden, City Prison.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—OFFICE OF DISTRICT PRISONS,
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET AND SYLVAN PLACE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEAR SIR—I herewith respectfully transmit quarterly report of work done by paid and unpaid labor during the quarter ending June 30, 1899, to wit:

CARPENTER'S WORK.

At Fourth District Prison—By unpaid labor: 50 feet of 1/4-inch round moulding put on ceiling in Prison Kitchen; also repairing closet in Office; 1 gross 1 1/4-inch screws, 3 pounds finishing nails.

At Fifth District Prison—By unpaid labor: Repairing two chairs, also putting on new chair bottom.

PLUMBING AND TINSMITHING.

At Second District Prison—Engine room, putting in 2 sets of grate bars, size 20 inches by 36 inches by 6 by 3/4-inch, 2 new glass gauges 3/8-inch by 12 inches, 2 1-inch union, 2 7-inch flat bastard files, 1 7-inch half round coarse file, 6 feet 6 inches 1 1/4-inch pipe, 5 feet 4 inches 1/2-inch pipe, 2 1 1/4-inch plugs, 2 3/4-inch caps and 5 pounds cotton waste; testing two boilers by Police Department.

At Third District Prison—By paid labor: Repairing hot-water shut-off cock connecting with range boiler and supply pipe, furnishing 1 new compression cock and adjusting same to laundry tub; material used: 6 sets compression washers, 1 pound lampwick, 9 new rubber top washers, 1 1/2-inch faucet and sink compressed wash tray cock. Repairing valves and hopper springs in cells Nos. 2, 5, 7, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24 and 25 also adjusting a patent back air connection in Keeper's toilet; material used: 12 sets of Bartholemew valve washers, 12 sets compression washers, 6 candles, 3 brass springs for valves, 2 pounds putty, 1 set of ball cock washers, 5 pounds plaster of paris, 1 2-inch brass patent cock air connection.

At Fourth District Prison—By unpaid labor: Putting 1 new faucet on sink in Kitchen and 1 new faucet on sink in hall, 4 new brass water faucets put in cells on the first and second tier, also 7 new washers put on water closets in cells, male tier. By paid labor: Repair of leak at hot water pipe of boiler.

At Fifth District Prison—By paid labor: Resetting new hot water boiler and repairing water-closet and basin in Ten-Day House, also repairing leak in hot water faucet, Matron's room; material used: 2 1-inch by 2-inch galvanized nipples, 1 pound white lead, 4 rubber washers, 4 compression washers, 5 rubber union washers 1-inch by 3/4-inch, 1 hook.

At Fourth District Prison—By paid labor: Furnishing and putting in full S dead trap; material used: 1 2-inch full S trap, 2 pounds solder, 2 pounds putty, 1 gallon gasoline, 2 sink bolts.

At Fifth District Prison—By unpaid labor: Cleaning out 6 water tanks on male tier, also repairing kitchen utensils such as coffee boilers and cans; material used: 1/2 pound rosin and 1 pound solder.

At Seventh District Prison—By paid labor: Putting in new valve at bath-tub and repairing basin faucet; material used, 4 3/4-inch valves for bath-tubs, 3 candles; also repairing two self-closing basin caps; material used: 1 pound solder, 12 sets of fuller washers.

MASON'S AND PLASTERERS' WORK.

At Second District Prison—Repairing floor of engine-room, 1 barrel cement.

At Fifth District Prison—Repairing floor of kitchen and entrances to kitchen, 1/2 barrel Portland cement.

At Fourth District Prison—Scraping and plastering the outside of Prison and walls adjoining same, also giving same 2 coats of whitewash; 1 barrel lime, 5 pounds U. M. blue.

At Fifth District Prison—Scraping and pointing walls and ceiling of Female Department, preparatory to painting same; 10 pounds plaster of paris.

PAINTERS' WORK.

At Second District Prison—Painting interior of Prison cells and walls; material used: 1,000 pounds white lead, 100 pounds burnt umber, 40 gallons of oil, 20 gallons of turpentine, 10 pounds of glue, 10 pounds Prussian blue, 5 pounds chrome green, 5 pounds indian red, 10 pounds patent dryers, 312 pounds gildrose whitening for ceilings.

At Third District Prison—Painting Keepers' office, Matron's Prison room, Prison kitchen, and varnishing ceiling of same, also 3 office gates and large main gate of entrance; material used: 65 pounds white lead, 12 pounds chrome green, 2 gallons copal varnish, 2 gallons of turpentine, 2 gallons boiled oil, 1/2 gallon asphaltum, 5 pounds patent dryers, 1 pound U. M. blue and 1 pound lampblack.

At Fourth District Prison—Painting interior of Prison, Male and Female Department inclusive, 28 cells, all windows and bars; material used: 400 pounds white lead, 5 pounds patent dryers, 10 gallons turpentine, 5 gallons boiled oil, 5 pounds chrome green, 5 pounds indian red, 10 pounds yellow ochre, 2 gallons asphaltum, 1 gallon copal varnish and 10 gallons raw oil.

At Fifth District Prison—Painting walls and cells of Male Department; material used: 550 pounds white lead, 20 pounds ochre, 5 pounds patent dryers, 25 gallons boiled oil, 15 gallons turpentine, 5 pounds burnt sienna, 5 pounds indian red, 1 pound Prussian blue. Scraping and whitewashing walls and ceiling in laundry, also whitewashing dining-room and Ten-Day house; 1 barrel finishing lime; painting dado (5 feet) Ten-Day house and dining-room, 50 pounds white lead, 5 gallons boiled oil, 1 gallon asphaltum.

At Seventh District Prison—Painting outside tiers Male Prison; material used: 50 pounds white lead, 5 gallons oil, 5 gallons turpentine, 3 gallons of asphaltum. Painting stairway throughout building, also pipes and sinks in Male and Female Prisons; material used: 150

pounds white lead, 10 gallons oil, 10 gallons turpentine, 5 gallons asphaltum, 1 pound burnt umber, 5 pounds yellow ochre.

MISCELLANEOUS WORK.

At Fifth District Prison—By paid labor: Putting on sheepskin top on two horse collars and on two turnbacks.

The Prisons were entirely cleansed of roaches, waterbugs, etc., by the services rendered of the Columbian Insecticide Company.

The usual amount of laundrying, cooking, cleaning and other general work done in all prisons by unpaid prison help.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. NAGLE, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

Quarterly Report of all District Prisons ending June 30, 1899.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Prisoners remaining on March 31, 1899	210	74	284
Prisoners received during quarter ending June 30, 1899.....	7,834	2,760	10,594
Total	8,044	2,834	10,878
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse and to Bellevue Hospital as help.....	1,632	1,078	2,710
Transferred to City Prison.....	1,194	178	1,372
Transferred to Hospital.....	153	80	233
Died in Prison.....	0	1	1
Transferred to Penitentiary.....	2	0	2
Discharged.....	4,908	1,432	6,340
Prisoners remaining on June 30, 1899.....	155	65	220
Total	8,044	2,834	10,878

JOHN E. NAGLE, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
OFFICE OF NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
NEW YORK, July 5, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEAR SIR—I respectfully transmit herewith my report for the quarter ending June 30, 1899, showing the amount of labor performed for the Department of Correction and the Department of Public Charities.

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON, Warden.

WORK COMPLETED IN THE SHOPS DURING THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.
FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Blacksmiths.

Made: Penitentiary—6 door lintels, 11 chisels, 5 augers, 2 crowbars, 6 peg knives, 3 top sledges, 13 wall scrapers, 123 bucket handles, 12 bucket hinges, 1 hasp, 360 bucket straps, 3 steel pins, 2 barrow hooks, 16 shovel handles, 1 slice bar, 1 lock for gate, 4 dirt spoons, 5 picks, 1 stone hammer, 4 axe hammers, 10 fire-escape buckets, 1 iron door, 6 two-inch bolts, 30 counter-sink bolts, 1 large staple and dog, 25 pipe staples, 34 points, 12 bush hammers, 7 braces for fly-wheel, 8 axes for machine, 1 handle for derrick, 1 coldchisel, 2 pinch bars, 3 joint tools, 6 box straps, 2 hooks, 15 inches long; 2 hooks, 8 inches long; 1 hook, 2 1/2 inches long; 1 hook, "S"; 4 hooks, ordinary; 2 bolts, 25 inches long; 1 pair tongs, 1 cesspool cover, 5 special bolts, 9 awning frames, 12 pitching tools, 1 puddling bar, 1 wheel for wheelbarrow, 4 plates for boxes, 20 spikes, 38 hand drills, 3 machine drills, 150 plugs, 575 rivets, 45 drills, 2 wedges, 2 steel wedges, 1 ice dog, 3 fire-hoes, 1 poker, 16 staples, 19 shackles, 108 tub handles, 24 braces, 2 ice bars, 1 striking hammer, 1 hinge, 1 bull swedge, 36 window hooks, 8 washers, 2 cranks. City Prison—21 double-cot frames. Workhouse—7 fire-escapes. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 hook for hames. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 plate, 1 lock plate, 24 brackets, 1 fire-hoe, 24 iron keys. Repaired: Penitentiary—18 scoops, 1 meat hook, 3 hammers, 18 axe hammers, 1 bush hammer, 6 hand drills, 3 chairs, 1 ice-bar, 1 ice-box, 349 drills, 1 cell door, 2 fire-hoes, 1 watering can, 2 railings, 1 clip, 1 poker, 1 run for float, 41 machine drills, 1 puddling bar, 1 stove, 5 fire-hoes, 9 picks, 1 derrick, 1 window, 4,618 chisels, 1 stove cover, 1 lawn mower, 1 gangplank, 3 pair ice-tongs, 1 saw shaft, 2,126 points, 140 augers, 8 cold chisels, 17 locks, 16 latches, 4 coal carts, 1 push cart, 4 plows, 1 screwdriver, 1 expansion wrench, 1 vise handle, 4 dirt spoons, 2 crowbars, 2 iron gates, 3 slice bars, 3 ringers, 10 pair scissors, 1 trunk lock, 1 whiffletree, 2 iron wheels, 1 hatchway wheel, 6 chisels hardened, 1 printing press, 1 hub for flywheel, 1 machine shoe shop, 66 pitching tools, 2 coal tubs, 1 wagon, 2 ox carts, 3 window rods, 2 broom machines, 25 cot frames, 3 ice-picks, 40 wedges, 3 handle wedges, 1 gas stove, 22 wheelbarrows, 5 iron wheelbarrows, 7 tables, 3 keys, 3 rivet hammers, 1 door, 645 holes drilled in straps; put up 1 derrick; 66 corner iron bent; sharpening broom knives. Steamer "Gilroy"—1 bell, 1 lamp stand, 1 pump handle. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—5 fire hoes, 4 coal carts, 1 wrench. Central Stables—1 wagon, 1 tire, Vans Nos. 3 and 6. Blackwell's Island Stables—2 wagons, 1 survey, 1 set harness, 2 buggies, 1 van wheel. Workhouse—Carts Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 2 trucks, 1 buggy, 1 bread wagon. Hart's Island—1 wagon.

Days' labor, 1,635.

Tinsmiths.

Made: Penitentiary—1 watering can, 40 feet leader pipe, 6 lengths stove pipe, 3 lengths 6-inch pipe, 6 feet 1-inch pipe, 3 six-quart tin pails, 12 ointment boxes, 1 pint; 12 ointment boxes, one-half pint, 2 five-gallon garbage pails, 2 five-gallon tin cans, 2 one-inch elbows, 3 six-inch elbows, 6 three-quarter-inch elbows, 562 one-quart cups, 1 galvanized-iron sink, 1 tin strainer, 1 tea kettle, 2 pumps in garden, 1 twelve-inch tray, 3 one-inch nipples, 1 galvanized-iron base, 1,157 mess pans, 6 five-gallon sprinklers, 5 coffee cans, 1/2-dozen tin ducks, 1 oval tin wash boiler, 1 drip-pan, 2 feet by 4 1/2 feet, 300 various articles tin and ironware; roof for new sewing-room, roof for cot washers' building and stone shed; water-pipe for Warden's House; new sink in Keepers' Kitchen. City Prison—12 sprinkling cans. Second District Prison—4 large strainers, 2 iron bake pans 18 by 20. Third District Prison—3 each tin boilers 12 by 12, 15 by 15 four galvanized-iron ash cans, 4 long handled dippers, 1 three-gallon sprinkler, 1 medium water sprinkler. Fourth District Prison—3 galvanized-iron ash cans. Fifth District Prison, 2 twenty-gallon coffee cans, 3 galvanized-iron ash-cans. Seventh District Prison—3 medium bake-pans, 6 galvanized-iron ash-cans. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 soup skimmer, 1 colander, 1 coffee strainer. Steamer "Gilroy"—Putting up speaking and sounding tubes, fog horn tubing, 6 galvanized-iron fire buckets. Steamer "Strong"—6 galvanized-iron fire buckets. City Cemetery—6 6-quart watering cans. Store-house—1 3-gallon sprinkler, 50 tin dish pans, 1,000 mess pans, 1 med. sprinkler, 50 tin wash basins, 100 6-gallon tin cans. Repaired: Penitentiary—1 bellow pipe, 1 water closet, 1 ice box lined, 1 sprinkling cart, 32 pairs shoe lasts, 625 pieces various articles tinware, roof in mess hall and female prison, putting up bath tubs in female prison, putting up stoves in wash house and carpenter shop, taking down stove in old and new prison, removing old tin from Administration Building.

Days' labor, 1,240.

Carpenters.

Made: Penitentiary—2 camera frames, 4 plastering darbie, 2 large boxes, 250 swab sticks, 1 flooring, 1 tool box, 1 pair crutches, 1 cornice, 1 barber chair, 7 doors, 1 sky-light, 1 knife handle, 3 flower boxes, 2 shoe blocks, 1 frame and manhole, 3 surveyors' stakes, 14 cutting boards, 15 clothes horses, 12 sledge hammer handles, 1 foot bath tub, 3 wash tubs, 2 wash kits, 2 window frames and sash, 1 door frame and sash, 1 plate box, 2 folding racks, 10 scrub pails, 2 signs, 3 buckets, 6 sashes, 2 ice boxes, 4 drip boards, 7 pails, 1 desk, 250 tallies, 1 plumb rule and straight edge, sheeting for office, 4 wheels for coal cart, 44 cell buckets, 2 tables, 1 table top, body for cart No. 4, 3 closets, 1 ladder, 2 locks, 2 feather edges, 1 bread tray, 36 whisk broom handles, 1 cementer's float, 2 sets drawer rims, 4 pick handles, various articles for sewing room, moulding for altar, screen steps and lattice work for Warden's house, frame and shelving for photo gallery, building temporary photo gallery, partitions for Deputy Warden's rooms and female prison, benches for shoe shop, steps in boys' prison, window trim and furring for bath-house, shelves in Deputy Warden's kitchen, china closet for Matron's dining-room, partition in new hospital, new tier rail for parade ground, building temporary photo gallery, building shed over boiler in coal yard.

Hart's Island—12 large signs. Central Office—1 oak stand. Third District Prison—1 axe-handle. Fourth District Prison—1 bench, 8 feet long; 1 bench, 9 feet long; 2 benches, 5 feet long; 1 kitchen table. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 buggy shaft, 1 hand loom, 1 tail board. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 handle for coal barrow. Repaired: Penitentiary—1 mirror, 1 floor, 1 altar, 1 spindle, 2 tables, 1 bench, 3 doors, 1 axe, 1 drawer, 25 pails, 13 tubs, 8 trunks, 2 desks, 1 derick, 1 table top, 3 mallets, 1 meat box, 1 wash kit, 5 ice-boxes, 2 ice-box locks, 1 cabinet, 3 coat-hooks, 1 fence, 10 chairs, 2 signs, 1 window, 2 wheels, 15 knives and saws sharpened, 11 wheelbarrows, 1 coal cart, 1 rocking-chair, 2 wooden rammers, 110 cell-buckets, 12 sledge-hammer handles, 1 window-frame, 1 prayer-stool, 2 cutting boards, 4 closets, 1 bath-house, 2 guard-houses, 1 sprinkling-cart, sash removed in mess hall, power-wheel and rigging, putting in window-cords in dining-room, 2 wheels boxed, putting up screens in Warden's house, bath-house, 1 figure on Warden's porch, cot-washer's shed, putting up ice-box in kitchen. Central office—1 wheel boxed, Van No. 6. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—2 chairs, 1 coal cart, 1 wheel boxed. Hart's Island—1 transfer wagon. Blackwell's Island Stables—2 coal carts, 1 truck, tail board for cart No. 5, 1 pair shafts for coal cart.

Days' labor, 945.

Painters and Upholsterers.

Painted: Penitentiary—6 lanterns, 40 tubs, 1 two-wheel wagon, 1 water-cooler, 1 desk, 5 fire-pails, 2 tables, 12 soup tubs, 22 bread boxes, photograph gallery, office, 453 cell buckets, 3 wagons, 1 water-barrel, 3 sprinkling-carts, 46 sprinkling-cans, 2 iron bedsteads, 1 saw bench, 1 tool-chest, 1 closet, 4 benches, 54 window-sashes, 60 bucket-lids, 3 cots, 3 doors, 1 ice-box, 18 signs, 4 ladders, glazing windows, Deputy-Warden's apartments, mess-room, roofs, various pieces of furniture damaged by fire. Riker's Island—21 double iron bedsteads, 4 chairs. City Prison—12 large sprinkling cans. Storehouse—18 sprinkling cans, 1 water cooler. Hart's Island—1 wagon. Steamer "W. L. Strong"—4 signs. Made: Penitentiary—4 mattresses. Repaired: Penitentiary—58 mattresses, 4 chairs, various pieces of furniture damaged by fire, picking hair. Central Office—5 chairs re-covered.

Days' labor, 1,466.

Cot, Broom and Brush, Shoemakers and Tailors.

Made: Penitentiary—567 pairs men's shoes, 152 pairs women's shoes, 55 cots, 36 dozen brooms, 40 coats. Storehouse—500 pairs shoes. City Prison—42 cots. Women's Hospital—12 cots. Repaired: Penitentiary—224 cots, 756 pairs shoes, 225 cots, 895 vests, 1,544 pairs pants.

Days' labor, 4,142.

Cutting Room.

Cut: Penitentiary—1,450 shirts, 41 winter coats, 81 winter pants, 1,500 summer pants, 1,500 summer hats. City Prison—25 winter jackets, 72 shirts, 200 check spreads, 100 summer pants, 12 white duck pants. Workhouse—272 summer jackets, 272 summer pants, 1 25-foot flag. Storehouse—1 flag left. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—12 bleached muslin sheets, 24 muslin pillow-cases, 2 table-cloths, 1 union jack, 1 ensign. Made: Penitentiary—300 summer hats, 200 shirts. City Prison—29 winter jackets. Workhouse—150 summer jackets, 400 pairs summer pants, 81 pairs winter pants, 1 25-foot flag. Storehouse—1 loft flag. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—12 bleached muslin pillow-cases. Cut and Made: Second District Prison—50 summer pants. Third District Prison—12 summer pants, 24 check spreads, 12 women's chemises, 36 hand-towels. Fourth District Prison—12 check spreads, 6 summer pants. Fifth District Prison—12 summer pants. Seventh District Prison—24 petticoats, 24 women's chemises. Fire Department—12 bleached muslin sheets, 12 bleached muslin pillow-cases.

Days' labor, 930.

Sewing Room.

Made: Penitentiary—75 hand towels, 69 dish towels, 14 roller towels, 19 new dresses, 19 white spreads, 17 pairs drawers, 33 blue aprons. Repaired: Penitentiary—764 striped shirts, 14 women's aprons, 58 scrub aprons, 752 undershirts, 7 dresses, 240 pillow-cases, 282 pillow-ticks, 31 napkins, 6 gowns, 7 bed-ticks, 2 curtains, 1,045 pairs socks, 6 laundry bags, 20 women's dresses, 3 babies' dresses, 3 drawers, 3 waists, 3 skirts.

Days' labor, 1,225.

Printing Bureau.

Number of impressions, 102,290.

Days' labor, 113.

Stone Shed Gang.

Window jambs, 91 feet 8 inches; door jambs, 16 feet 8 inches; lintels, 37 feet 8 inches; rock faced ashlar, 1,231 feet 8 inches; arch stone, 15 feet 6 inches; corner stone, 142 feet 3 inches; sills, 18 feet 6 inches; building new stone shed, flagging and grading walks on prison grounds, cutting stone for Randall's Island, cutting stone for and delivering same to new photo gallery, hand drilling in quarry, digging sewer from the shed for waste water, and doing miscellaneous work in and about the prison, and on the prison grounds.

Days' labor, 6,743.

Coal Yard.

Unloading and handling coal and ice on wharf and in the yard.

Days' labor, 2,436.

Out-door Labor.

Men employed at laying out lawns, keeping roads in repair, removing debris from Administration Building, and doing miscellaneous work in the prison and about the prison grounds.

Days' labor, 4,680.

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Summary Days of Labor.

Blacksmiths.....	1,635	Sewing Room.....	1,225
Tinsmiths.....	1,240	Printing Bureau.....	113
Carpenters.....	945	Stone Shed.....	6,743
Painters and Upholsterers.....	1,466	Coal Yard.....	2,436
Cot, Broom, Brush and Shoe Makers and Tailors.....	4,142	Out-door Labor.....	4,680
Cutting Room.....	930	Total.....	25,555

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Blacksmiths.

Made: Steamer "Wickham"—6 bolts and shackles, 1 fire-hoe. Steamer "Brennan"—1 machine hammer. Repaired: Steamer "Fidelity"—3 coal carts. Steamer "Brennan"—7 coal carts, 1 slice-bar, 1 fire-hoe. Steamer "Wickham"—2 fire-hose, 1 cross head pin, 1 railing. Randall's Island Asylum and Schools—2 wheels.

Days' labor, 192.

Tinsmiths.

Made: Bellevue Hospital—1 20-gallon tin coffee can with cover, 24 refuse boxes, 2 dozen bake pans, 3 medium colanders, 12 tin slop pails, 6 small coffee strainers, 6 small tea strainers. Fordham Hospital—6 tin cans, 14 by 20; 6 foot baths. Metropolitan Hospital—6 iron bake pans. Nurses' Home—2 galvanized-iron garbage pails.

Days' labor, 500.

Carpenters.

Storehouse—549 infants' coffins, 575 adults' coffins, 72 pairs crutches. Steamer "Brennan"—1 frame and 2 handles for coal cart. Fordham Hospital—8 signs, 6 towel racks. Almshouse—1 sprinkling cart. Repaired: Steamer "Brennan"—1 coal cart. Metropolitan Hospital—1 coupe. Steamer "Fidelity"—1 hand coal cart.

Days' labor, 1,661.

Painters and Upholsterers.

Painted: Randall's Island Asylum and Schools—1 large row-boat. Bellevue Hospital—12 tin slop pails, 1 dozen foot baths. Fordham Hospital—8 large signs. Repaired: Bellevue Hospital—4 rubber water beds.

Days' labor, 29.

Cot, Broom and Brush, Shoemakers and Tailors.

Made: Bellevue Hospital—2 dozen cots; various work in hand, but uncompleted.

Days' labor, 323.

Cutting Room.

Cut: Metropolitan Hospital—750 shirts, 75 pillow-cases, 440 pairs cottonade pants, 150 bleached muslin sheets. Bellevue Hospital—600 chemises, 100 ward sheets, 450 nightgowns, 1,450 pillow-cases, 1,700 bleached muslin sheets. Nurses' Home—30 pillow-cases, 30 bleached muslin sheets. City Hospital—300 pillow-cases, 600 chemises, 900 bleached muslin sheets, 546 cottonade pants. Fordham Hospital—192 pillow-cases, 72 nightgowns, 144 ward shirts, 336 bleached muslin shirts, 72 chemises. Gouverneur Hospital—36 chemises, 336 pillow-cases, 24 women's calico dresses, 336 bleached muslin sheets, 48 nightgowns. Harlem Hospital—576 pillow-cases, 144 chemises, 144 nightgowns, 576 bleached muslin sheets, 72 nightgowns, 144 ward shirts. Alms House—1,923 pillow cases, 900 chemises, 208 brown muslin sheets, 1,575 bleached muslin sheets. 300 nightgowns, 675 women's calico dresses. Incurable Hospital—375 brown muslin pillow-cases, 375 brown muslin sheets, 125 women's calico dresses, 125 shirts, 187 women's chemises, 187 nightgowns.

Days' labor, 1,557.

Printing Bureau.

Number of impressions, 540,625.

Days' labor, 279.

Coal Yard.

Unloading and handling coal and ice on wharf and in the yard.

Days' labor, 4,870.

Out-door Labor.

Men employed at laying out lawns, keeping roads in repair, grading walks, etc.

Days' labor, 2,432.

Summary Days of Labor.

Blacksmiths.....	192	Cutting Room.....	1,557
Tinsmiths.....	500	Printing Bureau.....	279
Carpenters.....	1,661	Coal Yard.....	4,870
Painters and Upholsterers.....	29	Out-door Labor.....	2,432
Cot, Broom and Brush, Shoemakers and Tailors.....	323	Total.....	11,843

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
OFFICE OF WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully submit herewith my Quarterly Report of the Workhouse, ending June 30, 1899.

Appended please find different tables showing the admissions, discharges, etc., as well as the locations, and the number of prisoners remaining at other institutions on June 30, 1899; also a detailed statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed at this institution; also the number of days' labor accomplished by the Workhouse help, male and female, and the work done for the Department of Public Charities and the Manhattan State Hospital.

Very respectfully,

JOHN M. FOX, Warden.

QUARTERLY LABOR REPORT, WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

Report of Male and Female Labor Performed by the Workhouse Help at the Different Institutions of the Department of Public Charities during Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.		
	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Bellevue Hospital.....	.....	3,190	3,190
City Hospital.....	2,764	.....	2,764
Randall's Island Hospital.....	3,889	2,149	6,038
Infants' Hospital.....	.....	732	732
Metropolitan Hospital.....	1,766	487	2,253
Almshouse.....	91	1,301	1,392
Steamboat Department.....	1,220	.....	1,220
Laundry.....	.....	3,173	3,173
Storehouse.....	1,592	.....	1,592
Stable.....	1,742	77	1,819
Bakery.....	2,745	60	2,806
Fire Department.....	182	.....	182
Unloading coal.....	3,862	.....	3,862
Total number of days' labor.....	19,853	11,170	31,023

MANHATTAN STATE HOSPITAL.

Number of Days' Labor Accomplished by the Workhouse Help for this Institution during Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

	MEN.	HORSES.	CARTS.
April.....	193	.....	.....
May.....	.....	.....	.....
June.....	121	14	14
Days' Work.....	314	14	14

CARPENTERS.

Made: 1 new partition in male hall, 3 new stretchers for hospital, 1 curtain pole 12 feet long, 24 turned rings, 4 new guards on bath house, 3 new wardrobes, 1 new table, 3 new wheelbarrows, 2 ladders 18 feet long, new sky-light on laundry roof, 11 new meat boxes, 6 new seats in male dining-hall, 85 new bread-boxes, 6 new high stools, 112 new peels for bakery, 60 new mops, 2,100 tally strips. Put on: 229 sash cords in workhouse, 39 new locks, 32 new keys fitted. Repaired: 12 old locks, 57 meat-boxes, 164 bread-boxes, 293 buckets, 59 wheelbarrows, 32 ox-carts and meat-wagons, 53 chairs, 97 tables and seats. Jobbing: Remodeled and ventilated Blackwell's Island stables, repaired planking on dock, 6 windows in boat-house, all sky-lights on workhouse, boat-house at Seventieth street; at Twenty-sixth street dock, repaired two doors, 3 windows, scale box and floor on prisoners' room. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—Repaired 3 chairs and 2 benches. Steamer "Gilroy"—Repaired 3 windows, 2 stools, 1 new spike pole, 2 new gang planks. Harts' Island—Made 6 new meat-boxes, 4 new bread-boxes, 3 new clothes-boxes, new floor on engine-house, new sills in engine-house, 4 doors repaired, 10 wheelbarrows, 10 windows, 30 new sash cords, 15 doors, floor and piazza repaired for keepers' house, stable repaired. At Rikers' Island—Repaired water-tower and tank, 3 new window frames, 3 pair sash for frames, 4 whiffletrees, 3 sledge handles, 2 plow sticks, 6 mosquito frames, 2 boom jacks, 1 wagon jack, 4 straight edges, 3 meat-boxes, 4 boxes repaired, 2 large doors repaired.

BLACKSMITHS.

Made: Fire-escapes for female hall, 8 door handles, 30 drills, 9 bolts for doors, 2 hasps, 6 staples, 3 hinges, 12 window bars, 2 wrenches, 24 chisels, 25 bucket straps, 4 screw drivers, 4 cutters, 168 hold fasts, 6 joints, 3 peels, 1 furnace bar, 1 wedge, 2 window guards, 27 cots, 1 row-boat repaired, 2 locks, 56 straps, 2 tires, 2 irons for windows, 1 flange, 12 hooks, 8 braces, 1 hoe. Repaired: 155 chisels, 3 hoes, 1 slice bar, 4 gridirons, 76 drills, 3 coal carts, 21 wheelbarrows, 1 wagon, 13 hammers, 1 truck, 2 shovels, 2 bars, 2 hasps, 17 buckets. At Riker's Island—Repaired bars in Prison. Made: ½ dozen steel drills, with plugs; 1 crank iron, 4 iron bars, 36 spike nails, 1 straddle iron, 8 iron plates, 2 swivel trees, mounting 1 jack.

TINSMITHS.

Made: 150 mess pans, 2 dozen dippers, 1 dozen baking pans, ½ dozen milk cans, 1 dozen 5-inch stove-pipe elbows, 1½ dozen watering-pots, 1 dozen coffee-pots, 1 dozen dish-pans, 1 dozen large boilers, 1 dozen 6-inch stove-pipe elbows. Repaired: 2 large galvanized iron boxes, 100 locks and keys, tinning scuttle-cover and putting on ½ dozen ventilators on laundry roof, 400 kitchen utensils, cleaning and putting up stove-pipe in laundry. Harts' Island—Made ½ dozen coffee-pots, ½ dozen large soup boilers. Central Office—Tinning two large flower tubs. Riker's Island—Tinning 1 large box, tinning roof on Keeper Murray's house, tinning roof on Building No. 2. Steamboat "Strong"—Connecting ventilator, making and putting up speaking-tubes.

PAINTERS.

Painted wall of main hall, ½ dozen large tubs for hospital, rooms in stable keeper's house, 2 floors in Warden's house, grained door in male prison, put 200 panes glass in Male and Female prison, stained and varnished closet for office, painted hospital in male prison, 1 room in dormitory, bricks and desks in front Warden's house, stained and varnished desk for Doctor's quarters, glazing padded cell windows. Riker's Island—Painted Keeper Murray's house, painted 3 rooms in Keeper Henry's house. Harts' Island—Painted house on Harts' Island, painted 2 rooms in Doctor's house, painted and lettered 1 row boat, painted 9 rooms at Harts' Island. Central Office—Painted 2 large flower pots. Launch "Gilroy"—Painted engine room.

ENGINEER.

Repaired: 3 washing machines, 1 counter shaft, 10 bolts, 1 mangle, 6 steam leads, connected 1 new valve to mangle. Removed: 18 old and connected 18 new wash strainers, removed old and replaced new laundry stove, cleaned out waste-pipes from 10 wash tubs. General repairs: Repaired 18 steam leaks, 2 sinks, 8 water-closets, 1 lubricator, 1 waste pipe, 2 bath tubs, 1 copper boiler, 6 gas leaks, 1 wash basin, 2 cisterns, 4 gas fixtures, 1 pump, 2 cocks. Connected: 4 new gas stoves, 1 new radiator, 2 new gas lines in Female Hall, 1 bell trap and 4 waste-pipes from laundry to sewer, connected new cooking kettle in Kitchen, removed old kettle in Kitchen. Correction Store-house—Repaired sink and wash basin and put in new bib and basin-cock. Engine Company No. 49—Repaired 4 water leaks and sinks. Launch Gilroy—Repaired 1 hoisting injector. Masons and Plasterers—Built 1,671 cubic feet of sea wall; graded wall 18 by 16 with brick; graded back of sea wall 630 square feet; laid 292 cubic feet of brick at Shoe Shop; laid 1,145 cubic feet stone on sea wall; brick work, 85 cubic feet on Workhouse grounds. Repaired: Crematory—with brick, walls in Hospital with plaster, 2 ceilings with plaster, 3 cells with plaster, floor of Boiler-house 36 square feet with brick, reset 21 clothes poles, pointed 19 cells, pointed outside of Kitchen 353 square feet with cement, straightened 74 feet of fence, cleaned 2,600 brick, put down 1 stone post, drilled 15 holes for fire escapes and put up in Female Hall, set 40 linear feet of curbstone, set 38 feet of gutter flagging, set 260 square feet flagging. Put down: 1,120 square feet grass sod, 45 feet of letters "Department of Correction" in brick. Riker's Island—Built 98 cubic feet wall stone work with cement.

SHOEMAKERS.

Repaired: 878 pairs shoes.

TAILORS.

Made 356 pairs new pants. Repaired: 1,425 coats, 1,825 pairs pants, 875 vests, 938 citizens' suits repaired and pressed.

COTMAKERS.

Made: 1 door mat, put up 2,621 cot bottoms, repaired 716 cot bottoms, spliced 2,208 cot rope.

FEMALE HELP.

(Home Help).

Made: 367 petticoats, 1,060 pair striped pants, 1,939 striped shirts, 170 crash towels, 545 chemises, 250 shrouds, 30 pair cottonade pants, 376 pair mens' mits. Repaired: 373 petticoats, 494 shirts, 42 pillow ticks, 301 chemises, 792 dresses, 388 socks. Washed and laundered: 195,498 pieces clothing and bedding for City Prison, Steamboat Department, City Cemetery and Workhouse.

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Engineer—Repaired: 2 extractors, 7 belts, 1 pulley and shafting, 1 mangle, 1 water-closet, 2 steam cocks.

Tailor Shop—Made 148 new coats.

Female Help—Made for: Charity Store House, 1,226 adult shrouds; Metropolitan Hospital, 202 winter pants, 144 winter coats, 152 pillow-cases, 75 sheets; Bellevue Hospital, 131 winter pants, 415 pillow-cases, 385 muslin sheets, 148 check aprons; Gouverneur Hospital, 48 muslin sheets, 48 pillow-cases; Fordham Hospital, 96 muslin sheets; Harlem Hospital, 144 muslin sheets, 133 pillow-cases.

Washed and laundered 98,957 pieces clothing and bedding for Metropolitan and Fordham Hospitals.

Census Report for Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

Remaining March 31, 1899.....	1,258	
Admitted and returned.....	4,270	
		5,528
Discharged.....	3,119	
Transferred.....	1,457	
Died.....	27	
Escaped.....	7	
		4,610

Remaining June 30, 1899..... 918

Number of Prisoners Remaining at Other Institutions June 30, 1899.

INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Bellevue Hospital.....	..	39	39
City Hospital.....	22	..	22
Randall's Island I. A. & S.....	37	33	70
Infants' Hospital.....	..	7	7
Lunatic Asylum (Manhattan State Hospital).....	4	6	10
Metropolitan Hospital.....	..	6	6
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	115	..	115
City Cemetery.....	41	5	46
First District Prison.....	12	3	15
Fifth District Prison.....	1	..	1
Steamboat Department.....	41	..	41
Total.....	273	99	372

Report of Male Labor for Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.
Laundry.....	422	Kitchen and Dining-rooms.....	3,750
Storehouse.....	1,563	Buckets.....	2,074
Stables.....	2,563	Boiler-house.....	1,139
Bakery.....	4,117	Fire Department.....	364
Carpenters.....	1,159	Masons, Plasterers, etc.....	1,056
Painters.....	528	Farm.....	1,161
Tinsmiths.....	604	In Hospital (sick).....	2,889
Blacksmiths.....	235	Labor Gangs.....	11,080
Cot Makers.....	308	Metropolitan Hospital.....	1,036
Barbers and Baths.....	487	Riker's Island.....	7,214
Shoemakers.....	728	Sundries.....	13,105
Tailors.....	794		
Cleaners.....	2,043	Total number of days' labor.....	60,429

Female Labor Report for Quarter ending June 30, 1899.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.
Sewing-rooms.....	4,298	Sundries.....	5,739
Laundry.....	6,346	Alms-house (daily gang).....	1,301
Scrubbers, baths.....	3,016	Master Bakers (residence).....	126
Messengers and Tiers.....	413	Stable Keepers (residence).....	133
Dining-rooms.....	1,001	Metropolitan Hospital (daily gang).....	480
In Hospital (sick).....	2,837		
Kitchen.....	737	Total number of days' work.....	26,427

At Other Institutions.

INSTITUTIONS.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
City Cemetery, Hart's Island.....	3,748	458	4,206
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	8,994	.....	8,994
First District Prison.....	1,017	20	1,037
Second District Prison.....	35	.....	35
Fifth District Prison.....	163	.....	163
Seventh District Prison.....	67	.....	67
Steamboat Department.....	2,440	.....	2,440
Total number of days' labor.....	16,464	478	16,942

REPORT OF THE BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BAKERY FOR THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

	DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.		DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.	
	Barrels.	Pounds.	Barrels.	Pounds.
Number of barrels of flour on hand April 1, 1899.....	701	45	350	22
Number of barrels of flour received during the quarter.....	2,814	140	1,406	..
Total.....	3,515	185	1,756	22
Grand total.....	5,272 barrels 11 pounds.			
Number of barrels of flour consumed during the quarter.....	2,893	..	1,446	..
Number of barrels of flour distributed during the quarter.....	23	165	43	92
Total.....	2,916	165	1,489	92
Grand total.....	4,406 barrels 61 pounds.			

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the various institutions was—

Department of Charities.....	Pounds. 675,856
Department of Correction.....	425,236
Grand total.....	1,101,092

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH HALL, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, July 7, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner, Department of Correction, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I would respectfully submit herewith detailed labor report for quarter ending June 30, 1899.

Very respectfully,
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 1, 1899.

QUARTERLY LABOR REPORT, FROM APRIL 1 TO JULY 1, 1899.

Labor Report for Quarter ending July 1, 1899.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NO. DAYS.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NO. DAYS.
Blacksmiths.....	82	Masons.....	54
Tinsmiths.....	151	Barbers, Druggists and Plumbers.....	473
Carpenters.....	753	Cook-house and bakery.....	1,410
Painters.....	344	Halls and kitchens.....	3,084
Brooms and brushes.....	8,567	Stone shed.....	784
Shoemakers.....	4,647½	Laundry.....	2,122
Printing.....	566	At work in yard.....	2,925
Tailor shop and cutting-room.....	1,920	Boiler-rooms and bath-house.....	942
Iron bedsteads.....	1,363½	Flatbush.....	427½
Knitting.....	1,243½		

Respectfully,
PATRICK HAYES, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y.,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1899.

Hon. JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Correction, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit herewith quarterly report of goods manufactured, printing and repairs, etc., at Kings County Penitentiary, from April 1 to June 30, 1899.

PATRICK HAYES, Warden.

Printing Department.

For Randall's Island—

Apr. 1.	2,000 envelopes, size 12, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 6, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
" 1.	1,500 envelopes, size 12, Secretary.
" 1.	2,000 envelopes, size 12, General Storekeeper.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, General Storekeeper.
" 1.	2,000 envelopes, size 12, President.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, President.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 6, Clerk.
" 1.	2,000 envelopes, size 12, President.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, President.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 12, Secretary.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 12, Storekeeper.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, Storekeeper.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 12, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 12, Warden of Workhouse.
" 1.	500 envelopes, size 6, Warden of Workhouse.
" 1.	1,000 envelopes, size 6, Clerk.
" 4.	5,000 property receipts.
" 10.	5,000 ward census.
" 10.	1,000 meat calls.
" 10.	2,000 letter heads.

For Randall's Island—	
Apr. 10.	1,000 meat calls.
" 10.	2,000 diet sheets.
" 10.	5,000 temperature charts.
For Infants' Hospital—	
" 10.	1,500 death cards.
" 10.	1,500 discharge passes.
" 10.	500 average census.
" 10.	500 aggregate census.
" 10.	500 resignations.
" 10.	2,000 admission cards and discharge blanks.
" 10.	1,000 sick notices.
For Randall's Island—	
" 10.	1,500 laundry lists.
" 10.	500 history sheets.
" 10.	1,500 special diets.
" 10.	1,500 meat calls.
For Department of Steamboats—	
" 10.	1,000 cash slips.
" 10.	2,000 letter heads.
" 10.	2,000 envelopes, size 6.
" 10.	1,000 envelopes, size 12.
For Almshouse—	
" 12.	1,000 admission cards.
" 12.	500 death cards.
" 12.	500 envelopes, size 6, Secretary.
" 12.	500 envelopes, size 6, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
" 12.	1,000 census blanks, Superintendent Outdoor Poor.
For Bellevue Hospital—	
" 12.	20,000 census returns.
For Metropolitan Hospital—	
" 13.	5,000 passes.
" 13.	5,000 Training School.
" 13.	1,500 note heads.
" 13.	1,000 envelopes, size 6, Training School.
" 13.	1,000 envelopes, size 6, Hospital.
" 13.	1,000 envelopes, size 12, Hospital.
For Bellevue Hospital—	
" 14.	2,500 history of patients transferred to Manhattan State Hospital.
For City Hospital—	
" 17.	20,000 diagnosis blanks.
" 17.	500 obstetrical memorandum blanks.
" 17.	1,500 envelopes, size 6.
" 17.	500 daily census reports.
" 17.	50 monthly reports.
" 19.	200 engineers' requisitions.
" 19.	200 special requisitions.
" 19.	5,000 store requisitions.
" 19.	5,000 medical division history blanks.
" 19.	1,000 genito-urinary history blanks.
For Randall's Island—	
" 24.	3,000 passes Almshouse.
" 24.	3,000 Metropolitan Hospital passes.
" 24.	5,000 cards.
For Blackwell's Island—	
" 24.	5,000 cards.
" 24.	5,000 affidavits blanks.
" 24.	5,000 letter heads.
For Bellevue Hospital—	
May 6.	5,000 Morgue cards.
For City Hospital—	
" 6.	5,000 note heads.
For Infants' Hospital—	
" 6.	2,500 admission cards.
" 6.	1,000 ward cards.
" 6.	400 annual reports.
For Metropolitan Hospital—	
" 24.	5,000 bed cards.
" 24.	500 monthly reports.
For City Hospital—	
" 24.	10,000 admission cards.
" 24.	300 domestic passes, Training School.
" 24.	10,000 letter heads Outdoor poor.
June 15.	10,000 letter heads Outdoor poor.
" 15.	10,000 temperature charts.
All the foregoing printing for the Department of Public Charities, New York City.	
For Department of Correction—	
" 20.	100 postal cards.
" 21.	1,000 note heads.
May 24.	100 weekly reports.
" 30.	900 shipping cards.
June 2.	875 proposals (125 proposals, 7 sheets each, 875).
" 17.	1,250 book paper (The Prison Forum).
" 17.	3,500 print paper (The Prison Forum).
Total copies, 4,750.	
Total days' work printing, 566.	

Shoe Department.

2,176 pairs men's brogans.	527 pairs babies' shoes.
1,480 pairs boys' and youths'.	461 pairs men's carpet slippers.
1,546 pairs women's shoes.	150 pairs men's hospital slippers.
1,525 pairs misses' shoes.	796 Dutch sandals.
560 pairs children's shoes.	
Total days' work, shoes, 4,647½.	

Bedsteads.

20 iron bedsteads.	145 iron cots.
Total days' work, 1,363½.	

Broom Industry.

404½ dozen corn brooms, house.	52¼ dozen whisk brooms.
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Street Brooms.

1750½ dozen bass with scrapers.	100 handles.
225 dozen bass and hickory, with scrapers.	1 dozen bamboo and scrapers.
225 dozen rattan.	1 street sweeper re-filled.
40½ dozen stable.	

Brushes.

276½ dozen scrub brushes.	10 dozen 6° varnish brushes.
41¼ dozen hair floor brushes.	¼ dozen ½° varnish brushes.
43¼ dozen reservoir window brushes.	17½ dozen horse brush bristles.
30½ dozen counter brushes.	10 dozen Tampico brush bristles.
63 dozen stove brushes.	6 dozen roof brush bristles.
1 dozen rubber dryers.	3 dozen 2-inch varnish (chisel) bristles.
19½ dozen dander brushes.	3 dozen 1½-inch (chisel) bristles.
39½ dozen mane brushes.	3 dozen 1-inch varnish (chisel) bristles.
12 dozen whitewash brushes.	

Brushes.

3 dozen 1½-inch Fitch's varnish bristles.
2 dozen 1-inch Fitch's varnish bristles.
1½ dozen paste brushes.
1½ dozen glue brushes.
1 dozen artist's, Fitch's.
½ dozen wall brushes.
½ dozen painter's dusters.
Total days' work, brooms and brushes, 8,567 days.

Repairs, etc.

Brush Shop, 2 men, 2 days setting machinery and counter shafting.
Tailor Shop, 2 tables moved and enlarged, 1 table 16 feet long, 2 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet 7 inches high.

2 men, 2 days, setting machinery.
Plumber's Shop, 1 platform, 6 feet by 10 feet high.
Printing Shop, resetting and tearing down partitions.
1 table, 16 feet long, 3 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet 10 inches high.
1 table, 13 feet long, 3 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet 10 inches high.
3 tables, 5 feet long, 3 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet 10 inches high.
1 table, 7 feet long, 3 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet 6 inches high.
2 oak gallery racks, 12 galleries each, and other repairs.
1 derrick-boom, 15 feet long, 5 inches in diameter, cradle and platform, at stable.
1 tank for brush shop of 2-inch cypress, 5 feet 6 inches long, 3 feet 4 inches wide, 2 feet deep put together in white lead, bolted, etc., lined with copper.
1 screen door to storm shed, rear of main building.
2 screen doors to photograph gallery.
2 openings made for photograph gallery and ventilators placed therein.
Built bulkhead in arch of coal cellar.
1 grating for ice-box, 3 feet 6 inches by 6 feet.

Window Frame Work.

21 new frames, Main Building.
11 new frames, Female Prison.
6 new frames, Annex Prison.
35 pairs sashes, Main Building.
24 sashes, Annex Prison.
50 large sashes, Short Term.
15 pair long pulley styles, Short Term.
24 pair outside casings, Short Term.
8 pair long pulley styles, also inside and outside heads, Annex Prison.
11 frames, sashes hung, casings, aprons and arrangements of hoisting and lowering sashes, Annex Prison.
3 frames the same as above, for Female Prison.

Repairs and Improvements.

1 new oak table, 3 feet 2 inches high by 6 feet long, polished in natural wood, for Deputy Commissioner's Office, and one foot stool for Bookkeeper's desk, 5 feet long, 6 inches high, 10 inches wide, filled and varnished.
For Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn—3 new barber chairs and foot rests, upholstered, filled and varnished, natural wood. Number of days' work, Carpenters, 753.
For Kings County Penitentiary—Laid cosmocrete walk on Rogers avenue and Crown street, excavated 624 cubic feet, filled in with ashes 18 inches deep 468 cubic feet of ashes, topped off 6 inches deep with cement, making 312 square feet cosmocrete walk; 450 feet of curbing set on President street; 480 feet square block paving in yard; reset coping on all buildings where roofs were repaired, about 600 feet.

Excavated and graded 1,600 yards dirt on President street.

100 yards stone broken by hand in stone shed.

The following seeds have been planted and are in a flourishing condition:

Radishes, lettuce, beets, tomatoes, beans, pumpkins, cucumbers, leeks, celery and parsley.

During the extreme drought just passed, there have been employed 6 men steady to carry water and care for the grass lawns inside and outside of walls.

Repaired tin roofs of Cook-house, Bath-house, Bread-room, Laundry, Wash-house, Bakery, Photograph Gallery and Boiler-house next to Short Term Prison, using 6 boxes of tin, covering about 1,200 square feet.

All woodwork finished in carpenter-shop has been painted, viz., window-shades, sashes, casings, etc.

For the Bed Shop—

One table 20 feet long, 4 feet wide, 2 feet 8 inches high.

Two men 8 days setting machinery and counter shafting.

For the Shoe Shop—

One table, 16 feet long, 2 feet 6 inches wide, 2 feet 7 inches high, and one table, 12 feet long, 2 feet wide, 2 feet 9 inches high.

Tailoring and Knitting.

64 citizens' shirts, for discharged prisoners.
125 new white shirts, for prisoners.
275 new blue shirts, for prisoners.
38 pairs uniform pants, for keepers.
223 pillow slips, for prisoners.
142 men's aprons, for prisoners.
6 white duck coats, for prisoners.
24 hair mattresses, Fire Department, Brooklyn.

Tailoring and Improvements.

24 hair pillows, Brooklyn Fire Department.
86 dozen women's stockings, prisoners.
30 dozen children's stockings, prisoners.
557 dozen men's socks, prisoners.
1 woman's petticoat, prisoners.
1 woman's dress, prisoners.
4 dozen stripe suits, prisoners.
138 crash towels, prisoners.
102 dozen knit underwear, prisoners.
2 dozen men's caps, stripes, prisoners.
10 pairs men's gloves, stripes, prisoners.
1 wagon canvas cover (stable).
44 blue aprons.
375 pairs men's ticking pants, prisoners.
30 pounds stockinette, Board of Education, Brooklyn.
438 pairs men's tick pants, prisoners.
375 men's shirts, prisoners.
224 pairs men's pants, stripes, prisoners.
27 men's coats, stripes, prisoners.
19 men's vests, stripes, prisoners.
27 suits of underwear, knit, prisoners.
4 uniform suits, for keepers.
Total days' work, tailoring, 1,920.
Total days' work, knitting, 1,243½.

Tin Shop and Plumbers.

1 gallon tin measure.
½ gallon tin measure.
1 quart tin measure.
1 gallon oil-can.
1 tin strainer.

200 tin cups.

200 tin pans.

6 tin sprinklers.

6 tin dippers, large.

6 tin dippers, small.

3 dozen galvanized pails.

1 large copper bottom kettle.

Number of days' work, Tinsmiths, 151.

An average of 10 men at intervals has been employed for the Department of Public Charities, at Flatbush, excavating, beautifying the grounds, etc., making a total of 427½ days' work.

2,925 days' work has been performed at the Penitentiary, cleaning, keeping the grounds, etc., in order, both inside and outside of prison walls.

100 square yards of stone has been broken by hand, 784 days' work.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM JULY 17 TO JULY 22, INCLUSIVE.

JULY 17, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Finance, Borough of Brooklyn—Requesting to be furnished with a certificate of the extension of time to June 15, 1899, granted to the La France Fire-engine Company for the completion of their contract, dated December 17, 1898, for furnishing three steam fire-engines for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Certificate forwarded.

From the Department of Parks—Respecting the recommendation of the Chief of Department that said Department supply steam from the Aquarium to heat the quarters of Engine 57, at the

Battery, and reporting that the matter will receive immediate attention. Chief of Department notified.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Correcting name of person heretofore certified as eligible for appointment as Groundman, Borough of Manhattan.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company to connect the premises below-named with the street boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

Cumberland Building, No. 427.
Royalton Apartment House, No. 522.
Leiderkranz Society, No. 580.
Arion Society, No. 580.
Hotel San Remo, No. 632.
St. Luke's Hospital, No. 722.
Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the request of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect the following-named premises of the Children's Aid Society with the street boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

No. 287 East Broadway, No. 176.
No. 272 East Second street, No. 245.
No. 632 East Sixth street, No. 274.
No. 295 East Eighth street, No. 297.
Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting the request of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to run a light cable through the Department's subsidiary duct from corner of Broadway and West Third street, across Broadway, into fire alarm box No. 265, to provide fire alarm protection for the Broadway Central and Bay State hotels, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

4. Recommending that Engineer of Steamer Joseph P. Dowdall, Engine 51 (fire-boat "Zophar Mills"), be placed on the Roll of Merit for meritorious conduct outside the line of duty and attended with personal risk, in rescuing a person from drowning on the 14th instant. Recommendation approved.

5. Recommending that application be made to the various East river ferry companies to instruct the captains of their boats, on the appearance of fire apparatus in response to an alarm of fire on opposite side of the river, to start immediately, regardless of schedule time, and that the transportation of the apparatus and men be without charge.

Recommendation approved.

6. Submitting list of transfers in the Uniformed Force, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from 4th to 17th instant, inclusive. The Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

7. Transmitting reports of Medical Officers, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, certifying that the following named members of the Uniformed Force in said boroughs are incapable of performing active fire duty but are fitted to perform light duty:

Chief of Battalion Edward J. Norton.
Fireman 1st grade John B. Donovan, Engine 2.
Fireman 1st grade Bartley Flanagan, Engine 4.
Fireman 1st grade James Wright, Engine 6.
Engineer of Steamer Joseph G. Green, Engine 8.
Assistant Foreman John Friel, Engine 9.
Engineer of Steamer Alfred E. Grundman, Engine 16.
Assistant Foreman John Gorman, Engine 20.
Fireman 2d grade William Farrell, Engine 20.
Foreman Peter W. Birck, Engine 34.
Fireman 1st grade Patrick Dougherty, Hook and Ladder 3.
Fireman 1st grade George Matthews, Hook and Ladder 3.
Fireman 1st grade Frank Stewart, Hook and Ladder 9.

In pursuance of the provisions of section 790 of the Charter, the Chief of Department was instructed to detail the above-named officers and men to the performance of such light duty as in his judgment they may be qualified to perform.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of operations of Bureau, week ending 15th instant.

From the Buildings Superintendent—Respecting the complaint of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America that Contractor P. J. Byrnes, doing work for the Department under the superintendence of his branch of the service, does not pay his workmen the prevailing rate of wages, and reporting the result of his investigation. Copy forwarded complainants.

From Foreman Engine 41, Borough of The Bronx—Reporting recovery of coat badge 821, lost by Fireman 1st grade Patrick Hardy of his command. Fine heretofore imposed remitted.

Referred.

From C. W. Palmer—Complaining of leaking fire-hydrant northwest corner Fifty-sixth street and Sixth avenue. To the Department of Water Supply.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the building of the Children's Aid Society, Second avenue and Forty-fourth street, with street box 527. To the Chief of Department.

From the New York Telephone Company—Requesting revocation of the permit heretofore granted said company to place two wires on Department pole lines on Highbridge, between Amsterdam avenue and west end of said bridge. To the Chief of Department.

From Frederick E. Valentine—Expressing admiration for the energy and promptness displayed by the officers and men of Engine 69, in extinguishing fire on 11th instant at Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Woodlawn, Borough of The Bronx. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 47—Reporting chimney fire southeast corner One Hundred and Eighth street and Riverside drive. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Hook and Ladder 11—Reporting chimney fire at No. 328 East Fourth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Deputy Factory Inspector—Complaining of violation of section 780 of the Charter at No. 126 Lewis street. To the Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 14—Reporting defective flue at No. 2312 Third avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Corporation Counsel—Requesting information in reference to the claim of Machinist's Helpers John Barnett and Peter J. Grealy, for additional compensation for alleged services at the Repair Shops. To the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

RETIRED ON HALF-PAY.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—On his own Application, after more than Twenty Years' Service, to take effect from 22d instant.

Foreman Coleman J. Burke.....Engine 58.

RESIGNED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fireman 2d grade Edward R. Norwood, Engine 1, to take effect from 20th instant.

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From the Corporation Counsel—

1. Respecting the reinstatement of Sailmaker Charles A. La Chance, and recommending the payment of his salary from April 7, 1899, to the date of his reinstatement. Ordered accordingly, and Deputy Commissioner and Bookkeeper notified.

2. Approving terms of contract and specifications for furnishing forage for use in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens. Advertisement inviting proposals, to be opened on the 1st proximo, ordered published in the CITY RECORD.

From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Notification that said Board will hold a meeting on the 31st instant.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company to have numbers designated for boxes desired to be placed by said company at certain locations specified, and recommending that the same be denied until such time as it shall provide additional circuits, as those which it proposes to use are already overcrowded.

2. 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 having been complied with, that the cases be dismissed:

Loomis Sanitarium, Nos. 104 and 106 West Forty-ninth street.
Irving Place Theatre, No. 57 Irving place.
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 work being in progress, that the legal proceedings already instituted be deferred:

Progress Club, Sixty-third street, near Fifth avenue.
M. Gearon, Nos. 102 and 104 Vesey street.
Recommendation approved.

4. Respecting the request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of

Penalties, for the name of the proprietor of the Germania Theatre, Nos. 147 and 149 Eighth street, and reporting it as Leonard Huagen. Notified accordingly.

5. Respecting the request of the Monarch Fire Appliance Company for the Chief to be present at a public test of their dry-powder fire extinguisher, and declining the invitation, as he is already familiar with the matter. Notified accordingly.

6. Respecting the application of the Unionport Taxpayers' Association to have a fire-alarm box located on the Clason Point road, Borough of the Bronx, and reporting that the matter will receive attention when available funds are at the disposal of the Department. Report approved.

7. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Charities to provide towing facilities for a small raft of telegraph poles from foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-second street to Randall's Island. Recommendation approved.

8. Recommending that application be made to the Police Department, Borough of Manhattan, for permission to place two Fire Department wires in its submarine cable crossing Pelham bay, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of providing telegraphic communication with the quarters of Engine 70, on City Island. Recommendation approved.

9. Recommending that application be made to the New York Telephone Company for permission to occupy two additional conductors in their submarine cable crossing City Island at City Island bridge, for the purpose of providing telephonic communication with the quarters of Engine 70 on said island. Recommendation approved.

10. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for permission to set five telegraph poles on One Hundred and Fourth street, between First avenue and East river, for temporary use, and also to lay a subsidiary duct in One Hundred and Fourth street from manhole at First avenue to bulkhead-line, East river. Recommendation approved.

11. Recommending that Fireman 1st grade Bernard C. Blair, Engine 49, Borough of Manhattan, be examined by the Medical Officers as to his qualifications to perform the duties of his position. Recommendation approved and Medical Officers notified.

12. Forwarding report of the Chief Instructor, School of Instruction, of thirty-three members of the Uniformed Force, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, who have completed term of service at the school, and recommending that their names be entered in the record of members of the life-saving corps. Recommendation approved.

13. Reporting death, on 13th instant, of Laborer George C. Payne, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—

1. Report of operations of Bureau week ending 15th instant.

2. Respecting complaint of the Deputy Factory Inspector of unprotected tailor's furnaces at No. 296 Stanton street, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the cause of complaint. Recommendation approved and referred back with directions to require compliance within ten days.

From B. E. S. Tams—Thanking the Department for its promptness and efficiency on occasion of fire, 8th instant, at No. 140 East Twenty-second street. Reply communicated.

APPOINTED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Patrick J. Quail, as Uniformed Fireman, on probation for one month from 20th instant, with compensation at the rate of \$800 per annum, and assigned to Hook and Ladder 18.

Simon A. Pregoner, as Temporary Lineman, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch (with qualifications as Cable Splicer), with compensation of \$1,000 per annum, from 20th inst.

JULY 19, 1899.

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From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Calling attention to the provisions of the third paragraph of Rule 32 of the new Civil Service Rules, relating to the certificate hereafter required on pay-rolls, to wit:

"Appointing officers of any department, office, bureau or institution, whose employees are paid direct from the treasury of the city, shall furnish the Municipal Commission with pay-rolls showing the names of the persons to be paid, residence, title of position held or kind of service performed by each person, the rate and amount of compensation to which he is entitled and the period for which he is paid, and shall certify that the persons named therein are employed solely in the performance of the appropriate duties of the positions and employments indicated, and have not been assigned to perform duties appertaining to any other title." Notify Deputy Commissioner.

2. Certifying that there is no eligible list for Cable Splicer, Borough of The Bronx, and that under Rule 66 the Department may make a temporary appointment to said position for the period of one week.

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Transmitting certified copy of the following resolution, adopted on the 13th instant:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund decline to reconsider their action taken June 29, 1899, in regard to authorizing a lease of premises on northwest corner Jackson and Steinway avenues, First Ward, Borough of Queens."

Copy forwarded Deputy Commissioner.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Submitting report of Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops respecting the quality of the fire hose used in the Brooklyn Disciplinary and Training School. Copy forwarded to the Chairman of the Building and Repairs Committee of said school.

Referred.

From the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties—Requesting reinspection of the following premises in regard to compliance with the law requiring equipment for fire protection:

Hotel Netherland, Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue.
Hotel St. Lorenz, No. 125 East Seventy-sixth street.
Garrick Hotel, Nos. 202 and 204 West Forty-second street.
To the Chief of Department.

From the Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Reporting that they have set aside for the use of the city departments one 2½-inch trunk duct in the electrical subway in Macdougall street, west side, from southwest corner Eighth street to manhole in front of No. 31. To the Chief of Department.

From the Rubsam & Horrman Brewing Company, Borough of Richmond—Expressing appreciation of the prompt and courageous conduct of the Foreman of Engine 8, Borough of Manhattan, in recently stopping a team of runaway horses at Stapleton, S. I. To the Chief of Department.

From Theodore Sander—Complaining of storage of combustible material in basement of southeast corner One Hundred and Ninth street and Central Park, West. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From C. Smith—Complaining of an alleged attempt at arson at No. 53 Rutgers street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1. Inclosing check for \$2,067.66, in payment of the two per cent. foreign fire insurance tax on premiums received by Jameson & Frelinghuysen, attorneys for the former Manufacturers' Lloyds Insurance Company.

2. Inclosing check for \$991.71, in payment of the two per cent. foreign fire insurance tax on premiums received by said firm as attorneys for the United Cities Lloyds.

3. Inclosing check for \$384.38 in payment of the two per cent. foreign fire insurance tax on premiums received by said firm as attorneys for the Tradesmen's Lloyds.

4. Inclosing check for \$167.36, in payment of the two per cent. foreign fire insurance tax on premiums received by Walter Selva as attorney for the New York and Brooklyn Fire Underwriters.

All to Bookkeeper, with directions to place the same to credit of the Relief Fund.

JULY 20, 1899.

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From the Department of Finance—In reference to the substitution of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company and the City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, as sureties in the place of J. F. Walsh and H. W. Cortiss, on the proposal of John F. Walsh, Jr., for repairing fire-boat "William F. Havemeyer" (Engine 43), boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Substitution approved.

From the Corporation Counsel—Approving proof of forms of contract and specifications for repairing quarters of Engine 5, Borough of Manhattan. Contract and specifications ordered printed.

From the Chief of Department—Respecting request of the Long Island Auxiliary Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, by means of its system, with Borough Headquarters, and recommending the approval of the application. Recommendation approved.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—Respecting complaint from Theodore E. Von Glahn of storage of combustible material in vacant lots West Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, and reporting no cause therefor. Complainant notified.

From the Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics—Requesting a history of the establishment of the various medals which are annually awarded to members of the Uniformed Force for saving life at fires. Reply communicated.

From the New York and South Brooklyn Ferry and Steam Transportation Company—Reporting that, in compliance with the recommendation of the Chief of Department, the captains of its boats have been ordered to start without regard to schedule time whenever a fire requires the conveyance of the apparatus and men of the Department to Brooklyn. Chief of Department notified.

From Smith & Bowman, attorneys—Requesting information concerning requirements of section 762 of the Charter as regards the equipment of manufactories with appliances for fire protection. Reply communicated.

From John J. Bailantine—Requesting an expression of the opinion of the Department as to the efficacy of "Kilfyre" as a means of fire extinguishment. Notified that the Department refrains from expressing its approval or disapproval in matters of this character.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 16—Reporting wooden ladder leading to scuttle opening in roof at No. 140 East Twenty-second street. To the Department of Buildings.

From the Department of Public Charities—Reporting that, in accordance with the recommendation of the Chief of Department, means will be provided on the 24th instant for the towing a small raft of telegraph poles from foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-second street to Randall's Island. To the Chief of Department.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect St. Vincent's Hospital, No. 174 West Twelfth street, with street box 316. To the Chief of Department.

From the Department of Finance—Returning contracts of Charles B. Castle & Co. and the Akron Rubber Company for furnishing, respectively, 2,500 feet "Circle" and "White Star" brands of fire-hose, for use in the Borough of Richmond, with request that certificates be attached thereto indicating the amount chargeable to each village for which hose is to be provided under said contracts.

From the Columbia Incandescent Lamp Company—Respecting the merits of lamps of their manufacture. To the Purchasing Agent.

From the Department of Buildings—Notice of violation of building law at quarters Engine 24, No. 78 Morton street. To the Buildings Superintendent.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Finance—Advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed on the contracts of the Voorhees Rubber Manufacturing Company, the B. F. Goodrich Company and the Akron Rubber Company, for furnishing 2½-inch fire-hose of various brands for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and that the same are now valid contracts. Certificates ordered attached to contracts.

From the Chief of Department—
1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect the premises below mentioned with the street boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted.

Academy of the Sacred Heart, No. 49 West Seventeenth street, No. 358.

Children's Aid Society, Forty-fourth street and Second avenue, No. 527.

Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the request of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to run a light cable through the Department's subsidiary duct, Broadway and Washington place, into fire-alarm box northwest corner of said street, for the purpose of providing fire-alarm protection for the St. Nicholas Hotel, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

From the Consul for Belgium—Requesting copy of the latest report of the Department. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 4—Reporting no wooden ladder leading to scuttle opening in roof at No. 116 West Forty-fourth street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Adrian G. Hegeman & Co.—Complaining of leaking fire-hydrant in front of No. 548 Grand street. To the Department of Water Supply.

From Foreman Engine 14—Reporting violation of the law relating to compliance with fire protection at Hardman Hall, Nos. 4 and 6 West Nineteenth street and Banta House, Nos. 30 and 32 West Fifteenth street. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 10—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at No. 130 West street. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—
1. Granting permission to set for temporary use five telegraph poles on One Hundred and Fourth street, between First avenue and East river. To the Chief of Department.

2. Granting permission to construct subway duct on One Hundred and Fourth street, from manhole at First avenue to bulkhead-line at East river. To the Chief of Department.

From the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties—Requesting reinspection of premises No. 301 West street, Michael F. McCourt, proprietor, in regard to equipment for fire protection. To the Chief of Department.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the Plaza Hotel, Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, with street box 574. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting chimney fire at Hotel Imperial. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Charles E. Berry—Respecting his claim against the Department, amounting to \$290.98, for harness hangers furnished for its use. To the Purchasing Agent.

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Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying name of person eligible for appointment as Pilot, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

From the Department of Finance—Approving the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the proposal of John F. Walsh, Jr., for repairing fire-boat "William F. Havemeyer" (Engine 43). Contract ordered executed.

From the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Respecting the request of the Corporation Counsel for information concerning the claims of Machinist's Helpers John Barnet and Peter J. Grealy, for additional compensation for alleged services at the Repair Shops, and reporting the facts in each case. Copy forwarded Corporation Counsel.

From the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting death, on 16th instant, of horse 1198, attached to Engine 50, Borough of The Bronx.

From the Brooklyn Ferry Company—Reporting that, in compliance with the recommendation of the Chief of Department, the captains of its boats on the following ferries have been ordered to start, without regard to schedule time, whenever a fire requires the conveyance of the officers and men of the Department to the other side of the East river:

Roosevelt street to Broadway, Brooklyn.

Grand street to Broadway, Brooklyn.

Grand street to Grand street, Brooklyn.

Twenty-third street to Broadway, Brooklyn.

Twenty-third street to Greenpoint, Brooklyn.

Tenth street to Greenpoint, Brooklyn.

Copy forwarded Chief of Department.

From Sullivan & Cromwell, attorneys—Requesting to be informed whether there is on file a verified list of the volunteer firemen of the Town of Flatbush, Borough of Brooklyn, and whether such list has been certified to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by section 3, chapter 459, Laws of 1899. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the Langham Hotel, Fifth avenue and Fifty-second street, with street box 543, and the Dakota Apartment House, Seventy-second street and Central Park, West, with street box 624. To the Chief of Department.

From Baggott & Ryall, attorneys—Requesting to be notified of the cause of fire, November 30, 1898, premises, No. 37 West Third street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Corporation Counsel—Requesting information concerning the claim of Blacksmith James W. Barron for additional compensation for alleged services at Repair Shops. To the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

From the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America (Secretary)—Complaining that Contractor P. J. Byrnes, performing work for the Department, under the Buildings Superintendent, is employing non-union men. To the Buildings Superintendent.

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Plumbing, quarters Engine 19..... \$32 00
Plumbing, quarters Engine 33..... 487 00

Plumbing, etc., quarters Engine 69..... \$245 00
Masonry, quarters Engine 25..... 57 00
Masonry, quarters No. 876 Railroad avenue..... 59 00
Carpentry, quarters Engine 64..... 85 00
Sidewalk near Engine House, City Island..... 115 00
Pump and tank quarters Engine 33..... 52 00
Caulking, quarters Engine 49..... 39 00
Emergency repairs to Department Buildings..... 300 00

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

With the approval of the Deputy Commissioner.

Fuel cans..... \$325 00
Cartage of cannel coal..... 96 25
Rubber hose..... 825 00

BOROUGHES OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

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Filed.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Requesting information concerning all fires originating in defective electrical work. Reply communicated.

From the Attorney for the Town of Hempstead Gas and Electric-light Company—Notification that, unless the claim of said company against the Rockaway Beach Fire Department is adjusted before the first proximo, the gas will be shut off. Reply communicated.

From John J. Rogers—Complaining of lack of fire-escapes at No. 213 Hudson avenue. Foreman Hook and Ladder 3 notified.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 6—Reporting dangerous flue at No. 249 Calyer street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 16—Recommending that fire-escapes be placed on the following buildings: Nos. 538, 546 and 552 Broadway; No. 252 Steinway avenue; Thompson avenue, 25 feet east of Hulse street. To the Department of Buildings.

From H. T. Finch—Concerning building in course of construction at Nos. 42 and 44 Tiffany place. To the Department of Buildings.

From Deputy Chief, Sixth Division—Reporting the number of fires at which Water Tower 1 has performed service since its organization. To the Chief of Department.

From Captain H. K. White, United States Navy Yard—Requesting that a search be made among the companies that responded to the fire at the Navy Yard on the 16th instant, for a length of 2½-inch hose, marked "Rescue Jacket," supposed to have been inadvertently taken by one of said companies. To the Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

From Commander A. B. Lilly, United States Navy Yard—Reporting four lengths of hose missing and requesting information as to whether they may not have been taken by mistake by some of the companies which responded at the recent fire at said yard. To the Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

From the Department of Health—Relative to cleaning and dyeing establishment, No. 679 Manhattan avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 7—Reporting chimney fire at No. 259 Pearl street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting chimney fires at No. 535 Myrtle avenue and No. 16 Emerson place. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 12—Reporting chimney fire at No. 314 Union avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 30—Reporting chimney fire at No. 53 Nostrand avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Samuel Myers—Concerning explosion in Schaffenberg's fireworks factory. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Relative to the maintaining of an un-used pole. To Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

From the Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, Jamaica, Borough of Queens—Requesting to be furnished with necessary supplies. To the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Tuesday, July 18, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—Commissioners Ryan (President), Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph.

The minutes of adjourned meeting of July 12, 1899, were read and approved.

Commissioner Ten Eyck, as Chairman of the Committee of Finance and Audit, reported the examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 12968 to 12977 inclusive, amounting to \$2,230.96.

Which were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The Construction or Executive Committee referred to the Commissioners the following communication of the Chief Engineer:

REPORT NO. 95.

NEW YORK, July 17, 1899.

To the Honorable, the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—Assistant Engineer C. V. V. Powers has sent through me a request for a leave of absence without pay for the month of August, or at such time as the work will permit.

Mr. Powers has served many years in the Engineer Corps in a very conscientious manner, and as I can otherwise arrange for the working of his division during the month of August without detriment to the City, I respectfully recommend that his request be granted.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the recommendation of the Chief Engineer be approved, and that Assistant Engineer C. V. V. Powers be granted a leave of absence for one month without pay, as above set forth.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The Construction or Executive Committee referred to the Commissioners the following communication of the Chief Engineer:

REPORT NO. 97.

NEW YORK, July 17, 1899.

To the Honorable, the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith, with my approval, a bill of Thad. K. Green, of Katonah, to the amount of \$1,039.25.

This expenditure was authorized by your resolution of May 29, 1899, and was incurred for the purpose of making soundings, borings and trial pits and shafts on the proposed location of the Muscote Dam, in order to complete the underground survey of its foundation.

The price of \$2.25 for every man of all descriptions, which was agreed upon, includes the furnishing and maintenance of all necessary tools for excavation, both in earth and rock, pumping, etc., and the necessary superintendence.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

In connection with the above report of the Chief Engineer, the Secretary presented duplicate forms of certificate of necessity providing for the doing of the above mentioned work.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the certificate of necessity be signed by the Commissioners and that the bill of Thad. K. Green be certified to the Comptroller for payment.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The following communication was received:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1899.

Hon. JOHN J. RYAN, President, Aqueduct Commissioners:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to return herewith triplicate forms of contract, specifications and bond for building overflow and blow-off sewers, water pipes and appurtenances in connection with the Jerome Park Reservoir of the New Croton Aqueduct, duly signed by the Chief Engineer of this Department and myself, as requested with letter of 27th ultimo from the Secretary of your Commission.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

Commissioner Windolph moved that the above communication be referred to the Construction or Executive Committee.

Which was carried by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The following was received:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 12, 1899.

Hon. HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, Aqueduct Commission, No. 280 Broadway:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that on July 11, 1899, the sum of three hundred and eighty-three thousand ninety-two dollars and fifty cents (\$383,092.50), was deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the "Additional Water Fund," being

Bonds sold..... \$350,000 00
Premium..... 33,092 50

Respectfully,
EDGAR J. LEVEY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered filed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
August 4, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I herewith transmit, for publication in the CITY RECORD, a statement of the transactions of the Department of Sewers for the week ending July 29, 1899.

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

	NUMBER OF	AMOUNT.	AMOUNTS.	
			Appropriations.	Funds.
<i>Monies Received.</i>				
For sewer permits.....	.....	\$1,410 93	.....	.....
Number of permits issued	163	.....	.....	.....
For new sewer connections.....	126	.....	.....	.....
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	33	.....	.....	.....
For other purposes.....	4	.....	.....	.....
Requisition drawn on Comptroller.....	19	\$20,303 47	\$10,681 17	\$7,622 30
Linear feet of sewer built.....	1,819	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins built.....	8	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer cleaned	38,134	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins cleaned.....	519	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	20,502	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins examined.....	767	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins repaired.....	8	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer repaired.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin heads reset.....	6	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole covers set.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes repaired	3	.....	.....	.....
Square yards of pavement relaid.....	30	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin hoods put in	2	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet culverts, drains and ditches repaired and cleaned.....	3,882	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins relieved	25	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes built.....	16	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole covers put on.....	9	.....	.....	.....
Cubic feet of brickwork built.....	155	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin grates put in.....	4	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of pipe sewer relieved.....	1,300	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of culvert built.....	12	.....	.....	.....
Number of loads removed from basins and drains (Queens).....	179	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole catch-pans cleaned.....	229	.....	.....	.....
Number of catch-basins rebuilt.....	32	.....	.....	.....

Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.....	9	Assistant Foremen.....	23
Inspector of Pipe Laying.....	1	Firemen.....	11
Inspectors of Construction.....	56	Mechanics.....	17
Inspectors of Sewer Connections.....	22	Laborers.....	408
Foremen.....	33	Horses and Carts.....	85

APPOINTMENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

John Kenny, No. 974 Park avenue, Inspector, \$4 per day.
Michael Dooley, No. 250 West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, Inspector, \$4 per day.
William H. McDonald, One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Kingsbridge road, Inspector, \$4 per day.

Charles H. Lester, No. 106 West Ninety-second street, Inspector, \$4 per day.
Charles Hartmann, Watchman, \$75 per month, transferred from Commissioner of Accounts.
1 Laborer, at \$2.25 per day.
1 Paver, at \$4 per day.
2 horses and carts, at \$3.50 per day.

REMOVALS.

Borough of The Bronx.

11 Laborers.

RESIGNED.

Borough of Manhattan.

1 Laborer.

CITY CLERK.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1899.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Committee on Railroads of the Council, on August 18, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, to consider the petition of the Central Taxpayers' Alliance Society in relation to alleged delinquency of the Union Railway Company.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Whereas, There are frequent occasions when one branch of the Municipal Assembly communicates with the head of a Department, requiring prompt reply in order to prosecute some work of public necessity; and

Whereas, There has been error committed by the transmission of an answer to the house other than that from which the communication emanated, causing unnecessary delay; therefore

Resolved, That Commissioners and heads of Departments generally, are respectfully requested to cause answer to all official communications to be made to the particular branch of the Municipal Assembly from which said communication is received, and not to the said Assembly in its dual capacity.

Resolved, That a copy hereof be transmitted to all Departments of the City Government.

Adopted June 20, 1899.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, August 4, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to advise that, at a meeting of the Board of Docks held July 31, 1899, the compensation of Maurice Krauss, Laborer, was fixed at the rate of 33 cents per hour while employed, and the action of the Board of April 28, 1899, in discharging Merwin J. Page was reconsidered, and said Page was reinstated as Dock Builder.

Yours respectfully,
WM. H. BURKE,
Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

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

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. FREITNER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, and the CORPORATION COUNSEL, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

The Mayor, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary; HENRY S. KEARNEY, McCOSKEY BUTT and JAMES MCLEER, Commissioners.
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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.
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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JAMES J. COOGAN, President.
IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

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LOUIS F. HAPFEN, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 1 Borough Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.
Office, Long Island City. 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 110 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 200 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEV, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
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WILLIAM MCKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Queens.
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Richmond.

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EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
JOHN KELLEHER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
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MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.
JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

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Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 18th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner Sewers, Borough of Queens.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

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SAMUEL R. PROBASCO, Chief Engineer.
MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.
HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
 JAMES H. HASLIN, Commissioner.
 GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
 W. G. BYRNE, Water Register.
 JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.
 WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.
 THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.
 HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond, Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner.
 F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan, No. 346 Broadway.
 PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37 Municipal Building.
 JOSEPH LIBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
 JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.**Office of Corporation Counsel.**

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.
 THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.
 WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
 Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES C. SPENCER, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.
 ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.
Bureau of Street Openings.
 Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
 JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.**Central Office.**

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.
 THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.
 ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
 EDWARD GLINNE, Deputy Commissioner.
 JAMES FRENCH, Commissioner for Richmond.
 Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
 Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
 JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
 JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
 AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
 EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire-Alarm Telegraph.
 JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
 GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.
 PETER SERFF, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan The Bronx and Richmond.
 ALONZO BREYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
 Central Office open at all hours.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.
 J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
 WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., THE PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, *ex-officio*, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, *ex-officio*, Commissioners.
 EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.
 CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.
 EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.
 ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.
 OED L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.
 JOHN L. FEENEY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
 GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
 GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.
 AUGUST MORBUS, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Main Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 THOMAS J. BRADY, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

JOHN GUILFOYLE, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.
 A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.
 Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.
 Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.
 Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
 THOMAS L. FREITNER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHEEHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Room 1911. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Chief of Bureau.
 Municipal Statistical Commission: FREDERICK W. GRUBE, L. L. D., HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY, ANTONIO RASINES, JULIUS G. KUGELMAN, RICHARD T. WILSON, Jr., ERNEST HARVIER.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ALEXANDER T. MASON and WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, Commissioners.
 LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 EDWARD CAHILL, THOMAS A. WILSON, EDWARD MCCUE, PATRICK M. HAVERTY and JOHN B. MEYENBORG, Board of Assessors. WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
 JOSEPH J. LITTLE, President; A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.
 JOSEPH J. LITTLE, President; ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
 CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, President; GEORGE G. BROWN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Queens.

Flushing, L. I.
 F. DE HAAS SIMONSON, President; JOSEPH H. FITZPATRICK, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Richmond.

Stapleton, Staten Island.
 JOHN T. BURKE, President; FRANKLIN C. VITT, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff; HENRY P. MULVANY, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
 FRANK D. CREAMER, Sheriff; WILLIAM J. BOGENSHUTZ, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM CAS BAKER, Sheriff; WILLIAM METHVEN, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 AUGUSTUS ACKER, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.
 HENRY F. HAGGERTY, Register.
 WILLIAM BARRE, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES WELDE, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth avenue.
 H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.
 3 Court-house.
 WILLIAM A. FUREY, Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.
 No. 325 Fulton street.
 EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.
 EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, RICHMOND COUNTY.
 CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
 J. HOWARD VAN NAME, Deputy.

NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM SOHMER, County Clerk.
 GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM P. WUEST, County Clerk.
 WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Deputy.

QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens. Office hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
 JOHN H. SUTPHIN, County Clerk.
 CHARLES DOWNING, Deputy County Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, W. H. OLMSTED.
 LUDWIG F. THOMA, Secretary.
 First District—Criminal Court Building.
 Second District—Jefferson Market.
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street 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.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
 First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
 Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
 Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.
 Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
 Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
 Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
 Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STREES, Magistrate.
 Eighth District—Coney Island. J. LOTT NOSTRAND, Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.
 Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LUKE J. CONNORTON, Magistrate.
 Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CROAK, Magistrate.
 Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.
 Secretary to the Board, FRANK J. GARDNER, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
 GEORGE B. ABBOTT, Surrogate; MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
 STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 14.
 JOHN W. KIMBALL, Treasurer; THOMAS F. FARRELL, Deputy Treasurer.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF RECORDS.

Kings County.—Room 7, Hall of Records.
 GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.
 FRANK M. THORBURN, Deputy Commissioner.

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Rooms 14, 15 and 16 Nos. 149 to 151 Church street.
 President, JOHN RENEHAN; Secretary, JAMES E. MCGOVERN; Treasurer, EDWARD HALEY, HORACE LOOMIS, P. J. ANDREWS, *ex-officio*.
 Meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Special Term, Part I., Room No. 2.
 Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.
 Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 21.
 Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.
 Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.
 Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 16.
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 32.
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 31.
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 30.
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 24.
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 23.
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 22.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.
 Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY W. BOOKSTAVEN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FRIEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY R. BEEKMAN, HENRY A. GILDERSLLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

CITY COURT.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
 General Term.
 Trial Term, Part I.
 Part II.
 Part III.
 Part IV.
 Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN and THEODORE F. HASCALL, Justices. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.
 Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
 Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOLZ, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at 11 o'clock.
 RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. MCMAHON and JAMES A. BLANCHARD, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
 EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. BARRITT, CHESTER B. MCLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
 JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, Jr., County Judges.
 CHARLES Y. VAN DOREN, Chief Clerk.

QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.
 First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
 WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
 HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
 GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
 HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. ———, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-first street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK MCDAVITT, Clerk.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
 Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
 JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

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

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM SCHNITZFARN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward, all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five wards. Court-room, Queens County Court-house, located temporarily.
 THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.

WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

ALBERT REYNOLD, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH."
 Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."
 Weekly—"Weekly Union."
 Semi-weekly—"Harlem Local Reporter."
 German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,

Supervisor, City Record.

NOVEMBER 28, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
 Commissioner of Street Cleaning

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

New York, August 5, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING this Department with the articles below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1899,

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

600,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.
 110,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw.
 450,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white clipped Oats,
 to weigh not less than 34 pounds to the measured bushel.

48,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Bran.
 To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department, in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be inspected and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employee in charge. The weighing to be upon beam scales furnished by the Department and transported by the contractor.

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

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the articles, and list showing locations and places of delivery, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

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 Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
 NEW YORK, August 4, 1899.

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

1,200 Tons Egg Size,
 300 Tons Broken Size.
 —will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1899,

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

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

"Lackawanna," by New York, Ontario and Western Railroad, or any other free-burning coal.
 —all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

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

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen,

and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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 Fifty Dollars (\$150).

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
 NEW YORK, July 29, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required to supply a new boiler, make general repairs to and paint the fireboat "Seth Low," boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens of this Department, will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1899,

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

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000), and the time for completion of the work eighty working (80) days.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Two Hundred (\$200) Dollars.

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 337 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 F. STILLINGS,
 WARREN W. FOSTER,
 CHARLES A. JACKSON,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
 Clerk.

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.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Burnside avenue, between Valentine avenue and Rye avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378 Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Burnside avenue, between Valentine avenue and Rye avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 31.13 feet easterly on the northern house-line of Burnside avenue, from the northwest corner of tangency at Valentine avenue and Burnside avenue, the elevation to be 48.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence westerly along the center line of Burnside avenue for 203 feet, the elevation to be 58.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of August, 1899.

Dated NEW YORK, August 1, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and locating an approach to the Third Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, south of the Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board at No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and locating will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and locating an approach to the Third Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, south of the Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the southern line of the Southern Boulevard with the western line of Lincoln avenue, running thence southwesterly for 475.2 feet to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northwesterly along the bulkhead line of the Harlem river for 444.53 feet to Third avenue; thence north-easterly along Third avenue for 292.94 feet to the Southern Boulevard; thence southeasterly along the Southern Boulevard for 333.16 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and locating an approach to the above-named bridge at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out and locating an approach to the above-named bridge will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of August, 1899.

Dated NEW YORK, August 1, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Tremont avenue to Jerome avenue, and changing the grades of Davidson avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board at No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of lines and grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Tremont avenue to Jerome avenue, and changing the grades of Davidson avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Description for Change of Grades of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street and Davidson Avenue.

Resolved, etc., etc., by changing the grade of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, between Jerome avenue and Tremont avenue, and changing the grades of Davidson avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

(a) East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street—Beginning at the intersection of the west house-line of Jerome avenue and the center line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, the elevation to be 42.52 feet above mean high-water datum.

Thence westerly to the northeast corner of Davidson avenue, the elevation to be 58.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

Thence westerly to the northwest corner of Davidson avenue, the elevation to be 59.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence westerly to a point of tangency of a curve whose radius is 53.67 feet, the elevation to be 68 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence northerly along said curve to the point of tangency of reverse curve, the elevation to be 76 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence westerly along the common radius of reverse curves for 30 feet, the elevation to be 77 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence northerly on the west side of reverse curve to the point of tangency of compound curve, the elevation to be 87.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence easterly on the common radius of said compound curve for 30 feet, the elevation to be 86.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence northwesterly on the east side of said compound curve to its intersection with Tremont avenue, the elevation to be 88 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence southerly along the eastern house-line of Tremont avenue for 30 feet, the elevation to be 89.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

Thence westerly to the southeast curb intersection of Tremont avenue, the elevation to be 92.2 feet above mean high-water datum, as h. retore;

Thence northerly to the northeast curb intersection of Tremont avenue, the elevation to be 88.9 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

(b) Davidson avenue—

Beginning at a point distant 200 feet northerly from the northeast curb intersection of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, the elevation to be 52.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

Thence northerly to the intersection of Tremont avenue, the elevation to be 56 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

Technical Description of the Land Required for East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street, at Tremont Avenue, in Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, distant 90.92 feet

westerly of the intersection of said line with the western line of Davidson avenue, as they are laid down on Section 15 of the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, filed in Register's Office, New York City.

1st. Thence northerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 23.67 feet radius and tangent to the northern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street for 45.53 feet to a point of reverse curve;

2d. Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 440 feet radius for 94.51 feet to a point of compound curve;

3d. Thence northwesterly on the arc of a circle of 65.81 feet radius for 103.10 feet to the eastern line of Tremont avenue;

4th. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Tremont avenue, following its windings for 103.28 feet to a point of reverse curve;

5th. Thence southerly on the arc of a circle of 50 feet radius for 47.13 feet.

6th. Thence southeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 55.47 feet.

7th. Thence southeasterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 25 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 21.66 feet to the point of beginning.

Also Technical Description of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street at Tremont Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, to be discontinued and closed.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, distant 305 feet westerly of the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue as they are laid down on section 15 of the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, filed in Register's Office, New York City:

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street as laid down on said section 15, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 85 feet radius for 73.43 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 39.11 feet.

3d. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 15 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 39.62 feet to the eastern line of Tremont avenue.

4th. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Tremont avenue, as it winds, for 70.45 feet to the point of reverse curve.

5th. Thence southeasterly on the arc of a circle of 81.67 feet radius for 160.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines and grades of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of lines and grades of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of August, 1899.

Dated NEW YORK, August 1, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending Van Corlear place, from Kingsbridge avenue to Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board at No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of August, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extending will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending Van Corlear place, from Kingsbridge avenue to Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Kingsbridge avenue distant 41.72 feet southeasterly of the intersection of the western line of Kingsbridge avenue with the southern line of Van Corlear place;

1st. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Kingsbridge avenue for 41.72 feet to the southern line of Van Corlear place;

2d. Thence southwesterly along the southern line of Van Corlear place and curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 150 feet radius for 53.10 feet;

3d. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 19.3 feet;

Thence easterly on the arc of a circle of 25 feet radius curving to the right for 45.78 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Terrace View avenue, distant 51.10 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the western line of Terrace View avenue with the western line of Broadway;

1st. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Terrace View avenue for 100 feet.

2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 200 feet to the eastern line of Kingsbridge avenue.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the eastern line of Kingsbridge avenue for 60 feet to an angle point.

4th. Thence southerly still along the eastern line of Kingsbridge avenue for 60.95 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly for 245.98 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5679, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Robbins avenue, from Kelly street to the Port Morris Branch Railroad, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 5833, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Boston road, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and summit north of Jefferson place; in Jefferson place, between Boston road and Franklin avenue; in Franklin avenue, between Jefferson place and summit south; in Clinton avenue, between Jefferson place and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street (north side), between Boston road and summit east of Franklin avenue.

List 5895, No. 3. Regulating and flagging the westerly sidewalk of Sedgwick avenue, from Commerce avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and from a point about 350 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-third street to a point about 200 feet south of Fordham road, and from a point about 300 feet north of Fordham road to Kingsbridge road; laying crosswalks and building the necessary approaches.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Robbins avenue, from Kelly street to the Port Morris Branch Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Boston road, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a point distant about 120 feet south of Prospect avenue; both sides of Jefferson place, from Boston road to Franklin avenue; both sides of Franklin avenue, extending southerly from the north side of Jefferson place about 450 feet; both sides of Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Jefferson place, and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extending westerly from Clinton avenue about 180 feet.

No. 3. West side of Sedgwick avenue, from Commerce avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before September 12, 1899, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
August 5, 1899. }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before August 15, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 6017. Brook avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to Wendover avenue.

List 6018. Crotona Park, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

List 6019. Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Aqueduct avenue.

List 6020. Lafontaine avenue, from Tremont avenue to Quarry road.

List 6021. Brown place, from the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

List 6022. Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Crotona Park, South.

List 603. One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from a point 403.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue to the easterly side of the Mott Haven canal; and from the westerly side of the Mott Haven canal to the Harlem river.

List 6024. Plimpton avenue, from Orchard street to Boscobel avenue.

List 6025. St. Joseph's street, from Robbins avenue to Whitlock avenue.

List 6026. One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Franklin avenue.

List 6028. Trinity avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third street to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

List 6029. One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Brook avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway,

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
July 31, 1899. }

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, }
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER. }

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 663.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW CRIB-BULKHEAD, WITH APPURTENANCES, BETWEEN EAST EIGHTIETH AND EAST EIGHTY-FIRST STREETS, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, AND FOR DREDGING THEREAT.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW CRIB-BULKHEAD, WITH APPURTENANCES, BETWEEN EAST EIGHTIETH AND EAST EIGHTY-FIRST STREETS, EAST RIVER, AND FOR DREDGING THEREAT, will be received by the Board of Docks, at the office of said Board, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by said Board. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS I.—CRIB

1. Crib-bulkhead, complete, containing about 122,800 cubic feet, more or less, of cribwork, including fenders and backing-logs, and measured from the under side of the backing-logs.
- NOTE.—In calculating the contents of this crib the dimensions have been taken from the extremities of the ties and to the outside of the facing-logs for a height of 11 feet above mean low water.
2. Round Logs for Chain Anchors, about 20 feet long, 16
3. Yellow Pine Lumber, exclusive of backing-log and backing-log sill, 7,038 feet, B.M.
4. White Oak Fender-Piles, 6
5. 1½-inch Wrought-iron Chain, 480 feet.
6. 2½-inch Steel Pins, 30 inches long, with split keys, 8
7. 1½-inch Wrought-iron Links, 3 inches by 5 inches, 8
8. 1½-inch Eye-bolts, 18 inches long, with nut, 8
9. ¾-inch by 6-inch square Steel Washers for eye-bolts, 8
10. Dock-spikes, about, 658 pounds.
11. Cast-iron Washers, about, 18 "
12. Cast-iron Cleats, 165 pounds each, 4
13. Screw-bolts and Nuts, and Washers, about, 150 pounds.
14. Materials for Painting, Oiling and Tarring.
15. Labor of every description for about 163 linear feet of Cribwork and about 84 linear feet of wings and anchor cribs.

CLASS II.—DREDGING.

1. Mud-dredging, about, 2,250 cubic yards.
 2. Crib-dredging, about, 460
- N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, *in advance*, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Board of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for each class of the work in each class before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work, or any part of it, is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract is to be wholly completed on or before the expiration of sixty days after the date of service of said notification, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL THE BIDS IS RESERVED IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Board.

Dated New York, June 2, 1899.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,
CHARLES F. MURPHY,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners, composing the Board of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, }
NEW YORK, July 28, 1899. }

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1899,

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

FOR SEWERS IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, between the Southern Boulevard and Hughes avenue; in CLINTON AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; in CROTONA AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; in BELMONT AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, Borough of the Bronx.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JAMES KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, }
NEW YORK, July 26, 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 9, 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 Queens:

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth to Fifth avenue, and THROUGH FIFTH AVENUE to connect with the system constructed by the Old Drainage Commission, late Village of Whitestone.

No. 2. SEWER IN TAYLOR STREET, from Van Alst avenue to Hopkins avenue, and in HOPKINS AVENUE, from Taylor street to Grand avenue.

No. 3. SEWER IN HIGH STREET, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets, College Point.

No. 4. SEWER IN PARK PLACE, between Potter and Woolsey avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers for the Borough of Queens, Hackett Building, Long Island City, N. Y.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, }
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, }
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
July 29, 1899. }

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1899.

FOR REGULATING AND GRADING A PORTION OF THE BRONX AND PELHAM PARKWAY IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of the work or materials, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety; the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do. Specifications and blank forms for proposals for the contract and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park.

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, }
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, }
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
July 28, 1899. }

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1899,

for the following work in the Borough of Brooklyn.

LAYING A CONCRETE SIDEWALK ON THE NORTH SIDE OF PARK PLACE, between Brooklyn and Kingston avenues, and on the WEST SIDE OF KINGSTON AVENUE, between Park place and Prospect place.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

6,800 square feet of concrete walk.

600 cubic yards of topsoil or garden mould.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days from the date of commencement thereof, and the penalty for non-completion within such specified time will be Twenty (20) Dollars per day.

The amount of the security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of the work or materials, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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

that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals for the contract and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
NEW YORK, August 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, AUGUST 14, 1899.

- Line No.
504. 18 sets of Burner Plates for Wolff Gas Cooker, No. 2.
 581. Repairs to two Copper Boilers. Can be seen at Randall's Island.
 749. 2 two-wheel Carts, iron bodies, capacity 500 pounds, as per cut shown.
 756. 1 full set Crank Pin and cross-head Brasses for Otis Elevator engine. Can be seen at Bellevue Hospital.
 765. Set of Rubber Rings for 36-inch Extractor, City Hospital.
 781. 1 Stock with dies and taps, as per cut shown.
 853. 1 Plumbers' Furnace, as per cut shown.
 854. 2 box-wood Dressers.
 855. 2 box-wood Turn Pins.
 856. 2 Round Irons.
 857. 7 pieces Steel, 10 feet long, 2 feet wide, No. 8, standard gauge.
 885. 3 dozen Brass Rods, 36 inches long by 3/8-inch diameter.
 898. 3 1 1/4-inch Yellow Pine Boards, 12 to 13 inches wide, general length, dressed both sides.
 903. Repairs and additions to steam-heating apparatus at pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street. Specifications for above can be seen at office of Supervising Engineer.
 905. Repairs to two Blowing Engines, Alms-house.
 906. Repairs to four Ash-pit Dampers, Alms-house.
 907. Repairs to one Worthington Pump, Alms-house. Specifications for and all information as to above work and material can be had at the office of the Supervising Engineer.
 920. Remove from Laundry at Workhouse and set up at Metropolitan Hospital two wooden washers, making all repairs and furnishing material necessary to put them in first-class running order.
 921. Remove from laundry at Workhouse and set up at Metropolitan Hospital one 26-inch extractor, furnishing all necessary labor and material to put same in first-class running order and ready for use.
 922. Remove from laundry at Workhouse and set up at Metropolitan Hospital one mangle. Furnish new apron and all other necessary labor and material to put same in first-class running order.
 923. Remove from laundry at Workhouse and set up at Metropolitan Hospital the drying-room racks, coils and other accessories. Furnish all labor and material necessary to put same in first-class condition.
 924. Remove from Workhouse laundry two metallic washers, thoroughly repair same, furnish new reverse headers and set up at Metropolitan Hospital. Furnish all labor and material necessary to put same in first-class condition.

925. Furnish and install at Metropolitan Hospital one steel tank 4 feet in diameter, 8 feet long, furnished with two brass coils.
926. Remove from old laundry at Alms-house and set up at Metropolitan Hospital one vertical boiler, together with all of its fittings, etc., with a new steel stack 30 feet high fitted with damper and hood erected on boiler and set as directed.
927. Furnish and install at Metropolitan Hospital one 8 by 8 vertical engine, equal in every respect to cut in file in the office of the Supervising Engineer.
928. Remove from laundry at Workhouse the shafting, pulleys, etc., belonging to this Department and erect same at Metropolitan Hospital, together with 18 feet of 2 1/2 inch shafting, 4 hangers for same with 18 inch drop, and such other shafting, belting, pulleys, and all other accessories as are necessary to drive the laundry machinery above mentioned.

All of the above work to be done in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the Supervising Engineer, and under his direction, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Charities.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except such as are designated in the specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders must state the price of each article per lot, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine. All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department and not on samples furnished by the bidder.

Samples will be on exhibition at the office of Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, until the bids are opened.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment can be obtained

at the office of the Supervising Engineer, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
THOS. S. BRENNAN, Acting Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

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

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS "MATERNITY WAITING WARD" ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS "PAVILION F," ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned work, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the

Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

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

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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 Twenty Thousand (\$20,000) Dollars.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE INSTALLATION OF A PRESSURE WATER SYSTEM, FIRE LINES AND HOSE, THE LAYING OF CROTON WATER MAINS, THE ALTERATIONS TO COAL YARD AND PRESENT SURFACE RAILWAY TRACKS, THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW PLATFORM WEIGHING APPARATUS, DERRICK ENGINE, ETC., AND FURNISHING FOUR CHARGING CARS, ETC., AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL AND GROUNDS.

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed

"Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required in the installation of a pressure water system, fire lines and hose, the laying of Croton water mains, the alterations to coal yard and present surface railway tracks, the construction of a new platform weighing apparatus, derrick engine, etc., and furnishing four charging cars, etc., at Bellevue Hospital and grounds," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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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 Fifteen Hundred (\$1500) Dollars.

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

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

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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 Official and Sample Ballots for election purposes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Official and Sample Ballots," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

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

The entire quantity is to be delivered at such times and places, and in such quantities in each place, as stated in the specifications and as shall be directed by the Superintendent of Elections of The City of New York.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of 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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 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 retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Police reserves the right to reject all the bids received if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

Samples of Official and Sample Ballots required may be examined and blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the Superintendent of Elections of The City of New York, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board, WILLIAM H. KIPP,

Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 3, 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 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

WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF AUGUST, 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 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 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 3, 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 CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX,
July 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Miscellaneous Articles, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street) for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

REQUISITION No. 8.

Penitentiary.

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| 23. | 1/2 dozen Barbers' Hones. |
| 27. | 1 Tailor's Gas Stove to hold three 18-lb. irons. |
| 28. | 1 3-hole Gas Stove, for heating water in hospital. |
| 29. | 5 gallons Drilling Oil. |
| 30. | 5 gallons Benzine. |
| 31. | 2 quart cans Sphinx Paste. |
| 32. | 10 pounds Tuck's Square Packing, 5 1/2 inches by 1/2 inch for Pumps. |
| 33. | 10 gallons Naphtha. |
| 34. | 1 box Glass, 24 by 40, double thick. |
| 35. | 1 box Glass, 20 by 30, double thick. |
| 37. | 1 dozen Painter's Broad Knives. |
| 38. | 5 barrels Gilder's Whiting. |
| 40. | 1 dozen sheets Perforated Tin, assorted sizes. |
| 41. | 12 feet 1 1/4-inch medium Lead Waste-pipe. |
| 42. | 1 Armstrong Stocks and Dies, complete, No. 2, 1/4 inch to 1 inch. |

43. 1 Armstrong Stocks and Dies, complete, No 3, 1 1/2 inch to 2 inches.
 44. 1/2 dozen 1/2-inch Nickel-plated Faucets.
 45. 1 dozen Timmer's Mallets, 3 1/2 inches.
 46. 1 bundle No. 26 Galvanized Iron, 24 inches by 84 inches.
 47. 2 dozen 14-inch Flat Bastard Files.
 48. 1 dozen 14-inch Square Files.
 49. 1 dozen 10-inch Flat Mill Files.
 50. 4 White Ash Boards, 3 1/2 inch, 12 to 14 inches wide, general length, dressed two sides.
 51. 6 White Ash Planks, 1 1/2 inch, 12 to 15 inches wide, general length, dressed two sides.
 52. 5 packages Carriage Bolts, 2 inches by 5-16 inch.
 53. 4 packages Countersink Carriage Bolts, 2 packages 3/8-inch by 3-inch, 1 package 2 1/2-inch, 1 package 2-inch.
 54. 1 package Tire Bolts, 5-inch by 1/2-inch.

City Prison.

72. 300 square feet 1 1/2-inch Clear Pine, dressed two sides.
 73. 300 square feet 1-inch Clear Pine, dressed two sides.
 74. 300 square feet 3/4-inch Clear Pine, dressed two sides.
 75. 300 square feet 1/2-inch Clear Pine, dressed two sides.
 76. 200 feet Yellow Pine Flooring.

Steamboats.

81. 50 pounds Journal Grease, "Minna-hanock."
 82. 2 Porcelain-lined Wash Hand Basins, 13 inches diameter, "Minna-hanock."
 83. 2 Dietz No. 0 Tubular Lanterns, "Minna-hanock."
 84. 1 dozen 1-inch Flat Lamp Wicks, "Minna-hanock."
 85. 1/2 dozen Dessert Dishes, "Strong."
 86. 1 small Hose Reel, "Strong."
 87. 2 50 feet lengths 1 1/2-inch Cotton Hose with couplings, "Strong."
 89. 1 yard square Brass Wire Gauze, as sample, "Strong."
 90. 2 3/4-inch Water Gauge Glasses, 4 feet long, "Strong."
 91. 3 No. 3 Scoop Shovels, "Strong."
 92. 3 dozen 1-inch Lamp Wicks, "Gilroy."
 93. 1 dozen Pinafore Lamp Wicks, "Gilroy."
 94. 1 12-inch Stilson Wrench, "Gilroy."
 95. 1 Ea Twist Drills with Shank for Breast Drill, 1/2 inch, 3-16 inch, 1/4 inch, 5-16 inch, 3/8 inch, 7-16 inch, 1/2 inch, "Gilroy."
 96. 1 Ea Twist Drills with Shank for Ratchet Drill, 9-16 inch, 5/8 inch, 3/4 inch, "Gilroy."

Workhouse.

100. 6 pounds Copper Nails, 3 pounds 8d, 3 pounds 10d.
 101. 1 dozen Scandinavian Padlocks, with 2 keys, No. 983.
 102. 3 gross Screws, 2 gross 1 1/2-12, 1 gross 1 1/4-8.
 103. 1 roll White Marbleized Table Oil Cloth.
 107. 15 pieces Clear White Pine, 1 1/4 inch by 12 inches by 16 feet, dressed two sides.
 108. 15 pieces Clear White Pine, 1 1/2 inch by 12 inches by 16 feet, dressed two sides.
 109. 25 pieces White Pine Roofing Boards, 1 by 9 1/2 inches by 12 feet.
 110. 1 keg 10d. Cut Nails.
 111. 1 keg 8d. Wrought Nails.
 112. 1 3-quart Agate Milk-Boiler.
 113. 3 Agate-Ware Sauce Pans, 1 each 2-quart, 6-quart, 8-quart.

District Prisons.

120. 50 pounds Indian Red, in oil, Second District.
 121. 3 large Iron Spoons, Fourth District.
 122. 1 large Iron Fork, Fourth District.
 124. 75 pounds Princess Metallic, ground in oil, Fifth District.
 125. 5 gallons Valentine's Inside Varnish, Fifth District.
 126. 1 Hanging Scale to weigh 100 pounds, Fifth District.
 127. 2 Bull's Eye Lamps, Fifth District.
 129. 1/2 dozen 4-inch Flat Paint Brushes, Seventh District.
 130. 48 lights Glass, 14 inches by 20 3/4 inches, Seventh District.
 131. 24 lights Glass, 18 inches by 22 3/4 inches, Seventh District.
 132. 20 pounds Putty, Seventh District.
 142. 48 gross 5/4 Cotton Shoe Laces.
 143. 50 bunches 5/4 Leather Shoe Laces.
 144. 500 yards 4/4 Bleached Muslin (Anchor Brand).
 145. 6 dozen Bush Hammers, 12-cut, 6 blades each side.
 146. 12 pieces Clear White Pine, 2 inches by 20 inches by 16 feet, dressed both sides.
 147. 6 pieces Clear White Pine, 1 1/2 inch by 12 inches by 16 feet, dressed both sides.
 148. 30 pounds 30d Spike Nails.

No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.

THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 479, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which he would be entitled to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the

same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

N. O. FANNING,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, July 22, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, ETC., TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the following Miscellaneous Articles, etc., to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, City, up to 11 A. M. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1899.

All goods to be delivered at once to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense.

- 1 dozen 3/4-inch Elbows.
- 2 dozen 1-inch Tees.
- 1 dozen 1 1/2-inch Tees.
- 6 2-inch Flanges.
- 1 dozen 1/2-inch Lock Nuts.
- 2 dozen 1/2-inch Right and Left Couplings.
- 2 dozen 1-inch Right and Left Couplings.
- 25 pounds Genuine Babbitt Metal.
- 1 Side of Belt Lacing.
- 1 dozen 3/4 by 18-inch Glass Water Gauges and Washers for Steam Boiler.
- 1 dozen 5/8 by 16-inch Glass Water Gauges and Washers for Steam Boiler.
- 1 ten-inch Stillson Wrench.
- 1 fourteen-inch Stillson Wrench.
- 1 eighteen-inch Stillson Wrench.
- 1 twenty-four-inch Stillson Wrench.
- 100 feet 1/2-inch Steam Pipe.
- 100 feet 3/4-inch Steam Pipe.
- 300 feet 1-inch Steam Pipe.
- 200 feet 1 1/4-inch Steam Pipe.
- 100 feet 2-inch Steam Pipe.
- 2 dozen 1/2-inch Plugs.
- 2 dozen 3/4-inch Plugs.
- 2 dozen 1-inch Plugs.
- 2 dozen 1 1/2-inch Plugs.
- 2 dozen 2-inch Plugs.
- 3 three-inch Plugs.
- 3 four-inch to 3-inch Bushings.
- 2 dozen 1/2-inch to 3/4-inch Bushings.
- 2 dozen 3/4-inch to 1-inch Bushings.
- 1 quire of Emery Cloth, No. 00.
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- 10 square yards of Hair Felt, 1 inch thick.
- 5 pounds Garlock Steam Packing, size rod, 1 1/4-inch, gland, 2 1/2-inch.
- 15 feet of 1/2-inch Square Tucks Packing, rubber back.
- 2 dozen Water-closet Valves (as per sample).
- 1 dozen Man Hole Gaskets, 15 by 11 inch.
- 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 4 1/2 by 3 inch.
- 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 5 by 3 1/2 inches.
- 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 6 by 4 inches.
- 1 dozen Hand Hole Gaskets, 3 1/2 by 2 1/2 inches.
- 1 square yard Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1-32 inch thick.
- 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1-16 inch thick.
- 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1/4-inch thick.
- 2 square yards Rainbow Sheet Packing, 3-16-inch thick.
- 1 dozen 2 1/2-inch Tube Brushes.
- 4 gross Screws, 1 1/4-inch, No. 10.
- 4 gross Screws, 1 1/2-inch, No. 12.
- 1 dozen pair White Porcelain Door Knobs.
- 1 Hay Cutter.
- 1 Excelsior Lawn Mower, No. 14.
- 500 pounds White Lead (Atlantic).
- 1 barrel Raw Linseed Oil.
- 1 tub Putty (150 pounds).
- 5 pounds Burnt Umber.
- 1 barrel Turpentine.
- 1 barrel Raw Linseed Oil.
- 10 gallons Japan Dryer.
- 4,000 feet Western Oil Grain Leather, 6 oz. B grade (as sample).
- 1 barrel S. A. White O. G. Dressing, about 48 gallons.
- 1 Eyelet Machine, Self Feeder, Foot Power.
- 1 Eyelet Punch Machine (as per sample).
- 200 pounds 1 1/2 oz. Lasting Tacks (as per sample).
- 1 dozen Rub Sticks (as per sample).

65. 2,500 pounds G. D. Hemlock No. 2 Slaughter or equal, middle weights.
 66. 1,000 pounds Wide Union Bellies.
 67. 3 gallons Best Belt Dressing.
 68. 2 dozen Cutters Blades, Harrington.
 69. 2,000 feet 1 1/4 by 4 inches Yellow Pine Flooring, tongued and grooved.

70. 200 feet 1/2 by 12 inches Quartered Oak, dressed two sides.
 71. 200 feet 3/4 by 12 inches Quartered Oak (dressed two sides).
 72. 200 feet 1 1/4 by 12 inches Quartered Oak (dressed two sides).
 73. 100 feet 1 by 12 inches Hickory.
 74. 100 feet 2 by 12 inches Hickory.
 75. 500 feet 3/4 by 12 inches White Wood (dressed two sides).
 76. 500 feet 1 1/4 by 12 inches White Wood (dressed two sides).
 77. 420 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 27 inches, double thick.
 78. 48 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 34 inches, double thick.
 79. 20 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 20 inches, double thick.
 80. 1 keg 20-penny Wire Finishing Nails.
 81. 20 pounds 1-inch Wire Finishing Nails.
 82. 20 pounds 3/4-inch Wire Finishing Nails.
 83. 10 pounds 6 ounces Carpet Tacks.
 84. 3 pounds 4 ounces Carpet Tacks.
 85. 4 gross 3/4-inch Screws No. 6.
 86. 4 gross 1-inch Screws No. 4.
 87. 4 gross 1-inch Screws No. 6.
 88. 3 gross 1 1/4-inch Screws No. 12.
 89. 3 gross 1 1/2-inch Screws No. 8.
 90. 6 gross 1 1/4 inch Screws, No. 10.
 91. 4 gross 1 1/2 inch Screws, No. 8.
 92. 4 gross 1 1/2 inch Screws, No. 10.
 93. 4 gross 1 1/2 inch Screws, No. 8.
 94. 4 gross 1 1/2 inch Screws, No. 10.
 95. 4 gross 1 1/2 inch Screws, No. 12.
 96. 50,000 pounds Bass Light and Dry as per sample.

10,000 pounds to be delivered on award of contract, remainder to be delivered 20,000 pounds weekly.

97. 15,000 18 by 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 Street Broom Blocks, 3/8 inch cover (as sample).
 98. 250 gross 1-inch Blue S. rews.
 99. 250 feet 1/2-inch Round Belt.
 100. 1/2 dozen Carpenters' Planes (as sample).
 101. 2 dozen small files (as per sample).
 102. 500 pounds No. 20 Brass Wire.
 103. 1 part Boring Machine (as per sample).
 104. 1 Broom Winder.
 105. 1 Sewing Vise.
 106. 4 Broom-maker's Hammers.
 107. 600 12-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored).
 108. 750 15-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored).
 109. 500 14-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (holes bored).
 110. 1 gross Whisk Broom Handles (as per sample).
 111. 300 18-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles (as per sample).
 112. 500 pounds Live Black Horse Tail Hair, 7 to 8 inches.
 113. 200 pounds Live Gray Horse Tail Hair, 7 to 8 inches.
 114. 300 pounds Herberts mixture.
 115. 3,000 11-inch Scrub Brush Blocks.
 116. 1,000 Under Brush Blocks, Roached Back Bored.

- 200 pounds 12-inch Wire Nails Coated (as per sample).
 100 No. 5 Harness Needles.
 1 Set Stocks for 1/2-inch adjustable Dies and Taps for machine bolts U. S. Standard.
 15 dozen 2-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample).
 15 dozen 1 1/2-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample).
 15 dozen 1-inch Flat Varnish Brush Handles and Ferrules (as sample).
 10 dozen 1 1/2-inch Tinned Ferrules and Handles (as sample).
 10 dozen 1-inch Tinned Ferrules and Handles (as sample).

- 150 pounds 2 1/2-inch Bristles same sample as Brush Stock, to be cut 2 1/2 inches.
 75 pounds 6 degree White Okatka, Bristles dressed and bleached.
 25 pounds 3-inch Bristles, bleached, (as per sample).
 300 Counter Duster Blocks, holes bored (as per sample).
 175 pounds Gray Bristles, 3/4 inch, extra stiff (as per sample).
 10 dozen Window Brush Blocks, holes bored (as per sample).
 500 pounds Gray Bristles, 3/4 inches, extra stiff (as per sample).
 2,000 No. 24 Gauge Tuttle Knitting Needles.
 1 gross Belt Hooks.
 1 Splitting Knife, 26 inches (as per sample).
 10 parts Bronson Knitting Machine (as per sample).
 1 dozen Files, 6 inches x 1-16 x 1-16, smooth cut.

- 1 roll Coarse Sand Paper.
 100 Stitching Awls (asst).
 25 pounds Crimping Nails.
 500 yards Carpet Remnants (as per sample).
 1 set of Stocks for 1-inch Pipe Dies.
 3 1-inch Pipe Dies Taps, right.
 3 1-inch Pipe Dies Taps, left.
 1 12-inch Stilson Wrench.
 2 18 inch Stilson Wrenches.
 3 1/2-inch Adjustable Dies for machine bolts, U. S. Standard.
 3 1/2-inch Taps for machine bolts, U. S. Standard, to fit stocks, ordered as above.
 1 Emery Stand, 2 Wheels, 1 fine and 1 very fine, 1 1/2 x 16 inches.
 40 pieces, 3 x 4 inches, Spruce, 20 feet long.
 60 pieces, 2-inch Spruce, plane.
 700 feet Fire Hose (as per sample).
 10 gallons G. P. & Co., Enamel.
 1 barrel Rosin.
 300 pounds Tampico Black (lengths as samples).
 30 gallons Turpentine.
 75 pounds White Lead, "Atlantic."
 2 1-foot Steel Rules (Brown and Sharp).
 1 dozen File Cards.
 1,000 6 by 36 Needles (S. & W.).
 1,000 3 by 36 Needles (S. & W.).
 5 pounds of Garlock Steam Packing, size of Rod 2 1/2, Gland 4 inches.
 60 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 8 feet 6 inches.
 60 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 7 feet 6 inches.
 30 pieces 3/4-inch Pipe 16-foot lengths.
 1,100 feet 1/4-inch Pipe, in lengths as required.
 2,300 feet Angle Iron in 20 foot lengths.
 1 Shoe Lining Stamp and Type (as per sample).

- 3 parts for Carpenter's Vise (as per sample).
 50 pounds Camphor Flake.

No bond or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.

Samples on exhibition only at The Kings County Penitentiary.

If the goods are not delivered in ten days, the Commissioner reserves the right to purchase in open market and charge the difference, if any, to the contractor.

Bidders are requested to foot up their bids.

Awards will be made on the lowest items.

Goods will be received in one delivery.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or estimate for Materials for the Manufacturing Bureau, for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time

and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Correction, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the Kings County Penitentiary, or in the absence of samples, to the specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner, No. 5 City Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

N. O. FANNING,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, August 5, 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:

Monday, August 7, 10 A. M. ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN AND ASSISTANT ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, August 8, 10 A. M. FRUIT INSPECTORS. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience. In this examination, only applications No. 1 to 120, inclusive, filed on or before May 4, 1899, will be examined.

Wednesday, August 9, 10 A. M. KEEPERS, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION. Subjects of examination: Writing, duties, reading, arithmetic and experience.

Thursday, August 10, 10 A. M. STENOGRAPHERS AND TYPEWRITERS (FEMALES). Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, speed, accuracy and punctuation. In this examination, only applicants No. 99 to 179, inclusive, whose applications were filed on or before September 12, 1898, will be examined.

Friday, August 11, 10 A. M. JUNIOR CLERKS (MALES). Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, spelling, dictation and letter-writing. In this

All that certain parcel of land situated in the Twenty-fifth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Chauncey street, with the easterly line of Saratoga avenue, running thence northerly along the said easterly line of Saratoga avenue two hundred (200) feet to the southerly line of Bainbridge street,

thence easterly along the southerly line of Bainbridge street one hundred and sixty (160) feet, thence southerly and parallel with Saratoga avenue two hundred (200) feet to the northerly line of Chauncey street, thence westerly along said northerly line of Chauncey street one hundred and sixty (160) feet to the easterly line of Saratoga avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, July 26, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

KINGS COUNTY.

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 ROCKAWAY, BLAKE AND THATFORD AVENUES, in the Twenty-sixth 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 11th 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 Rockaway, Blake and Thatford avenues, in the Twenty-sixth 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 situate, lying and being in the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

All that certain parcel of land situated in the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Rockaway avenue with the southerly line of Blake avenue, running thence easterly along the southerly line of Blake avenue two hundred (200) feet and two (2) inches to the westerly line of Thatford avenue, running thence southerly along the said westerly line of Thatford avenue one hundred and fifty (150) feet, thence westerly and parallel with Blake avenue two hundred (200) feet and two (2) inches, to the easterly line of Rockaway avenue, thence northerly along the easterly line of Rockaway avenue one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the southerly line of Blake avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, July 26, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of CANAL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 13th day of June, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of July, 1899, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Section 9, Block No. 2340, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 3d day of July, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of September, 1899, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 27, 1899.

JAMES A. DUNN, Chairman,
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 21, 1899.

PHILIP A. SMYTH,
ALBERT SANDERS,
ANDREW J. CONNICK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of September, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 27, 1899.

EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,
JOHN H. KNOEPPPEL,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of August, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 21, 1899.

PHILIP A. SMYTH,
ALBERT SANDERS,
ANDREW J. CONNICK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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 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 15th 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 15th day of September, 1899, at 10 o'clock A.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 15th day of September, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Moshulu avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly and southwesterly along said line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Gun Hill road and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Steuben avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; thence southeasterly and southerly along said northeasterly and easterly sides of Moshulu parkway, North, to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Bainbridge avenue and Perry avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Moshulu parkway, North, and Woodlawn road; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Webster avenue; thence southeasterly along a line drawn at right angles to the northwesterly side of Webster avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Bronx Park, and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the prolongation southeasterly of the middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and East Two Hundred and Fifth street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry avenue and said middle line produced northerly to its intersection with the southerly side of Reservoir Oval, East; thence northerly on a straight line to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of the middle line of the block between Tryon avenue and Kings College place; thence northerly along said prolongation and said middle line of the block between Tryon avenue and Kings College place to its intersection with the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence northerly along a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Woodlawn road and distant about 620 feet easterly therefrom to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to a point on the easterly side of Woodlawn road and distant about 1,845 feet northerly from the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence westerly along said line drawn at right angles to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mount Vernon avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Moshulu avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; 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 12, 1899.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

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 BUFFALO AVENUE AND DEAN STREET, 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 11th 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 Buffalo avenue and Dean street, 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, situate, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

All that certain parcel of land situated in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Bergen street with the easterly line of Buffalo avenue, running thence northerly along the easterly line of Buffalo avenue two hundred and fourteen (214) feet five (5) inches to the southerly line of Dean street, thence easterly along the southerly line of Dean street, one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet, thence southerly and parallel with Buffalo avenue one hundred and seven (107) feet two and one-half (2½) inches to the centre line of the block, thence easterly and parallel with Dean street, along said centre line of the block seventy-five (75) feet, thence northerly and again parallel with Buffalo avenue one hundred and seven (107) feet two and one-half (2½) inches to the southerly line of Dean street fifty (50) feet, thence southerly and again parallel with Buffalo avenue one hundred (100) feet, thence westerly parallel with Dean street five (5) feet, thence southerly and again parallel with Buffalo avenue one hundred and fourteen (114) feet and five (5) inches to the northerly line of Bergen street, thence westerly along the northerly line of Bergen street two

hundred and ninety-five (295) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, July 26, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, 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 2d 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 6th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of September, 1899.

Third—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 10th 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.

The premises acquired in this proceeding are designated on the tax maps of The City of New York by the old Ward Nos. 1 and 5 in old Block No. 1558, and by new Ward Nos. 35, 42 and 39 in new Block No. 2365.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, June 30, 1899.

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

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands required for the opening of a PUBLIC PARK (although not yet named by proper authority), at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1898, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1899, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, section 1, Block 166, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands required for the opening of a Public Park (although not yet named by proper authority), at Worth and Baxter streets, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 8th day of May, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said Public Park so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, and lying within a radius of 500 feet from the centre of the land required for said park, and benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and to perform the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said public park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 15, 1899.

JAMES OLIVER, Chairman,
WM. E. VAN WYCK,
THOMAS J. BARRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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