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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Report for the Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 21, 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 December 31, 1898.

Yours, very respectfully,
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining September 30, 1898.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Died.	Escaped.	Pardoned.	Remaining December 31, 1898.
City Prison	379	3,820	2,139	1,617	..	..	..	443
District Prisons	239	10,038	5,723	4,315	3	..	..	236
Penitentiary	799	328	401	1	..	..	..	725
Workhouse	853	4,078	1,950	1,738	20	5	..	1,218
Kings County Penitentiary	392	314	166	9	1	1	..	529
	2,662	18,578	10,379	7,660	24	6	..	3,151

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1898.

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Manhattan.

Salaries	\$58,182 20
Supplies	55,443 49
Repairs to buildings and apparatus	1,179 50
Repairs to steamboats	385 75
Donations to discharged prisoners	1,000 00
Three elevators on Blackwell's Island	489 83
	\$116,680 77

Brooklyn.

Salaries	\$15,008 97
Supplies	8,370 60
Repairs to buildings and apparatus	6,437 59
Donations to discharged prisoners	150 10
Transportation, maintenance, etc., insane criminals	21 25
Purchase of supplies needed in Kings County Penitentiary	4,604 37
	\$34,592 88

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

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

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

DEAR SIR—I respectfully report that the amount of fines imposed by the Courts of General Sessions, Special Sessions and City Magistrates for the quarter ending December 31, 1898, and collected by me, was as follows:

General Sessions Court	\$100 00
Special Sessions Court	295 00
City Magistrates' Courts	967 00
Total	\$1,362 00

Very respectfully,
JAMES J. HAGAN, Warden, City Prison.

CITY PRISON, January 3, 1899.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF WORK DONE BY PAID AND UNPAID LABOR FOR QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

CARPENTER'S REPORT.

October—40 feet of pine for two stove platforms in Old Prison, 25 feet of pine for weather strips in Old Prison, 15 feet of pine for weather strips in Old Prison, 75 feet of pine for uses in the Old and New Prison, 100 feet of pine for ventilation covers in Old Prison, 14 feet of pine, 12 inches, for window sashes in prisons; 32 feet of 1½-inch pine for window sashes, 15 feet of ¾-inch pine for ventilators, 15 feet of ½-inch pine for general use.

November—45 feet of 1½-inch pine for window sashes, 70 feet of 1-inch clear pine for building storm-house in Prison Yard, 1 pair of hinges and screws for storm-house in Prison Yard, 10 feet ½-inch boards for weather strips for storm-house in Prison yard, 24 feet ¾ by 12 pine for closet in

Female Prison, 12 feet of pine for use in prisons, 12 feet of pine for use in prisons, 4 chairs repaired for prisons.

December—70 feet of 3 by 1 yellow pine flooring, Old Prison; 20 feet of 12 by 1 for Old Prison, 14 feet of 1½-inch pine for use in Prison, 12 feet of ¾-inch pine for desk for Boys' Prison, 30 feet of 3 by 1 yellow pine flooring, Old Prison; 24 feet of pine flooring, 3 by 1, for use in Prison; 12 feet of pine, 12 by ½, for closet, Female Prison; 12 feet of pine for repairing in Prison.

PLUMBER'S AND TINSMITH'S REPORT.

October—10 panes of glass, 18 by 18, for Office Storm House; 4 pounds of putty for Office Storm House; 4 gas brackets for Boys' Prison, 1 gas bracket for Old Prison, 3 tin boilers repaired for Kitchen, 1 grate for range for Kitchen, 5 sheets black iron for platforms in Old Prison, 3 pounds roof nails for Old Prison, 1 water-closet repaired in New Prison, 2 grate shakers in Boys' Prison, 2 water-closets repaired, Boys' Prison; 1 20-gallon tin boiler, Kitchen; 2 washtubs repaired in Female Prison, 1 closet repaired in Female Prison, 1 ½-inch brass bibcock in Female Prison; 100 feet of 7-inch stove pipe in Old Prison, 2 7-inch T's and 2 7-inch elbows in Old Prison, 4 sprinkling pots in New Prison, new hoops for 4 pails in Female Prison, 2 wash-basins repaired in Ten-day House, 3 rubber plungers in New Prison, 3 brass lamps for Old Prison, 1 ½-inch brass bibcock for Old Prison, 80 feet 7-inch stove pipe for Old Prison, 5 pounds wire for Old Prison, 2 grates for stoves for Old Prison, 2 grate rests for Old Prison, 2 ½-inch brass bibcocks for Old Prison, 2 ½-inch brass bibcocks for Boys' Prison, 1 ½-inch brass bibcock for Female Prison, 1 closet repaired in Female Prison, 2 closets repaired in New Prison, 18 feet of tin for gutter in Prison Yard, 3 bars of solder for gutter in Prison Yard, 2 pounds of roof nails for gutter in Prison Yard, 1 4-gallon coffee boiler for Kitchen, 2 sheets of galvanized iron for door of steam boiler in Female Prison, 2 knobs for locks in New Prison, 2 knobs for locks in Female Prison, 2 locks repaired in Female Prison, 1 grate for stove for Bridge Storm House, 1 new leg for bedstead, New Prison; 1 water-closet repaired, Boys' Prison; 6 sheets of tin, repairing roof, Men's Dormitory; 4 pounds of solder, repairing roof, Men's Dormitory; 2 pails of charcoal, repairing roof, Men's Dormitory; 1 lock and 1 door repaired in Female Prison, 6 sheets of tin for Storm House, Old Prison; 3 pounds of solder for Storm House, Old Prison; 2 pails of charcoal, Storm House, Old Prison; 2 feet 6-inch galvanized-iron pipe, Storm House, Old Prison; 1 galvanized-iron chimney top, Storm House, Old Prison; 25 feet of 5-inch stove pipe for Storm House of Bridge; 2 5-inch elbows for stovepipe for Bridge storm-house, 1 galvanized iron top pipe for Bridge storm-house, 2 pounds of wire for Bridge storm-house, 5 pounds zinc for Bridge storm house, 1 sheet of tin for Bridge storm-house, 2 20-gallon tin boilers for Kitchen, 1 tin bread box for Bread Room, 8 feet 4-inch stovepipe for Old Prison storm-house, 10 pounds of zinc for Bread Room, 2 sheets of tin for storm-house in Old Prison, 6 valves repaired for Cellar and Office, 2 grates for stoves in Old Prison, 2 grate rests in Old Prison, 2 water closets repaired in Old Prison, 1 brass bibcock for Female Prison, new hoops for 2 wooden pails for New Prison, 1 new plunger for Old Prison, 1 coal shovel for Old Prison, 24 feet 4-inch stovepipe for Bread Room, 3 elbows for stovepipe for Bread Room, 1 galvanized chimney top for Bread Room, 2 4-inch elbows for Clothes Room, 8 feet 4-inch stovepipe for Clothes Room, 1 closet repaired for Boys' Room, 1 closet repaired for New Room, 1 sprinkling pot for Old Room, 100 pounds asbestos cementing for steam boiler, 1 glass gauge for steam boiler, 2 steam valves repaired in small boiler, 1 bibcock for Old Prison, 9 feet 6-inch galvanized iron leader in Old Prison, 2 6-inch galvanized iron elbows in Old Prison, 2 6-inch hooks in Old Prison, water closet repaired in Boys' Prison, 1 brass bibcock in Boys' Prison, 2 new springs for locks in New Prison, 2 water closets repaired in New Prison, 2 new iron gates put up in Female Prison, 24 wood-screws in Female Prison, 4 feet 1-inch gas-pipe in Prison Cellar, 2 elbows for gas-pipe in Prison Cellar, 1 stop-cock for gas-pipe in Prison cellar, 1 new leg for bedstead in Female Prison, 1 iron gate repaired in Female Prison, 1 brass cock in Female Prison, 1 brass cock in Old Prison, 6 gas tips in Old Prison, 3 wooden pails repaired in New Prison, 1 grate, 1 grate frame for Kitchen; 1 set of bricks for Kitchen, pipes repaired in Kitchen, 4 tin boilers repaired in Kitchen, 1 large sheet-iron pan in Kitchen, 1 lock repaired in New Prison, 1 tank repaired in Female Prison, 1 tank ball-cock in Female Prison, 1 1-inch steam valve in Warden's Office, 1 union in Warden's Office, 2 elbows in Warden's Office, 2 nipples in Warden's Office, 1 new plunger in New Prison, 3 tube brushes for steam boilers, 1 large bolt for lock in Boys' Prison, 1 brass lamp repaired in Boys' Prison.

November—1 gas bracket for Old Prison, 7 feet of ½-inch iron rod for bedstead, Old Prison; 1 brass bibcock in Old Prison, 6 pounds wire stove-pipe in Old Prison, 2 feet 7 inches stove-pipe in Old Prison, 1 new spring for lock in New Prison, 12 feet ¾-inch gas pipe in Old Prison, 5 ¾-inch elbows in Old Prison, 1 17-inch Scorching stove (new) in New Prison, 8 feet of 5-inch pipe in New Prison, 2 ¾-inch elbows in New Prison, 1 stove-pipe link in New Prison, 3 gas brackets in Old Prison, 1 rubber plunger in New Prison, 1 key repaired in Boys' Prison, 2 bread-boxes (tin), in bread room, 1 door spring for office door, 2 pulleys for office door, 12 feet of rope for office door, 2 brass cocks for Old Prison, 1 new rubber plunger for New Prison, 2 stove bolts for Laundry, 12 brass bibcocks repaired in Prisons, 13 sheets (14 by 20) tin for Storm-house roof, 5 pounds of solder for Storm-house roof, 2 pails of charcoal for Storm-house roof, 2 quarts of paint for Storm-house roof, new iron hoops for 6 wooden pails, Old Prison; 2 feet ¼-inch pipe for Boiler room, 1 shaker front for Boiler room, 1 large sheet-iron pan for Kitchen, 1 large 20-gallon tin boiler for Kitchen, gas-pipes repaired in New Prison, 1 stove repaired in Old Prison, 3 new handles for coal pails used in Prison yard, 1 sheet-iron stove for use in Guard House, 3 sheets of iron for Kitchen, 1 water-closet repaired in Female Prison, 5 sheets of 5-inch stove-pipe for Kitchen, 2 5-inch elbows for Kitchen, 1 5-inch damper for Kitchen, 2 feet galvanized iron for top of stove-pipe in Kitchen, 1 gas tip for Kitchen, 2 new tin bottoms for cans in Kitchen, 2 coal shovels for Prison yard, 1 fire poker for stove in Prison yard, 1 15-gallon tin boiler for Kitchen, 9 feet 2-inch water-pipe for Storm-house, 1 set of bricks for storm-house, New Prison; 1 tin bread-box for Bread Room; 4 brass bibcocks for Old Prison; 6 locks repaired for Old Prison; 5 20-gallon tin boilers for Kitchen; 3 water-gauge cocks for steam boiler; 6 1¼ fittings for steam boiler; 1 sheet-iron pan for Kitchen; 2 sheets of tin for Storm House; stovepipe repaired in Laundry; 1 shaker bracket for steam boiler; new bottoms for 2 tin boilers in Kitchen; 1 cell door repaired in Old Prison; 6 gas tips in Old Prison.

December—2 pounds lead, repairing railing, Boys' Prison; 2 new bottoms for tin boiler in Kitchen; 3 wooden pails hooped in New Prison; 12 brass bibcocks repaired in Prison; 1 water-closet repaired in Boys' Prison; 1 brass bibcock in Female Prison; 1 cell door repaired in Old Prison; 18 feet of ¼-inch gas pipe in Old Prison; 10 fittings in Old Prison; 1 gas bracket in Old Prison; 2 tin boilers repaired in Kitchen; 1 water-closet repaired in Female Prison; 4 feet of ½-inch water pipe in Boys' Prison; 2 elbows in boys' Prison; 1 brass bibcock for Boys' Prison; 2 sheets of tin, 14 by 20, for office roof; 3 pounds of solder for office roof; 2 pails of charcoal for office roof; 1 lock repaired for Boys' Prison; 2 bolts for steam boiler; 10 feet ¾-inch steam pipe for Warden's Dining-room; 4 fittings for Warden's Dining-room; 1 new leg for bedstead for Boys' Prison; 3 new bottoms for tin boilers for Kitchen; 3 water-closets repaired for New Prison; 1 new rubber plunger for New Prison; 1 gas bracket for Old Prison; 2 coffee cans, 2 gallons each, for New Prison; 6 new handles for coal pails, Kitchen; 6 wooden pails rehooped, Prison Yard; 2 wash-stands and sinks repaired, Female Prison; 2 tin boilers, new bottoms, Kitchen; 1 steam-pipe repaired in Female Prison; 1 gas-pipe repaired in Prison Cellar; 1 lock repaired in New Prison; 2 bibcocks in New Prison; 1 water-closet repaired in New Prison; 12 gas tips in Old Prison; 4 coal pails repaired in kitchen; water pipe repaired in Pump Room, Old Prison; 1 wash-stand, 1 sink repaired in New Prison; 1 lock repaired, Boys' Prison; 2 new rubber plungers for Old Prison; 35 feet of ¾-inch pipe for steam table; 8 pounds of galvanized iron for Warden's Dining-room; 6 sheets of tin for Warden's Dining-room; 5 pounds of solder for Warden's Dining-room; 1 grate for 90-gallon boiler for Kitchen; 1 set of brick for 90-gallon boiler for Kitchen; 1 grate frame for 90-gallon boiler for Kitchen; 1 boiler front for 90-gallon boiler for Kitchen; 1 bibcock for Female Prison; 2 locks repaired for Female Prison; 2 bolts and knobs for Female Prison; 2 water-closets repaired in Female Prison; 64 feet of ½-inch bars for Carpenter Shop; 6 gas tips for New Prison.

PAINTERS' REPORT.

October—1 pail whitewash, whitewashing light-shaft, Boys' Prison; calcimined and sized ceilings in church and school, Boys' Prison; 50 pounds whiting, ceilings in church and school, Boys' Prison; 1 pound blue, ceilings in church and school, Boys' Prison; 3 pounds glue, ceilings in church and school, Boys' Prison; 1 pint of color for painting wall in Old Prison; 1 light of glass in storm-door in Old Prison; 4¾ gallons black paint for use in Old and New Prison; 2¼ gallons metallic paint for use in Old and New Prison; 1 quart of green paint for use in Old and New Prison; ½ gallon turpentine for use in Old and New Prison; 20 pounds of whiting for use in Old and New Prison; ¼ pound of blue for use in Old and New Prison; 1 pound of glue for use in Old and New Prison; 12 panes of glass for cell windows in Old Prison; ½ gallon turpentine for use in Old and New Prison; 2 gallons black paint for use in Old and New Prison; 3½ gallons metallic paint for use in Old and New Prison; 2 pounds Venetian red paint for use in Old and New Prison;

12 panes of glass, 9 1/2 by 12, in New Prison; 9 panes of glass, 9 1/4 by 15, in New Prison; weather strips on windows in Old Prison; 2 3/4 gallons metallic paint for use in Old and New Prison; 2 gallons black paint for use in Old and New Prison; 1 gallon turpentine for use in Old and New Prison; 1 quart green paint for use in Old and New Prison; 1 quart white paint for use in Old and New Prison; 6 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in Boys' Prison; painted bath-tub; 3 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in Men's Dormitory; 1 pane of glass, 9 by 12 in Boys' Prison; 1 1/4 gallons black paint for use in Prisons; 2 1/2 gallons metallic paint for use in Prisons; 1 quart of green paint for use in Prisons; 1 1/2 gallons turpentine for use in Prisons; 1 pound Indian red, painting window-sills, Old and New Prison; 1 pane of glass for Boys' Prison; 1 pound of white paint, painting Cell No. 3, Old Prison; 1 pound glue, sizing and calcimining Cell No. 3, Old Prison; 1/4 pound blue, sizing and calcimining Cell No. 3, Old Prison; 1 pound alum, sizing and calcimining Cell No. 3, Old Prison; 25 pounds whiting, sizing and calcimining Cell No. 3, Old Prison; 10 pounds white lead for use Old, New and Boys' Prison; 1 pound Indian red, for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison; 2 pounds Venetian red for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison; 2 gallons black paint for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison; 1/2 gallon metallic paint for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison; 1 quart of green paint for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison; 2 1/2 gallons turpentine for use in Old, New and Boys' Prison.

November—1 pane of glass, 12 3/4 by 9 3/4, in storm-house, New Prison; 3 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in New Prison and 10-Day House; 1 pound alum, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 2 pounds glue, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 25 pounds whiting, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 1/4 pound blue, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 3/4 gallon black paint, for use in the Prisons; 3/4 gallon metallic, for use in the Prisons; 1/2 gallon turpentine, for use in the Prisons; 7 pounds green paint, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 1/2 gallon boiled oil, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 3/4 gallon turpentine, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 25 pounds white lead, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 1 pint of dryer, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 1/2 gallon black paint, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 1 quart of varnish, for ironwork, woodwork, gates, etc., in Prisons; 10 pounds of white lead, for painting Guard-house, Prison Yard; 1 quart boiled oil, for painting Guard-house, Prison Yard; 1 quart turpentine, for painting Guard-house, Prison Yard; 1/2 pint dryer, for painting Guard-house, Prison Yard; 1 gallon metallic, for painting Guard-house, Prison Yard; 1 quart turpentine, for use in Old Prison; 3 panes of glass in Guard-house, Prison Yard, two 10 1/2 by 12, one 12 by 13 1/2; 25 pounds white lead, painting inside of Guard-house; 1/2 gallon raw oil, painting inside of Guard-house; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting inside of Guard-house; 1 pound green, painting inside of Guard-house; 1 pound Venetian red, painting inside of Guard-house; 1 pint of dryer, painting inside of Guard-house; 40 pounds white lead, painting stairways, walls, ceiling, Old Prison; 1 gallon raw oil, painting stairways, walls, ceiling, Old Prison; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting stairways, walls, ceiling, Old Prison; 2 quarts of dryers, painting stairways, walls, ceiling, Old Prison; 5 pounds burnt umber, painting stairways, walls and ceilings, Old Prison; 1 pound chrome yellow, painting stairways, walls and ceilings, Old Prison; 1/2 gallon black, painting stairways, walls and ceilings, Old Prison; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting in different parts of Prison; 1 1/4 gallons black, painting in different parts of Prison; 1 gallon metallic, painting in different parts of Prison; 50 pounds whiting, calcimining, sizing, ceiling, etc., Kitchen; 1/2 pound blue, calcimining, sizing, ceiling, etc., Kitchen; 1 pound red, calcimining, sizing, ceiling, etc., Kitchen; 2 pounds glue, calcimining, sizing, ceiling, etc., Kitchen; 2 pounds alum, calcimining, sizing, ceiling, etc., Kitchen; 15 pounds white lead, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 1/2 gallon raw oil, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 1 gallon asphaltum, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 1 gallon brown paint, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 1 pint of dryer, painting woodwork and ceiling, Kitchen; 30 pounds whiting, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 1/4 pound blue, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 2 pounds glue, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 2 pounds alum, sizing and calcimining ceiling in Office; 6 panes of glass, 8 by 10, for instruction tablet frames, Old Prison; 6 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in Boys' Prison; 8 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in Female Prison; 2 gallons metallic paint, for use in Prisons; 1 1/4 pounds black paint, for use in Prisons; 1 1/2 gallons turpentine, for use in Prisons.

December—6 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in New Prison; 2 new sashes, in New Prison; 8 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in New Prison; 1 pint of black in New Prison; patched up all windows in New Prison; 4 panes of glass, 9 by 12, in New Prison; repairing windows, in Old Prison; cemented windows outside in Old Prison; 1 pane of glass, 6 by 15, in Old Prison; 1 1/2 gallons metallic, painting in Prison; 2 1/4 gallons turpentine, painting in Prison; 4 pounds Venetian red, painting in Prison; 1/2 gallon of black paint, painting in Prison; 10 pounds of white lead, painting skylights in office; 1 pint of raw oil, painting skylights in office; 1 quart of turpentine, painting skylights in office; 1 quart of black, painting skylights in office; 5 pounds of white lead painting woodwork in Female Prison; 1 quart of raw oil, painting woodwork in Female Prison; 1 quart of turpentine, painting woodwork in Female Prison; 2 pounds burnt umber, painting woodwork in Female Prison; 2 pounds Indian red, painting second tier Old Prison; 1/2 pound chrome yellow, painting second tier Old Prison; 2 pounds Indian red, painting second tier Old Prison; 1/2 pound chrome yellow, painting second tier Old Prison; 10 pounds white lead, painting second tier Old Prison; 1/2 gallon turpentine, painting second tier Old Prison; 1/2 gallon raw oil, painting second tier Old Prison; for painting roof of laundry, roof of Female Dormitory, Male Dormitory, office roof; 15 gallons metallic; 1 gallon turpentine; 1 gallon raw oil; 2 1/4 gallons metallic, painting in Prison; 10 pounds Venetian red, painting in Prison; 1 gallon raw oil, painting in Prison; 2 gallons turpentine, painting in Prison; 1 gallon black paint, painting in Prison; 5 pounds of white lead, painting skylight Warden's office; 1 quart of turpentine, painting skylight Warden's office; 1 pane of glass, 15 by 22, for Drug Store; 5 pounds of white lead, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1/2 pound of burnt sienna, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1/2 pound of chrome yellow, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1 quart of raw, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1 quart of turpentine, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1 quart of varnish, painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; 1/2 pound patent dryer; painting, graining and desk, Boys' Prison; putting weather strips on nine cell-windows in Old Prison; 1 1/4 gallons turpentine, for use in Prisons; 2 gallons metallic, for use in Prisons; 2 1/2 pounds Venetian red, for use in Prisons; 1 quart raw oil, for use in Prisons; 1/2 pound patent dryer, for use in Prisons; 1 pound Indian red, for use in Prisons; 5 pounds white lead, for use in Prisons; 1 1/2 gallons black paint, for use in Prisons.

MASON'S REPORT.

October—1/2 barrel of lime for sundry uses in prisons, 1 peck of plaster for sundry uses in prisons, 2 pecks of cement for sundry uses in prisons, 1/2 barrel of lime for sundry uses in prisons, 3 pecks of cement for sundry uses in prisons, 1 bushel of cement for use in prison yard, 1 bushel of cement for use in prisons, 1/2 barrel lime for use in prisons, 1 peck of plaster for use of prisons, 1/2 barrel lime for use in prisons, 1 bushel of cement for use in prisons.

November—1/4 barrel of lime for use in prisons, 1 bushel of cement for use in prisons, 1 peck of plaster for use in prisons, 1 1/2 bushels of cement for use in prisons, 1/4 barrel lime for use in prisons, 1/4 barrel of lime for use in prisons, 1 bushel of cement for use in prisons, 1/4 barrel lime for use in prisons, 1 bushel cement for use in prisons, 2 pecks of plaster for use in prisons, 1/2 barrel lime for use in prisons, 1 bushel cement for use in prisons, 2 pecks of plaster for use in prison, 1/4 barrel of lime for use in prison, 1 bushel of cement for use in prison.

SUPPLIES TAKEN OUT OF STOREROOM AND DISTRIBUTED IN VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS.

October—1 whitewash brush for Old Prison, 1 whitewash brush for Boys' Prison, 1 dust brush for New Prison, 2 dust brushes for Old Prison, 1 whitewash brush for Old Prison, 1 whitewash brush for New Prison, 1 dozen mess pans for Old Prison, 8 tin cups for New Prison, 1 small saw file for Carpenter, 1 wash basin for Female Prison, 1 dust pan for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen towels for Old Prison, 1 sprinkling can for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen mess pans for Old Prison, 1 dozen mess pans for Old Prison, 1 drawer lock for New Prison, 3 wash basins for Old Prison, 1 Stillson wrench for Plumber, 1 flat file for Plumber, 1 whitewash brush for Old Prison, 2 pails for Female Prison, 8 wash basins for Old Prison, 1 wash basin for Old Prison, 1 lamp chimney for Old Prison, 1 dust pan for Prison roof, 1 pound finishing nails for Carpenter.

November—6 tin cups for kitchen, 4 wash basins for Female Prison, 1 water pail for Old Prison, 1 dust pan for New Prison, 1 dust pan for dining-room, 14 tin cups for Old Prison, 1 pair scissors for Female Prison, 1 pair 2-inch butts for Carpenter, 1 padlock for Plumber, 1 Torrey door spring for Plumber, 1 dozen table spoons for New Prison, 1 dust brush for New Prison, 1 dozen table spoons for Old Prison, 18 tin cups for Old Prison, 8 mess pans for Old Prison, 1 dozen table spoons for Prison yard, 1/2 dozen mess pans for Prison yard, 2 wooden pails for Boys' Prison, 6 tin cups for Boys' Prison, 1 wooden pail for New Prison, 2 wooden pails for Painter, 1 wooden pail for New Prison, 2 tin cups for Old Prison, 2 dust pans for Female Prison, 1 dust brush for Fireman, 1/2 dozen spoons for New Prison, 1 whitewash brush for New Prison, 1 whitewash brush for Old Prison, 1 water pail for New Prison, 1 dozen mess pans for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen tin cups for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen spoons for Old Prison, 1 stove brush for New Prison, 1 whitewash brush for New Prison, 2 tin cups for Prison Yard, 2 mess pans, tin, for Prison Yard; 2 staples and 2 barrel locks for Plumber, 1 feather duster for Dormitory, 2 pairs 2-inch hinges for Carpenter, 1 dozen towels for Boys' Prison, 1 wooden pail for New Prison, 1 box metal polish for Boys' Prison, 1 door-lock, complete, for Female Prison, 1 sash tool for Female Prison, 2 wooden pails for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen spoons for Old Prison, 1/2 dozen knives for Dining-room, 1/2 dozen forks for Dining-room, 1 whitewash brush for Boys' Prison, 1/2 dozen spoons for Old Prison, 1 whitewash brush for Old Prison, 3 pairs of butts for Carpenter, 1 gross of 1-inch screws for Carpenter, 1 wooden pail for New Prison, 6 spoons for New Prison, 6 tin cups for Old Prison, 6 mess pans for Old Prison, 6 spoons for Old Prison, 6 hand towels for Old Prison, 1 pair T hinges for Old Prison.

JAMES J. HAGAN, Warden City Prison.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—OFFICE OF DISTRICT PRISONS,
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 5, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—I respectfully transmit herewith a quarterly report of work done in the prisons by paid and unpaid labor during the quarter ending December 31, 1898, to wit:

CARPENTER WORK.

At Second District Prison: Glazing windows, Male and Female Prison, using 1 box double glass, 15 inches by 18 inches, work done by unpaid labor. At Third District Prison: Construction of wooden closet, using 50 feet white pine boards, 4 pounds nails, work done by unpaid labor. At Fourth District Prison: Putting in 5 new shelves in bread closet, using 8 pieces 1/2 inch by 4 1/2 inches (16 feet) planed white wood; putting in 1 pane of glass, 13 inches by 19 inches, in storm house door; putting up a new wooden ceiling in Prison Kitchen, using 560 feet of 4-inch by 12-inch ceiling boards, 10 pounds 6d. nails, 16 pounds 8d. nails and 5 pounds 10d. nails; glazing Hall window, 2 panes, 15 inches by 18 inches, putting in new sash cord (5 pounds) in all windows necessary to be repaired in Prison, all work done by unpaid labor. At Fifth District Prison: Construction of wooden cabinet for Warden's Office, size, 2 feet 5 inches by 1 foot 8 inches, containing 24 compartments; material used, 2 pieces 32 feet 1/2-inch white wood, 1 piece 16 feet 3/4-inch by 12-inch white pine, 1 pound 1 1/2-inch finishing wire nails, 1 lock, 2 keys, 2 hinges, 1 package screws, recovering Office desk with green baize cloth, using 2 yards of green cloth, 1/2 pound carpenter's glue; putting in on lower tier, 5 panes of glass, 15 inches by 18 1/2 inches, in Male Prison, 10 panes, 15 inches by 14 inches, in Laundry, 1 pane, 15 inches by 20 3/4 inches; also refitting new wire sash cord in all windows necessary to be repaired, using 200 feet flat wire sash cord and 2 dozen iron fasteners.

PLUMBING AND TINSMITHING.

At Third District Prison: Overhauling heating furnaces of Prison, cleaning exhaust pipe, furnishing one grate and slide, repairing range in Kitchen and cleaning exhaust pipe of same, work done by paid labor; repairing faucet in cell No. 28, repairing basin cock in Keeper's Office, and replacing in Cells Nos. 18 and 31 two new faucets, work done by unpaid labor; repairing gas-pipes, adjusting new lengths of pipe in cellar of Prison; also repairing galvanized exhaust pipe, connecting with chimney on roof of Matron's house; also repairing roof of Keeper's Office and Matron's Room; work done by outside labor. Putting in a new grate on a Mott's Scorching No. 14, also 2 stoverakers for same. Fourth District Prison: Putting up 15 lengths of 6-inch and 10 lengths of 5-inch stovepipe, 3 6-inch and 2 5-inch elbows for repair on stoves of Male and Female Prisons, 2 new valves put in water-closet of Male Prison, also 1 new valve and washer in closet of Female Prison, 2 new faucets put in cells on second tier; all work done by unpaid labor. At Fifth District Prison: Repairing of water-closet in Cell No. 6, Male Prison, 1 pound solder, 1 pound resin, repair of 2 15-gallon tin boilers, 1 10-gallon tin can, soldering spout on coffee-can; material used, 2 pounds solder, 1 pound resin; work done by unpaid labor. Putting in for a Mott's Defiance Range No. 9 a new set of grate-bars, bottoms and front, also 1 set of fire-bricks, 1 new set of covers and cross pieces. At Seventh District Prison: Female Department—Putting up iron partition, 7 feet 6 inches by 8 feet, 1 iron gate, with lock and 2 keys, 1 hanging stile for gate, 1 wire screen in Female Prison on window, 1 screen on gate, 2 screens in hallway and 1 screen in Ten-day House.

MISCELLANEOUS REPAIRS.

At Fifth District Prison: Repairing broken axle on Van No. 6, having front axle welded, also putting in 3 axle clips, 1 new clip bar, 2 axle washers and 2 nuts to old clip; work done by paid labor.

PAINTERS.

At Second District Prison: Painting of lower hall and interior of Prison; 10 gallons asphaltum, 10 gallons oil, 5 gallons turpentine; also whitewashing cells and Prison walls, Male and Female Departments; 2 barrels whitewash lime, 10 pounds ultra marine blue, 5 pounds calcimining glue. At Third District Prison: Painting and whitewashing the interior of Prison, Male and Female Departments; 50 pounds color, 5 gallons turpentine and 5 gallons asphaltum. Fourth District Prison: Painting of ceiling, Prison Kitchen (3 coats of paint), 50 pounds color, 3 gallons turpentine, 2 gallons oil, 1 pound dryers; painting storm-house, fence in yard, also roof of vegetable-house, 25 pounds color, 2 gallons turpentine, 1 gallon of oil, 25 pounds metallic; Male and Female Departments painted and cells whitewashed, also wire screens on windows of Dormitory and Kitchen painted, 1 barrel lime, 5 pounds color, 1 pound dryers, 5 pounds ultramarine blue, 5 pounds calcimining glue, painting of water-closets in all cells, 25 pounds metallic. At Fifth District Prison: Painting and whitewashing Male and Female Departments, halls, stairway, Kitchen and Laundry, also iron gates and bar partitions; material used, 100 pounds of color, 10 gallons of oil, 11 gallons turpentine, 10 gallons asphaltum, 3 pounds patent dryers, 1/2 gallon varnish. At Seventh District Prison: Painting and whitewashing Male and Female Departments, painting bases of cells, 50 pounds white lead, 2 gallons turpentine, 2 pounds ochre, 2 pounds dryers, 2 gallons oil; all work done by unpaid labor.

Laundrying, cooking and cleaning up in general done in all the prisons by prison labor. The Prisons were entirely kept clean of roaches, waterbugs, etc., by the services rendered by the Brown Insecticide Company.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. NAGLE, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NEW YORK, January 3, 1899.

Quarterly Report of all District Prisons ending December 31, 1898.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Prisoners remaining on September 30, 1898.....	146	93	239
Prisoners received during the three months ending December 31, 1898..	7,495	2,543	10,038
Total	7,641	2,636	10,277
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse and to Bellevue Hospital as help.....	1,883	824	2,713
Transferred to City Prison.....	1,194	187	1,381
Transferred to Hospital.....	144	68	212
Died	2	1	3
Transferred to Penitentiary.....	9	0	9
Discharged.....	4,239	1,484	5,723
Prisoners remaining on December 31, 1898.....	164	72	236
Total	7,641	2,636	10,277

JOHN E. NAGLE, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
OFFICE OF NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
NEW YORK, January 3, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—I respectfully transmit herewith a report for the quarter ending December 31, 1898, showing the number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor at which they were employed and the results accomplished.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON, Warden.

Warden's Report.

The following is the report of New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for the quarter ending December 31, 1898:

	MALES.		FEMALES.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOR- EIGN.
	White.	Colored.	White.	Colored.			
Remaining at last report	699	54	41	5	799	498	301
Received	277	19	27	5	328	215	113
Total imprisoned	976	73	68	10	1,127	713	414
Discharged	346	24	25	6	401	260	141
Transferred to Kings County Penitentiary .....	..	..	..	1	1	1	..
Total discharged	346	24	25	7	402	261	141
Total remaining	630	49	43	3	725	452	273

Decrease, 69.
Males—Men, 679. Females—Women, 46. Total belonging to Penitentiary, 725.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Number of prisoners	679	46	725
Number of paid officers and employees boarding at Penitentiary	70	7	77
Total	749	53	802

JOHN J. FALLON, Warden.

WORK COMPLETED IN THE SHOPS DURING THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Blacksmiths.

Made: Penitentiary—114 hand drills, 131 chisels, 140 stone plugs, 40 anchor irons, 1 swive iron, 488 rivets, 26 iron handles, 8 corner irons, 384 feathers, 2 stove poker, 7 stove shakers, 2 strap hinges, 7 peg cutters, 17 wheelbarrows, 48 iron hooks, 1 plunger handle, 179 points, 2 axes, 1 auger, 1 bull pick, 1 bull wedge, 12 wedge handles, 1 ox cart, 1 iron coal barrow, 1 staple, 1 iron strap brace, 6 screw drivers, 72 tub handles, 2 sets screws, 3 pair ice tongs, 6 pan handles, 3 hasps, 96 bucket straps, 84 bucket handles, 36 standards, 6 stone hammers, 4 wedges, 36 pitching tools, 1 pudding bar, 6 pick axes, 1 bottom swage, 1 anvil stake, 60 feet quarry chain, 36 3/4-inch iron washers, 72 bucket ears, 16 inch iron brackets, 1 shelf 2 feet 10 inches by 8 inches, 1 shelf 3 feet 4 inches by 8 inches, 9 wedges, 3 shelves 6 feet 8 inches by 9 inches, 1 key, 12 iron braces for wheelbarrows, 1 stove pipe brace 2 feet 5 inches. City Prison—12 double cot frames. Seventh District Prison—1 window guard screen 6 feet 3 inches, 24 iron cot frames, 1 iron partition. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—7 hand trucks. Steamer "W. L. Strong"—1 ring bolt. Repaired: Penitentiary—5,015 points, 9,636 chisels, 61 axes, 664 augers, 1,997 drills, 76 pitching tools, 24 bush hammer cuts, 5 bull wedges, 6 crowbars, 1 chain link, 2 ox carts, 4 chains, 1 garden hoe, 24 bucket ears, 5 stoves, 1 hand stamp, 1 furnace cover, 2 ranges, 2 ice hooks, 21 tables, 7 stove pipe hangers, 1 gong hammer, 3 latches, 3 locks, 63 pick axes, 14 wheelbarrows, 34 wedges, 2 parcel wagons, 1 pudding bar, 10 wedge handles, 14 bushing hammers, 1 derrick, 1 screw driver, 6 cot frames, 1 coal barrow, 1 stone truck, 1 coal cart, 6 keys, 40 knives, 8 locks, 1 pick axe handle, 1 railing, 10 shovels, 1 quarry spoon, 1 quarry chain, 1 press screw, 4 scoop shovels, 2 table legs, 1 derrick block, 1 stove shaker, 1 cleaver, 2 slice bars. Blackwell's Island Stables—Built and reconstructed, cart No. 7, cart No. 1, 1 truck, cart No. 3, 1 surrey. Central Office Stables—Van No. 6, reset hind axle and fifth wheel; van No. 2, reset springs, and overhauled van No. 5. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—2 fire hoes with new blades, 6 coal carts, 2 double iron cot frames. Days' labor, 1,898.

Tinsmiths.

Made: Penitentiary—1 tin pan, 1 tin dipper, 3 dinner pails, 3 sets dinner cans, 143 mess pans, 9 oil cans, 3 copper syringes, 1 galvanized iron strainer, 1 tin soup strainer, 5 milk cups, 1 coal hod, 25 lengths of stovepipe, 2 galvanized iron ash cans, 2 coffee cans, 2 coal scuttles, 7 elbows, 1 galvanized iron wash trough, 1 fire shovel, 1 blow pipe, 1 iron pail, 2 water sterilizers, 1 large tin box, 7 water cans, 1 coffee pot, 4 torches, 6 six-quart lamp fillers, 1 tin boiler, 2 egg frying pans, 26 tin cups, 2 twenty-gallon copper bottom cans, 1 three-gallon oil can, 1 tin can, 1 galvanized iron pail, 1 large coffee pan, 1 large tea can, 1 sauce pan, 1 stew pan, 5 pieces copper ware, 2 ventilators, 2 bracket tops. Storehouse—50 coal hods, 502 one-quart tin cups, 200 mess pans. Workhouse—36 one-pint tin cups, 12 bake pans. Second District Prison—4 five-gallon cans, with spouts. Third District Prison—3 galvanized iron ash cans. Fourth District Prison—15 lengths 6-inch and 10 lengths 5-inch stovepipe, 3 six-inch elbows, 2 five-inch elbows, 1 one-fifth gallon tin can. Fifth District Prison—1 sheet iron baking pan, 2 large ash cans, 1 sheet iron roasting pan, 2 five-gallon tin coffee cans. Seventh District Prison—4 twenty-gallon coffee cans. City Prison—12 ten gallon cans, 12 fifteen-gallon cans, 30 stove shovels. Central Office, Borough of Brooklyn—1 tin box, 10 by 14 by 11; 1 tin box, 28 by 18 by 8, lids and hasps on each. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—2 ash shovels, 1 pancake turner. Steamer "W. L. Strong"—2 fifty-six-gallon oil tanks, 1 muffin pan, 1 bake pan, 1 spider with lough andle. Steamer "Gilroy"—2 frying pans, 2 soup ladles. Repaired: Penitentiary—Roof, Warden's House; calking brackets, New Prison; leader pipes, Mess Hall; leader pipes, New Prison; roof on Annex and New Prison; roofs on two Guard Houses; furnace, Warden's House; 39 pairs shoe lasts (heel and toe plates); also 250 various articles of tin and iron ware; roof on Annex Prison; sink in Shoe Shop; chandelier in Warden's House, and 275 various pieces tinware, 5 stoves, 1 sink, 1 faucet, 1 stovepipe, 1 pump and 270 pieces various articles of tinware. Fourth District Prison—2 twenty-gallon tin cans. Days' labor, 1,270.

Carpenters.

Made: Penitentiary—2 ox carts, 17 wheelbarrows, 1 census board, 4 tables, 175 swab sticks, 1 chair, 100 cot sticks, new office in wash-house, 4 platforms for coal yard, 25 straight edges, 3 step ladders, 12 long benches, new closet blacksmith shop, 3 window sashes, new moulding and wainscoting, basement of Warden's House; new beams and floor for storeroom, 6 soup tubs, 2 bird cage frames, 1 electric battery box for hospital, 27 sledge hammers, 1 hammer handle, 1 shelf, 52 pick handles, 19 pails, 1 wash stick, one puddling stick, 1 door for census board, 1 closet for Warden's house, 1 freezer pail, 1 frame, 7 shelves, 6 cutting boards, 3 skiving boards, 1 water-closet seat, 1 water-closet, 9 large water tubs, 4 new window frames, 1 water-closet, 135 snow shovels, 12 wash kits, 1 mop holder, 1 stand for medicine box, 1 margin light, 1 storm light, 2 steps, 14 striking hammer handles, 1 large packing box, 1 tool box cover, 8 weather boards, 1 door, 1 fork handle, 1 truck pole, 1 clothes pole, 12 whisk broom handles, 1 large coal barrow, 12 blocks for lamp box, 1 lamp-post, 2 posts, 1 sheathing for partition in Warden's house, 1 set pigeon holes for front office, 1 tray, 1 set weather strips, 2 soup ladle handles, 2 manhole covers, 1 meat safe, Warden's house; 1 partition, Warden's house; 7 tubs, 1 set shelves, 1 bench top, 1 frame for lamp box, casing door jams and stops for lamp box, 1 set frames for floral decorations in church, 6 feet moulding, putting new trim in lamp box, 2 shoe blocks, putting new shelving in shoe box, 6 feet crown moulding, putting on new steps for stairway in Prison, 6 knobs, 3 axe handles, 2 shoe blocks, 1 wheel, 2 spring blocks Van No. 4, new wood work for stone truck. City Prison—20 cot sticks. Third District Prison—1 five-foot bench. Fourth District Prison—6 snow shovels. Seventh District Prison—2 table leaves, 2 wood horses, 1 bench. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—2 cake turner handles, 1 gang plank, 1 pair axle blocks, 2 cart legs, 2 coal cart frames. Steamer "W. L. Strong"—12 fenders. Repaired: Penitentiary—Wheels and body of bread wagon, 18 wheelbarrows, 17 pails, 2 guard houses, closet in keepers' apartments, 17 chairs, tables in Annex and Female Prison, screens in Warden's house, 210 cell buckets, 1 water barrel, 47 knives, 1 axe, 4 pair scissors, boiler house and general Prison repairs, doors in kitchen, 7 screens, 10 doors, 1 wardrobe, 1 coal barrow, 11 tables, 2 meat boxes, 72 shoe lasts, 4 locks, 3 skiving boards, 1 arm chair, 1 partition, 35 tubs, 1 chest, 11 windows, 1 lime tub, 11 soup tubs, floor in officers' dining room, 13 pair shears, 1 chopper, shutters in Warden's house, 8 wash kits, 2 sashes, shutters in cot washers' shed, windows in hospital, 1 bench, 1 sign, 1 picket fence, 28 snow shovels, 1 table, 1 steam drying horse, 1 high chair, 6 saws, windows in Dormitory, 2 coal boxes, 1 water tub, balusters on

stairway in Prison, 1 board, 1 stand, 1 tail board, 1 guard boat, No. 6. Fifth District Prison—2 chairs. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 dumping seat to cart. Days' labor, 934.

Painters.

Painted: Penitentiary—5 soup tubs, 8 coffee tubs, 2 dash boards, 218 cell buckets, 5 ladders, 2 extension tables, 2 wagon wheels, 3 wheelbarrow frames, 2 meat boxes, 3 doors, 3 pair shafts, 2 posts, 8 chairs, 2 desks, 1 census board, 24 tubs, 10 barrels, 12 shutters, 19 wheels, 2 doors, 1 partition, 2 door frames, and all out and inside painting, calcimining, etc., on various buildings, 2 sashes, 2 coal carts, 2 boxes, 1 stepladder, 1 cart, 39 buckets, 1 bread-box, 1 iron screen door, painting, etc., Bible stand for Chapel, painting, lettering, etc., census board for Clerk's Office, general repairs in and about Prison, glazing, etc. Second District Prison—4 5-gallon tin cans. Fifth District Prison—2 chairs (varnished). Central Office—1 large document case, 2 tin boxes. Central Office Stables—Van No. 1 and 1 large bread wagon. Steamer "Minnahanonck"—2 iron coal carts, 6 wooden hand trucks. Steamer "W. L. Strong"—12 boat fenders. Glazed: Penitentiary—9 windows and all interior and exterior painting in and on the various buildings of the institution. Upholstered: Penitentiary—1 hair mattress for Warden's House. Workhouse—10 hair mattresses. Days' labor, 1,288.

Broom and Brushmakers.

Made: Storehouse—6 whisk brooms, 77 dozen brushes.

Shoemakers and Tailors.

Made: Storehouse—1,087 pairs shoes, 6 restraining belts. Repaired: Penitentiary—649 pairs shoes, 375 coats, 1,211 pants, 379 vests, 14 caps, 4 suits, 1 pair sneaks, 4 mats for office.

Cot Makers.

Made: Storehouse—127 cots. Repaired: Penitentiary—188 cots. Days' labor, 3,570.

Cutting Room.

Made: Workhouse—700 brown muslin sheets. City Prison—5 table cloths. Third District Prison—36 men's shirts, 12 women's petticoats—Fifth District Prison—24 men's shirts. Cut: Workhouse—1,000 chemises, 1,000 dresses, 1,000 women's petticoats, 500 men's winter pants, 100 men's winter coats. Cut and made: Penitentiary—10 pair men's pants, 300 pair men's mits, 50 pair men's pants, 200 pair men's shirts. City Prison—200 hand towels, 50 roller towels, 72 men's shirts, 72 pair men's pants. Third District Prison—12 women's petticoats. Fourth District Prison—12 women's petticoats. Fifth District Prison—100 pillow cases, 50 brown muslin sheets, 36 towels, 12 women's dresses, 12 chemises, 12 men's caps. Days' labor, 767.

Sewing Room.

Made: Penitentiary—48 dresses, 105 dish towels, 3 table covers, 6 blue-checked curtains, 34 pillow shams, 47 aprons, 25 pads for Male Hospital, 63 women's hoods, 63 pair women's drawers, 38 stand covers, 31 scrub aprons, 36 table napkins. Repaired: Penitentiary—72 canton flannel undershirts, 20 dresses, 8 petticoats, 1 apron, 1,224 men's shirts, 229 pillow ticks, 462 pair socks, 14 pair pants, 357 undershirts, 120 pillows, 2 bed spreads, 3 bed ticks, 1 kitchen apron, 167 men's pillows. Days' labor, 920.

Printing Bureau.

Number of impressions, 64,025. Days' labor, 73.

Stone Shed.

Cut: Penitentiary—2,779 feet rock-faced ashlar, 162 rock-faced corner-stone, 242 feet coping for New Mess Hall, 523 feet coping; employed during month of December preparing ground for new stone shed and keeping roads in repair. Days' labor, 9,348.

Coal Yard.

Unloading and hauling coal and ice at wharf and in the yard. Days' labor, 2,072.

Out-door Labor.

Men employed discharging cargoes, keeping roads in repair, etc. Days' labor, 1,207.

Summary of Days' Labor—Department of Correction.

Blacksmiths	1,898	Printing Bureau	73
Tinsmiths	1,270	Stone Shed	9,348
Carpenters	934	Coal Yard	2,072
Painters and Upholsterers	1,288	Out-door Labor	1,207
Cot, Broom, Brush and Shoe Makers and Tailors	767	Total	23,347
Sewing Room	920		

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Blacksmiths.

Made: Steamer "T. S. Brennan"—2 fire hoes, 2 slice bars, 2 stove poker. Steamer "Fidelity"—1 gangplank 13 feet 10 inches by 6 feet 6 inches with 2 shoes attached, 1 split or open link. Launch "Wickham"—1 ash pan. City Hospital—2 stone-breaking hammers. Randall's Island Asylums and Schools—6 pair ice tongs, 6 ice hooks, 6 steel-pointed pick axes. Repaired: Steamer "Fidelity"—2 gangplanks. Steamer "T. S. Brennan"—2 fire hoes, 2 iron wrenches. Launch "Wickham"—1 gangplank. Blackwell's Island Stables—1 single truck, 1 surrey, 1 covered wagon, 5 bearing chains, Carts Nos. 4, 6, 10 and 11. Metropolitan Hospital—1 hospital ambulance. Days' labor, 182.

Tinsmiths.

Made: Steamer "T. S. Brennan"—6 large pudding pans, 6 round pudding pans, 6 egg-shaped pans, 1 large teapot. Launch "Wickham"—2 one-quart oil cans, 1 one-gallon oil can. City Hospital—1 ice-box (lined), 24 mush cans, 20 joints, 6-inch; 10 joints, 5-inch; 10 joints, 4-inch; 1 stove-pipe, 24 tea cans, 1 ice-box lining, 24 dinner cans. Nurses' Home—2 meat bake pans, 1 crumb tray, 1 milk dipper, 6 soup ladles. Bellevue Hospital—24 dressing boxes, 48 bread boxes, 1 milk measure, 36 tin candle-sticks, 4 tin bake pans, 24 iron bake pans, 36 three-gallon tin cans, 24 two-quart sauce-pans, 3 one-gallon watering-can. Gouverneur Hospital—6 two-quart tin dippers, 6 tin funnels, 6 tin boxes, 6 tin bake pans. Randall's Asylums and Schools—1 meat box (lined), 24 iron bake pans, 200 feet 4-inch galvanized iron pipe. Fordham Hospital—3 one-quart tin measures, 6 one-pint tin measures. Metropolitan Hospital—6 three-quart coffee pots, 3 two-quart coffee pots, 2 three-quart tea pots. Male Training School—4 sheet-iron baking pans. Days' labor, 455.

Carpenters.

Made: Storehouse—525 adult coffins, 400 infants' coffins, 1 bread box. Blackwell's Island Stables—4 new cart shafts, 2 coal carts, 1 cart rung, 1 tail board. City Hospital—1 new ice box, 72 bed blocks, 2 wheels, 6 hammer handles. Steamer "T. S. Brennan"—4 shoes. Steamer "Fidelity"—1 gang plank with shoes. Repaired: Blackwell's Island Stables—2 carts, 1 truck. Metropolitan Hospital—4 wheels. Days' labor, 1,136.

Painters.

Painted: Randall's Island Asylums and Schools—24 long wood benches, 1 large meat box. Bellevue Hospital—24 dressing boxes, 24 bread boxes, 3 watering cans. City Hospital—1 large ice box, 24 dinner cans, 24 tea cans. Gouverneur Hospital—6 large tin boxes (japanned). Days' labor, 22.

Shoemakers.

Made: Storehouse—950 pair shoes. Days' labor, 1,503.

Cutting Room.

Made: Bellevue Hospital—1,200 brown muslin sheets, 168 women's chemises, 250 women's night gowns, 300 bleached muslin sheets. Metropolitan Hospital—300 brown muslin pillow cases, 300 brown muslin sheets, 150 men's shirts. City Hospital—300 brown muslin pillow cases. Storehouse—32 bleached muslin sheets. Cut: Almshouse—1,000 pillow cases, 866 chemises, 866 night gowns, 866 men's shirts, 2,000 brown muslin sheets. Incurable Hospital—100 men's muslin shirts, 83 Women's night gowns, 83 women's chemises. Bellevue Hospital—501 Roller towels, 316 brown muslin pillow cases, 300 brown muslin sheets, 50 child's drawers, 33 boy's ward shirts, 201 bleached sheets, 600 pillow cases. Days' labor, 1,038.

Printing Bureau.

Number of impressions, 231,400. Days' labor, 245.

Coal Yard.

Unloading and hauling coal and ice at wharf and in yard.
Days' labor, 1,969.

Out-door Labor.

Men employed discharging cargoes, keeping roads in repair, etc.
Days' labor, 2,603.

Summary of Days' Labor—Department of Charities.

Blacksmiths.....	182	Printing Bureau.....	245
Tinsmiths.....	455	Coal Yard.....	1,969
Carpenters.....	1,136	Out-door Labor.....	2,603
Painters and Upholsterers.....	22		
Broom, Brush and Shoe Makers.....	1,503	Total.....	9,153
Cutting Room.....	1,038		

JOHN J. FALLON, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
OFFICE OF WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
NEW YORK, January 18, 1899.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully report to you the amount of labor accomplished by the inmates of this institution during the quarter ending December 31, 1898.

Very respectfully,
JOHN M. FOX, Warden.

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Carpenters.

Made 1 new closet, 72 peels, 18 axe handles, 78 shovels, 2,825 tally sticks, 45 mops, 25 bread boxes, 1 feed box, 10 scrubbers, 2 doors, 2 tail boards, 3 cart bottoms, 2 sashes, 2 scuttle covers, 3 wardrobes. Put up 307 sash cords, 12 new locks. Repaired 41 meat boxes, 106 bread boxes, 186 buckets, 80 wheelbarrows, 26 meat wagons, 20 ox carts, 38 chairs and stools, 63 mess-room tables, 16 bread trucks, 22 windows. Filed 24 saws, 45 keys fitted, 56 locks repaired.

Made for Riker's Island—2 new boxes, 10 hammer handles, 16 sledge and pick handles, 1 new feed box. Put up 8 sash cords. Repaired 12 wheelbarrows, 4 windows, 4 doors, 2 boxes, 3 chairs.

Made for Hart's Island—10 new hammer handles, 5 pump handles, 3 plugs, 6 doors, 2 windows, 3 benches, 2 tables, 1 water closet. Put up 80 feet partition, 20 sash cords, 4 locks and knobs. Repaired 3 wheelbarrows.

Made for steamer "Minnahanonck"—1 wood grating, 2 new shoes, 1 new closet. Repaired 3 chairs, 2 doors, 1 gang plank, 2 shoes, 3 windows, 1 rudder box.

Made for steamer "Strong"—1 box, 1 bench. Repaired 2 gang planks, seats in cabin, 2 doors, 3 windows, 2 chairs.

Repaired for Central Office—3 windows, 1 closet, 2 desks, front door with springs, 1 iron gate, 3 locks, 4 new sash cords.

Repaired for Twenty-sixth Street Dock—Fence on dock, benches in pen, floors in "Minnahanonck's" room, 2 water closet seats, 2 doors, 5 windows, 3 door knobs. Put in 4 lights of glass, tearing down one boat house at Randall's Islands.

Tinsmiths.

Made 120 feet stove pipe, 75 elbows, 200 feet leader pipe, 1 large fish kettle, 6 large dish pans, 6 coffee pots, 6 large boilers, 6 bake-pans, 6 saucepans, 2 bread boxes, 12 dippers, 1 large coffee pot, 350 repairs for kitchen. Put up leader on Male and Female Prison, 6 large stoves. Repaired roof on Correction Store House, also Male and Female Prison and Blacksmith's shop. Tinning and repairing roof on dormitory at Hart's Island, also put up 4 stoves with pipe.

Made for Riker's Island—100 feet of pipe. Put up 4 stoves, and tinning shed. Made 3 large pans, 3 saucepans.

Engineers.

Repaired 4 extractors, 11 belts, 4 washing machines, 1 mangle, 2 basin cocks, 1 cooking kettle, 17 gas fixtures, 1 trap, 3 gas stoves, 1 bib, 2 couplings, 1 lubricator, 3 gauge cocks, 1 bath tub, 1 water closet, 63 steam leaks. Put in 2 valves, 4 gas fixtures, 2 gauge glasses, 6 new hangers. Cleaned out 13 waste pipes, 23 water closets, 28 gas pipes. Connected 3 radiators, 2 valves, and new steam pipes. Re-set 2 wash basins. Disconnected 3 radiators, 1 washing machine and 2 steam valves.

Blacksmiths.

Made: 42 drills, 9 plugs, 18 feathers, 6 slice bars, 5 hasps, 12 staples, 4 handles, 18 chisels, 5 tongues, 3 pokers, 5 hoes, 56 straps, 1 wrench, 4 hold-fasts, 26 hooks, 105 spike nails, 5 bands, 26 braces, 12 hinges, 8 plates. Repaired: 26 drills, 90 chisels, 6 wheelbarrows, 2 cleavers, 2 gridirons, 12 locks, 4 hinges, 48 pails, 28 picks, 68 cots, 5 sledge-hammers, 2 wedges, 2 tongues, 2 wrenches, 10 shovels, 4 hammers, 2 meat wagons, 3 coal wagons.

Painters.

Painting 160 cells in Female Prison, bath-room and clothes-room, Middle-house halls and floor, 2 rooms at Stables, 150 buckets, 6 wardrobes, 2 dozen boxes; also shed over row-boat. Put in 206 lights of glass.

Masons and Plasterers.

Pointed outside of Fire-house, and laid scaffold for same with cement 6,102 cubic feet; scraped walls of bath-room and pointed same with cement; cut openings through cellar walls under office. Repaired ceiling in front wing with plaster.

Cotmakers.

Put up 607 cot bottoms. Repaired 526 cots. Spliced 1,202 feet of rope.

Shoemakers.

Made 55 pairs men's shoes, 25 pairs women's shoes, 100 pairs canvas slippers. Repaired 700 pairs men's shoes.

Tailors.

Made 22 suits for Orderlies, 150 new pants for Workhouse. Repaired 1,925 pants for Workhouse, 1,350 vests for Workhouse, 1,545 coats for Workhouse, 850 suits of citizen's clothing. Bound 100 pair slippers.

Female Workhouse Help.

Made for Workhouse—200 petticoats, 100 chemises, 5 shirts, 867 towels.

Repaired 2,057 shirts, 1,605 dresses, 288 petticoats, 104 chemises, 294 socks, 185 sundries. Washed and laundered for Workhouse, City Prison and Steamboat Department, 162,357 pieces of clothing, bedding, etc.

Made for Department of Charities: Bellevue Hospital—43 wrappers, 1,375 sheets, 951 pillow cases, 1,208 towels. City Hospital—58 wrappers, 265 jackets, 4 pants. Metropolitan Hospital—121 men's jackets. Charity Storehouse—818 shrouds. Washed and laundered for Metropolitan Hospital and Fordham Hospital, 91,636 pieces of clothing, bedding, etc.

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BAKERY REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDING OCTOBER 1, 1898.

	DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.		DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.	
	Barrels.	Pounds.	Barrels.	Pounds.
Number of Barrels of flour on hand October 1, 1898.....	991	48	496	24
Received during quarter.....	2,870	93	1,435	47
Total.....	3,861	141	1,931	71
Consumed during quarter.....	3,038	120	1,519	60
Distributed during quarter.....	57	21	29	11
Total.....	3,095	141	1,549	71

The number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the institutions was—	Pounds.
Department of Charities.....	756,129
Department of Correction.....	418,687
Total.....	1,174,816

Report of Male Labor for Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.
Launch.....	490	Kitchen and Dining Room.....	3,617
Store-house.....	1,563	Buckets.....	1,967
Stables.....	2,679	Boiler-house.....	1,378
Bakery.....	3,815	Fire Department.....	364
Carpenters.....	1,481	Masons.....	1,137
Painters.....	839	Farm.....	1,254
Tinsmiths.....	464	In Hospital (sick).....	3,133
Blacksmiths.....	173	Labor Gangs.....	20,824
Cot Makers.....	192	Metropolitan Hospital.....	1,253
Barbers and Baths.....	631	Riker's Island.....	2,609
Shoemakers.....	807	Sundries.....	10,372
Tailors.....	734		
Cleaners.....	2,225	Total number of days' labor.....	64,031

Report of Female Labor for Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.
Sewing-rooms.....	3,289	Sundries.....	5,017
Laundry.....	6,306	Master Baker (residence).....	182
Scrubbers, baths, etc.....	2,636	Stable Keeper (residence).....	182
Messengers and Tiers.....	782	Almshouse (daily gang).....	3,567
Dining-room.....	1,205	Metropolitan Hospital.....	636
In Hospital (sick).....	2,785		
Kitchen and Dining-room.....	837	Total number of days' labor.....	27,424

Male and Female Labor Performed by Workhouse Prisoners at the following Institutions for Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

INSTITUTIONS.	NUMBER OF DAYS' LABOR.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
Bellevue Hospital.....	.....	3,470	3,470
Gouverneur Hospital.....	.....	80	80
City Hospital.....	2,064	243	2,307
Randall's Island Asylum.....	4,691	3,781	8,472
Infants' Hospital.....	.....	1,244	1,244
Harlem Hospital.....	.....	261	261
Metropolitan Hospital.....	.....	606	606
City Cemetery.....	2,634	364	2,998
First District Prison.....	3,511	326	3,837
Second District Prison.....	228	.....	228
Fourth District Prison.....	11	.....	11
Fifth District Prison.....	92	139	231
Seventh District Prison.....	32	.....	32
Steamboat Department.....	4,874	.....	4,874
Total.....	18,137	10,514	28,651

Number of Prisoners Remaining at Other Institutions December 31, 1898.

INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Bellevue Hospital.....	..	29	29
Gouverneur Hospital.....	..	1	1
City Hospital.....	38	3	41
Randall's Island Asylum.....	56	44	100
Infants' Hospital.....	..	14	14
Lunatic Asylum.....	7	7	14
Metropolitan Hospital.....	..	7	7
City Cemetery.....	26	4	30
First District Prison.....	30	..	30
Second District Prison.....	1	..	1
Fifth District Prison.....	1	..	1
Steamboat Department.....	62	..	62
Total.....	221	109	330

Census Report for Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

Remaining September 30, 1898.....	853
Admitted during quarter.....	4,078
Total.....	4,931

Discharged during quarter.....	1,950
Transferred.....	1,738
Died.....	20
Escaped.....	5
Total.....	3,713
Remaining December 31, 1898.....	1,218

Number of days' labor performed for the Manhattan State Hospital for the quarter ending December 31, 1898, 469 days.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, }
KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, }
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 31, 1898. }

QUARTERLY REPORT OF LABOR, OCTOBER 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1898.
Labor Report for Quarter ending December 31, 1898.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	No. DAYS.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	No. DAYS.
Blacksmiths.....	213	Masons and Stonecutters.....	293
Tinsmiths.....	275	Barbers, Druggists and Plumbers.....	714
Carpenters.....	474	Cook-house and bakery.....	1,524
Painters.....	427	Halls and kitchens.....	2,941
Brooms and brushes.....	2,174	Boiler-room and bath-house.....	1,032
Shoemakers.....	2,585	Stone-shed.....	4,027
Printing.....	428	Laundry.....	2,026
Tailor shop and cutting-room.....	1,697	At work in yard.....	5,165
Iron bedsteads.....	1,659	Department of Public Charities, Flatbush, } in digging foundation, storing coal, etc. }	651
Stockings.....	841		

Respectfully,
PATRICK HAYES, Warden.

KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., January 1, 1899. }

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

QUARTERLY REPORT OF LABOR AND GOODS MANUFACTURED FROM OCTOBER 1, 1898, TO
DECEMBER 31, 1898, IN THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

Iron Bedstead Industry.

106 iron bedsteads with woven wire springs and white enameled.
1,659 days' labor performed in Iron Bedstead Industry.

Shoe Industry.

	Pairs Made.
Men's brogan shoes.....	531
Women's shoes.....	1
Women's and men's slippers.....	2
Misses' shoes.....	60
Children's shoes.....	62
Boys' shoes.....	180
Babies' shoes.....	127
Total for quarter.....	963

2,585 days' labor for quarter in the Shoe Industry.

Stocking Industry.

	Dozen Pairs Made.
Men's stockings.....	42
Women's stockings.....	7 1/2
Children's stockings.....	18 1/2
Babies' stockings.....	10
Total for quarter.....	78

841 days' labor for quarter in the Stocking Industry.

Brush Industry.

	Dozen Made.
Oil-cloth brushes.....	2 1/2
Scrub brushes.....	81
Mane, Mexican grass.....	10 1/2
Hair clothes brushes.....	10 1/2
Dozen made in quarter.....	105 1/2

987 days' labor for quarter in Brush Industry.

Broom Industry.

	Dozen Made.
No. 8 corn brooms.....	100
No. 9 corn brooms.....	10
No. 6 corn brooms.....	12
Whisk brooms.....	23 1/2
Street brooms, African bass, 18-inch.....	25
Dozen made in quarter.....	170 1/2

1,187 days' labor for quarter in Broom Industry.

Tailor Shop.

Suits of clothes for discharged prisoners.....	75
Overcoats for discharged prisoners.....	51
Prison pants, pairs.....	250
Prison suits.....	75
Burlap pillow slips.....	200
Men's blue denim shirts.....	200
Burlap towels.....	400
Crash towels.....	300
Men's white unbleached shirts.....	100
New canvas cots.....	200

1,697 days' labor for quarter in Tailor Shop.

Printing Industry.

Diet lists in two colors.....	10,000
Ward census.....	10,000
Medical Staff examinations.....	5,000
Envelopes, size 6.....	21,500
Envelopes, size 12.....	2,000
Demijohn seals.....	2,000
Prescription blanks.....	2,000
Drug labels.....	55,000
Liquor slips.....	5,000
Distribution of liquors.....	5,000
Agreements to pay.....	500
Discharges.....	500

Examiner's reports.....	300
Orders.....	2,000
Extra dirt sheets.....	2,000
Medical treatment blanks.....	2,000
Hospital admission cards.....	1,000
Bed cards.....	15,000
Notices.....	500
Ambulance history blanks.....	15,000
Bedside notes.....	5,000
Laundry lists.....	10,000
Note sheets.....	5,000
Examination blanks.....	5,000
G. A. R. blanks.....	500
Letter-heads.....	500
Candidates' applications.....	1,000
Diagnosis blanks.....	2,000
Note-heads.....	1,000
Monthly requisitions.....	36
Daily requisitions.....	300
Meat receipts.....	300
Butter orders.....	500
Provision orders.....	500
Census blanks.....	500
Discharge passes.....	5,000
Daily ward reports.....	5,000
Transfer blanks.....	2,000
Pay orders.....	1,000
Dispensary cards.....	82,000
Days' labor for quarter in printing industry.....	428

Tin Shop.

300 ration cups; 300 ration pans; 4 1-gallon dippers; repairs to Cook House, 4 sheets galvanized iron; 1 ash-can, 1 1/2 sheets galvanized iron; 2 coffee boxes; 30 feet 6-inch galvanized-iron smoke-pipe, Tailor Shop; 1 new ventilator, 3 sheets galvanized iron; 1 box galvanized-iron for Kitchen; lining sinks, 2 sheets galvanized iron; 1 bread-box for Kitchen, 2 sheets galvanized iron; 2 3-gallon pails; 2 galvanized-iron trays for Engine room; 2 5-gallon tin cans, Hospital; 2 covers for food tubs; 1 steam tank; 1/2 dozen tier cans; 15 feet stovepipe, 8-inch, Photograph Gallery; 20 feet tin gutter, Stone Shed; 30 foot 5-inch galvanized-iron leader; 1 5-gallon sprinkling can; 133 feet 8-inch tin gutter on Storehouse; 18 feet 3-inch tin gutter on Storehouse; 1 flour scoop; 14 feet 4-inch tin leader for Storehouse; 1 large tin wash boiler; 155 feet 4-inch galvanized-iron leader for Annex; 12 feet Russia iron stovepipe, Photograph Gallery; 25 feet 4-inch leader for Stable; 250 square feet tin on roof of Old Hospital; 8 feet 4-inch leader; repaired, painted, etc., 75 buckets for Annex.
275 days' labor for quarter for Tin Shop.

Stone Shed.

Cubic yards stone broken.....	1,000
Days' labor for quarter in Stone Shed.....	4,027

Stone Masons and Stone Cutters.

Belgian blocks made.....	1,000
Large stone urns cut and set in front of Main Building on outside.....	2
Days' labor for the quarter.....	293

Carpenter Shop.

5 new window frames, 5 feet wide and 24 feet high, 4 sashes to each frame, made and placed in Long Term Prison.
7 more frames and sashes for same, complete, and ready to put in place; also work is under way upon 12 sets of 4 each, sash for Long Term Prison Windows.
7 frames, 5 feet wide and 7 feet high, with three sashes each, ready for Chapel Windows.
1 large bookcase, with 5 pair sliding sash doors, 12 feet high, 17 feet long, built in parlor of Main Building.
1 box, Photograph Gallery.
3 boxes for Roofers' Patterns.
1 oak tub, lined with galvanized iron, for sink Long Term Prison Yard.
Put in sky-light and ceiling, upper hall of Hospital.
Built stormshed, Long Term Prison, with 2 panel doors, 1 sash, 18 panels each.
New steps put on stairs leading to Shops.
Shelves placed in Kitchen.
3 dozen new oak wheels made for wheelbarrows.
4 dozen wheels repaired.
100 wheelbarrows repaired.
1 screen door for Kitchen.
1 screen sash for Kitchen.
Repaired gutters of Long and Short Term Prison Roof.
1 common table for Cookhouse, 4 by 10 by 22.
1 Heavy 3-inch oak table for Cookhouse, 4 by 10.
1 scuttle roof, Stable.
1 scuttle, roof Main Building.
4 small window frames for Bath-house.
1 closet for Storehouse.
474 days' labor for quarter in Carpenter Shop.

Painting.

1 coat paint on the following buildings :
All Shops, Hospital, Annex Prison, Cook-house, Bath-house, Bakery, Photograph Gallery, Iron Storehouse, Female Prison, Old Hospital Buildings, Stables, brick wall around Female Prison.
2 large brick chimneys.
All cornices, window frames, sashes and iron bars and storm-sheds of said buildings.
427 days' labor performed by Painters for quarter.

Paving and Flooring.

	Square Feet.
Paving (cobble).....	6,500
Cosmocrete floors—	
Sink-tub, yard, Long Term Prison.....	920
Storm-shed, Long Term Prison.....	88
Cook-house floor.....	800
Soup-house floor.....	100

Sewer pipe and water connection put in Potato Cellar or Old Hospital.

Flagging.

1,750 feet flagging, Rear Main Building.
80 feet coping, rebuilding area, Main Building.
300 feet flagging, rebuilding area, Main Building.
70 feet by 2 feet high, rebuilding area wall, Main Building.

Excavating.

Earth excavated on President street, 3,500 cubic yards.
Curbing set on President street, 300 feet.
Terrace, 10 feet wide 3 feet high, on President street, 700 feet.
Terrace, 10 feet wide, sodded, on President street, 70 feet.
Sidewalk, 6 feet wide 1 foot deep, the same filled with ashes and topped with fine gravel and graded 10 feet wide to gutter outside of said walk on President street, 700 feet.

Miscellaneous.

Covered stone shed with 6,500 square feet of second-hand tin from Prison roofs.
5,165 days' labor performed for quarter in paving, flooring, flagging, excavating and miscellaneous.

Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn—Flatbush.

Excavating for foundations, cellars, etc., for new buildings. Storing coal and sundry labor at Flatbush for Department of Public Charities, Brooklyn.
651 days' labor for quarter for Flatbush.

Respectfully submitted,
PATRICK HAYES, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending February 18, 1899.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'To the Credit of the City Treasury' and 'Sinking Funds'.

Bonds Issued.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Three Per Cent. Bonds'.

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Appropriation Accounts, "A"', 'Appropriation Accounts, "B"', and 'Additional Water Fund Accounts, "C"'.

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

Main table of court cases with columns: COURT, NAME OF PLAINTIFF, AMOUNT, NATURE OF SUIT, ATTORNEY.

Table of court cases with columns: COURT, NAME OF PLAINTIFF, AMOUNT, NATURE OF SUIT, ATTORNEY.

Claims Filed.

Main table of claims with columns: DATE, NAME OF CLAIMANT, AMOUNT, NATURE OF CLAIM, ATTORNEY.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 18, 1899.

Table of contracts with columns: No., DATE OF CONTRACT, DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH, NAMES OF CONTRACTORS, NAMES OF SURETIES, AMOUNT OF BOND, DESCRIPTION OF WORK, COST.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
898	Feb. 8, 1898	Correction	Brooklyn	John J. O'Rorke	Jno. C. McCarthy Z. T. Piercy	\$4,000 00	For furnishing and delivering groceries, viz.: 250 pounds barley, 1,600 pounds cheese, 20 pounds cinnamon, 10 pounds cloves, 25 boxes raisins, 20 pounds ginger, 7,500 pounds currant jelly, 5 pounds nutmegs, 10 pounds rolled oats, 25 bushels coarse salt, 35,000 pounds granulated sugar, 3,000 pounds powdered sugar, 150 dozen canned pears, 25 dozen Chili sauce, 12 dozen gelatine, 100 dozen papers thyme, 260 dozen lemons, 270 barrels No. 1 flour, 270 barrels No. 2 flour, 2,000 pounds plug tobacco, 8 bath-brick, 30 pounds indigo, 12 dozen Sapallo, for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn	\$5,198 94
899	Jan. 6, 1899	"	"	Hunter and Trimm Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering fresh fish, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, during the year, 1899	1,545 80
900	Feb. 3, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Chas. Alexander McCleary	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. American Surety Company of New York	800 00	For furnishing and delivering 13,000 pounds Rio coffee, 4,000 pounds Maracaibo coffee, for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	1,565 00
901	Jan. 27, "	Public Charities	Manhattan and The Bronx	Johnson & Johnson	American Surety Company of New York The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	12,000 00	For furnishing and delivering hospital supplies, viz.: 480 bales gauze, bleached absorbent, 3,000 pounds lintine, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	19,224 00
902	Feb. 4, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	George Merck	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	700 00	For furnishing and delivering hospital supplies, viz.: chemicals, drugs and pharmaceuticals, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the year 1899	1,809 34
903	" 8, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	John J. O'Rorke	Zachary T. Piercy Charles K. Sherwood	6,500 00	For furnishing and delivering groceries, viz.: 300 gallons vinegar cider, 200 sacks salt, 10 bushels salt (Turk's Island), 20 pounds saltpetre, 100 pounds snuff, 2,800 pounds plug tobacco, 100 pounds smoking tobacco, 800 pounds cheese, 50,000 pounds granulated sugar, 50 pounds candles, 100 pounds peaches, 500 pounds prunes, 300 dozen lemons, 20 boxes raisins, 50 pounds cho-olate, 10 boxes bath-brick, 1,000 barrels flour (spring wheat), 1,000 barrels flour (winter wheat), 10 pounds allspice, 10 pounds cloves, 15 pounds nutmeg, 300 pounds pepper, 20 pounds indigo, 15 pounds ground ginger, 15 dozen gelatine, 12 dozen olives, 20 dozen Chili sauce, 5 dozen salad dressing, 32 dozen Worcestershire sauce, 30 dozen chow chow, 30 dozen gherkins, 12 dozen olive oil, 10 dozen canned corn, 100 dozen canned peaches, 100 dozen canned pears, 60 dozen salmon, 12 dozen canned lobster, 60 dozen canned sardines, 50 dozen canned lima beans, 10 dozen canned plums, 50 dozen canned apricots, 6 dozen canned asparagus, 13 dozen canned oxtail soup, 150 pounds buckwheat, 2,000 pounds farina, 500 pounds hominy, 10,000 pounds rolled oats, 10,000 pounds pearl barley, 300 pounds starch, 270 pounds corn starch, 200 pounds tapioca, 200 pounds macaroni, for the Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	12,896 16

Opening of Proposals.

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

1899.

- February 14. For completing the abandoned contract for regulating, grading and setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in Webster avenue, from the southerly line of Mosholu parkway to the city line. For Department of Highways.
- February 15. For outlet sewer and overflow at Twenty-sixth street and North river, with alterations in Eleventh avenue, in Thirteenth street, and Eighth, Ninth, Tenth and Thirteenth avenues, and Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, etc. For Department of Sewers.
- February 15. For sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Lenox and Eighth avenues. For Department of Sewers.
- February 15. For alterations and improvements to sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Lexington and Park avenues. For Department of Sewers.
- February 16. For laying water-mains in Fort Washington, Crotona, Morningside, Jackson, Lafontaine, Fulton, Decatur, Hull, and Willow avenues, in Two Hundred and Fifth, One Hundred and Eighty-first, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Seventieth, One Hundred and Ninety-third, One Hundred and Seventy-third, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth, One Hundred and Fortieth street, and Barretto street, in Kingsbridge road, St. Nicholas terrace, German place and Spencer place. For Department of Water Supply.
- February 16. For materials and work required for reconstruction of Blissville Bridge crossing Newtown creek at Greenpoint avenue. For Department of Bridges.

Approval of Sureties.

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

1899.

- February 14. For groceries—For Department of Correction.
Thomas W. Powers, No. 111 Water street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 15. For groceries, etc.—For Department of Public Charities.
Arthur L. De Groff, No. 77 Beach street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- February 15. For light—For Department of Public Charities.
The United Electric Light and Power Company, No. 108 Fulton street, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- February 15. For groceries—For Department of Public Charities.
Robert F. Ferguson, No. 44 Lispenard street, Principal.
Edward Barnes, No. 155 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, } Sureties.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
- February 15. For matzoon—For Department of Public Charities.
Markar G. Daddirian, No. 73 Lexington avenue, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- February 15. For groceries—For Department of Public Charities.
Harry R. Hunter, No. 121 Hudson street, Principal.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, }
- February 15. For tea and coffee—For Department of Public Charities.
Charles A. McCleary, No. 103 Warren street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- February 15. For lumber—For Department of Public Charities.
David L. Youngs, Thirty-fifth street and First avenue, Principal.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, No. 253 Broadway, New York City, }
- February 15. For forage—For Department of Public Charities.
Theo. P. Huffman & Co., No. 650 West Thirty-fourth street, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }

1899.

- February 15. For plumbing in Bellevue Hospital—For Department of Public Charities.
Donovan Brothers, No. 101 East Seventy-ninth street, Principals.
John McQuade, No. 1328 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Peter McGinness, No. 1048 Park avenue, }
- February 15. For groceries—For Department of Public Charities.
Frank D. Cramer, foot of Forty-second street, Brooklyn, Principal.
Wm. F. Donovan, No. 562½ Clinton street, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
Chas. H. Hyde, No. 874 Park place, Brooklyn, }
- February 15. For coal—For the Department of Health.
H. G. Horner, No. 417 East Twenty-third street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 17. For forage—For Department of Correction.
Horace Ingersoll, No. 640 West Thirty-fourth street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 17. For groceries—For Department of Correction.
Chas. S. Pray, No. 110 Water street, Principal.
C. F. Nathung, No. 267 West Seventy-second street, } Sureties.
John Wilde, Nos. 9 and 11 Dutch street, }

Reinstated.

Benjamin F. Hardenburgh, General Clerk, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn, with compensation at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Official Designation.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 14 and 15, and from Thursday, February 16, to Saturday, February 18, 1899, both days inclusive.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending February 25, 1899.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the Credit of the City Treasury	\$2,336,413 58
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds	107,917 34
Total	\$2,444,330 92

Stock and Bonds Issued.

3½ Per Cent. Stock	\$1,000,000 00
3 Per Cent. Bonds	764,000 00
Total	\$1,764,000 00

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A"	\$1,613,106 71
Bond (Special and Trust) Accounts, "B"	867,756 31
Additional Water Fund Accounts, "C"	82,345 27
Total	\$2,563,208 29

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
			Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	
Supreme..	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company..	\$401 14		Wells & Andrews.
" ..	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company..	993 64		"
" ..	Frank A. Clute.....	193 25		Hunt & Ingle.
" ..	John Bowler.....	809 00		"
Supreme, Kings..	Mary A. Cloonan, } Administratrix..	681 06		J. A. Wernberg.
Supreme, Queens.	John W. Riehl.....	20 75		D. Noble.
" ..	William B. Groat ..	88 70		"
" ..	Bernard Mueller....	104 18		"
" ..	Joseph Stern.....	116 21		L. E. Salmon.
" ..	Alfred E. Miller....	141 71		"
" ..	Joseph Stern.....	143 71		"
" ..	The Newtown Gas Company.....	15,876 30		Bergen & Dykman.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.	COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Municipal Brooklyn.	Amsterdam Electric Light, Heat and Power Company.	\$181 51	Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	Sheehan & Collins.	Supreme.	The People ex rel. the Music Hall Company of New York, Limited, vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.		{ Certified copy order vacating assessment against property of relator.	Knevals & Perry.
Supreme.	Daniel D. Kennelly.	1,193 75		J. Poth.	"	The People ex rel. the Acme Electric Lamp Company vs. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.		{ Certified copies orders vacating assessments for 1898 against the personal property of relators.	Putney & Bishop.
"	Hugh McGuinness.	92 29		I. Carpenter.					
"	John D. Foley.	281 00		"					
"	James Weldon.	501 00		"					
"	William H. Peters.	600 18		"					
"	John Denny.	668 00		"					
"	Alvan T. Payne, assignee.	433 90		G. W. Stephens.					
"	Alvan T. Payne, assignee.	1,280 21		"					
Supreme, Queens.	Gustavus L. Stuebner.	480 71		A. T. Payne & Son.					
"	Francis McGee.	144 04		"					
"	Hugh M. Thomas.	145 70		"					
"	George E. Payne.	193 50		"					
"	Alfred H. Smith and another, executors.	70 00		"					
"	James N. New and another.	156 54		"					
"	James Kennedy, A. T. Payne, assignee.	438 82		"					
"	J. N. New and another.	357 02		"					
"	Fannie W. Woodruff.	395 31		"					
"	Long Island Star Publishing Company.	2,210 37		"					
"	William H. Wright.	410 48		"					
"	Mary E. Caplee, assignee.	98 15		"					
"	Mathew J. Goldner, assignee.	745 38		"					
"	Queens County Bank (23).	54,594 57		Greene & Johnson.					
"	Edward J. Ward.	27 99		"					
Supreme, Richmond.	Benjamin Brown.	474 61		M. L. Ryan					
Supreme, Kings.	Adolph A. Schumann.	113 68		T. P. Morgan.					
Supreme.	James E. Tuttle.	40 69		A. & C. Steckler.					
"	Richard Chartrand.	156 25		Hunt & Ingle.					
"	John Dwyer.	133 00		W. J. Walsh.					
Supreme, Richmond.	James T. Rourke.	6 00		J. Burke, Jr.					
"	Christopher Fauth.	6 00		"					
"	Edward Lawler.	74 75		"					
"	Isidor A. Letevre.	15 00		"					
"	Gottlieb Koerner.	20 00		"					
"	William H. Frier.	26 40		"					
"	David Gleason.	35 58		"					
"	Clarence S. Rowland.	42 00		"					
"	Patrick J. O'Leary.	50 00		"					
"	Joseph J. Dennis.	50 00		"					
"	John S. Duff.	87 00		"					
"	Thomas F. Quinlan.	92 50		"					
"	Elizabeth Worth.	105 00		"					
"	Patrick J. O'Leary.	127 56		"					
Supreme.	James E. Kelly.	200 00		F. W. Pollock.					
"	In matter of E. Ellery Anderson, Committee.		{ Certified copy order directing payment to petitioner of amount of award due in Elm street widening.	P. C. Anderson.	" 20	John J. Dempsey.	17 50	For payment for services rendered Department Public Charities as temporary visitor to poor.	J. H. Banton.
Supreme, Kings.	William Dick vs. City of New York.		{ Copy of findings in matter of lands belonging to plaintiff taken for East River Bridge.	Fisher & Voltz.	" 20			For refund of amounts paid for auctioneer's licenses, as follows:	H. Levor.
Supreme, Queens.	The Jamaica Savings Bank.	1,200 00	{ Summons and complaint. For payment of interest on bonds of Town of Jamaica.	Monfort & Faber.	" 20	Harry Oelkers.	100 00		"
Supreme, Kings.	Theodore Witte, Assignee.	66 66	{ For payment of amount of salary due to Assignor as draughtsman for General Improvement Commission of Long Island City.	T. Witte.	" 20	John C. Walmerding.	250 00		"
"	Charles E. Sanford.	125 67	{ Summons and complaint. For payment of rent, inspection and repairs to watchmen's registers in public buildings, Brooklyn.	H. Secor, Jr.	" 20	Joseph E. Donovan, assignee.	41 50	{ For payment of amount of warrants issued to assignor, as Constable, New Brighton, Staten Island.	J. Burke, Jr.
Supreme.	In matter of application of Abby Salisbury.	335 00	{ Certified copy peremptory writ of mandamus directing refund of amount of assessment for opening Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	T. H. Baldwin.	" 20	Yellow Pine Company.	52 80	For payment for materials furnished Brooklyn and Long Island City.	Burr, Coombs & Wilson.
"	In matter of application of William A. Whitbeck.	461 53	{ Certified copy peremptory writ of mandamus directing refund of amount of assessment for opening Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	"	" 21	The Long Island City Savings Bank.	212 50	{ For payment of interest on Long Island City Bonds.	"
Supreme, Appellate.	In matter of award for Parcel No. 104 in Public Park, Twelfth Ward.		{ Certified copy order directing payment to various persons.	W. Terriberry.	" 21	Mary C. Wright, assignee.	986 20	{ For payment for services rendered by Isaac C. Wright, deceased, as appraiser in matter of Croton Water Commission.	J. A. Lynch.
Supreme.	Thomas McKay vs. City of New York, H. Probst et al.		{ Copy order of discontinuance.	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.	" 21	Charles H. Rogers.	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.	Wallace & Smith.
"	Passaic Rolling Mill vs. City of New York, H. Probst et al.		{ Copy order of discontinuance.	Oudin & Oakley.	" 21	Charles Phillips.		For damage to property by cart of Street Cleaning Department.	"
Supreme, Queens.	Adrian Berkhoff, John Lopez, John Lopez.	6 00, 6 00, 11 28	{ Summonses and complaints. For payment for services rendered as Election Inspectors, etc., Town of Newtown, as follows:	J. J. Gleason.	" 21	Bernhard Rosenstock.	284 53	For refund of amount paid on account of assessment for paving Goerck street, from Grand to Third street.	W. H. Martin.
Supreme.	Frederick W. Meeker et al., assignees.	236 00	{ Summons and complaint. For payment for services performed by assignor for City of Brooklyn.	Eustis, Foster & Coleman.	" 21			For payment for services rendered as Sealers of Weights and Measures, as follows:	"
Supreme, Queens.	The People ex rel. James H. Quinlan vs. Edward Gilon, as Collector of Assessments and Arrears.		{ Notice of motion on March 4, 1899, for order directing defendant to receive five several certificates of indebtedness.	J. Fitch.	" 21	John M. Goddard.	80 00		"
Supreme.	In matter of opening the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.		{ Notice of motion on April 3, 1899, to confirm the fifth partial and separate report of the Commissioners in said matter.	J. Whalen, Corporation Counsel.	" 21	James T. Johnson.	80 00		"
"	In matter of application of Mary R. O'Sullivan.	122 50	{ Certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel No. 65 in proceedings to open Katonah avenue.	L. Campora.	" 21	George D. Weeks.	80 00		"
"	In matter of opening Ogden avenue, from Jerome avenue to Washington Bridge.		{ Notice of motion on April 3, 1899, to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.	J. Whalen, Corporation Counsel.	" 21	James Bower.	86 58		"
"	In matter of opening Grand avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.		{ Notice of motion on April 10, 1899, to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.	J. Whalen, Corporation Counsel.	" 21	George W. Bramm.	86 58		"
"	The People ex rel. Crawford & Co. (2 actions).	21,555 20	{ Copies writs of mandamus directing payment to relators of amounts due under contracts for regulating and paving Park place and Belmont avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.	" 21	James Tregarthen & Son.	807 32	{ For payment for extra work on steamer "Minnahanonck" of the Department of Correction.	Mooney & Shipman.
"	Charles Whann and another.	3,500 00	{ Certified copy of judgment.	J. H. Caldwell.	" 21	Bernard Barry.	200 00	For payment of difference in rates of wages as Mechanics in city departments, as follows:	I. Carpenter.
Supreme, Queens.	Charles H. Speth.	11 50	{ Summons and complaint. For payment for stationery, etc., delivered to Board of Assessors of Long Island City.	T. P. Burke.	" 21	Patrick Gavin.	402 50		"
Supreme, Kings.	Frederick Loeser & Co.	178 90	{ Summons and complaint. For payment for goods and materials furnished to Health Department of City of Brooklyn.	Lamb & Johnson.	" 21	Maurice Curtin.	412 50		"
Supreme.	Robert R. Sherwood.	126 76	{ Summons and complaint. For payment for expressage done for School District No. 1, Town of Westchester.	Langbein Brothers & Langbein.	" 21	John Saul.	737 25		"
					" 21	Edward A. Doan.	50 00		"
					" 21	The Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Company.	27,441 05	For payment for services rendered Department of Public Charities—Out-door Poor Department.	J. F. Couch.
					" 21	Edward Foggini.	18 85	{ For payments due on contracts for paving Fifth avenue and the Boulevard Lafayette.	"
					" 21			For payment for services rendered as Constable in Town of Northfield.	J. Burke, Jr.
					" 21	H. J. Ganbeaud.	3 00	For payment for services rendered City of Brooklyn, as follows:	W. L. Carey.
					" 21	J. P. Simpson.	3 00		"
					" 21	Edwin A. Hatch.	3 00		"
					" 21	John J. Sutton.	3 00		"
					" 21	E. C. Lock.	3 00		"
					" 21	Edward Blaise.	6 00		"
					" 21	Sylvester J. McNamara.	6 00		"
					" 21	J. P. McQuillan.	6 00		"
					" 21	Herbert C. Allen.	9 00		"
					" 21	Thomas Dixon.	12 00		"
					" 21	Edward Morgan.	12 00		"
					" 21	Robert J. Morrison.	15 00		"
					" 21	Heyden Starrett.	57 00		"
					" 21	C. L. G. Kerr, M. D.	63 00		"
					" 23	Sheppard & Kellett.	222 60	For payment for plumbing work done at Kingston Avenue Hospital.	M. Gru.
					" 23	Peter M. Morton.	276 00	For payment of difference in rates of wages as Painter on Brooklyn Bridge.	I. Carpenter.
					" 23	Bronx Borough Bank, assignee.	60 00	{ For payment for services rendered by assignor as Toolman in Department of Sewers.	C. P. Hallock, Martin & Weil.
					" 23	John Bochina.	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.	"
					" 23	Peter J. Sheridan.	167 84	For payment for services rendered in City Clerk's office, Long Island City.	"
					" 23	Joseph Cannon.	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries, as follows:	F. B. Fenwick.
					" 24	Patrick E. Leahy.	35 00		T. P. Burke.
					" 24	Chris. Pierce.	10 00		"
					" 24	Edward O. Slavin.	57 40		"
					" 24	Elizabeth Merrill.	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.	W. W. Moore.
					" 25	Joseph K. Wells, Assignee.	41 80	{ For payment of three warrants issued to assignor by Long Island City, for fuel delivered to various departments.	A. Campbell.
					" 25			For payment of difference in rates of wages as Mechanics in city departments, as follows:	"
					" 25	Charles P. Johnson.	36 22		I. Carpenter.
					" 25	George Carroll.	165 00		"
					" 25	William C. Hensel.	273 00		"
					" 25	Terance O'Neil.	300 00		"
					" 25	Jacob Kenner.	480 00		"
					" 25	Henry Becher.	1,200 00		"
					" 25	Maria Braunn.	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.	R. L. Pritchard.
					" 25	C. Frank Walden, Assignee.	852 80	{ For payment for goods, wares and merchandise delivered to the Brooklyn Disciplinary School.	J. E. Bullwinkel.
					" 25	John Cassidy.	55 00	For payment for services performed for City Clerk's office.	"
					" 25	John J. Cashman.	202 50	For payment for services rendered and materials furnished in City Hall and Hall of Records, Brooklyn.	D. F. Manning.
					" 25	Henry Worms.	32 28	For payment for returns of unpaid school taxes, Newtown.	P. Frank.

Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1899, Feb. 20			For payment of difference in rates of wages as Mechanics in various city departments, as follows:	
	William Harrington.	\$111 00		I. Carpenter.
	Thomas J. Leary.	408 00		"
	John McLarney.	420 00		"
	James Gallagher.	720 00		"
	Patrick O'Brien.	830 00		"
	James D. Crammins.	880 00		"
	Philip J. Higgins.	905 04		"
	Albert Tully.	1,414 00		"
	Frederick P. Marvin.	1,626 72		"
	David Doran.	2,835 60		"
" 20	John J. Dempsey.	17 50	For payment for services rendered Department Public Charities as temporary visitor to poor.	J. H. Banton.
" 20			For refund of amounts paid for auctioneer's licenses, as follows:	
	Harry Oelkers.	100 00		H. Levor.
	John C. Walmerding.	250 00		"
" 20	Joseph E. Donovan, assignee.	41 50	{ For payment of amount of warrants issued to assignor, as Constable, New Brighton, Staten Island.	J. Burke, Jr.
" 20	Yellow Pine Company.	52 80	For payment for materials furnished Brooklyn and Long Island City.	Burr, Coombs & Wilson.
" 21	The Long Island City Savings Bank.	212 50	{ For payment of interest on Long Island City Bonds.	"
" 21	Mary C. Wright, assignee.	986 20	{ For payment for services rendered by Isaac C. Wright, deceased, as appraiser in matter of Croton Water Commission.	J. A. Lynch.
" 21	Charles H. Rogers.	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.	Wallace & Smith.
" 21	Charles Phillips.		For damage to property by cart of Street Cleaning Department.	"
" 21	Bernhard Rosenstock.	284 53	For refund of amount paid on account of assessment for paving Goerck street, from Grand to Third street.	W. H. Martin.
" 21			For payment for services rendered as Sealers of Weights and Measures, as follows:	
	John M. Goddard.	80 00		"
	James T. Johnson.	80 00		"
	George D. Weeks.	80 00		"
	James Bower.	86 58		"
	George W. Bramm.	86 58		"
" 21	James Tregarthen & Son.	807 32	{ For payment for extra work on steamer "Minnahanonck" of the Department of Correction.	Mooney & Shipman.
" 21			For payment of difference in rates of wages as Mechanics in city departments, as follows:	
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" 21			For payment for services rendered City of Brooklyn, as follows:	W. L. Carey.
	H. J. Ganbeaud.	3 00		"
	J. P. Simpson.	3 00		"
	Edwin A. Hatch.	3 00		"
	John J. Sutton.	3 00		"
	E. C. Lock.	3 00		"
	Edward Blaise.	6 00		"
	Sylvester J. McNamara.	6 00		"
	J. P. McQuillan.	6 00		"

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 25, 1899.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
904	Feb. 1, 1899	Street Cleaning.....	Queens.....	Thomas Foley.....	.....	.....	For collecting and disposing of ashes, garbage and household refuse from that portion of the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, extending from Franklin street, former Village of Jamaica, to the easterly boundary of the Borough of Brooklyn, and including Jamaica, Richmond Hill and Woodhaven, and Union Course, from February 1 to February 28, 1899, inclusive.....	\$450 00
905	" 15, "	Correction.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Charles F. Mattlage.....	James A. Craig..... Frederick Akers.....	\$600 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies, viz.: 20 dozen canned sardines, 270 quintal codfish, 1,900 pounds lard, for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,061 31
906	Jan. 3, "	".....	Manhattan.....	Max. B. Engel.....	Morris Danbosky..... Edward J. Sparenberg.....	3,000 00	For furnishing and delivering poultry, viz.: 25,000 pounds turkeys and 35,000 pounds chickens for the year 1899, for the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	4,450 00
907	Feb. 15, "	Public Charities.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Horace Ingersoll.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	2,900 00	For furnishing and delivering forage, viz.: 9,400 bushels oats, 40 bags oil meal, 375,000 pounds timothy hay, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	5,673 37
908	" 11, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	John M. Hare.....	Simon M. Barker..... W. H. B. Totton.....	600 00	For furnishing and delivering 6,300 fresh eggs for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	1,102 50
909	Jan. 30, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Flatbush Water Works Company.....	Jeremiah Lott..... Henry D. Lott.....	5,000 00	For supplying water to the Department of Public Charities for hospital and almshouse at Flatbush, from January 1, 1899, to January 1, 1900. Per each 100 cubic feet of water, \$0.7 1/2.....	.....
910	Feb. 6, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	The Hildebrand Baking Company.....	August Schacht..... John Haller.....	2,400 00	For furnishing and delivering 90,000 loaves bread, 2,800 dozen rolls, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	4,156 00
911	" 2, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	United States Trading Company.....	American Surety Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering hospital supplies, viz.: Pill boxes, bottles, surgical supplies, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	3,674 65
912	" 10, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	George C. McKesson.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	2,400 00	For furnishing and delivering hospital supplies, No. 1, viz.: Chemicals, drugs, pharmaceuticals and surgical supplies, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, during the year 1899.....	4,747 82
913	" 11, "	Parks.....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Buffalo Pitts Company.....	American Surety Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	3,500 00	For furnishing and delivering one 12-ton steam roller, 10 road sprinkling carts, and 6 dump carts for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.....	6,170 00
914	" 9, "	Fire.....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Anson Ferguson and Culver Ferguson, composing the firm of A. & C. Ferguson.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. American Surety Company of New York.....	4,000 00	For furnishing and delivering forage, viz.: 400,000 pounds No. 1 hay, 125,000 pounds rye straw, 375,000 pounds No. 2 white clipped oats, 45,000 pounds bran, for the Fire Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens (per 100 pounds).....	8,512 50
915	" 15, "	Public Charities.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Pettit & Reed.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	12,500 00	For furnishing and delivering 134,000 pounds butter for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	24,622 50
916	" 16, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	C. A. Bloomingdale.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	800 00	For furnishing and delivering 510 bags coarse meal and 800 barrels parsnips for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,527 70
917	" 16, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	William G. Ross and Patrick F. Keany and William F. Hull, composing the firm of Ross & Keany.....	John A. Casey..... The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,200 00	For furnishing and delivering 60 barrels pure rye whiskey for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	4,762 50
918	" 17, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Flatbush Gas Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	4,000 00	For supplying electric lights and gas light for institutions at Flatbush, under Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn.....	5,260 00
919	" 16, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Patrick McDermott.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	500 00	For furnishing and delivering forage, viz.: 2,000 bushels No. 2 white oats, 5 bags coarse meal, 60 bags fine feed (60 pounds each), 60 bags fine feed (40 pounds each), 50,000 pounds hay, 4,000 pounds cut hay.....	1,000 20
920	" 14, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Michael F. Marlborough, Wm. A. Marlborough, composing the firm of M. Marlborough's Sons.....	Charles D. Ruive..... John H. Ruive.....	1,300 00	For furnishing one coach and one brougham for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	1,673 00
921	" 14, "	Correction.....	Brooklyn.....	Schwarzschild and Sulzberger Company.....	Jonas Weil..... Lawrence McCormick.....	7,000 00	For furnishing and delivering all the meats required for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1899, viz.: 200,000 pounds beef, 20,000 pounds mutton.....	8,294 00
922	" 14, "	".....	Manhattan.....	Schwarzschild and Sulzberger Company.....	Jonas Weil..... Lawrence McCormick.....	20,000 00	For furnishing all the meats required for the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1899, viz.: 750,000 pounds beef, 150,000 pounds mutton, 4,000 pounds veal.....	62,525 00
923	" 16, "	Health.....	".....	H. G. Homer.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	1,200 00	For furnishing and delivering 500 tons of white ash coal for the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals.....	1,845 00
924	" 2, "	Public Charities.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	J. Ellwood Lee Company.....	American Surety Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	3,800 00	For furnishing and delivering hospital supplies for the Department of Public Charities, Manhattan and The Bronx.....	9,120 62
925	" 16, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Frank D. Creamer.....	Charles H. Hyde..... William F. Donovan.....	1,100 00	For furnishing and delivering building material, viz.: 50,000 hard brick, 50 barrels Rosendale cement, 50 barrels common lime, 50 barrels Rockland finishing lime, 750 barrels Portland cement, 12 barrels plaster paris, 1,000 fire brick, 5 bushels goats' hair, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	2,169 35

Opening of Proposals.

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

- 1899.
- February 20. For furnishing lumber, drugs, miscellaneous articles, gas, electric-lights, and for telephone service—For the Department of Correction.
- February 20. For the destruction and banishment of roaches and water bugs from the institutions of this Department, for the year 1899, and for furnishing groceries, dry-goods, etc., and for materials and work for overhauling steamer "Fidelity"—For the Department of Public Charities.
- February 21. For furnishing sand, cement, gravel, and for cleaning and painting complete the ironwork and woodwork of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—For the Department of Highways.
- February 23. For furnishing coal—For the Fire Department.
- February 23. For furnishing coal—For the Department of Health.
- February 23. For furnishing park settees, limestone, screenings, garden mould, steam roller, wagons, carts, cedar-wood, rustic fences, and for laying sod—For the Department of Parks.

Approval of Sureties.

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

- 1899.
- February 21. For groceries—Department of Public Charities.
Charles F. Mattlage, No. 335 Greenwich street, Principal.
George Gennerich, No. 62 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street,
James A. Craig, No. 314 West Thirtieth street, } Sureties.
- February 21. For groceries—Department of Public Charities.
Charles S. Pray, No. 110 Water street, Principal.
C. F. Naething, No. 267 West Seventy-second street,
John Wilde, Nos. 9 and 11 Dutch street, } Sureties.
- February 21. For groceries—Department of Public Charities.
Armour & Co., Chicago, Ill., Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.

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- February 21. For coal—Department of Public Charities.
H. G. Homer, No. 417 East Twenty-third street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.
- February 21. For white lead—Department of Public Charities.
Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, No. 68 Murray street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.
- February 21. For groceries—Department of Public Charities.
Julius A. Zibell, No. 273 Water street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- February 21. For outlet sewer and overflow at foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river, and alterations of sewers in Twenty-sixth street, between Eighth and Thirtieth streets; and in Eleventh avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Thirtieth streets; in Thirteenth avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, etc.—Department of Sewers.
William J. Moore, No. 306 East Ninety-first street, Principal.
John McQuade, No. 1328 Lexington avenue,
Peter McGinness, No. 1048 Park avenue, } Sureties.
- February 21. For stationery, etc.—Board of City Record.
United States Trading Company, No. 258 Greenwich street, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- February 21. For furnishing electric light—Department of Correction.
The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York, No. 57 Duane street, Principals.
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City,
No. 253 Broadway, New York City,
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.
- February 21. For supplying gas—Department of Correction.
New Amsterdam Gas Company, No. 340 Third avenue, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.

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- February 21. For supplying gas—Department of Correction.
New Amsterdam Gas Company, No. 340 Third avenue, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 21. For supplying gas—Department of Correction.
Consolidated Gas Company of New York, No. 4 Irving place, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 21. For reconstructing Blissville bridge—Department of Bridges.
The Degnon & McLean Construction Company, No. 1 Broadway, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway,
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }
- February 23. For blacksmith's materials—Department of Parks.
Ruive Bros., Nos. 796 and 798 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn, Principals.
Michael F. Marlborough, No. 467 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
William A. Marlborough, No. 812 Pacific street, Brooklyn, }
- February 25. For sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Lenox and Eighth avenues—Department of Sewers.
William F. Cunningham, No. 312 East Eighty-fourth street, Principal.
John A. McCarthy, No. 243 West Seventieth street, } Sureties.
Michael Regan, No. 80 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, }
- February 25. For coal—Department of Sewers.
Rudolph Reimer, No. 124 Williams avenue, Brooklyn, Principal.
Frederick D. Hart, No. 235 Chestnut avenue, Brooklyn, } Sureties.
George W. Palmer, No. 533 Glenmore avenue, Brooklyn, }
- February 25. For stationery—Board of City Record.
Jordan Stationery Company, No. 21 Cedar street, Principals.
Edward E. McCall, No. 218 West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, } Sureties.
Thomas Cleary, No. 58 Cedar street, }

Official Designation.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller, on Thursday, February 23, and on February 24 and 25, 1899.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

The Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York met at the office of the Board, No. 346 Broadway, on Wednesday, March 15, 1899, at 2 o'clock P.M., pursuant to notice.

The roll was called and the following members were present and answered to their names: The Commissioner of Water Supply, the Commissioner of Highways, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning (Deputy Commissioner Gibson), the Commissioner of Sewers, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, the Commissioner of Bridges, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the President of the Board.

The minutes of the meeting of March 1, 1899, were approved.

The following report from the Commissioner of Highways was read and filed and the Secretary directed to notify the Board of Aldermen:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of a letter dated the 6th instant, from the Secretary of the Board, transmitting to me, for investigation and report, an ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, providing that the carriageway of Forty-ninth street, from the westerly side of Eleventh avenue to the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river, Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with granite-block pavement on concrete foundation.

In reply, I beg to report that a contract for repaving that part of Forty-ninth street with granite blocks on concrete foundation was executed December 30, 1898, and the work will be ordered on as soon as the weather is favorable.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan was read:
NEW YORK CITY, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held March 13, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that as much of Twelfth avenue as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street be paved.

Respectfully,
JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

(Copy.)
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, March 3, 1899.

Hon. JAMES J. COOGAN, *President, Borough of Manhattan:*

DEAR SIR—The Department of Docks and Ferries urgently requests this Department to have so much of Twelfth avenue, as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street, paved as early as possible, in order to afford convenient access to the Recreation Pier in course of construction, at the foot of West Fiftieth street.

This is a most necessary improvement. For granite-block pavement on concrete foundation, the estimated cost is \$1,965, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$74,700.

Will you please bring this matter before the Local Board of the district for prompt action, pursuant to section 393 of the City Charter, and greatly oblige
Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was thereupon adopted:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of so much of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue, as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

And the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly: Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of so much of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue as is within the lines of West Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioners of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the

last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars.

The resolution providing for the construction of sewers in Huron street, Provost street, etc., Borough of Brooklyn, laid over at the meeting of March 1, 1899 (Minutes, pages 388-389), and the following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn was brought up for consideration:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 13, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—I have been requested by a number of the property-owners on whose property assessments would be levied for the construction of sewers in Huron and other streets, for further hearing before the Local Board. The construction of these sewers was recommended to your Board by the Local Board of the Seventh District on January 14 (see Minutes of January 25, pages 142 and 143), and came up before your Board for action on March 1, on which date the matter was laid over on motion of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. I now request that the matter be referred back to the Local Board of the Seventh District for further consideration.

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The Commissioner of Bridges stated that there were quite a number of people present from the Borough of Brooklyn who were interested in this matter, and he thought they should be heard.

The Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies offered the following:

Resolved, That the request of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, set forth in the above communication, be granted and the matter referred back for the further consideration of the Local Board.

The Commissioner of Sewers then moved to lay this resolution on the table, which was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges—3.

Negative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Board—4.

The resolution submitted by the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies was then adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Board—5.

Negative—Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges—2.

The following communications from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn were referred to the Commissioner of Water Supply:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 14, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 10, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that water-mains be laid in Seventieth street, and in Seventy-first street, between Eighteenth avenue and Nineteenth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.”

Attached is copy of petition.

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 14, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 10, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that water-mains be laid in Twelfth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-fifth streets, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.”

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 14, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 10, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that water-mains be laid in Eightieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.”

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan was referred to the Commissioner of Highways:

NEW YORK CITY, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held March 13, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the proper Department be directed to proceed to repair the sidewalk on the north side of Seventy-first street, between West End avenue and the Hudson river, and place the same in proper condition. Adopted.

Respectfully,
JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx was referred to the Chief Topographical Engineer:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-second District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That this Board hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements the establishment of grades, etc., of Eastern Boulevard, Westchester avenue and White Plains avenue (all east of the Bronx river), and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx was referred to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of the Schnorer Club, submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, gas-lamps placed thereon, lighted and maintained in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Third avenue and Westchester avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The following communications from the President of the Borough of The Bronx were referred to the Commissioner of Highways:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, *President, Board of Public Improvements:*

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that

the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue, be repaved with asphalt blocks; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Estate of Hugh N. Camp, Fred. E. Camp, executor, and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvement that Perot street, between Boston avenue and Sedgwick avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Henry F. Osborne and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, between Arthur avenue and Southern Boulevard only, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of G. W. Niles, by W. W. Niles, Jr., and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, that Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 2, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Messrs. Case and Farley and others, duly advertised and submitted the 2d day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Daniel Mapes, William H. Booth and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that West Farms road, from Westchester avenue to Tremont avenue (One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street), be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway be paved with Telford macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Olin J. Stephens and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Edgewater road, from Westchester avenue to West Farms road, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway be paved with Telford macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx was referred to the Commissioner of Sewers:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Marie Eichler, by John Heintz and others, duly advertised and submitted the 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer be constructed in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The following communications from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn were referred to the Chief Topographical Engineer:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 11, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 9, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open East Ninety-second street, between Denton avenue and the Bulkhead, in the Borough of Brooklyn.”

Attached is copy of petition.
Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 11, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 9, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to open Denton avenue, between East Ninety-first street and Rockaway avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.”

Attached is copy of petition.
Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
February 18, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on February 16, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 16th day of February, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the portion of the old road known as Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street between Third avenue and the Shore road, be closed.”

Attached is
1. Copy of petition.
2. Map showing location of Bennett's lane and Seventy-ninth street, between Third avenue and the Shore road. (Under separate cover.)

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn was referred to the Commissioner of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 11, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 9, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

“Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 9th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Newkirk avenue with asphalt, between Flatbush avenue and East Twenty-sixth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done.”

Attached is copy of report from the Department of Highways and copy of petition.
Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The following communication from the Board of Aldermen was referred to the Commissioner of Highways:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
CITY HALL, March 9, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—In obedience to the direction of the Board of Aldermen, I transmit herewith the inclosed matter, No. 2321, presented at the stated meeting held Tuesday, March 7, 1899, and duly referred to the Board of Public Improvements.

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

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, MARCH 7, 1899.

(No. 2321.)

By Alderman Kenney—

AN ORDINANCE to repave the carriageway of Hoyt street, from Atlantic avenue southerly to Fifth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with granite block pavement.

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

Section 1. That the carriageway of Hoyt street, from Atlantic avenue south to Fifth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with granite block pavement on concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Board of Public Improvements.

The following petition for water-main on Highland avenue, Borough of Queens, was referred to the Commissioner of Water Supply:

To the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York:

The undersigned, owners of real estate in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens, respectfully petition your Honorable Board to direct that the 6-inch water-main on Highland avenue be extended eastward from its terminus to the northeast corner of Highland and Bergen avenues, a distance of, say, four hundred and fifty-seven (457) feet, and that one (1) fire-hydrant be erected thereon, in accordance with contract dated April 6, 1897.

H. A. VAN ALLEN and twenty-two others.

The following reports from the Commissioner of Highways were read and the matters were laid over:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—I beg to report on the accompanying resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that the roadway of Mott avenue, from the north side of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street to the south side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, be paved with asphalt on concrete foundation, said resolution being embodied in a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx which was transmitted to this Department, with a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements under date of September 15, 1898:

Title to Mott avenue has been acquired by the city, and it is now under contract to be regulated and graded. A sewer has been laid south of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and north of One Hundred and Fifty-third street there is a contract for sewer construction. These contracts will probably be completed early next summer, and it is necessary to lay a good pavement on the roadway. I therefore recommend that the proposed improvement, which is payable by assessment, be authorized. The estimated cost is \$77,000, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$974,435.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—On October 14, 1898, the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements transmitted to this Department, for investigation and report, copy of a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, embodying a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District of said borough, recommending that the roadway of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue, be paved with granite blocks.

In reply, I have the honor to report that the proposed improvement is necessary, and I recommend that it be authorized.

The estimated cost is \$7,000, to be paid for by assessment on the abutting and benefited property. The assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$209,300.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—On the accompanying resolution, adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-

first District, Borough of The Bronx, October 27, 1898, recommending that the roadway of Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, be asphalted, which resolution was transmitted to me with a communication, dated November 4, from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, I beg to report as follows:

That this is a necessary improvement and I recommend that it be made. The estimated cost is \$4,500 payable by assessment. The assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$143,500.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—On February 6 the Secretary of the Board transmitted to this Department, for investigation and report, an ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, providing that the carriageway of Twenty-first street, from Second avenue to the East river, and of Twenty-second street, from First avenue to the East river, Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt on the present pavement.

In reply, I beg to report that the carriageway of Twenty-first street, from 30 feet east of First avenue to a point about 778.2 feet east of the east house-line of Avenue A, is within the limits of grants of land under water. The paving with asphalt of this section of the street is payable by assessment. The estimated cost is \$15,600, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$549,000.

From Second avenue to a point about 30 feet east of the east house-line of First avenue—that is, to the aforesaid point of grants of land under water—the paving of Twenty-first street is estimated to cost \$8,000, chargeable to the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, 1899.

Twenty-second street, from a point about 120 feet east of the east house-line of First avenue to a point 585.7 feet east of the east house-line of Avenue A, is within the limits of grants of land under water, and is payable by assessment. The estimated cost of paving this part of Twenty-second street with asphalt is \$12,000, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$238,000.

From First avenue to a point about 120 feet east of the east house-line of said avenue, Twenty-second street is not within the limits of grants of land under water. The estimated cost of repaving this section of the street is \$1,450, to be charged to the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, 1899.

I recommend that action in these matters be postponed until funds are available to pay for the improvements.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that the roadway of Freeman street, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to the Southern Boulevard, be paved with asphalt on concrete foundation, said resolution having been transmitted to this Department with a letter dated November 11, 1898, from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, I beg to report that title to Freeman street has been acquired by the city, and the roadway has been graded and sewers placed therein. The grade is easy, and an asphalt pavement is desirable. I therefore recommend that the improvement specified in the resolution of the Local Board be carried out.

The estimated cost is \$23,000, payable by assessment, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$231,200.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—Acknowledging receipt of a letter, dated the 6th instant, from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, I beg to submit the following report on the accompanying ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, providing that the carriageway of James street, from New Bowery to Madison street, Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt on the present pavement:

This is a desirable improvement, but at present there are no funds to pay the estimated cost of \$1,450, chargeable to the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, 1899.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—Referring to a communication dated the 14th ultimo, from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, transmitting to this Department for investigation and report, a copy of a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twentieth District, Borough of Manhattan, recommending that the proper department be directed to proceed to flag, where necessary, the east side of Third avenue, south half, between Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets, I beg to report that while there are two courses of flagging, in fair condition, making a width of eight feet, on the part of the sidewalk covered by the resolution, in rainy weather the unflagged part of the sidewalk between the inner line of the flagging and the house-line, retains water and is impassable, rendering it necessary to flag the sidewalk the full width, which would be a marked improvement. I therefore recommend that this be done.

The estimated cost of the work, commencing on the east side of Third avenue at Ninety-eighth street, and extending north about 100 feet, is \$250, payable by assessment, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$31,500.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—Reporting on the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, and transmitted to this Department by the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, under date of November 11, 1898, recommending that East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof and crosswalks laid where necessary, I beg to say that it is very necessary to regulate and grade East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

A sewer has been constructed in the street, and the manholes stand above the present surface, making travel on the roadway both difficult and dangerous. I recommend that the regulating and grading of the street, as provided in the resolution of the Local Board, be authorized, at an estimated cost of \$4,200, payable by assessment on the abutting and benefited property. The assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$31,500.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to report on the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, recommending that One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Manhattan street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement and street lamps placed thereon, said resolution having been transmitted to this Department with a communication dated the 14th ultimo from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements:

Upon investigation I find that it is necessary to pave that part of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and I recommend that it be done in accordance with the resolution of the Local Board.

The estimated cost of the work is \$4,350, payable by assessment. The assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$138,000.

The part of the resolution of the Local Board with reference to street lamps should be referred to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—With a letter dated November 11, 1898, from the Secretary of the Board, I received for investigation and report, a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Third avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the center thereof, and crosswalks laid where necessary.

Title to this street is vested in the city. There is an elevated railroad station at the Third avenue end, and many houses have been erected. It is necessary to regulate and grade the street, and I recommend that the improvement be authorized. The estimated cost is \$5,000, payable by assessment, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$81,000.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—On the 14th ultimo the Secretary of the Board transmitted to this Department for investigation and report a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Thirteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, recommending that Seventh avenue, from Fifteenth street to the intersection of Greenwich avenue and West Eleventh street, be repaved with asphalt.

I have had an examination made and beg to report that this is a desirable improvement, but at present no funds are available to meet the estimated cost of \$18,500.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following report from the Commissioner of Sewers was read and the matter was laid over:

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 267 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 15, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—As requested by a communication from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, dated March 6, relative to the construction of a sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Fort Washington avenue to Eleventh avenue; thence along Eleventh avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-first street.

This improvement is necessary, and I recommend that it be made. The estimated cost is \$19,000. The assessed value of property within the probable area of assessment is \$589,100.

Yours respectfully,
JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

The following report from the Commissioner of Highways was read and placed on file:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the letter of February 20, from the Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, transmitting to this department for investigation and report, two resolutions adopted by the Local Board of the Fifteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, recommending that the asphalt pavement in front of No. 45 West Fifty-seventh street, and in front of Nos. 16 and 21 East Twenty-first street, be repaired, I beg to say that the necessary repairs to the pavement at these locations have been made.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board at the meeting of March 8, fixing a hearing for March 15, in the matter of the petition of the trustees of Columbia College, and others, to have the city at large bear two-thirds of the assessment for the widening and extending of West One Hundred and Twentieth street, the matter was called up and the hearing opened.

The following gentlemen were then heard on behalf of property-owners, in favor of the said petition:

Mr. T. H. Baldwin, representing the trustees of Columbia College, Lucy Wharton Drexel and others.

John C. Shaw, Esq., representing Miss Mary E. Pitkin.
Mr. Mulqueen, representing the Central National Bank, John J. Gibbons and others.
The Mori Haven Company, by its attorney, Henry H. Sherman.

Mr. McBride, one of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this matter, then explained at length to the Board the reasons which influenced the Commission in fixing the assessments, and he was followed by Mr. Coughlin, another of the Commissioners. Both Commissioners stated that in their opinion some portion of the expense should be borne by the city at large, and intimated that 30 or 33½ per cent., including the 10 per cent. already assessed upon the city, would be about a fair proportion.

On the motion of the Commissioner of Sewers, the following resolution was then unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the matter be laid over for one week, for final action by the Board, without further hearing.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 13, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements, referring for report communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, recommending the opening of Church avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Brooklyn avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, I wish to say that a proceeding for opening the said Church avenue was initiated by the officials of the former city of Brooklyn prior to January 1, 1898, and was discontinued by the Board of Public Improvements at its meeting held March 1, 1899.

The Local Board of the Eighth District of the Borough of Brooklyn, at its meeting held February 9, 1899, adopted a resolution requesting that new proceedings be initiated for the opening of Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Brooklyn avenue, and I recommend that the same be approved after the old proceeding has been discontinued.

Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Brooklyn avenue, is shown on the map of Flatbush, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Town of Flatbush November 18, 1874. There are buildings within the lines.

The papers in the matter are herein returned.

Respectfully,
LOUIS A. RISSE,
Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

Thereupon the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 970 and 990 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Church avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Brooklyn avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, should be acquired by The City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

"Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the President of the Board of Public Improvements, that there are buildings upon the land, that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Church avenues between Flatbush avenue and Brooklyn avenue.

"Resolved, That this Board directs that upon a date to be hereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to such street or avenue, that the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Church avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Brooklyn avenue, so required, shall be vested in The City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Corporation Counsel to make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of The City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Church avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Brooklyn avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President, Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 14, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements, referring for report a communication of the President of the Borough of Queens, recommending that Rapelje avenue, from Thomson avenue to Riker avenue, be legally opened, I have to state that Rapelje avenue is shown on the Commissioner's Map of Long Island City, filed April 25, 1873, and that the recommendation can be approved. There are buildings upon the land to be acquired.

The paper in the matter is herewith returned.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

And the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 970 and 990 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Rapelje avenue, from Thomson avenue to Riker avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, should be acquired by The City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the President of the Board of Public Improvements, that there are buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Rapelje avenue, from Thomson avenue to Riker avenue.

Resolved, That this Board directs that, upon a date to be hereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to such street or avenue, that the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Rapelje avenue, from Thomson avenue to Riker avenue, so required, shall be vested in The City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Corporation Counsel to make application to a special term of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of The City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Rapelje avenue, from Thomson avenue to Riker avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Queens and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 13, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements referring for report a resolution of the Local Board of the Borough of Queens requesting the legal opening, grading, curbing and flagging of Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, between Wilson avenue and Flushing avenue, I have to state that "Oakley street" is shown on the Commissioners' map of Long Island City, filed April 25, 1873, and that there is no record that title to said street is vested in the city. I recommend therefore that a proceeding be initiated for acquiring title to "Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue." There are buildings upon the land. The papers in the matter are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

The following resolution was thereupon adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 970 and 990 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, should be acquired by The City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the President of the Board of Public Improvements, that there are buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon a date to be hereafter more fully specified, not less than six months after the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to such street or avenue, that the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue, so required, shall be vested in The City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Corporation Counsel to make application to a special term of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of The City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Seventeenth avenue, otherwise known as Oakley street, from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Borough of Queens and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 13, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements referring for report resolution of the Local Board of the Fifth District of the Borough of Brooklyn, recommending that proceedings be initiated for the opening of Silliman place, between Second avenue and Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, I have to state that Silliman place is shown on the map of the former Town of New Utrecht and that I do not see any objection against the approval of the resolution. There are no buildings within the lines.

The papers in the matter are herein returned.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

Thereupon the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 970 and 990 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Silliman place, between Second avenue and Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, should be acquired by The City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the President of the Board of Public Improvements, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Silliman place, between Second avenue and Third avenue.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street or avenue, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Silliman place, between Second avenue and Third avenue, so required, shall be vested in The City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Corporation Counsel to make application to a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of The City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Silliman place, between Second avenue and Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx was read :

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 10, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 9, 1899, viz. :

Resolved, That on recommendation of Chief Engineer of the Board of Public Improvements, submitted 9th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated for acquiring title for the opening and extending Undercliff avenue, where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897, and in accordance with sketch dated February 6, 1899, appended hereto, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

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

The matter above referred to having been recommended by the Chief Topographical Engineer (see Minutes, February 8, 1899, page 225), the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 970 and 990 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deems it for the public interest that the title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Undercliff avenue, where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897, should be acquired by The City of New York at a fixed or specified time.

Resolved, That it appears to this Board, from the surveys made and information furnished to it by the President of the Board of Public Improvements, that there are no buildings upon the lands that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending said Undercliff avenue, where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897.

Resolved, That this Board directs that upon the date of the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment who may be appointed by the Supreme Court in proceedings for the acquisition of title to said street or avenue, the title to any piece or parcel of land lying within the lines of such Undercliff avenue, where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897, so required, shall be vested in The City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby requests the Corporation Counsel to make application to a special term of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, and to take the necessary proceedings, in the name of The City of New York, to acquire title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the use of the public, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments that shall or may be required for the purpose of opening and extending Undercliff avenue, where the same adjoins Boscobel place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897.

Resolved, That the entire cost and expense of said proceedings shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following communication from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 14, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—I transmit herewith, for adoption and for a public hearing, a map entitled "Map and profile showing change of grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of north house-line of Maple avenue to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York," with a technical description, in triplicate, of the same.

I return two (2) maps showing Bay street, which were submitted by the Commissioner of Highways.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

Thereupon the following resolution was unanimously adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house-line of Maple avenue to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, more particularly described as follows :

- 1st. Beginning at a point distant 50 feet northerly from the northern house-line of Maple avenue, the elevation to be 5.5 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore ;
2d. Thence to a point 300 feet southerly, the elevation to be 3.5 feet above mean high-water line ;
3d. Thence to a point 100 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.0 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore ;
4th. Thence to a point 350 feet southerly, the elevation to be 5.6 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore ;
5th. Thence to a point 290 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.3 feet above mean high-water line ;
6th. Thence to a point 160 feet southerly, the elevation to be 7.7 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

All grades refer to the mean high-water line as is established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That the President of this Board cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change of grades of the above-named street, and the location of the immediate adjacent or intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 5th day of April, 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 street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 10, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements referring for report a communication of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in relation to a change of lines of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place at the division line between the City of Brooklyn and the former Town of Flatbush, I have to state that this change will make Prospect avenue a continuous avenue, and should be approved.

A survey of the locality was made because the existing maps did not give sufficient information about the location of streets in the vicinity of the division line between Brooklyn and Flatbush, and a map or plan, which is herewith submitted, was prepared for the purpose of giving a public hearing in the matter. The map is entitled, "Map or plan showing proposed change of lines of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn," and the technical description for the advertisement in the CITY RECORD should state that "Prospect avenue at Eleventh avenue is proposed to be connected with Prospect avenue at Terrace place by curved line, in order to make the avenue continuous and to remedy the present faulty laying-out, by which the lines of Prospect avenue at the division line do not meet."

The papers and map in the matter made by Mr. S. H. McElroy are herewith returned.
Respectfully,
LOUIS A. RISSE,
Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

And the following resolution was unanimously adopted :

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: Prospect avenue at Eleventh avenue to be connected with Prospect avenue at Terrace place by curved line, in order to make the avenue continuous, and to remedy the present faulty laying-out, by which the lines of Prospect avenue at the division line do not meet.

Resolved, That the President of this Board cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans, for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change of lines of the above-named avenue and the location of the immediate adjacent or intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 5th day of April, 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 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 and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read, and the matter was referred back for further consideration of the Local Board :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
MARCH 10, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements, referring for report a resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that Cottage place be laid out, from East One Hundred and Seventieth street to Crotona Park, South, and that title to the same be acquired by the city, I have to report as follows :

Cottage place was laid out on a map entitled "Section Map of Lots 77 and 78 in the Village of Morrisania, Westchester County," filed in the Register's office at White Plains, May 15, 1867. The street is only 30 feet wide and was not put on any of the maps filed by the different authorities.

The petition of F. E. Brinkworth, requesting the regulating of Cottage place, probably means that it shall be regulated at the present width. This I wish to oppose, and recommend that the width be increased to 50 feet on the east side. A map showing the proposed widening is herewith submitted with the recommendation that the same, with the original petition of F. E. Brinkworth, be transmitted to the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of giving a hearing to all interested in the matter.

The papers in the matter are herewith returned.
Respectfully,
LOUIS A. RISSE,
Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read, and the matter was referred to the Local Board for further consideration :

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 15, 1899.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements, inclosing copy of a communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, recommending that the "line of Pennsylvania avenue, between New Lots avenue and Vandalia avenue, be changed so as to conform with the lines of the street as they were laid down on the Commissioner's Map of The City of Brooklyn prior to November 9, 1896," with the original plan showing the proposed change, I have to state as follows :

Pennsylvania avenue, as it is at the present time, on the ground northerly of New Lots road, is 100 feet in width. From there to Vandalia avenue it is laid out 80 feet wide, and forms a continuous road. The petitioners request that Pennsylvania avenue be placed in the same location where it was prior to November 9, 1896, which would reduce the said avenue to a width of 80 feet, and make considerable offset or break in the line of the avenue at New Lots road.

The change was requested to afford a better lay-out of the lots south of New Lots road, but is injurious to the alignment of the avenue, and the reduction in width from 80 feet to 60 feet is not advisable, because there are few wide streets in that section of the Borough of Brooklyn, and because Pennsylvania avenue is open for travel 100 feet from New Lots road to its junction with Bushwick avenue and Jamaica avenue.

I have prepared, however, and submit herewith, a map which I consider an improvement over the proposed change, and comes near the wish of the petitioners, by shifting the said Pennsylvania avenue to the proposed location easterly, widening it to 80 feet, and extending the eastern line of Pennsylvania avenue, from New Lots road northerly, until it intersects Pennsylvania avenue, as laid out northerly of New Lots road.

I would recommend, however, that this new suggestion be referred back to the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn before action is taken by the Board of Public Improvements.

The papers and the map in this matter are herein returned.
Respectfully,
LOUIS A. RISSE,
Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

The following communication from the Commissioner of Bridges was read :

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

SIR—By an oversight, the resolutions introduced by me at a meeting of the Board held on the first of March inst., relating to the construction of bridges over Newtown creek, omitted the word "approaches," and to avoid any possible contention, I respectfully propose the annexed resolutions, embodying the approaches to said bridges, as a substitute for the resolutions mentioned.

Respectfully,
JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

The following resolutions were thereupon adopted :

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at its regular meeting March 1, 1899, for the construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, at Grand street, Borough of Brooklyn, be amended to read as follows :

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, from Grand street

in the Borough of Brooklyn to Grand street in the Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, in accordance with the plans submitted by the Commissioner of Bridges, and under his direction, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from funds to be provided for by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, President of the Borough of Queens, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.
Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at its regular meeting, March 1, 1899, for the construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn to Vernon avenue in the Borough of Queens, be amended to read as follows :

"Resolved by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn to Vernon avenue in the Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, under the direction of the Commissioner of Bridges, and in accordance with plans submitted by him, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from funds to be provided by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, President of the Borough of Queens, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.
The following communication from the Commissioners of Sewers was read, and the matter was referred back for the further consideration of the Local Board :

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 265 AND 267 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 15, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—Herewith enclosed find the estimated cost for constructing a sewer in Seventy-ninth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue, and in Fifth avenue, from Ovington avenue to Seventy-ninth street, in Seventy-fifth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue, with the assessed valuation of the probable area of assessment for the said improvement.

Yours respectfully,
JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—OFFICE OF DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
March 15, 1899.

Hon. JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers :

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your order of March 10, 1899, to furnish the estimated cost and the assessed valuation of property to be benefited in the matter of constructing sewer in Seventy-ninth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue, and in Fifth avenue, from Ovington avenue to Seventy-ninth street, and in Seventy-fifth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue, the following report herewith attached of the Chief Engineer is respectfully submitted in answer thereto.

Yours respectfully
WM. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers.

OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER—DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
March 15, 1899.

Hon. WM. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers :

DEAR SIR—Referring to the construction of sewers in Seventy-ninth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue; Seventy-fifth street, from New York Bay to Fort Hamilton avenue; in Fifth avenue, from Ovington avenue to Seventy-ninth street, the following report is respectfully submitted, in compliance with your order and the order of the Commissioner of Sewers under date of March 10, 1899.

I attach sketch for clearness in description of that which follows :
In order to build the sewers within the limits of the recommendation of the Local Board of Improvements of February 25, 1899, it will become necessary to construct sewers in Sixth avenue; between Seventy-ninth street and Seventy-seventh street; in Seventy-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; in Fourth avenue (west side), between Seventy-fifth street and Seventy-ninth street; in Second avenue, between Seventy-fifth street and Seventy-ninth street, and in Narrows avenue and Bay Ridge avenue, between Seventy-fifth street and Seventy-first street, to conform with the adopted sewerage plan.

The following estimated cost and assessed valuation within the probable area of assessment, as near as it can be ascertained, is here respectfully submitted :

Table with 3 columns: Description, Estimated Cost, Assessed Value. Rows include Main sewers in Map 'V', Main sewers in Map 'U', and Lateral sewers in various streets.

I believe that the following streets will have to be legally opened to construct this work :
Sixth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Seventy-ninth streets.
Seventy-seventh street, between Sixth and Fifth avenues.
Narrows avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-fifth streets.

Recommendation is respectfully made that they be legally opened, and that the construction of the sewers may be duly authorized.

Very respectfully,
H. R. ASSERSON, Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.

The following communication from the Commissioner of Highways was read :
CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—Under date of February 23, 1899, Mr. James Flanigan addressed a communication to me requesting the cancellation of eighty-five days' overtime charged against him under his contract for regulating and grading One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road. The contractor's claim for remission of the overtime is made on the ground that he was unable to continue his work from April 28, 1898, to about September 14, 1898, because payments were not made to him when due on account of the suspension of payments from the Street Improvement Fund pending a decision of the question of the city's debt limit having been exceeded. Our Inspector's record of the time on the contract agrees with Contractor Flanigan's statement.

On March 8 I communicated these facts to the Comptroller, advising him that there are other similar cases in which remission of overtime is claimed, and requesting his advice as to what action this Department ought to take on Mr. Flanigan's and other similar applications for cancellation of overtime on contracts.

To my communication of March 8, the Comptroller replied on the 10th instant. I quote from his letter as follows :

"Mr. Flanigan's statement is substantially correct, and I hereby certify to you that, acting under the powers conferred upon the Comptroller by section 149 of the Charter, I am prepared to compromise and settle mutual claims existing between Mr. Flanigan and the city on the following basis : That if Mr. Flanigan will release all claims against the city arising by reason of the city's failure to make payments to him on his contract when due, the city will release its claim against Mr. Flanigan for the overtime."

"I assume from the conversations I have had with you that this settlement will meet with the approval of yourself and of the Board of Public Improvements. Before formally entering into the same, however, I would like to have the Board of Public Improvements recommend such settlement by resolution."

Acting on the suggestion of the Comptroller, I respectfully recommend that the Board of Public Improvements authorize the cancellation of the eighty-five days' overtime on Mr. James Flanigan's contract for regulating and grading One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, on condition that he will release the city from all claims arising by reason of failure to make payments to him on his contract when due.

I also recommend that the cancellation of overtime be authorized in the following similar cases and on the same condition as specified in the foregoing recommendation:

- Contract of J. C. Rodgers, for paving Jerome avenue, Section 1; overtime, 19 days;
Contract of Thilemann & Smith, for paving Jerome avenue, Section 2; overtime, 80 1/2 days;
Contract of W. F. Murray, for regulating, etc., Marcher avenue, from Jerome avenue to Featherbed lane; overtime, 21 1/4 days;
Contract of James Leeson, for regulating, grading, etc., Plimpton avenue, from Orchard to Boscobel avenue; overtime, 158 3/4 days;
Contract of T. J. McLaughlin, for regulating, grading, etc., St. Joseph street; overtime, 100 days;
Contract of C. W. Collins, for regulating, grading, etc., Home street, from Intervale avenue to Westchester avenue; overtime, 27 1/4 days;
Contract of John Connell, for regulating, grading, etc., Crotona Park, North, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; overtime, 58 days.

Very respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for eighty-five days' overtime on contract of James Flanigan, contractor, for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, Borough of Manhattan, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for nineteen days' overtime on contract of J. C. Rodgers, contractor, for paving Jerome avenue, Section 1, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for eighty and one-half days' overtime on contract of Thileman & Smith, contractors for paving Jerome avenue, Section 2, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that they execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to them on their contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for twenty-one and one-fourth days' overtime on contract of W. F. Murray, contractor, for regulating, etc., Marcher avenue, from Jerome avenue to Featherbed lane, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for one hundred and fifty-eight and three-quarter days' overtime on contract of James Leeson, contractor, for regulating, grading, etc., Plimpton avenue, from Orchard to Boscobel avenue, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he executes a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payment to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for one hundred days' overtime on contract of T. J. McLaughlin, contractor, for regulating, grading, etc., St. Joseph street, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for twenty-seven and one-quarter days' overtime on contract of C. W. Collins, contractor, for regulating, grading, etc., Home street, from Intervale avenue to Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That the Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to remit the penalty for fifty-eight days' overtime on contract of John Connell, contractor, for regulating, grading, etc., Crotona Park, North, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, on the condition that he execute a release to the city from all claims arising by reason of failure of the city to make payments to him on his contract when due.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following report from the Chief Topographical Engineer was read:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
March 13, 1899.

MR. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—In reply to the action taken by the Board of Public Improvements, inclosing, for report, a communication from the Commissioner of Sewers recommending that permission be granted to Mr. James Burke to construct a private sewer in Prospect place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, I have to state as follows:

Prospect place is a regularly laid out street in the Borough of Brooklyn; the sewer plan for that section is made, and there seems to be no objection against approving the recommendation of the Commissioner of Sewers, in accordance with section 560 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

The papers and the book, with plan, specifications, etc., of the sewer, are herein returned.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concurrence.

And the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 560, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, authority be and is hereby given to the Commissioner of Sewers to issue a permit to James Burke to construct a private sewer in Prospect place, between Utica avenue and Schenectady avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following report from the Engineer of Street Openings was read:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NO. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 13, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—The petition of Virginia L. Egbert and others, accompanied by plans and specifications, for the construction of sewers in East Sixteenth street, East Seventeenth street and East Nineteenth street, between Avenue C and Beverly road, Avenue B, Twenty-ninth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn. The sewers to be built at the cost of the owners of the property on said streets, etc. Referred to me at the meeting of the Board held on the 8th instant.

I have compared the plans proposed with the original sewerage plan, Map T, District No. 40, now on file in this office, and find them correct.

Respectfully,

JOS. O. B. WEBSTER, Engineer of Street Openings.

Thereupon the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The plans and specifications submitted by the Commissioner of Sewers for the construction of sewers in East Sixteenth street, East Seventeenth street and East Nineteenth street, between Avenue C and Beverly road, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, are in accordance with the filed sewer plan, Map T, District No. 40, of said Borough; now, be it

Resolved, That the plans and specifications submitted by the Commissioner of Sewers for private sewers in East Sixteenth street, East Seventeenth street and East Nineteenth street, between Avenue C and Beverly road, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, be and are hereby approved; and be it also

Resolved, That authority be and is hereby given to the Commissioner of Sewers to issue permits under such proper rules and conditions as he may impose for the connecting of these sewers with the main sewer in Avenue C.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

The following resolutions, covering improvements recommended by Local Boards of the various boroughs at different times during the past year, and laid over on account of calling for the issue of assessment bonds, were adopted:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from the existing sewer in West Farms road to Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In connection with the foregoing resolution, the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York as follows: That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy seventh street, from the existing sewer in West Farms road to Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars." (Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 404.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer-basin at the northeast corner of Avenue N and Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over February 20, 1899; Minutes, page 358.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Kirkside avenue (Morris avenue), from Kingsbridge road north to Park View terrace, and in Wellesley street, from Jerome avenue east to Creston avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is seventeen thousand dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In connection with the foregoing resolution, the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Kirkside avenue (Morris avenue), from Kingsbridge road north to Park View terrace, and in Wellesley street, from Jerome avenue east to Creston avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is seventeen thousand dollars." (Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 405.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Sheffield avenue, between Livonia avenue and Belmont avenue, and in Sutter avenue, between Pennsylvania avenue and Georgia avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the placing of sewer basins where necessary along the line of sewer construction, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is five thousand one hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In pursuance of this resolution the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Sheffield avenue, between Livonia avenue and Belmont avenue, and in Sutter avenue, between Pennsylvania avenue and Georgia avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the placing of sewer basins where necessary along the line of sewer construction, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed

value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is five thousand one hundred dollars."

(Laid over February 1, 1899; Minutes, page 164.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Washington avenue to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is three thousand dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In accordance with this resolution, the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Washington avenue to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is three thousand dollars."

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 405.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the constructing of a sewer on both sides of Tremont avenue about one hundred and twenty-one feet west of Anthony avenue, to the Concourse; and in Monroe avenue, from Tremont avenue to Mount Hope place, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is nine thousand seven hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In connection with the foregoing resolution, the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the constructing of a sewer on both sides of Tremont avenue, about one hundred and twenty-one feet west of Anthony avenue to the Concourse; and in Monroe avenue, from Tremont avenue to Mount Hope place, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is nine thousand seven hundred dollars."

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 405.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewers and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from the existing sewer in Southern Boulevard to Belmont avenue, and in Clinton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Crotona Park, North, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty-three thousand dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

In connection with this resolution, the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewers and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from the existing sewer in Southern Boulevard to Belmont avenue, and in Clinton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Crotona Park, North, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty-three thousand dollars."

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 405.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the south side of Kosciusko street, between Lewis avenue and Stuyvesant avenue, known as Lot No. 84, Block 27, Twenty-first Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over November 2, 1898; Minutes, page 973.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalks opposite the lots lying on the north side of Twenty-first street, between Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, known as Lots Nos. 9 to 18, inclusive, Nos. 28, 29, 70 to 79, inclusive, Nos. 84 and 86, Block 113, Twenty-second Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is eight hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over December 28, 1898; Minutes, page 1358.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk on the east side of Miller avenue, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, in front of Lot No. 1, Block 301, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and fifteen dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over December 28, 1898; Minutes, page 1362.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk on the northwest corner of Fulton street and Miller avenue, in front of Lots Nos. 25 and 26, Block 297, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is two hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over December 28, 1898; Minutes, page 1363.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the southeast corner of Cook street and Evergreen avenue, known as Lot No. 1, Block 180, Eighteenth Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and sixty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over November 2, 1898; Minutes, pages 991, 992.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the north side of Huron street, between Manhattan avenue and Franklin street, known as Lots Nos. 53 to 57, inclusive, Block 48, Seventeenth Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and forty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over November 16, 1898, page 1033; February 1, 1899; Minutes, page 191.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the south side of Second street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, known as Lots Nos. 21 to 26, inclusive, Block 40, Twenty-second Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and twenty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over October 26, 1898; Minutes, pages 913 and 914.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Steuben street, between Park avenue and Myrtle avenue, known as Lots Nos. 17 and 18, Block 10, Seventh Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is fifty-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over October 12, 1898; Minutes, pages 864 and 865.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the reflagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Carroll and First streets, known as Lots Nos. 5, 6 and 7, Block 277, Tenth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is four hundred and sixty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over September 21, 1898; Minutes, page 759.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the south side of Palmetto street, between Central avenue and Hamburg avenue, known as Lots Nos. 18 and 19, Block 51, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is fifty-eight dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over January 11, 1899; Minutes, page 34.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk on the east side of Knickerbocker avenue, between Melrose street and Flushing avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in front of Lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, Block 80, Twenty-seventh Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and forty-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, pages 406 and 407.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the north side of Baltic street, between Nevins and Bond streets, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 41, Block 261, Tenth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over, March 8, 1899; Minutes, page 437.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Central avenue, between Grove and Linden streets, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lots Nos. 33 to 40, Block 33, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and

approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is five hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 8, 1899; Minutes, pages 437 and 438.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the north side of Decatur street, between Howard avenue and Saratoga avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 21, Block 76, Twenty-fifth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is forty-six dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 8, 1899; Minutes, page 438.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the south side of Linden street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue, known as Lots Nos. 94 and 119, Block 34, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President Borough of Brooklyn, and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 407.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk on the south side of Harman street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, in front of Lots Nos. 8 and 9, Block 86, Twenty-eighth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is sixty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 408.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the south side of Kosciusko street, between Bedford avenue and Nostrand avenue, known as Lot No. 80, Block 101, Twenty-first Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is twenty-nine dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over February 15, 1899; Minutes, page 292.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite lot on northwest corner Classon avenue and St. Mark's avenue, known as Lot No. 50, Block 38, Ninth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five (5) feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is two hundred and fifty-two dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over January 18, 1899; Minutes, pages 85 and 86.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot on the northwest corner of Bogart street and Thames street, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 9, Block 189, Eighteenth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and forty-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 407.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot on the southwest corner of Barbey street and Liberty avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 8, Block 349, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and twenty-three dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 406.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot on the northwest corner of Bushwick avenue and DeKalb avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 55, Block 18, Twenty-seventh Ward Map, with bluestone flagging, five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is two hundred and forty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over March 1, 1899; Minutes, page 406.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the south side of Greene avenue, between St. Nicholas avenue and Wyckoff avenue, and on the west side of St. Nicholas avenue, between Greene avenue and Bleeker street, known as Lot No. 46, Block 106, Twenty-eighth Ward Map of the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and sixty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over January 11, 1899; Minutes, pages 35 and 36.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Patchen avenue, between Macon and Halsey streets, known as Lots No. 140 and No. 141, Block 12, Twenty-fifth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is forty-six dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over January 11, 1899; Minutes, page 37.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the east side of Miller avenue, between Jamaica avenue and Arlington avenue, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 19, Block 264, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging five feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is two hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over December 28, 1898; Minutes, page 1362.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the west side of Euclid avenue, between Ridgewood avenue and Fulton street, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 2, Block 505, Twenty-sixth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five (5) feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and seventeen dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over August 10, 1898; Minutes, page 650.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the north side of Starr street, between Knickerbocker avenue and Hamburg avenue, known as Lots Nos. 32 to 37, inclusive, Nos. 42 and 43, Block 74, Twenty-seventh Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five (5) feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is three hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over August 10, 1898; Minutes, page 651.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging of the sidewalk opposite the lots lying on the south side of Chauncy street, between Reid avenue and Patchen avenue, known as Lots Nos. 52A and 53, Block 17, Twenty-fifth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn, with bluestone flagging, five (5) feet in width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty-seven dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over July 27, 1898; Minutes, page 609.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the sidewalks in front of Nos. 18, 20 and 22 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be flagged full width where not already done, and that all the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset where necessary, and that new flagging and curb be furnished, laid and set where present flagging and curb are defective, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over October 21, 1898; Minutes, pages 881 and 882.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairs to the sidewalk in front of No. 259 West Seventy-first street, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby are authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is thirty-six dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over August 10, 1898; Minutes, page 652.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairs to the sidewalk at No. 54 Avenue D, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby are authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is fifty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over August 10, 1898; Minutes, page 652.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a crosswalk, to consist of two courses of bridge-stone, with paving blocks between, across the south side of the Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and the flagging of the sidewalks on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the Boulevard, Borough of Manhattan, eight feet wide where not already done, the laying and relaying, the setting and resetting, where necessary, of all the flagging and curb now on the sidewalk, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is two hundred and ninety-five dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over November 30, 1898; Minutes, page 1141.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the flagging and setting of curbstones where necessary, and the furnishing, laying and setting of new flagging and curbstones where the present flagging and curbstones are defective, of the sidewalk on the north side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and fifty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over December 14, 1898; Minutes, page 1290.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairing of the sidewalk on the southwest corner of the Boulevard and One Hundred and Eighth street, extending one hundred (100) feet on the street and one hundred (100) feet on the avenue, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is four hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over February 15, 1899; Minutes, page 293.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairing of the sidewalk on the east side of St. Nicholas, avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is four hundred and fifty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over February 15, 1899; Minutes, page 293.)

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repairing of the sidewalks in front of Nos. 56, 58 and 60 East Eighty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is one hundred and fifty dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board.

Negative—None.

(Laid over February 20, 1899; Minutes, page 346.)

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan was read:

NEW YORK CITY, March 14, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held March 14, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan approves the recommendation of the Commissioner of Sewers that a sewer be constructed in East Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

(Copy.)

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS, March 13, 1899.

Hon. JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan:

DEAR SIR—In the matter of sewerage of Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river, I beg leave to say that there is no sewer in this block, and the houses now erected have some other method of draining besides that of the public sewer.

I therefore recommend that the construction of a public sewer be undertaken in that street, and that the Board of Local Improvements be requested to take action thereon.

The estimated cost of the sewer is \$3,500; the assessed value of real estate within the probable area of assessment, \$713,500.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

Thereupon the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewer in Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is three thousand five hundred dollars.

Affirmative—Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Commissioner of Bridges, President of the Borough of Manhattan and President of the Board.

Negative—None.

And the following form of ordinance was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly:

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 15th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of sewer in East Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment. The estimated cost of the said work is three thousand five hundred dollars."

The following preamble and resolutions were submitted by the President of the Borough of Queens, and the matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion:

Whereas, In the matter of "Peter C. Hendrickson, appellant, vs. The City of New York, impleaded with others, appellant, and the Jamaica Electric Light Company, respondent," which was a taxpayer's action brought to annul a contract alleged to have been entered into on the 17th day of December, 1897, between the Town of Jamaica and the Jamaica Electric Light Company, for furnishing electric lights to a designated lighting district in that town for a period of ten years from the date of the contract; and

Whereas, In a decision recently rendered thereon, in which all the Judges composing the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the Second Judicial Department, State of New York, concurred; and

Whereas, In said decision the following appears, to wit:

"We can find no manifestation in the Greater New York Charter of any intention on the part of its framers to empower existing municipalities which should be included in the consolidation to exercise legislative authority, or enter into contracts which should have no effect whatever until the Greater New York came into existence." "The contract in question could by no possibility be of any benefit to the Town of Jamaica or the people of the lighting district to which it related while Jamaica remained a town. The contract could have no practical effect on the Town of Jamaica until after that town should be comprised within the consolidated city; and its only effect thereafter, if valid, would be to restrict and limit the powers of the municipal authorities of the Greater New York for a period of ten years after consolidation, and impose upon the city the obligations of paying for such lighting at a rate fixed by the Town Board. A municipal corporation just about to merge its individuality into another and larger corporate entity may not make a contract from which it can derive no benefit during its independent existence.

"It is perfectly plain that in the fortnight which elapsed between the execution of the contract in question and the termination of the existence of Jamaica as a town, no benefit whatever could accrue or did accrue to the lighting district.

"The whole undertaking was prospective and could have no effective operation until after consolidation.

"It was an effort on the part of the Town Board to do that which, we think, they possessed no authority to do under well established principles of public policy which condemn such contracts as void"; and,

Whereas, It is alleged that the Town Board of the Town of Jamaica, Queens County, New York, on December 30, 1897, the last but one day of its existence as such, before merging into the Greater New York, did establish two water supply districts in said town, and designated same as Queens Water Supply District and Hollis Water Supply District, respectively; and,

Whereas, It is alleged that on said 30th day of December, 1897, said Town Board of Jamaica did enter into separate contract with the Jamaica Water Supply Company for each of the aforesaid water supply districts for water to be used by the said Town Board and its successors during a period of five years from date of contract;

Now, in view of the foregoing and the relation it may bear to the alleged contracts of the Jamaica Water Supply Company, made December 30, 1897, as therein set forth, be and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board respectfully recommend to the Corporation Counsel, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Water Supply, that their several departments apply the principles and reasons contained in the decision herein set forth towards voiding and nullifying any claims of right or demand of payment of public moneys that may be made by the Jamaica Water Supply Company under the said contracts or any such like contracts relating to said water supply districts; and further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he hereby is respectfully requested to report to this Board at an early date the extent of the real needs of said district for supply of water, together with the best means and the expense by and for which the city could meet the public wants in respect thereto; and

Ordered, That the Secretary duly certify and transmit copy of foregoing to the Corporation Counsel, Comptroller and the Commissioner of Water Supply.

Adjourned.

Attest:

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SYNOPSIS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 11, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,) FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,) NEW YORK, March 13, 1899.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending March 11, 1899, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

Central Office—Appointments, resignations, dismissals, etc., as per list attached. Proposals accepted as per list attached.

Appointments, Week ending March 11, 1899.

Table listing appointments for March 9, 1899, including Macklin, Charles E., Carter, Netta E., Mooney, Mary, Ludwig, Margaret, Duignan, Agnes, McLaughlin, Ella J., Fitzgerald, James J., and Deignan, James.

Reinstatement, Week ending March 11, 1899.

Table listing reinstatement for March 7, 1899, for O'Brien, Michael, Fireman, City Hospital.

Resignations, Week ending March 11, 1899.

Table listing resignations for March 6, 1899, for Barry Kate and Etnier, Charlotte B.

Salary Increased, Week ending March 11, 1899.

Table listing salary increase for March 11, 1899, for Wall, Edward, Hospital Orderly.

Dismissal, Week ending March 11, 1899.

Table listing dismissal for March 7, 1899, for Hore, Nicholas P., Hospital Orderly.

The following proposals of February 6th for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx are accepted, March 6, 1899:

Hartman & Horgan, for Altering the old Morgue into a stable and carriage house at Bellevue Hospital for the sum of \$7,967 00

John F. Walsh, Jr., for Repairs to steamer "Fidelity," for the sum of \$9,117 00

Proposals of January 23, 1899; awards made March 6, 1899:

Table listing various proposals and awards for W. T. Gillot, Jr., including items like salad dressing, dried peaches, bushels of peas, etc., with prices.

W. D. Bruns, for	
170 tons egg coal, Fordham Hospital, per ton	\$4 90
70 tons egg coal, Harlem Hospital, per ton	4 20
90 tons egg coal, Gouverneur Hospital, per ton	4 20
110 tons stove coal, Harlem Hospital, per ton	4 30
70 tons stove coal, Gouverneur Hospital, per ton	4 30

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, March 19, 1899.

Abstract of Amount of Expenditures and Liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners During the Month of February, 1899, as Required by Section 39, Chapter 490, Laws of 1883.

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	\$14,425 54
Rent	1,875 00
Ironwork	614 30
Facing and stonework, etc.	587 00
Stationery, printing, etc.	192 98
Traveling and incidental expenses	169 37
Maintenance of horses, wagons	100 53
Drawing materials, etc.	40 24
Telephone rentals and tolls	27 90
Sanitary work	20 00
Hardware, etc.	8 56
Coal	5 25

Expenditures.....\$18,066 67

Monthly estimate of amount due contractors for work done under contract for Jerome Park Reservoir, New Croton Dam; Keeper's House, etc., at Jerome Park Reservoir; tunnel, etc., at Jerome Park Reservoir.....77,898 00

Total expenditures.....\$95,964 67

LIABILITIES.

Salaries—Commissioners and employees	\$9,528 26
Iron-work	1,407 20
Rent	625 00
Traveling and incidental expenses	113 33
Maintenance of horses, wagons	57 38
Telephone rental and tolls	33 00
Hardware, etc.	8 51
Hire of horse and wagon	12 00

Liabilities.....\$11,784 68

Monthly estimate of amount due contractors for work done under contract for New Croton Dam, Jerome Park Reservoir; tunnel, etc., at Jerome Park Reservoir; retaining, etc., masonry, etc., at Shaft 25.....52,086 85

Total liabilities.....\$63,871 53

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true abstract of account of the expenditures and liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners for the month of February, 1899, the said account being on file in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR.

MARCH 21, 1899.

Henry N. Tiff, residing at No. 135 West Fifty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, an Inspector of Common Schools for the Twenty-first School District in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx of said city, to succeed himself, and for the unexpired portion of a term of five years, which commenced July 1, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

IN BOARD OF EXAMINERS, MARCH 7, 1899.

The Board of Examiners met this day at 3.15 P. M.
Present—Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx (in the chair), and Messrs. Dobbs, Bonner, O'Reilly, Fryer, Conover, Moore.
Absent—Messrs. McMillan and Post.
The minutes of February 28, 1899, were read, and, on motion, approved.
Mr. Moore here entered.

Petitions were then submitted for approval, as follows:

Plan 289, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow a shed to be placed on roof to protect three printing frames; same to be covered with corrugated-iron and to be 8 feet high, 15 feet long, and 10 feet deep, as stated in petition; No. 138 Fulton street. Petitioners, Kolesch & Co. Approved on condition that the side brick-wall be carried up at "A" on plans and that the studs be filled in with porous terra cotta or covered on outside with corrugated-iron and that the supporting cross beams be of such size as the Department may require.

Plan 4A, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow Duffy's plaster boards covered with plaster to be used on cellar ceiling, as stated in petition; east side of Intervale avenue, 100 feet north of Westchester avenue. Petitioner, John DeHart. Approved.

Plan 99, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the outside wall at staircase in first and second stories to be built 12 inches thick of brick, laid in Portland cement mortar, in place of 16 inches thick of brick, laid in lime and sand mortar; also to allow the main entrance hall partitions up to staircase, to be constructed of 4-inch tees, angles or channels placed not more than 30 inches from centres, well braced and filled in between solid with 4 inches brickwork, or 4 inches thick porous terra cotta, or 4 inches thick burnt-clay blocks, well set in cement and plastered both sides; ceiling of same to be constructed of 2-inch tees, angles or channels, placed not more than 24 inches from centres, and filled in between solid with 2-inch porous terra-cotta blocks well set in cement and plastered underneath, all as stated in petition. Nos. 314-316 East Ninth street. Petitioners, Kurtzer and Rohl. Approved, without requiring the walls to be laid in Portland cement mortar.

Plan 100, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the outside wall of staircase in first and second stories to be built 12 inches thick of brick laid in good Portland cement mortar, in place of 16 inches thick of brick laid in lime and sand mortar; also to allow the main entrance hall partitions up to staircase, to be constructed of 4-inch tees, angles or channels, placed not more than 30 inches from centres, well braced and filled in between solid with 4 inches brickwork, or 4 inches thick porous terra cotta, or 4 inches thick burnt-clay blocks, well set in cement and plastered both sides; ceiling of same to be constructed of 2-inch tees, angles or channels, placed not more than 24 inches from centres, and filled in between solid with 2-inch porous terra cotta blocks well set in cement and plastered underneath, all as stated in petition. No. 318 East Ninth street. Petitioners, Kurtzer and Rohl. Approved without requiring the walls to be laid in Portland cement mortar.

Plan 103A, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow Duffy's patent plaster boards to be used on cellar ceiling instead of iron lath and plaster, as stated in petition. West side of Rosedale avenue, 200 feet south of Mansion street. Petitioner, Charles W. Miller. Approved.

Plan 107, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the first-story entrance hall to be inclosed by fireproof partitions constructed of 4-inch I beams and channels, set not more than 30 inches on

centers and properly braced and built in with 4 inches of hard-burnt brickwork, plastered on both sides; ceiling to be constructed of 2-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, supported by 2-inch tees laid 2 feet apart, and plastered on underside; also to allow steel floor beams of first story in front part of corner building to be supported by a 9-inch steel girder and 5-inch cast-iron posts, instead of an 8-inch brick wall, all as stated in petition; Nos. 21, 23 and 25 Avenue D. Petitioner, Horenburger and Straub. Approved.

Plan 108, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the proposed building to be connected with the present seven-story non-fireproof building adjoining on west; said connection to be made only on basement and first story, by means of a fireproof passage constructed with steel and iron framing and hard-burnt terra-cotta floor, ceiling and walls as shown, and to connect with fireproof main hall of present building, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; No. 34 West Thirty-fifth street. Petitioner, Ralph S. Townsend. Approved.

Plan 112, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the outside wall at stairs in first story to be built 12 inches thick of brick in place of 16 inches by building the same 12 inches thick of brick in good cement mortar in place of lime and sand mortar; said wall being only 53 feet high from first story floor to roof beams, as stated in petition; Nos. 504, 506, 508, 510, 512 East Eighty-first street. Petitioner, Jobst Hoffman. Approved, on condition that the partitions dividing the apartments marked "A" on plans at dumb-waiter shaft be made fireproof.

Plan 114, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the partitions inclosing first story entrance hallways to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee iron frame spaced 30 inches apart, and filled in with 4-inch terra-cotta blocks, plastered on both sides; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch tee irons, spaced 24 inches apart, and filled in between with 2-inch terra-cotta blocks, plastered on under side, as stated in petition; Nos. 516 and 518 East Eleventh street. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 120, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow iron columns and girders to be used in cellar in place of an 8-inch brick wall; also to allow the interior cellar stairs to be placed under the main stairs, inasmuch as said stairs are fireproof from top to bottom and inclosed with brick walls on all stories, all as stated in petition; west side of Central Park West, 75 feet 11 inches north of One Hundred and Sixth street. Petitioners, Neville & Bagge. Approved as to use of iron columns and girders in cellar. Approved as to location of cellar stairs on condition that self-closing fireproof doors are provided at openings in basement marked "A" "A" on plans. Mr. Moore and Mr. Bonner voting no.

Plan 90, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the vestibule and first-story hallway walls and ceilings to be constructed as follows: The side walls to be constructed of 1/4-inch by 4-inch tee irons, set 2 feet on centres, filled with porous terra-cotta blocks 4 inches by 12 inches by 24 inches, laid in cement mortar and plastered on both sides; the ceiling of vestibule and hallway to be constructed of 1/4-inch by 4-inch tee irons, placed 2 inches on centres, laid in cement mortar and plastered on exposed sides, all as stated in petition; No. 124 Lewis street; Petitioner, Frederick Jaeger. Approved on condition that ceiling blocks are 2 inches thick of burnt clay.

Plan 2, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the elevator to be inclosed with iron grille instead of fireproof blocks, as same is already in a fireproof brick stair inclosure; also to allow the interior cellar stairs to be placed under the main stairs, inasmuch as said main stairs are fireproof from top to bottom and inclosed with brick walls on all stories; also to allow iron columns and girders to be used in cellar in place of an 8-inch brick wall, all as stated in petition; southwest corner of Western Boulevard and Ninety-ninth street. Petitioners, Neville & Bagge. Approved as to inclosing elevator with iron grille. Approved as to location of cellar stairs on condition that self-closing fireproof doors are provided at openings marked "A," "A," "A," "A," on cellar plans, and an 8 inch brick wall provided at point marked "B" on cellar plans. Messrs. Bonner and Moore voting no. Approved as to use of iron columns and girders in cellar.

Plan 121A, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow buildings to be erected 38 feet in height instead of 35 feet, as stated in petition. Petitioner, Joseph C. Cocker; west side of Jackson avenue, 90 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street. Approved.

Plan 122A, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow cast-iron columns and steel girders to be erected in that portion of cellar where span exceeds 18 feet, in place of brick fore and aft partition walls, size, material and weight of columns and girders as shown on cellar plan, as stated in petition; northeast corner Brook avenue and St. Paul place. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 129, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the first-story entrance halls to be inclosed by fireproof partitions, constructed of 4-inch I beams and channels, set not more than 30 inches on centres, and properly braced and built in with 4 inches of hard-burnt brickwork, plastered on both sides; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, supported by 2-inch tees, laid 2 feet apart and plastered on under side; also to inclose water-closets in No. 85 Catherine street (middle house), at staircase, by fireproof partitions, constructed of 2 1/2-inch angle-irons and 3-inch hard-burnt fireproof blocks, laid in cement mortar and plastered on both sides; also to allow the second-story staircase walls at light courts to be built 12 inches thick, said walls being non-bearing and only about 53 feet high from second floor to roof; also to allow the interior cellar stairs in Nos. 83 and 85 Catherine street, at dumb-waiters, where checked "X," to be inclosed by 2 1/2-inch angle-irons and 3-inch hard-burnt fireproof blocks, set in cement mortar and plastered on both sides, all as stated in petition; Nos. 83 to 87 Catherine street and Nos. 116 to 120 Cherry street. Petitioners, Horenburger & Straub. Denied.

Plan, 140, New Buildings, 1899—A petition to allow the outside wall at staircase in first and second stories to be built 12 inches thick of brick laid in good Portland cement mortar, in place of 16 inches thick of brick laid in lime mortar; also to allow the main entrance hall partitions up to staircase, to be constructed of 4-inch tees, angles or channels, placed not more than 30 inches from centres, well braced and filled in between solid with 4 inches brickwork, or 4-inches thick porous terra cotta, or 4-inches thick burnt clay blocks, well set in cement and plastered both sides; ceiling of same, to be constructed of 2-inch tees, angles or channels, placed not more than 24 inches from centres and filled in between solid with 2-inch porous terra cotta blocks, well set in cement and plastered underneath, all as stated in petition; No. 312 East Ninth street. Petitioners, Kurtzer and Rohl. Approved without requiring that the walls be laid in Portland cement mortar and on condition that fireproof partitions be provided at points marked "A" on plans at each story at dumb-waiter.

Plan 148, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the partitions inclosing the first-story entrance hallway to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee iron frame spaced 30 inches apart, filled in between with 4-inch terra cotta blocks plastered on both sides; ceiling to be constructed of 2-inch tee irons spaced 24 inches apart, and filled in with 2-inch terra cotta blocks, plastered on underside, as stated in petition; No. 232 East Seventy-sixth street. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 155, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the partitions inclosing first-story entrance hallway to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee iron frame spaced 30 inches apart and filled in with 4-inch terra cotta blocks, plastered on both sides; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch tee irons spaced 24 inches apart and filled in between with 2-inch terra cotta blocks, plastered on under side as stated in petition; No. 137-39 Broome street. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 161, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the partitions inclosing the first story entrance hallway to be constructed of 4-inch angle and tee iron, frame spaced 30 inches apart, and filled in between with 4-inch terra cotta blocks plastered on both sides; ceiling to be constructed of 2-inch tee irons, spaced 24 inches apart, and filled in between with 2-inch terra cotta blocks, plastered on under side, as stated in petition; No. 51 Norfolk street. Petitioner, George Fred. Pelham. Approved.

Plan 699, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches; the lower flanges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath, as stated in petition; south side of Eighty-fourth street, 100 feet west of West End avenue. Petitioner, T. J. McGuire. Approved.

Plan 729A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow Duffy's plaster boards to be used on cellar ceilings in place of wire lath and to be covered with two coats of plaster, as stated in petition; west side of Cottage Grove avenue, 100 feet south of Cornell avenue. Petitioner, George S. Springsteel. Approved.

Plan 927, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the dome to be constructed with steel framing filled with 4-inch terra cotta blocks and covered on the outside with sheet iron, as stated in petition; Nos. 145 and 147 Fifth avenue. Petitioner, H. Edwards-Ficken. Approved.

Plan 941A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow plaster boards to be used on cellar ceiling in place of wire lath, as stated in petition; south side of Brecken avenue, 70 feet east of Kings-bridge road. Petitioner, William Greenlees. Approved.

Plan 995A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches; the lower flanges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath; as stated in petition; east side of Washington avenue, 200 feet north of One Hundred and Sixth-fourth street. Petitioner, Lorenz F. J. Weiher, Jr. Approved.

Plan 1016, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches; the lower flanges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath as stated in petition; southwest corner of Central Park, West and Ninety-eighth street. Petitioner, Mary Ellen Dempsey. Approved.

Plan 272, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow the additional half story to be built of brick 8 inches thick laid up in cement mortar; also to allow the same to be built without increasing the thickness of basement walls, which are 12 inches thick laid in lime and cement mortar, as stated in petition; No. 453 West One Hundred and Forty-eighth street. Petitioner, John P. Leo. Approved.

Plan 84A, New Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow building to be erected 37 feet in height, so as to give more light and ventilation to cellar and save the appearance of elevation from being destroyed, as stated in petition; east side of Brook avenue, 95 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street. Petitioner, M. J. Garvin. Approved.

Mr. Moore was here excused.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the easterly wall of building for reasons as stated in petition; No. 26 Cortlandt street. Petitioner, Emily Havemeyer. Petition granted on recommendation of Mr. Conover.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on all stories of light court, for reasons as stated in petition; Nos 16 to 20 Cortlandt street. Petitioner, Cyrus L. W. Eidlitz. Fireproof shutters required on four windows at point marked A on diagram on petition and balance of openings exempted on recommendation of Mr. Conover.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the rear wall of all openings above the first for reasons as stated in petition; Nos. 167, 169, 171 and 173 Wooster street. Petitioner, James A. Dunn. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the north, south, east and west walls of all stories above the first, for reasons as stated in petition; Nos. 214 to 224 East Twenty-second street. Petitioner, E. E. Gabler. Referred to Mr. O'Reilly for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on three stories of frame house, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 90 Thompson street. Petitioner, Mrs. A. Ketterer. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the rear of the second, third and fourth stories, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 332 West Twenty-first street. Petitioner, Thomas Orr. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the windows and openings of the rear second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; Nos. 553, 555 and 557 West Thirty-third street. Petitioner, A. M. Campbell. Referred to Mr. Dobbs for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on three stories of the west side of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 413 Broome street. Petitioner, Mrs. Eliza J. Smith. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the north, west and light-court walls above the first story of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 68 Broad street. Petitioner, Cora Morris. Referred to Mr. Fryer for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the rear of the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; south side of Twenty-third street, 230 feet east of Broadway. Petitioner, J. T. Smith. Referred to Mr. O'Reilly for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on six stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 57 Laight street. Petitioners, Meeker, Carter, Booraem & Co. Petition granted on recommendation of Mr. O'Reilly.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on eight stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 42 East Twenty-third street. Petitioner, Oswald Oelschlaeger. Petition granted on recommendation of Mr. O'Reilly.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, 4-45 P. M. WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk to Board.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

FIFTH DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Meeting in Room 1, Borough Hall, at 4.30 P. M., Friday, March 10, 1899.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names: Councilmen Doyle and McGarry, and Aldermen Kenney and Keegan. In the absence of the President of the Borough, Councilman McGarry presided. The following was submitted:

(No. 34.)

Petition for the laying out of a new street in that part of Coney Island and the Bowery, between Jones's walk and Twenty-first street.

Public hearing was given, and, on motion, the matter was laid over until the next meeting of the Local Board, in order that Mr. Tilyou and others opposed to the laying out of the proposed street might have time to prepare a remonstrance and have it signed.

(No. 41.)

Petition of the Bay Ridge Park Improvement Association and others, for the construction of a sewer through Tenth avenue, from Seventy-seventh street to Sixty-second street; along Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Sixth avenue; along Sixth avenue to Sixty-fourth street, and along Sixty-fourth street to New York Bay, in conformity with the proposed plans adopted and on file for Drainage District T; and also that commissioners be appointed for the opening of any of the above-mentioned streets not now opened. Laid over.

(No. 42.)

Petition of Ernest N. Culp and others, for the laying of water mains on Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, between Eighteenth avenue and Nineteenth avenue.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York that water mains be laid in Seventieth street and in Seventy-first street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 43.)

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York that water mains be laid in Twelfth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-fifth streets, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 44.)

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Local Boards of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 10th day of March, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York that water-mains be laid in Eightieth street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

(No. 45.)

Petition of William H. Reynolds for the closing of Eleventh avenue, between Forty-third street and New Utrecht avenue. Laid over. Adjournment.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 191.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Keller to place and keep a canvas sign in front of his premises, No. 234 Willis avenue, Borough of The Bronx, provided that said sign shall not extend more than three feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 21, 1899. Adopted by the Council, February 28, 1899. Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 12, 1899, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, ROOM NO. 8, CITY HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, March 20, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record: SIR—I hereby notify you that I have taken the following action in connection with employees of this Department:

- March 16. Henry Dunn, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.
" 16. Edward O'Donnell, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.
" 16. Timothy Feeney, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.
" 16. Edward Whalen, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.
" 16. Andrew Janureski, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.

- March 16. Jacob Patzka, Sounder, at \$1.75 per day.
" 17. John Laracy, Gardener, at \$1.75 per day.
" 17. Patrick Mannary, No. 2, Horse and Cart, at \$3.00 per day.
" 17. Michael Mockler, Horse and Cart, at \$3.00 per day.
" 17. James Farrell, Horse and Cart, at \$3.00 per day.
" 18. Joseph Cavanagh, Horse and Cart, at \$3.00 per day.
" 16. Samuel N. Bowen, Stone Mason, with qualifications for rustic work, at \$3 per day; laid off February 10, 1899.
" 17. Charles Attlesley, horse and cart, at \$3 per day; laid off December 31, 1898.
Yours very truly, GEO. V. BROWER, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, CITY OF NEW YORK, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., March 20, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record: SIR—You are hereby notified that Frank D. McSpedon, of No. 1495 Lexington avenue, formerly employed as Sounder in the Department of Highways, and discharged therefrom December 28, 1898, cause, suspension of work, has been appointed as Sounder in this Department on bridges over the Harlem and in the Borough of Manhattan, at a compensation of \$2 per day, to date from March 22, 1899.

Respectfully, JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that an adjourned public hearing will be held before the Committee on Law Department of the Council, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, March 24, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., on a proposed general ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, and on a proposed ordinance to regulate the issuing of licenses to plumbers. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office: No. 6 City Hall 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor. ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary. Bureau of Licenses: 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief of Bureau. Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Branch Office, Room 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 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M. WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary; HENRY S. KEARNEY, McCOSKRY BUTT and JAMES McLEER, Commissioners. Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk. Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

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

Borough of The Bronx.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209 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. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Comptroller's Office. Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller. EDGAR J. LEVEY, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets, Borough of Manhattan. DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes. JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan. JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn. JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Manhattan. WILLIAM MCKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn. MICHAEL O'KREFFER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn. WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor, Borough of Richmond. JOHN J. FETHERSTON, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond. GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond. EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor, Borough of The Bronx. FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver Taxes, Borough of Queens. FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor, Borough of Queens.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain. Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PATRICK KERNAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster. No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS. No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways. No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways. WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan. THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn. JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx. JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens. HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers. Nos. 265 and 267 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers. MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan. THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Bronx. WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn. MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of 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. Room 177 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner. THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy. 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, Deputy 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, Old Town Hall, Flushing. 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. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan. F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan, No. 346 Broadway. PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 27 Municipal Building. JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street. JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. No. 346 Broadway, Room 1142, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan. WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn. HENRY SUTPHIN, 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. 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. ARTHUR A. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner. JAMES FRENEY, 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. LANTRY, 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. 137 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. HUGH BONNER, 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 SEERY, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan The Bronx and Richmond. ALONZO BRYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Central Office open at all hours.

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

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. J. EDWARD SWANSTRÖM, 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.

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 MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A", N. R., Battery place. J. SERGRAANT 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 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. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHEEHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON and WILLIAM GRELL, Commissioners.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

No. 346 Broadway (N. Y. Life Insurance Building), Rooms 1033 and 1034. 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, LL. D., HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY, THORNTON N. MOTLEY, 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, ROBERT E. DEVO 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. HAVKRTY and JOHN B. MEYENBERG, Board of Assessors. WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

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

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

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. CRAMER, Sheriff; HUGH McLAUGHLIN, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

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 SOMMER, County Clerk. GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Commissioners' Office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. LEWIS NIXON, President; JAMES W. BOYLE, Vice-President; SMITH E. LANE, Secretary; JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, Treasurer; JOHN W. WEBER, THOMAS S. MOORE and THE MAYOR, Commissioners.

Chief Engineer's Office, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ASA BIRD GARDINER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McKENNA, Chief Clerk.

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

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M. DANIEL LORD, Chairman; WARREN W. FOSTER, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners. LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan. Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night. EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART ANTONIO ZUCCA

Borough of The Bronx. ANTHONY McOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH

Borough of Brooklyn. ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.

Borough of Queens. PHILIP T. CRONIN, Dr. SAMUEL S. GUY, JR., LEONARD ROUFF, JR., Jamaica, L. I.

Borough of Richmond. JOHN SEAVER, GEORGE C. TRANTER.

SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, JAMES M. VARNUM, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief 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, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR., THOMAS F. WENTWORTH, W. H. OLMSTEAD, 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. TRALE, 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. STEERS, 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, GEORGE E. ENGLAND, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT

County Court-house, Brooklyn. GEORGE B. ABBOTT, Surrogate; JOSEPH W. CARROLL, Chief Clerk.

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. JOHN M. RIDER, HENRY N. MEEKER, HENRY S. RASQUIN, Commissioners.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

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. 22. Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26. 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. GILDERSLEEVE, 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 1 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 HAYES, 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. BARRETT, 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 V. 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. JEREMIAH HAYFS Clerk.

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

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

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

Borough of Queens. First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily). THOMAS C. KADIEN, 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. DANON, Clerk. Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica

Borough of Richmond. First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, corner 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 REYNARD, 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.

RICHMOND COUNTY. COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE. County Office Building Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN H. ELSWORTH, County Clerk.

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

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, QUEENS COUNTY. GEORGE W. DAVISON, District Attorney.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

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

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.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 21, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 400 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by residents of the Twentieth District for Local Improvements, asking that East Ninety-fourth street be repaved and curbed, from First avenue to the river, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Twentieth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 28th day of March, 1899, at 1.30 p. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JAMES J. COOGAN, President.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 21, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 400 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by residents of the Twentieth District for Local Improvements, asking that East Ninety-fifth street be repaved with asphalt, from Third to Lexington avenue, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Twentieth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 28th day of March, 1899, at 1.30 p. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JAMES J. COOGAN, President.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 346 BROADWAY, 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 of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, on the 5th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which such proposed change of lines 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 15th day of March, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz: Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: Prospect avenue, at Eleventh avenue, to be connected with Prospect avenue at Terrace place, by curved line, in order to make the avenue continuous, and to remedy the present faulty laying out, by which the lines of Prospect avenue at the division line, do no meet.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 5th day of April, 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 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 and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899.

Dated New York, March 21, 1899. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 346 BROADWAY, 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 Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house line of Maple avenue, to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 5th day of April, 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 15th day of March, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz: Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grades of Bay street, from a point 50 feet north of the north house line of Maple avenue, to a point 1,200 feet southerly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: 1st. Beginning at a point distant 50 feet northerly from the northern house-line of Maple avenue, the elevation to be 5.5 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

2d. Thence to a point 300 feet southerly, the elevation to be 3.5 feet above mean high-water line.

3d. Thence to a point 100 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.0 feet above mean high-water line, as heretofore.

4th. Thence to a point 350 feet southerly, the elevation to be 5.6 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

5th. Thence to a point 290 feet southerly, the elevation to be 4.3 feet above mean high-water line.

6th. Thence to a point 160 feet southerly, the elevation to be 7.7 feet above mean high-water line as heretofore.

All grades refer to the mean high-water line as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 5th day of April, 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 street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President. Dated New York, March 20, 1899.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 346 BROADWAY, 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 East Two Hundred and Fortieth street, between Martha avenue and McLean 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. 346 Broadway, on the 29th day of March, 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 8th day of March, 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 East Two Hundred and Fortieth street, between Martha avenue and McLean avenue, in the Borough of the Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: 1st. Beginning at the intersection of Martha avenue, the elevation to be 143.0 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore:

2d. Thence to a point 350 feet easterly on the southern curb of East Two Hundred and Fortieth street, elevation to be 153.5 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

3d. Thence to a point 100 feet easterly thereof on the southern curb of East Two Hundred and Fortieth street, elevation to be 156.5 feet above high-water datum.

4th. Thence to a point 50 feet easterly thereof on the southern curb of East Two Hundred and Fortieth street, elevation to be 156.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

5th. Thence easterly to the intersection with McLean avenue, elevation to be 157.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named street, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 29th day of March, 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 street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 29th day of March, 1899.

Dated New York, March 14, 1899. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 346 BROADWAY, 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 of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, on the 5th day of April, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which such proposed change of lines 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 15th day of March, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz: Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines of Prospect avenue, between Eleventh avenue and Terrace place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: Prospect avenue, at Eleventh avenue, to be connected with Prospect avenue at Terrace place, by curved line, in order to make the avenue continuous, and to remedy the present faulty laying out, by which the lines of Prospect avenue at the division line, do no meet.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 5th day of April, 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 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 and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 5th day of April, 1899.

Dated New York, March 11, 1899. LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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Undercliff Avenue—SEWER, from the existing sewer in Sedgwick avenue, near the line of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards, to the angle point in the avenue, 485.44 feet south of Washington Bridge. Area of assessment: Both sides of Undercliff avenue, from the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward line to Washington Bridge; both sides of Aqueduct avenue and Lind avenue, from the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward line to Washington Bridge; both sides of Merriam avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth street to Aqueduct avenue; both sides of Ogden avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-first street to Aqueduct avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Aqueduct to Merriam avenues; both sides of Undercliff place, from Aqueduct avenue to Undercliff avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 14, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of the Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 13, 1899, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX: TWENTY-THIRD WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING between Mott and River avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Mott and River avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Prospect and Westchester avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Prospect and Westchester avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting streets and avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Boston road and Franklin avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Boston road and Franklin avenue.

FREEMAN STREET—SEWER, between Intervale and Union avenues, with BRANCH in CHISHOLM STREET, between Freeman and Jennings streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Freeman street, from Intervale avenue to Union avenue; both sides of Chisholm street, from Freeman street to Jennings street; both sides of Ritter place, from Prospect avenue extending about 260 feet west of Prospect avenue; both sides of Jennings street, from Stebbins avenue to Union avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Bristow street to Boston road; both sides of Stebbins avenue, from Freeman street to Jennings street; both sides of Bristow street, from Freeman street to Boston road; both sides of Prospect avenue, from Freeman street to Boston road.

JACKSON AVENUE—SEWER, between One Hundred and Sixty-first (Clifton) street and Denman place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Denman place.

UNION AVENUE—BASIN, on northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-first street. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Union and Prospect avenues, and east side of Union avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD. DECATUR AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Kingsbridge road and Brookline street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Decatur avenue, between Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, and to the extent of half the blocks on Brookline street and Kingsbridge road.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of the Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 6, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 9, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX: TWENTY-THIRD WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, between Brook avenue and summit east of St. Ann's avenue, with BRANCH in ST. ANN'S AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Brook avenue and the summit east of St. Ann's avenue; also both sides of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER, between Intervale avenue and Barretto street; also SEWER in BARRETTO STREET, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the summit between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Intervale avenue to Westchester avenue; east side of Kelly street, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Tiffany street, from Westchester avenue to a point distant about 241 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of Barretto street extending northerly from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street about 400 feet; north side of Westchester avenue, from Tiffany to Barretto street.

FOX (FORMERLY SIMPSON) STREET—SEWER, between Freeman and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street. Area of assessment: both sides of Fox street, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and Freeman streets.

HOME STREET—SEWER, between Intervale avenue and Hoe street. Area of assessment: both sides of Home street, between Intervale avenue and Hoe street; both sides of Barretto street, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and Home streets, also both sides of Fox street, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and Home streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD. TREMONT AVENUE—SEWER, between Jerome and Aqueduct avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Tremont avenue, from Jerome to Aqueduct avenues; west side of Jerome avenue, from a point distant about 315 feet south of Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue; both sides of Davidson avenue and Grand avenue, from Tremont avenue to Burnside ave-

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of the Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 6, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 9, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN: TWELFTH WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas terrace. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas terrace.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, between St. Nicholas terrace and Lawrence street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas terrace and Lawrence street, and to the extent of half the blocks on Lawrence street and Convent avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS between Boulevard and the New York Central Railroad tracks. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Boulevard and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and to the extent of half the blocks on the Boulevard.

AUDUBON AVENUE—PAVING, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets. Area of assessment: both sides of Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.

SIXTEENTH WARD. TWENTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 on Block 718, also Lots numbered 1 to 4 inclusive of Block 719.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD. FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, and to the extent of lines drawn midway the blocks between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 6, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 9, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas terrace. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas terrace.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, between St. Nicholas terrace and Lawrence street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between St. Nicholas terrace and Lawrence street, and to the extent of half the blocks on Lawrence street and Convent avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS between Boulevard and the New York Central Railroad tracks. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Boulevard and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and to the extent of half the blocks on the Boulevard.

AUDUBON AVENUE—PAVING, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets. Area of assessment: both sides of Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting

Miller avenue, from Jamaica avenue to Eastern parkway; fourth installment.
Berriman street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lotts road; fourth installment.
Essex street, from Atlantic avenue to Eastern Parkway; fourth installment.
Snediker avenue, from Liberty avenue to Dumont avenue; fourth installment.
Logan street, from Atlantic avenue to New Lotts road; fourth installment.
Sackman street, from Eastern parkway to Livonia avenue; fourth installment.
Vermont street, from Jamaica avenue to Eastern parkway; fourth installment.
Hinsdale street, from Atlantic avenue to Sutter avenue; third installment.
Ashford street, from Jamaica avenue to Arlington avenue; third installment.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

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

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

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
M. O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of Brooklyn.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

SEVENTH, TENTH AND THIRTEENTH WARDS.
EAST STREET—SEWERS, between Water and Rivington streets, with outlets at Grand and Rivington streets, and in Tompkins street, between Broome and Grand streets, and alteration and improvement to sewers in Cherry and Grand streets; in Broome street, between East and Lewis streets; in Delancey street, between East and Pitt streets; and to connecting sewers. Area of assessment: both sides of East street, from Water to Rivington street; both sides of Broome street, from East street to Eldridge street; both sides of Delancey street, from East street to Bowery; both sides of Grand street, from East street to Gouverneur street; north side of Grand street, from Pitt street to Attorney street; east side of Gouverneur street, from East Broadway to Grand street; both sides of East Broadway, from Gouverneur street to Grand street; both sides of Henry street, from Gouverneur street to Grand street; both sides of Madison street, from Scammel street to Grand street; both sides of Jackson street, from a point distant about 85 feet south of Madison street to Grand street; east side of Corlears street, from Cherry street to Grand street; both sides of Tompkins street, from Morgan street, from Grand street to Rivington street; both sides of Goerck street, Lewis street, Cannon street, Columbia street, Sheriff street, Willett street, Pitt street, Ridge street, Attorney street, Clinton street, Suffolk street, Norfolk street, Essex street, Ludlow street and Orchard street, from Grand street to a point distant about 225 feet north of Delancey street; both sides of Allen street, from Broome street to Rivington street; both sides of Eldridge street, from Broome street to Rivington street; both sides of Forsyth street, from a point distant about 185 feet north of Broome street to Rivington street; both sides of Chrystie street, from Delancey street to Rivington street; east side of Bowery, from Delancey street to Rivington street; east side of Scammel street, from Madison to Henry streets; both sides of Scammel street, from Henry to Grand streets, and south side of Rivington street, from Bowery to Chrystie street.

TWELFTH WARD.
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET—PAVING, between Amsterdam avenue and Riverside Drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, between the Boulevard (or Eleventh avenue) to Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, between Amsterdam and Eleventh avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.
CLAREMONT AVENUE—PAVING, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Claremont avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, and to the extent of a line drawn midway the blocks between Broadway and Claremont avenue, and Claremont avenue and Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.
SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, between West End avenue and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, between West End avenue and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and to the extent of half the blocks on the westerly side of West End avenue.
—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 14, 1899, and entered on same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 13, 1899, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1899.

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, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION, CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, March 22, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING at once Miscellaneous Articles, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, on TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899, at 12 M.

- All goods to be delivered free of expense.
All to be delivered at once.
4 Work Horses, 16 hands high, not over 6 years old, sound and kind in all harness, to weigh about 1,300 pounds each. Trial to last until same prove satisfactory.
2 sets Cart Harness, to be made of the very best material.
1 Hot-water Pressure Tank, 4 feet diameter, 11 feet long, to be built of steel, with heads braced with crossfoot braces to shell, with manhole in head, and with brass coil fitted with brass fittings inside for heating water.
1 one-inch Safety Valve to come with same, with two outlets drilled and tapped for 1/2 inches.
1 Hole drilled and tapped for 1/2-inch Blow Off.
1 Eight Day Marine Clock.
1,500 feet 2 inches by 1/2 inch Iron Flat.
100 feet 3/4-inch square Norway Iron.
250 Wheels, 1 inch diameter, 1/2 inch thick, 3/8-inch bore, for 3/4 Rivet.
250 4 1/2 by 3/4-inch Expansion Bolts, with Nuts.
250 5 1/2 by 3/4-inch Expansion Bolts, with Nuts.
200 feet 2 1/2 by 1/2-inch Flat Iron.
No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors, to be delivered in installments as required, except such as are designated in the specifications.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Drugs, Lumber and Miscellaneous Articles, for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner 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.
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. 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, or security, trust or deposit companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as

having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the 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, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

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

PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING NEW BOILER AND NECESSARY REPAIRS TO STEAMER "WM. L. STRONG."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR NEW Boiler, etc., Steamer "Wm. L. Strong" in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. on TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED BY SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.
No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Fifteen Hundred (1,500) Dollars each.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either currency or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of \$75, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The work must conform in every respect to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, March 18, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the following materials for manufacturing purposes 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 12 M., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899. All goods to be delivered at once to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense.

SHOE INDUSTRY.

- 1. 6,000 feet 3/4-oz. Pebble Grain.
2. 3,000 feet 6-oz. Western oil Grain.
3. 2,000 yards XXX Drill Lining.
4. 1,000 yards Black Binding, 5/8 inch wide.
5. 5 gallons Cutting Board Dressing (Best).
6. 42 pair Men's Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
7. 40 pair Women's Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
8. 20 pair Misses' Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
9. 20 pair Child's Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
10. 15 pair Boys' Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
11. 9 pair Youths' Lasts, Best Quality Maple, Iron Bottom tubed riveted scoop block.
12. 50 pounds 4-25 Gray Linen.
13. 50 pounds 4-25 Yellow Linen.
14. 3 gallons Black Liquid Wax.
15. 3 gallons White Liquid Wax, Fair Stitch.
16. 1/2 dozen Heeling Hammers.
17. 2 dozen 6 inch Blade F. W. C. Knives.
18. 2 dozen 8-inch Blade F. W. C. Knives.
19. 2 dozen 10 in. Blade F. W. C. Knives.
20. 1/2 dozen 6 in. Blade, Scissors (steel).
21. 2 dozen Machine Eyelet Punches.
22. 1 Cutting Board 3 ft. 3 in. by 20 in. wide, 4 in. deep.
23. 4 Crispin Jacks, long shanks.
24. 4 Kregg Heeling Jacks.
25. 6 Leveling Hammers.
26. 1/2 dozen Fudge Wheels.
27. 1 1/2 dozen Crispin Pincers.
28. 2 dozen Sewing Awl Handles.

BRUSH INDUSTRY.

- 29. 3,000 Scrub Blocks (Beech).
30. 1,200 Leather Backs, Cover and Strap Holes Bored for Horse Brush.
31. 1,000 Window Brush Blocks.
32. 1,500 Poles for Window Brush 7 ft.
33. 1,000 Counter Duster Blocks Holes Bored.
34. 1,000 Floor Brooms, 16 in. Holes Bored, 5 ft. Handles.
35. 500 Floor Brooms, 14 in. Holes Bored, 5 ft. Handles.
36. 1,000 Dander Brush Blocks, Roached.
37. 1,000 Stove Brush Blocks and Handles.
38. 500 N. Y. Wall Brush Tops and Straps.
39. 500 Roof Brush Blocks, Straps and Handles.
40. 500 Paint Brush Handles and Ferrules.
41. 500 Extra flat Varnish Handles and Ferrules.
42. 500 Extra tetch Handles and Ferrules.
43. 20 gallons Brush Makers' Cement.
44. 50 pounds No. 27 Brass Brush Makers' Wire.
45. 50 pounds Brush Makers cut Tacks.
46. 50 pounds Escutcheon Pins.
47. 800 pounds Black Horse Hair, Length 10 in stiff.
48. 100 pounds White Horse Hair, Bleached, Length 10 in stiff.
49. 100 pounds Gray Horse Hair, Length 10 in stiff.
50. 500 feet Brush Top Leather.
51. 500 pounds Black Tampico, Length 9 and 10 in., Dressed and Bleached, Best Quality.
52. 1,500 pounds White Tampico, Length 9 and 10 in., Dressed and Bleached, Best Quality.
53. 500 pounds Rice Root, Extra Fine Quality, Length 9 and 10 in., Peerless Dressed and Bleached.
54. 150 pounds Bristles, White Okata Butts, 2 1/2 in. Stiff, Dressed and Bleached.
55. 50 pounds Bristles, White Okata 6 Butts, Dressed and Bleached stiff.
56. 500 pounds Bristles, Gray Lecks 6 Butts, Dressed and Bleached stiff.
57. 50 pounds Bristles, Gray Lecks 4 1/2 Butts, Dressed and Bleached stiff.
58. 50 pounds Fitch Hair, Black, Dressed and Bleached.
59. 50 pounds Branblanc Bristles, No. 2, Bleached.
60. 50 pounds Fitch Hair, White, Bleached.
61. 5 pounds Red (mixed) Paint.
62. 2 gallons White Varnish.
63. 1 Bench Boring Machine, with counter shaft and pulleys, etc.
64. 120 gross 3/4-inch No. 3 Screws.
65. 1 Small Chuck for holding bits.
66. 1/2 dozen Small Emery Stones.
67. 5 dozen Wood Point Twist Drills (S. T. Co. make), 1/4, 3-16, 5-32, 1/8.
68. 1 Set of Dies, Taps and Holders, 4-32, 5-32, 6-32, 7-32, 8-32.
69. 2 Reamers.
70. 2 gross Small Machine Screws (assorted).
71. 1 dozen Large Fine Sponges.
72. 1 barrel Brush Makers' Pitch.
73. 1 barrel Lamp Black.
74. 5 gallons Turpentine.

STREET BROOMS INDUSTRY.

- 75. 30,000 18-inch by 3 1/2-inch Street Broom Blocks, wire drawn.
76. 10,000 18-inch by 3 1/2-inch Street Broom Blocks, Bored, wire drawn.
77. 40,000 5-foot 6-inch by 1 1/4 Hardwood Street Broom Handles.
78. 105,000 pounds Bass (medium), 16 inch.
79. 40,000 pounds Hickory, 16 inch.
80. 1,500 pounds No. 20 Soft Brass Wire, Brush Makers'.
81. 90,000 3 1/2 inch Rivets.
82. 350 pounds Washers for 3/8 inch Rivets.
83. 40,000 pieces 24 by 2 1/2 inch No. 18 Gauge Soft Steel.
84. 600 pounds Small Rivets.
85. 300 pounds 1 inch Wire Nails, Brush Makers'.
86. 4 Carpenters' Hammers, as per sample.
87. 6 Carpenters' Braces, as per sample.
88. 2 Carpenters' Planes, as per sample.
89. 6 Ball Pene Hammers, 1 lb.
90. 1 dozen Screw Drivers for Braces (Steel).
91. 1 dozen Bits, 1/2, 1 1/8, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 inch.
92. 1 dozen Wood Point Twist Drills, 3/4 inch by 5 inches (S. T. Co.) (Machine).
93. 6 dozen 1/4 inch by 1/2 inch Bits, as sample.
94. 500 gross screws, 1-inch, Blue No. 12.
95. 1 Small Punch Machine Complete.
HOUSE BROOM INDUSTRY.
96. 8 tons Soft Working Broom, Corn, suitable for making not smaller than No. 8 Brooms.
97. 2 Broom Makers' Hammers.
98. 4 Broom Makers' Knives, 8 inch Blade.
99. 50 pounds Whisk Broom Wire.
100. 100 pounds Broom Wire.
101. 100 pounds Broom Nails.
102. 1,000 Whisk Broom Tops, Velvet.
103. 50 pounds Whisk Broom Nails.

KNITTING INDUSTRY.

- 104. 1,200 pounds Yarn, 6-16 Stockings, Yaeger carded peeler.
- 105. 2,000 Needles, Bronson, No. 36 Gauge (Franklin Make).
- 106. 70 gross Small Buttons, Pearl.
- 107. 70 gross Large Buttons, Pearl.
- 108. 10,000 yards White Tape, 3/4 inch wide.
- 109. 100 Needles, Wheeler & Wilson Button Hole, automatic.
- 110. 100 Needles, Wheeler & Wilson Chain Stitch.
- 111. 4 8-inch Monkey Wrenches.
- 112. 2 dozen Thimbles.
- 113. 1 dozen 6-inch Flat-face Smooth Files.
- 114. 1/2 dozen 6-inch 1/2 Round Smooth Files.

MISCELLANEOUS.

- 115. 3 Boxes Tin 14 by 20 1/2 x P. O. P. Tin Charcoal.
- 116. 2 pair 2 1/2 pounds Soldering Copper, with handles.
- 117. 10 pounds Alum.
- 118. 1,000 pieces Curled Hair.
- 119. 385 pieces 1-inch pipe, 17 feet, 1 inch right and left thread.
- 120. 385 pieces 1-inch pipe, 20 feet, 1 inch right and left thread.
- 121. 385 pieces 4 feet 2 inch Band Irons.
- 122. 385 1-inch Tees, right and left thread.
- 123. 1,540 pieces Round Iron, 6 inches by 1/2 inch.
- 124. 4,263 pounds No. 20 Spring Wire.
- 125. 1,670 feet Angle Iron.
- 126. 10 feet 9-16 inch Round Steel.
- 127. 5 pounds Green Aniline.
- 128. 2 dozen Twist Drills for Iron, 3-16 inch.
- 129. 3 dozen Twist Drills for Iron, 1/4 inch.
- 130. 2 dozen Gimlet Bits.
- 131. 4 Saddlers' Horses.
- 132. 1 length 1 1/2-inch shaft, about 15 feet.
- 133. 1 24-inch by 3-inch Pulley.
- 134. 2 10-inch by 3-inch Pulleys, 1 loose, 1 tight.
- 135. 2 1 1/2-inch Collars.
- 136. 1,600 Washers, 3/8 inch diameter by 3/8-1/4 inch hole.
- 137. 1/2 dozen Staff Bits.
- 138. 1 Clements bolt boring machine with templates 14, 16, 18, 24 in Street Blocks pulley Belts, etc.
- 139. 1 Clements Bolt Borer, etc.

No bond or deposit required on bids under \$1,000. 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 look 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 her 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.

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NEW YORK CITY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 8, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR SHOEMAKERS' MATERIALS

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SHOEMAKERS' MATERIALS, 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 10 A. M.

TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on Pier, foot East Twenty-sixth street.

SHOE INDUSTRY, PENITENTIARY, B. I.

- 1. 1 Skiving Machine, Tripp Counter Skiver.
- 2. 1 Rolling Machine, C. C. Gin Co. make, 36 inch.
- 3. 1 Splitting Machine, C. C. Gin Co. make, 36-inch. Sole Leather.

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NEW YORK, March 9, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING A COMPLETE HIGH-PRESSURE STEAM PLANT IN THE WORKHOUSE, AND A COMPLETE PUMPING OUTFIT FOR THE STONE QUARRY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED for installing a complete high-pressure steam plant in the Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, and a complete pumping outfit for the Stone Quarry, Blackwell's Island, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of

MARCH 23, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Plant for Workhouse and Pumping Outfit for Quarry, New York City," with his or her name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) DOLLARS.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of \$125, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The work and materials must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NEW YORK CITY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 8, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MUNICIPAL OR WORKHOUSE CLOTH.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Municipal or Workhouse Cloth, 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 10 A. M.

MARCH 23, 1899.

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

SPECIFICATIONS.

5,500 yards Municipal or Workhouse Cloth, 6-4, for Workhouse, as per sample on exhibition, more or less

To be delivered at once. No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest bid.

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

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

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

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-FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or 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 One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 goods must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, March 8, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEDICINES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Medicines in conformity with Samples and Specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, in The City of New York, No. 148 East Twentieth street, until

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at 10 A. M. Goods to be delivered to Dr. Chas. Rice, Chemist, Department of Public Charities, General Drug Department, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-eighth street, for the Department of Correction.

3,000 pounds Carbolic Acid, U. S. P., remaining colorless for at least 3 months, in 10-lb. screw-cap tins, packed 10 in a case.

10 barrels Columbian Spirits Pure Wood Alcohol. All to be more or less. To be delivered in installments, as required, during 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Medicines, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the 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 if it amounts to \$1,000 or over.

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 of \$1,000 or over 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 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

The work and materials must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, March 6, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE OF THE NEW CITY PRISON, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS and work required for installing a complete high and low pressure steam plant, electric lighting, dynamo, elevator and kitchen furnishings, in the New City Prison, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Plumbing and Drainage of the New City Prison," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article if it amounts to \$1,000 or over.

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 of \$1,000 or over 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 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 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.

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Installing Steam Plant, etc., in New City Prison, with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (75,000) 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 work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the supplies by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as 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 three thousand seven hundred and fifty (3,750) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 work and materials must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, March 6, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE OF THE NEW CITY PRISON, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS and work required for constructing the steel cells in the New City Prison, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1899. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Constructing Steel Cells in the New City Prison," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$100,000) 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 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 of \$100,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the 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 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.

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FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, March 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Supplies at once, in conformity with Samples and Specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, in The City of New York, No. 148 East Twentieth street, until

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899, at 10 A. M. All goods to be delivered to foot of East Twenty-sixth street for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expenses.

CITY PRISON. 1. 1 dozen Radiator Valves 1 in. with unions. 2. 1 dozen Radiator Valves 1 in. with left thread at outlet. 3. 1/2 dozen Finished Angle Valves 1 1/2 in. 4. 1/2 dozen each, Globe Valves 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4 in. 5. 1/2 dozen each, Cross Valves, 1, 1 1/4 in. 6. 1 dozen each, Air Cocks, 1/2, 3/4, 1 in. 7. 1/2 dozen each, Horizontal Check Valves 1, 1 1/4 in. 8. 1/2 dozen each, Steel Wire Tube Brushes 2 and 3 in. 9. 1/2 dozen each, Steam Cocks with square heads 3/8, 1/2, 3/4 in. 10. 100 feet each, Wrought Iron Pipe 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2 in. 11. 1 dozen each, Cast Iron Fitting Elbows 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2 in. 12. 1 dozen each, Cast Iron Tees, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2 in.

DISTRICT PRISON. 13. 1 dozen 1 in. Unions. 14. 1/2 dozen 7 in. Flat Bastard Files. 15. 1/2 dozen 7 in. Half Round Coarse Files. 16. 6 lengths 1 in. Pipe. 17. 3 lengths 1 1/4 in. Pipe. 18. 6 lengths 1/2 in. Pipe. 19. 6 lengths 3/4 in. Pipe. 20. 2 lengths 3/8 in. Pipe. 21. 1 dozen Glass Steam Gauges, 3/4 by 12. 22. 4 sets of Grate Bars for Boiler Furnace, 3 ft. long, 6 in. wide. 23. 1/2 dozen 1/2 in. angle Stop Cocks. 24. 1/2 dozen 1 in. angle Stop Cocks. 25. 1 dozen 1/2 in. Plugs. 26. 1 dozen 1 in. Caps. 27. 1 dozen 3/8 in. Plugs. 28. 1 dozen 3/4 in. Caps. 29. 1 dozen 1/2 in. Plugs. 30. 1 dozen 3/4 in. Caps. 31. 1 dozen 1 in. Plugs. 32. 1 dozen 1 in. Caps. 33. 1 dozen 1 1/4 in. Plugs. 34. 1 dozen 1 1/4 in. Caps. 35. 20 pounds Cotton Waste.

WORK HOUSE.

40. 3 Metropolitan Double Tube Injectors 1-8 1/2, 2-10 1/2 in.

41. 1 Machinists' Upright Drill with Set Drills from 1/4 to 1 in.

42. 12 bags Asbestos Cement.

43. 1 bar 1/2 in. Octagon Steel.

44. 24 10 in. Hacksaw Blades.

45. 1 box Plumbers' Candles.

46. 1 Spring Belt Punch.

47. 1 dozen 3/8 by 12 in. Gauge Glass.

48. 2 dozen 3/8 in. Gauge Glass Washers.

49. 50 feet 1 in. Steam Hose with Connections.

50. 100 pounds Cotton Waste.

51. 20 square feet each, Sheet Rubber 1-16, 1/8, 1/4 in.

52. 50 feet 3 in. Belting.

53. 200 feet 1/2 in. Belt Lacing.

54. 1 2 1/2 in. Ingalls Tube Scraper with Brush.

55. 24 3/8 by 1/4 in. Double Pendant Cocks.

56. 24 3/8 by 1/4 in. Single Pendant Cocks.

57. 24 1/2 in. L. Burner Cocks.

58. 48 1/2 in. Side Nozzles.

59. 1 Detroit Lubricator.

60. 12 each, Jenkins' Globe Valves 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1 in.

61. 24 each, Jenkins' Valve Discs 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2 in.

62. 2 each, Stilson Wrenches 6, 10, 14, 18, 24, 36 in.

63. 2 each, Baxter Wrenches 4, 8, 12 in.

64. 2 each, Monkey Wrenches 8, 12, 18 in.

65. 200 feet each, Brass Pipe 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1 in.

66. 24 1/2 in. Brass Elbows.

67. 24 each, Malleable Tees 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 in.

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69. 30 each, Steam Elbows 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

70. 36 each Steam Tees 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

71. 24 each R. L. Elbows 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

72. 24 each R. L. Couplings 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

73. 12 each Union Couplings 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

74. 36 each Bushings 1/4 by 1/4, 1/4 by 3/8, 3/8 by 1/2, 1/2 by 3/4, 3/4 by 1, 1 by 1 1/4, 1 1/4 by 1 1/2, 1 1/2 by 2 in.

75. 400 feet each, Steam Pipe 1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2 in.

STEAMER "MINNAHANONCK."

77. 8 bales Picked Cotton Waste.

78. 100 feet of 1 in. Rubber Hose with Couplings.

79. 200 feet of 2 1/2 in. Rubber Hose with Couplings.

80. 60 pounds 3/4 in. Henry Johnson's Packing.

81. 60 pounds 1 in. Henry Johnson's Packing.

82. 50 pounds "Garlock" Packing, from 1/8 to 3/4 in.

83. 10 yards 1/2 in. Sheet Rubber.

84. 10 yards 1-16 in. Sheet Rubber.

85. 4 yards 1/2 in. Usudurian.

86. 4 yards 1-16 in. Usudurian.

87. 50 pounds 1/8 in. Copper Wire.

88. 50 pounds 1-16 in. Copper Wire.

89. 6 Three Cornered Fine Files, 12 in. Long.

90. 6 dozen "Dietz" No. 1 Globes.

91. 1 dozen Tubular Lamps, No. 17.

92. 8 dozen B Bulb Chimneys.

93. 8 dozen 1 in. Flat Lamp Wicks.

94. 10 dozen Spool Asbestos.

95. 10 dozen Petticoat Lamps.

96. 2 dozen 24 in. Monkey Wrenches (Coes).

97. 1 pair Tinsmith's Snips.

98. 2 lengths of Fire Hose with Couplings.

99. 2 dozen 1 Pint Brass Squirt Cans.

100. 2 pairs 8 in. Wire Pliers.

101. 2 pairs 14 in. Screw Drivers.

102. 4 pairs 2 in. Wood Chisels.

103. 4 pairs 1 in. Wood Chisels.

104. 6 pairs Flat Cold Chisels.

105. 6 pairs Cape Chisels.

106. 1 Brace and Bits, from 1/4 to 1 1/4 in.

107. 1 Cross Cut Hand Saw.

108. 1 Hack Saw and 12 Blades.

109. 2 square yards 1-16 in. Sheet Lead.

110. 2 Hand Hammers, 1 1/2 Lb. Each.

111. 1 Copper Hammer, 4 Lb.

112. 4 Brass Box Lamps with Oil Cups and Reflectors.

113. 6 dozen B Bulb Burners.

114. 1 dozen 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

115. 1 dozen 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

116. 1 dozen Elbows for 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

117. 1 dozen Nipples for 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

118. 1 dozen Unions for 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

119. 1 dozen Couplings for 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

120. 1 dozen Elbows for 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

121. 1 dozen Nipples for 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

122. 1 dozen Unions for 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

123. 1 dozen Couplings for 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

124. 2 dozen B Pinare Lamp Burners.

125. 1 dozen Discs for "Jenkins" 1 in. Valves.

126. 1 dozen Discs for "Jenkins" 3/4 in. Valves.

127. 1/2 dozen Caps for 1 in. Pipe.

128. 1/2 dozen Caps for 3/4 in. Pipe.

129. 1/2 dozen Plugs for 1 in. Pipe.

130. 1/2 dozen Plugs for 3/4 in. Pipe.

131. 1 dozen 3/8 in. Bolts, 5 in. Long, Hexagon Nuts and Washers.

132. 1 dozen 3/8 in. Bolts, 4 in. Long, Hexagon Nuts and Washers.

133. 1 dozen 1/2 in. Bolts, 3 1/2 in. Long, Hexagon Nuts and Washers.

134. 1 dozen 3/8 in. Bolts, 3 1/2 in. Long, Hexagon Nuts and Washers.

135. 1 dozen 1/4 in. Bolts, 3 1/2 in. Long, Hexagon Nuts and Washers.

136. 1 dozen Man Hole Plate Rubber Gaskets, 14 x 10 1/2 in.—1/4 in. Thick.

137. 1 dozen Hand Hole Plate Rubber Gaskets, 7 x 4 1/2 in.—1/4 in. Thick.

138. 1 dozen Hand Hole Plate Rubber Gaskets, 5 1/2 x 3 1/2 in.—1/4 in. Thick.

139. 1 dozen Hand Hole Plate Rubber Gaskets, 5 x 3 in.—1/4 in. Thick.

STEAMER "WM. L. STRONG."

140. 4 bales Picked Cotton Waste.

141. 2 dozen 3/8 in. Water Gauge Glasses, 12 in. Long, Extra Heavy Glass.

142. 2 dozen 3/8 in. Water Gauge Washers.

143. 2 Hose Spanners for 1 1/2 in. Hose.

144. 2 Hose Spanners for 2 1/2 in. Hose.

145. 2 square yards 1-16 in. Jenkins' Usudurian Sheet Packing.

146. 1 square yard 1/8 in. Jenkins' Usudurian Sheet Packing.

147. 1 square yard 1-16 in. Common Sheet Packing, 2 Ply.

148. 1 square yard 1/4 in. Common Sheet Packing, 2 Ply.

149. 1/2 dozen Petticoat Lamps.

150. 1 1 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valve.

151. 1 1 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valve.

152. 1 1 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Angle Globe Valve.

153. 1/2 dozen 1 Pint Brass Squirt Cans.

154. 1 14 in. Screw Driver.

155. 1 8 in. Screw Driver.

156. 1 1 1/2 in. Wood Chisel.

157. 1 1/2 in. Wood Chisel.

158. 1/2 dozen Flat Cold Chisels.

159. 1 Hack Saw and 12 Blades.

160. 1 yard square 1-16 in. Sheet Lead.

161. 1 1 1/2 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valve.

162. 1 1 1/2 in. Stop Cock.

163. 1/2 dozen Discs for 3/4 in. "Jenkins" Valve.

164. 1 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valve.

165. 1 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valve.

166. 1 3/4 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valve.

5 pounds No. 14 Copper Wire.

5 pounds No. 8 Copper Wire.

2 14 in. Flat Fine Files.

1 1/4 in. Round Coarse File.

1 3/8 in. Round Coarse File.

1 1/2 in. Square Coarse File.

1 14 in. Half Round Rasp.

1 1/2 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valve.

2 3/4 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valves.

30 feet 1/2 in. Rubber Hose with Couplings complete.

2 "Dietz" No. 17 Tubular Lamps.

1 dozen "Dietz" No. 1 Tubular Globes.

dozen Balls of Asbestos Wick.

1 "Gipsy" Bench Vise, No. 65.

1 Pet Cocks 1/4 in. Pipe Thread.

2 1 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valves.

1 3/8 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valve.

6 dozen B Pinare Lamp Chimneys.

2 dozen Globes for "Dietz" No. 0 Lanterns.

4 dozen Wicks for B Pinare Lamps.

2 pair Lamp Wick Trimmers.

1/2 dozen B Pinare Burners.

2 1/2 in. "Jenkins" Angle Valves.

2 3/8 in. "Jenkins" Globe Valves.

4 1/2 in. Brass Elbows Finished.

1 pound Fine Ground Glass.

1 pound Coarse Ground Glass.

1/2 dozen 1/2 in. Pipe Plugs.

2 1 1/2 in. Pipe Unions.

1 Steam Cylinder Head for "Blake" Pump No. 5.

1/2 dozen Discs for 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

1/2 dozen Discs for 3/8 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

1/2 dozen Discs for 1/2 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

1/2 dozen Discs for 3/4 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

1 dozen Discs for 1 1/2 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

1 dozen Discs for 1 1/4 in. "Jenkins" Valves.

2 Pipe Plugs 3/4 in.

2 Pipe Tees 1 1/2 in.

2 Pipes Unions 1/2 in.

1/2 dozen 3/8 in. Bolts, 2 1/2 in. Long with Nuts.

1 Length of 1 1/2 in. Iron Pipe.

STEAMER "THOS. F. GILROY."

300 pounds Picked Waste.

2 1 1/2 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

3 1 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

3 3/8 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

3 3/4 in. Jenkins' Globe Valves.

2 3/8 in. Jenkins' Angle Valves.

6 1 1/2 in. Unions.

6 1 in. Unions.

6 3/4 in. Unions.

6 3/8 in. Unions.

6 1/2 in. Unions.

6 1 1/2 in. Elbows.

6 1 in. Elbows.

6 3/4 in. Elbows.

6 3/8 in. Elbows.

12 1 in. Return Elbows.

6 1 1/2 in. Tees.

6 1 in. Tees.

6 3/4 in. Tees.

6 3/8 in. Tees.

6 1/2 in. Tees.

2 coils 3/8 in. Tupper's Hemp Packing.

1 coil 1/4 in. Tupper's Hemp Packing.

12 Gauge Glasses, 12 by 3/8 in.

16 Gauge Glasses, 12 by 1/2 in.

1 Gauge Glass Cutter.

1 square yard 1/4 in. Rainbow Packing.

1 Oil Cup for Cylinder, 1/2-inch fitting.

6 each of Reducing Couplings, 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 in.

12 Dietz Lantern Tubular Globes, Nos. 0 and 1.

6 each Discs for Jenkins' Valves, 1 1/2, 1 1/4, 1 1/2

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND

200 feet 3 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

200 feet 2 1/2 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

300 feet 2 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

300 feet 1 1/2 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

400 feet 1 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

300 feet 3/4 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

300 feet 3/8 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

100 feet 1/2 in. Black Iron Steam Pipe.

500 feet 1 1/2 in. Galvanized Water Pipe.

500 feet 1 1/4 in. Galvanized Water Pipe.

500 feet 1 in. Galvanized Water Pipe.

1 dozen 3 in. Flange Unions, Black Iron with Bolts and Nuts.

1 dozen 2 1/2 in. Flange Unions, Black Iron with Bolts and Nuts.

4 dozen 1 1/2 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

4 dozen 1 1/4 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

4 dozen 1 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

2 dozen 2 1/2 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

4 dozen 3/4 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

4 dozen 3/8 in. R. & L. Black Iron Couplings.

4 dozen 2 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

4 dozen 1 1/2 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

4 dozen 1 1/4 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

4 dozen 1 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

4 dozen 3/4 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

4 dozen 3/8 in. Galvanized Iron R. & L. Couplings.

2 dozen 3 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

2 dozen 2 1/2 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

2 dozen 2 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

2 dozen 1 1/2 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

2 dozen 1 1/4 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

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2 dozen 1 1/4 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

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2 dozen 3/4 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

2 dozen 3/8 in. Right Thread Plain Black Couplings.

1 dozen Black Iron Tees 2 1/2 in.

1 dozen Black Iron Tees 2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Tees 1 1/2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Tees 1 1/4 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Tees 1 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Tees 3/4 in.

4 dozen Black Iron Tees 3/8 in.

4 dozen Black Iron Tees 1/2 in.

1 dozen Black Iron Tees 1/2 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 2 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 1 1/2 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 1 1/4 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 1 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 3/4 in.

2 dozen 45 Elbows Galvanized Iron 1/2 in.

2 dozen Tees 2 in.

2 dozen Tees 1 1/2 in.

2 dozen Tees 1 1/4 in.

2 dozen Tees 1 in.

4 dozen Tees 3/4 in.

4 dozen Tees 1/2 in.

1 dozen Reducing Tees from 2 to 1 1/2 in.

1 dozen Reducing Tees from 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 in.

4 dozen Reducing Tees from 1 1/2 to 1 in.

4 dozen Reducing Tees from 1 1/2 to 3/4 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 2 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 1 1/2 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 1 1/4 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 1 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 3/4 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Plugs 1/2 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 2 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 1 1/2 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 1 1/4 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 1 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 3/4 in.

1 dozen Galvanized Iron Caps 1/2 in.

2 dozen Reducing Couplings, Galv. Iron, 3/4 to 1/2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 3 to 2 1/2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 2 1/2 to 2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 2 to 1 1/2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 1 1/4 to 1 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 1 to 3/4 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 3/4 to 3/8 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 3/8 to 1/2 in.

2 dozen Black Iron Bushings, from 1/2 to 3/4 in.

2 dozen Galv. Iron Bushings, from 2 to 1 1/2 in.

2 dozen Galv. Iron Bushings, from 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 in.

2 dozen Galv. Iron Bushings, from 1 1/4 to 1 in.

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- 554. 1/2 dozen Lengths 2 in. Iron Pipes.
- 555. 2 dozen Lengths 2 in. D Hub Pipe.
- 556. 2 dozen 3/4 in. Gas Pipe Caps.
- 557. 1 Baxter Pump Double Acting Fig. 817, Size 2 in.
- 558. 1 Saunders Malleable Iron Hinge Pipe. }
Vise No. 2, 3/4 to 3 in.

All goods to be delivered at once.

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

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. No Bond or Deposit required on Bids under \$1,000.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 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 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 be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the 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, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
March 11, 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 office, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE 12 TON STEAM ROAD ROLLER, FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE ROAD SPRINKLING WAGONS AND THREE SPRINKLING CARTS FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE HUNDRED SETTEES FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 4. FOR PREPARING THE GROUND FOR PLANTING IN RIVERSIDE PARK, between Seventy-second and Seventy-sixth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan. The works must be bid for separately.

No. 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

The steam road roller to be of the 12-ton "Rochester" type, or equal thereto, and to be delivered within forty days. The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 2.

The road sprinkling wagons to be 600 gallons capacity each, with tires 6 inches wide, otherwise to be of the Studebaker patent or equal thereto.

The sprinkling carts to be of 150 gallons capacity each, with tires 6 inches wide, otherwise to be of the Studebaker patent "Little Gem" sprinkler or equal thereto. To be delivered within forty days. The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 3.

The Park Settees to be furnished to be of wrought and cast iron and yellow pine thoroughly seasoned and painted with three (3) coats of pure white lead mixed with linseed oil and similar and equal to the sample on exhibition at the Zbrovski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx. To be delivered within forty days. The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 4.

The estimate of work to be done is as follows: 3,000 cubic yards mould in place. 3,150 trees, shrubs and other plants. 30,000 square feet grass sod furnished and laid. The work to be completed within twenty-one consecutive working days. The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five 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 was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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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 and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
AUGUST MOEBUS,
Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 5942, No. 1. Grading and paving Belmont avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Powell street, with asphalt pavement. \$1,295.90.

List 5943, No. 2. Grading and paving Clarkson street, from Flatbush avenue to New York avenue, with macadam pavement and belgian-block gutters. \$2,085.95.

List 5946, No. 3. Grading and paving Market street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, with asphalt pavement. \$4,193.54.

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 Belmont avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Powell street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Clarkson street, from Flatbush avenue to New York avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Market street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—and that said Board of Assessors has added to the assessments heretofore laid for said improvements, the said excess of the cost over said estimate and apportioned the same upon the several parcels of land according to their respective proportions of the original assessment, and the said Board of Assessors has prepared lists showing the amounts of such additions, and the same are now on file in the office of said Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, where the same can be examined by all persons interested, and that the said Board will meet in the said office on the 25th day of April, 1899, at 11 A. M., to hear objections (if any) to the same.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
March 20, 1899. }

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5862, No. 1. Paving Convent avenue, from the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to the south side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, with asphalt block pavement.

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 Convent avenue, commencing 100 feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to One Hundred and Forty-first street, 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 April 18, 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,
THOS. A. WILSON,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
JOHN B. MEYENBORG,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
March 18, 1899. }

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 5751, No. 1. Flagging sidewalks south side of Twentieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, in front of lot known as Block 67, Lot No. 41, Eighth Ward.

List 5753, No. 2. Flagging sidewalks south side of McDonough street, between Patchen and Ralph avenues, in front of lot known as Block 38, Lot No. 57, Twenty-fifth Ward.

List 5754, No. 3. Flagging sidewalks south side of Pacific street, between Albany and Kingston avenues, in front of lot known as Block 125, Lot No. 19, Twenty-fourth Ward.

List 5755, No. 4. Flagging sidewalks west side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, in front of lots known as Block 62, Lots Nos. 1 and 2, Eighth Ward.

List 5756, No. 5. Flagging sidewalks south side of Herkimer street, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, in front of lot known as Block 144, Lot No. 15, Twenty-third Ward.

List 5779, No. 6. Flagging sidewalks south side of Bergen street, between Court and Smith streets, in front of lot known as Block 201, Lot No. 13, Tenth Ward.

List 5780, No. 7. Flagging sidewalks north side of Grattan street, between Knickerbocker and Morgan avenues, in front of lots known as Block 201, Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Eighteenth Ward.

List 5781, No. 8. Flagging sidewalks south side of Moore street, between White and Bogart streets, in front of lots known as Block 178, Lots Nos. 33, 34, 35 and 36, Eighteenth Ward.

List 5782, No. 9. Flagging sidewalks north side of Twenty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, in front of lot known as Block 67, Lot No. 29, Eighth Ward.

List 5783, No. 10. Flagging sidewalks south side of Moore street, between Bushwick avenue and White street, in front of lots known as Block 163, Lots Nos. 36 to 40, inclusive, Eighteenth Ward.

List 5784, No. 11. Flagging sidewalks west side of Rockaway avenue, between St. Mark's avenue and Prospect place, in front of lots known as Block 10, Lots Nos. 42, 58 (old No. 15), 59 (old No. 16), Twenty-sixth Ward.

List 5785, No. 12. Flagging sidewalks south side of Liberty avenue, between Alabama and Williams avenues, in front of lots known as Block 112, Lots Nos. 5, 6 and 7, Twenty-sixth Ward.

List 5834, No. 13. Flagging sidewalks west side of Humboldt street, between Driggs and Nassau avenues, in front of lot known as Block 221, Lot No. 35, Seventeenth Ward.

List 5835, No. 14. Flagging sidewalks north side of Lexington avenue, between Grand and Classon avenues, in front of lots known as Block 73, Lots Nos. 39 to 42, inclusive, Seventh Ward.

List 5836, No. 15. Flagging sidewalks west side of Schenck street (Emerson place), between Lafayette and DeKalb avenues, in front of lot known as Block 54, Lot No. 62, Seventh Ward.

List 5837, No. 16. Fencing east side of Sherman

street, between Adams place and Greenwood avenue, in front of lots known as Block 73, Lots Nos. 42, 43 and 44, Twenty-ninth Ward.

List 5838, No. 17. Fencing west side of Lorimer street, between Bedford and Driggs avenues, in front of lots known as Block 209, Lots Nos. 2 to 5, inclusive, Seventeenth Ward.

List 5839, No. 18. Fencing south side of Stockholm street, between Myrtle and Hamburg avenues, in front of lot known as Block 40, Lot No. 18, Twenty-eighth Ward.

List 5840, No. 19. Flagging sidewalks west side of Garrison street, between Mercein and Front streets, in front of lot known as Block 45, Lot No. 1, Second Ward.

List 5841, No. 20. Fencing north side of Quincy street, between Stuyvesant street and Lewis avenue, in front of lots known as Block 109, Lots Nos. 17, 73, 91 and 92, Twenty-third Ward.

List 5842, No. 21. Fencing north side of Bergen street, between Rockaway and Hopkinson avenues, in front of lot known as Block 231, Lot No. 79, Twenty-fourth Ward.

List 5843, No. 22. Flagging sidewalks on northwest corner of Myrtle and Knickerbocker avenues, in front of lot known as Block 59, Lot No. 1, Twenty-eighth Ward.

List 5844, No. 23. Flagging sidewalks west side of Essex street, between Ridgewood and Arlington avenues, in front of lots known as Block 231, Lots Nos. 42 and 46, Twenty-sixth Ward.

List 5845, No. 24. Fencing south side of Park avenue, between Ryerson street and Grand avenue, in front of lot known as Block 6, Lot No. 96, Seventh Ward.

List 5846, No. 25. Fencing southwest corner of Park and Grand avenues, in front of lot known as Block 6, Lot No. 95, Seventh Ward.

List 5847, No. 26. Fencing east side of Hopkinson avenue, between Marion and Sumpter streets, in front of lots known as Block 109, Lots Nos. 27 and 28, Twenty-fifth Ward.

List 5848, No. 27. Fencing west side of Coney Island avenue, between Adams place and Greenwood avenue, in front of lots known as Block 73, Lots Nos. 20 to 23, inclusive, Twenty-ninth Ward.

List 5849, No. 28. Flagging sidewalks south side of Front street, between Garrison street and the Bridge property, in front of lots known as Block 45, Lot No. 2, Second Ward.

List 5850, No. 29. Fencing west side of Graham avenue, between Van Pelt and Driggs avenues, in front of lots known as Block 218, Lots Nos. 9 and 44, Seventeenth Ward.

List 5851, No. 30. Fencing west side of Central avenue, between George and Noll streets, in front of lots known as Block 43, Lots Nos. 23 to 30, inclusive, Twenty-seventh Ward.

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. South side of Twentieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Block 67, Lot No. 41, Eighth Ward.

No. 2. Southeast corner of Patchen avenue and McDonough street, Block 38, Lot No. 57, Twenty-fifth Ward.

No. 3. South side of Pacific street, between Albany and Kingston avenues, Block 125, Lot No. 19, Twenty-fourth Ward.

No. 4. West side of Fourth avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, Block 62, Lots Nos. 1 and 2, Eighth Ward.

No. 5. South side of Herkimer street, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, Block 144, Lot No. 15, Twenty-third Ward.

No. 6. South side of Bergen street, between Court and Smith streets, Block 201, Lot No. 13, Tenth Ward.

No. 7. North side of Grattan street, between Knickerbocker and Morgan avenues, Block 201, Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Eighteenth Ward.

No. 8. South side of Moore street, between White and Bogart streets, Block 178, Lots Nos. 33, 34, 35 and 36, Eighteenth Ward.

No. 9. North side of Twenty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Block 67, Lot No. 29, Eighth Ward.

No. 10. South side of Moore street, between Bushwick avenue and White street, Block 163, Lots Nos. 36 to 40, inclusive, Eighteenth Ward.

No. 11. West side of Rockaway avenue, between St. Mark's avenue and Prospect place, Block 10, Lots Nos. 42, 58 (old No. 15), 59 (old No. 16), Twenty-sixth Ward.

No. 12. South side of Liberty avenue, between Alabama and Williams avenues, Block 112, Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, Twenty-sixth Ward.

No. 13. West side of Humboldt street, between Driggs and Nassau avenues, Block 221, Lot No. 35, Seventeenth Ward.

No. 14. North side of Lexington avenue, between Grand and Classon avenues, Block 73, Lots Nos. 39 to 42, inclusive, Seventh Ward.

No. 15. West side of Schenck street (Emerson place) between Lafayette and DeKalb avenues, Block 54, Lot No. 62, Seventh Ward.

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No. 29. West side of Graham avenue, between Van Pelt and Driggs avenues, Block 218, Lots Nos. 9 and 44, Seventeenth Ward.

No. 30. West side of Central avenue, between George and Noll streets, Block 43, Lots Nos. 23 to 30, inclusive, Twenty-seventh Ward.

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 April 18, 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. MEYENBORG,
Board of Assessors.

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

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 Stationery will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 1899.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for the entire schedule, as well as for each item, for which they will contract to supply the articles of Stationery, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

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

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, 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.

Samples of all goods, materials, supplies, etc., estimated on and for which bids are submitted must be delivered at the office of the Chief Clerk, when required by the Department.

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

By order of the Board, WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk. NEW YORK, March 14, 1899.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, March 6, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Horses will be sold at public auction, at the salesrooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney No. 130 East Thirtieth Street, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1899,

- at 10 A. M.: Sixty-eighth Precinct; "Dan," No. 325. Twentieth Precinct; "Paddy," No. 26. Thirty-fourth Precinct; "Prince," No. 117. "Jennie," No. 110. "Fordham," No. 116. Thirty-sixth Precinct; "Charlie," No. 142. Thirty-eighth Precinct; "Walter," No. 179. "Tom," No. 170.

Thirty-ninth Precinct: "Colonel," No. 194. Fortieth Precinct: "Fletcher," No. 229. "Topsy," No. 211. By order of the Board of Police, JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, March 3, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in Room No. 1704, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1722, No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN PROSPECT MORGAN, THAIFORD, UNION, ROCKAWAY, CONCKLIN, THROOP, THIRD, FOURTH, SEVENTH, TWELFTH, FIFTEENTH, EIGHTEENTH, TWENTY-THIRD, TWENTY-FIFTH, F. G. L. K AND U AVENUES IN THIRTY-SEVENTH, FORTIETH, FORTY-FOURTH, FIFTY-FIRST, FIFTY-SECOND, FIFTY-THIRD, SIXTIETH, SIXTY-FIRST, SIXTY-FIFTH, SIXTY-SIXTH, SIXTY-SEVENTH, SEVENTY-FIRST, SEVENTY-THIRD, SEVENTY-NINTH, EIGHTIETH, EIGHTY-FIRST, EIGHTY-THIRD, EIGHTY-FIFTH, EIGHTY-EIGHTH, NINETY-THIRD, NINETY-FOURTH, BAY TWENTY-SECOND, TWENTY-EIGHTH AND TWENTY-NINTH, DOUGLASS, DEGRAW, NEWTON, PRESIDENT, HIRROD, AND IN EAST EIGHTH STREETS, AND IN CANARIE ROAD AND ROCKAWAY PARKWAY.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH STOP COCKS, HYDRANTS, WOODEN HYDRANT BOXES, CAST-IRON STOP COCK BOXES AND COVERS, AND MANHOLE HEADS AND COVERS.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH WHITEWOOD PLUGS, LEAD, HYDRANT CAUCHES AND ROLLERS, EYE BOLTS, BRIDGE BOLTS, CASING BOLTS AND HYDRANT STRAPS.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH TAPPING COCKS, TAPPING COCK BOXES, HYDRANT NOZZLES, HYDRANT WASTE COCKS, HYDRANT CAPS AND CHAINS, TWIST AND PLUG DRILLS AND HYDRANT HANDLES, SCREWS AND BRIDGES.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOUBLE-NOZZLE CASE HYDRANTS.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1715

WM. DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1899,

for erecting an addition to Public School 84, Borough of Brooklyn.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. One of the sureties must be a surety company doing business in this city when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or Trust Companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 20, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, JOHN T. BURKE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, JOHN R. THOMPSON, F. DE HASS SIMONSON, Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1899,

for Pianos for Public Schools 49, 159, 160, 164, 165, 166, 167, 169 and 173, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. One of the sureties must be a surety company doing business in this city when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 20, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, JOHN T. BURKE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, JOHN R. THOMPSON, F. DE HASS SIMONSON, Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1899,

for Alterations in and Erecting Additions to Public Schools 63 and 75, Borough of Brooklyn.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases. One of the sureties must be a surety company doing business in this city when the amount of the bid exceeds two thousand dollars.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 17, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, JOHN T. BURKE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, JOHN R. THOMPSON, F. DE HASS SIMONSON, Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1899,

for erecting a new school building on One Hundred and first and One Hundred and Second streets, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, Borough of Manhattan; also for alterations in and erecting addition to Public School 70, Borough of Brooklyn.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon, or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that, on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 13, 1899.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899,

for new Furniture for Public School 164, Borough of The Bronx.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, March 13, 1899.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899,

for erecting an addition to Public School 46, One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, March 10, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, JOHN T. BURKE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, JOHN R. THOMPSON, F. DE HASS SIMONSON, Committee on Buildings

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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1899,

for Alterations, etc., to Public School 69 and adjoining building, No. 123 West Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, March 8, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, GEORGE LIVINGSTON, JOHN T. BURKE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, JOHN R. THOMPSON, F. DE HASS SIMONSON, Committee on Buildings.

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

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

Dated New York, March 4, 1899.

DANIEL LORD, WARREN W. FOSTER, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

PROPOSALS FOR BRUSHES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, PAINTS AND OILS AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS FOR THE YEAR 1899.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, IN CONFORMITY WITH SAMPLES AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1899.

BRUSHES.

- 505. 12 dozen 6-o Paint Brushes.
506. 12 dozen Sash Tools, No. 6.
507. 12 dozen Sash Tools, No. 8.
508. 1 dozen Stencil Brushes, No. 3.
509. 12 dozen Lather Brushes.
510. 8 dozen 3-o Varnish Brushes, oval.
511. 2 dozen Varnish Brushes, flat.
512. 18 dozen Fitches, assorted, 1 1/2 to 1 1/2.
513. 10 dozen Feather Dusters, No. 20.
514. 1 dozen Roofing Brushes, 3 knots, with handles.
515. 36 dozen Nail Brushes, "Tampico," 5 rows.
516. 6 dozen Lettering Pencils, assorted.
517. 2 dozen Lettering Brushes, 1-inch.
518. 1 dozen Stripping Brushes, 1 1/2-inch.
519. 1 dozen Grainers' Blenders, 4 inches.

CROCKERY, ETC., COMMON.

- 527. 25 gross Handled Mugs.
528. 15 gross Chambers, large.
529. 2 gross Chambers, small.
530. 12 gross Spit Cups.
531. 2 gross Feed Cups.
532. 20 gross each Cups and Saucers.
533. 40 gross Bowls.
534. 8 gross Male Urinals.
535. 1 gross Female Urinals.
536. 1 gross Pitchers, 1-pint.
537. 1 gross Pitchers, 1 quart.
538. 3 gross Pitchers, 2-quart.
539. 2 gross Pitchers, 3-quart.
540. 1 gross Pitchers, 4-quart.
541. 20 gross Dinner Plates.
542. 15 gross Soup Plates.
543. 2 gross each Ewers and Basins.
544. 1 gross Soap Dishes.
545. 6 gross Bed Pans.
546. 1 gross Earthen Spittoons.
547. 1 gross Lime Dishes.
548. 1/2 gross Solution Bowls.
549. 1/4 gross Slop Jars, without covers.
550. 2 gross Tumblers.
551. 12 dozen Tubular Lantern Globes, Dietz & Victor.

- 552. 24 dozen Railroad Lantern Globes.
553. 30 dozen Lamp Chimneys, Acme, Rochester, Miller, etc.

- 554. 12 dozen Student Lamp Chimneys.
555. 24 dozen Argand Lamp Chimneys.
556. 6 dozen Vegetable Dishes, large, covered.
557. 2 dozen Vegetable Dishes, large, oval.
558. 4 dozen Vegetable Dishes, side.
559. 36 dozen Vegetable Dishes.
560. 4 dozen W. G. Meat Platters, 1 1/2 large, 1 1/2 medium, and 1 small.

- 561. 6 Station Lamps (Street Gas Lamps complete).
562. 1 dozen Bracket Lamps, Miller's.
563. 6 dozen Yellow Mixing Bowls, 14-inch.
564. 2 dozen Syrup Pitchers.
565. 1 dozen Spoon Holders.
566. 25 Toilet Sets, Ewer, Basin, Slop-jar, Soap-dish, semi-vitreous (Department Pattern).

- 567. 2 dozen Vinegar Cruets.
568. 1 dozen Baking Dishes.
569. 10 dozen Glass Salts.
570. 10 dozen Glass Peppers.
571. 12 dozen Glass Sauce Dishes.
572. 4 dozen Glass Salts, Individual.
573. 20 dozen 5-inch Glass Globes, opal or ground.
574. 6 dozen Smoke Bells.
575. 3 dozen Yellow Pie Plates, 14-inch.
576. 1 dozen Glass Fruit Dishes.
577. 4 dozen Soup Tureens, with ladles.
578. 4 dozen Mustard Pots, with spoons.
579. 3 dozen Preserve Dishes.
580. 12 dozen Covered Butter Dishes.
581. 50 dozen Individual Butters.
582. 1 dozen China Bowls.
583. 10 dozen Sugar Bowls.
584. 2 dozen Glass Celery Dishes.
585. 9-12 dozen Gas Drop Lamps, with green shades and hose connection.

CROCKERY, DEPARTMENT PATTERN.

- 593. 9 Dinner Sets, 126 pieces, as per list.
594. 30 dozen Cups.
595. 30 dozen Saucers.
596. 30 dozen Plates, soup, 9-inch.
597. 30 dozen Plates, dinner, 9 1/2-inch.
598. 30 dozen Plates, dessert, 6 1/2-inch.
599. 24 dozen Plates, breakfast, 9-inch.
600. 24 dozen Plates, tea, 7 1/2-inch.
601. 7 dozen Pitchers, 1-pint.
602. 1 dozen Pitchers, 1 quart.
603. 7 dozen Pitchers, 2-quart.
604. 7 dozen Pitchers, 3-quart.
605. 6 dozen Pitchers, 4 1/2-quart.
607. 1 dozen each Ewers and Basins, semi-vitreous.
608. 1 dozen Soap Dishes, semi-vitreous.
609. 4 gross Tumblers for Staff, with Department monogram.

HARNESS AND STABLE SUPPLIES.

- 616. 30 Stable Blankets.
617. 30 Horse Blankets.
618. 1 dozen Saddle Pads.
619. 3 dozen Surchings.
620. 2 dozen Halters, with chains.

- 621. 18 only Breeching Straps, extra heavy.
622. 3 dozen Hame Straps.
623. 2 dozen Pole Straps.
624. 20 pairs Reins.
625. 3 sets Reins, double.
626. 6 dozen Harness Snaps.
627. 1/2 gross Pole Snaps.
628. 1/2 gross Breeching Snaps.
629. 1/2 gross Bit snaps.
630. 12 Bridles, open face.
631. 12 Bridles, ambulance.
632. 6 sets Patent Harness, single.
633. 3 sets Patent Harness, double.
634. 3 sets Wagon Harness.
635. 1 set Buggy Harness.
636. 1 dozen Straps, tug.
637. 2 dozen Trace Bearers.
638. 4 dozen Jointed Bits.
639. 2 Wagon Jack, iron.
640. 1 dozen Backing Straps.
641. 1 set Single Harness, dead wagon.
642. 1 Dutch Collar, with clasp on side.
643. 1 dozen Horse Boots, 1/2 dozen each F. & H.
644. 12 dozen Harness Pouches.
645. 1 dozen Mane Combs.
646. 12 dozen Curry Combs.
647. 1 dozen Whiffletree Snaps.
648. 1 dozen Whiffletree Shackles.
649. 1 dozen patent Whiffletree Ends.
650. 1 dozen Sweat Pads.
651. 1 dozen Patent Harness Hangers, single.
652. 2-12 dozen Patent Harness Hangers, double.
653. 1 dozen Ambulance Side Lamps.
654. 6-12 dozen Brass Lanterns, doctors'.
655. 1 Buggy Apron.
656. 1 Cab Apron.
657. 3 Ambulance Aprons.
658. 2 60-pound Weights.
659. 6 Ambulance 11-inch Bells, rotary, nickel finish, push, "New Departure Bell Company."

HARDWARE, ETC.

- 662. 2 dozen pans Harness Dressing.
663. 6 rolls Lamp Wick, round.
667. 50 kegs (100 pounds each) Cut Nails, 2-4, 8-6, 16-8, 12-10, 8-12, 2-20, 1-30, 1-60.
668. 7 kegs (100 pounds each) Finishing Nails, 2-6, 2-8, 1-10, 1-12, 1-20.
669. 50 papers Finishing Nails, each 1/2 and 3/4.
670. 100 papers, each, Finishing Nails, 1, 1 1/4 and 1 1/2.
671. 50 papers, each, Finishing Nails, 1 1/4 and 2.
672. 1 keg each 6, 8 and 10 Wrought Nails.
673. 1 keg each Roofing Nails, black and tinned.
674. 1 keg Galvanized Iron Nails, 1 1/2.
675. 1 keg Slate nails.
676. 2 dozen Bench Hatchets.
677. 1 dozen Butcher's Cleavers, 6-12 No. 2, 6-12 No. 3.
678. 2 dozen Can Openers.
679. 2 dozen Files, Flat Bastard, 14-inch K. & F.
680. 2 dozen Files, Half Round Bastard, 14-inch K. & F.
681. 25 dozen Files, Taper Saw, 5-3, 5-4, 6-5, 6-6, 3-7.
682. 12 dozen Files, Key, assorted.
683. 12 dozen Files, Warding bast, assorted, 3-inch to 6-inch.
684. 6 dozen Files, Rat Tail, assorted, O. Bastard.
685. 6 dozen Files, Round, assorted, O. Bastard.
686. 4 dozen Hay Forks.
687. 1 dozen Pitchforks.
688. 3 dozen Manure Forks, 4-prong.
689. 2 dozen Garden Hoes.
690. 12 dozen Glass Cutters Woodward Tool.
691. 5 dozen Carpenter's Claw Hammers.
692. 2 dozen Shoemaker's Hammers, No. 4.
693. 2 dozen Tack Hammers, No. 30, P. S. & W.
694. 2 dozen Lath Hatchets, No. 2.
695. 6 gross Hat and Coat Hooks, japanned, No. 210.
696. 15 gross Screw Hooks, assorted, as called for, Nos. 1, 3, 5, 9, 11.
697. 15 gross Screw Eyes, assorted, as called for, Nos. 1, 3, 5, 9, 11, large eye.
698. 2 dozen Garden Spades "Ames," D handle, No. 3.
699. 6 dozen Carving Knives.
700. 6 dozen Carving Forks.
701. 3 dozen Butcher's Knives, 6-12 each, 6 and 9, 2 dozen to inches.
702. 2 dozen Putty Knives.
703. 1/2 dozen Painter's Hack Knives.
704. 1/2 dozen Sheath Knives.
705. 1 dozen Painter's Broad Knives.
706. 200 Sails Needles, assorted.
707. 20 dozen Carpenter's Pencils.
708. 10 dozen Carpenter's Two-foot Rules.
709. 20 dozen razors, No. 752 Wade & Butcher.
710. 2 dozen Hair Clippers, Browne & Sharp, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, as ordered.
711. 3 dozen Garden Rakes, curved teeth, iron.
712. 1/2 dozen Garden Rakes, straight teeth, iron.
713. 3 dozen Hay Rakes, wood.
714. 1 dozen Horse Raps, 18-inch.
715. 1 large Coffee Mills, Enterprise, No. 16.
716. 1 Small Coffee Mill, Enterprise, No. 7.
717. 4 dozen Shoe Rasps; 3-9 inch, 1-10 inch.
718. 600 gross Iron Screws, 1/2-inch, No. 4, to 2-inch, No. 14.
719. 60 dozen pairs Iron Butts, assorted.
720. 24 dozen 5-inch Gas Globe Holders.
721. 4 dozen Vegetable Knives.
722. 20 dozen Iron Padlocks, No. 1058.
723. 10 dozen Brass Padlocks, assorted.
724. 6-12 dozen Scythe Snaths, O. O. patent.
725. 2 dozen Scythe Stones.
726. 8 dozen Barber's Shears, 8-inch, Heinisch.
727. 6-12 dozen Lamp Trimmers.
728. 6 dozen Iron Cooking Spoons; 2 dozen each large, medium and small.
729. 4 dozen Iron Basting Spoons; 2 dozen large, 1 dozen medium, 1 dozen small.
730. 3 dozen Iron Broilers, re-tinned; 1 dozen large, 2 dozen medium, L. & G.
731. 2 dozen Toasting Broilers, wire, tinned; 1 dozen large, 1 dozen medium.
732. 3 dozen Frying Pans, assorted sizes, Acme.
733. 1 dozen Trowels, brick.
734. 1 dozen Trowels, plastering.
735. 1 dozen Trowels, pointing, 5-inch.
736. 6 dozen Sad Irons, 7 and 8 pounds.
737. 3 dozen Troy Polishing Irons.
738. 3 dozen 5-inch Flush Bolts, brass, 1/2-inch.
739. 2 dozen 6-inch Barrel Bolts, wrought-iron.
740. 1 dozen Hand Truck Wheels, 9-inch, 1-inch hole, 3-inch tread.
741. 2 dozen Saws, Rip, Disston No. 9, 16 inches to 22 inches.
742. 3 dozen Saws, Cross Cut, Disston No. 9, 16 inches to 22 inches.
743. 1 dozen Saws, Compass, Disston No. 2, 10 inches to 12 inches.
744. 1 dozen Saws, Back, Disston No. 4, 8 inches to 14 inches.
745. 10 sets Auger Bits, full and complete, 3 1/2 extra Bits 13, 1 each, 4 to 16-16.
746. 4 sets Gimlet Bits, full and complete, "Acme Tool-chest No. 4."
747. 1 dozen Auger Braces, Fray's Improved, 14-inch sweep.
748. 12 dozen Heavy Strap Hinges, 2 6-inch, 4 8-inch, 4 10-inch, 2 12 inch.
749. 12 dozen Heavy T Hinges, 2 6-inch, 4 8-inch, 4 10-inch, 2 12-inch.
750. 12 sets Firmer Chisels, handled, full and complete, R. & E., No. 200.
751. 1 dozen Planes, Jack, first quality.
752. 1 dozen Planes, Fore, first quality.
753. 1 dozen Planes, Smoothing, first quality.
754. 1 dozen Planes, Match, assorted, 1/2-inch, 3/4-inch, 5/8-inch, 3/4-inch and 1-inch.
755. 1 dozen Planes, Bead, 3/4-inch to 1-inch.
756. 3 dozen Screw Drivers, 1 dozen 8-inch, 1 dozen 10-inch, 1 dozen 12-inch, Sargent's No. 60.

- 757. 3 dozen Try Squares, 1 dozen 8-inch, 1 dozen 10-inch, 1/2 dozen 6-inch, 1/2 dozen 12-inch.
758. 6 dozen Ice Picks.
759. 2 dozen Chopping or Mincing Knives.
760. 8 dozen Flesh Forks, retinned, 4 each 15-inch and 24-inch, 3-prong.
761. 15,000 pounds Mattress Wire, No. 20.
762. 1,200 Bolts, 5-inch by 3/4-inch, for making wire mattresses.
763. 1,200 Set Screws, 2 1/2-inch by 1/2-inch, with sockets, for making wire mattresses.
764. 4-12 dozen Waffle Irons, oval.
765. 1-12 dozen Wagon Clippers, hand power.
766. 3 dozen Ambulance Lamp Cups.
767. 3-12 dozen Steel Scrapers for butcher blocks.
768. 3-12 Steel Brushes for butcher blocks.
769. 12 dozen Corkscrews.
770. 6-12 dozen Wire Dish Cloths.
771. 6-12 dozen Japanned Trays, oval, 18-inch, No. 395.
772. 2-12 dozen Pancake Turners, 18-inch, No. 160.
773. 1 dozen Squeezes, large, long-handled.
774. 1 Baby Scale, E. 1913, Kny-Scheerer Catalogue.
775. 2 Sewing Machines, W. & W., No. 15.
776. 3 Sewing Machines, Tailors', Singer, No. 27, 5-drawer cabinet table, double lock-stitch, vibrating shuttle.
777. 12 dozen Plain Brass Door Knobs, 2-inch, with spindles.
778. 24 dozen Blank Keys, steel.
779. 6 dozen Key Blanks, brass.
780. 5 barrels Hydraulic Cement.
781. 3 four-light Gas Fixtures, No. 9384, M. V. & Co. Catalogue.
782. 12 three-light Gas Fixtures, with globes, No. 9384, M. V. & Co. Catalogue.
783. 2 Plum Pudding Molds, No. 10.
784. 2 Meat Cutters, Small, "Home" No. 2.
785. 6-12 dozen Pudding Dishes.
786. 70 pounds Blind Staples, 1/2-inch and 3/4-inch.
787. 3 dozen each, Galvanized Staples, 2 and 3-inch.
788. 3 dozen Sash Buttons, japanned, 2-inch.
789. 1 dozen Bureau Drawer Handles, brass, 4-inch, plain.
790. 3 dozen 3-inch Blunt Point S Hooks, No. 7, wrought-iron.
791. 1 Eclipse Door Spring, bronze plated, for heavy outside door, No. 1257 Sargent.
792. 1 Sargent's Service Bench Vise, 3 1/2-inch jaw.
793. 24 sets Iron Castors, No. 903 horn.
794. 1 set Grindstone Fixtures, 19-inch shaft.
795. 2 dozen Corner Brackets, 4 by 4 inches.
796. 6-12 dozen Yale Spring Locks, 4 keys each, for 2-inch door.
797. 9 Bars each, 3-8, 1-2 and 5-8 o Iron.
798. 7 bundles 1/2-inch Hoop Iron.
799. 3 Ice Cream Freezers, 1-gallon packer.
800. 2 dozen Hair Clippers, spring, B. & S., assorted.
801. 1 dozen Pruning Knives, Levine No. 1.
802. 1/2 gross Harness Hooks, No. 0, 8-inch, japanned.
803. 1 dozen Ice Box Catchers, brass, No. 4, 4-inch.
804. 6 bundles No. 14 Russia Sheet Iron.
805. 500 pounds Round Iron, assorted sizes.
806. 5 bundles 1-inch Band Iron.
807. 4,000 pounds Flat Iron, assorted sizes, as ordered.
808. 2 bars 1 1/2-inch Steel.
809. 1 Bar Knife Steel.
810. 2 bars 3/4-inch Steel, octagon.
811. 30 sheets Tinned Copper, 4 feet by 11 inches, 16 ounces.
812. 1 dozen Tailor's Irons (goose), weighing 16 to 20 pounds each.
813. 3 dozen Drawer Locks.
814. 4 dozen Wardrobe Locks.
815. 3 dozen Rim Locks.
816. 4 dozen Closet Locks.
817. 4 dozen Sash Fasteners, No. 8000, Kahala Bronze.
818. 24 dozen Sash Pulleys, Empire, plain, 12 1/4-inch, 12 2-inch.
819. 1 dozen pairs Brass Hinges, 2 1/2-inch, cast.
820. 3 dozen pairs Brass Butts, 2 1/2-inch, cast.
821. 3 dozen pairs Brass Locket Castors, 1-inch wheel.
822. 110 rolls Green Wire Cloth, 24 inches and 36 inches.
823. 1 dozen Double Plane Irons, assorted.
824. 1 dozen Spoke Shaves, iron, No. 2.
825. 2 dozen Tailor Shears, Heinisch, No. 9.
826. 3 Copper Bolts, 2 feet by 1 1/2 inches.
827. 24 dozen Iron Buttons, with plates, japanned.
828. 3-12 dozen Ratchet Braces, No. 129, 10-inch steel sweep.
829. 6 Tinner's Hand Snips, No. 1.
830. 75 boxes Brass Head Chair Nails.
831. 100 pounds each, Horse Shoe Nails, Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9.
832. 200 dozen Paper Carpet Tacks, 2 to 12 ounces, half weights.
833. 48 dozen Ward Thermometers.
834. 2 gross Tailor's Thimbles.
835. 10 Lawn Mowers, 18-inch, new model.
836. 3 12 dozen Reamer Bits.
837. 3-12 dozen 2-foot Steel Squares No. 3.
838. 2-12 dozen Carpenter's Bevels, 12-inch blade.
839. 6-12 dozen Wood Files, 10-inch, half round.
840. 3-12 dozen Wood Files, 10-inch, flat.
841. 12 dozen 3-inch Iron Closet Locks, No. 158 Eagle.
842. 10 dozen 2 1/2-inch Iron Drawer Locks, No. 369 Eagle.
843. 4 dozen 4-inch Mortise Locks, knob, complete, with knobs and spindles, No. 553.
844. 4 dozen 3-inch Mortise Locks, knob, complete, with knobs and spindles, No. 5010.
845. 20 dozen 2 by 2 1/2-inch Bronze Drawer Pulls.
846. 2 dozen Bunsen Burners.
847. 600 pounds Sash Weights.
848. 4 dozen Brad Awns, assorted, with handles.
849. 4 dozen Shelf Brackets, assorted, japanned, 6 by 8, 7 by 9, 6 by 9, No. 790 Stanley.
850. 1 dozen Back Flaps, as per sample.
851. 6 dozen Bronze H. & C. Hooks, Triple No. 215.
852. 6-12 dozen 12-inch Chain Bolts, japanned.
853. 9-12 dozen 3-pound Copper Soldering Irons, pointed.
854. 3 dozen Double Action Brass Screen Butts, 4-inch.
855. 3 dozen Brass Rods, 3/4-inch by 28 inches.
856. 1 dozen Lantern Burners, complete, for tubular lanterns.
857. 6 gross Bull Dog Clips.
858. 3 Bandage Rollers (sample at Bellevue Hospital).
859. 50 Carriage Bolts, 3/4-inch by 3/4-inch.
860. 2 dozen Egg Whips, Dover, No. 2.
861. 2,000 feet 1/2-inch Rubber Hose with couplings and nozzles for each 50 feet length, granite, 3-ply.
862. 15 dozen 1 1/2-inch Porcelain Drawer Knobs.
863. 1 dozen 2 1/2-inch Cupboard Catchers.
864. 3 dozen Noiseless Socket Castors, 1-inch Roller.
865. 6 dozen Welsbach Mantles.
866. 2 dozen 10-inch Flour Sieves.
867. 1 gross Door Buttons, No. 2, japanned, flat, assorted sizes.
868. 2 gross Brass Hook and Eyes, heavy pattern, assorted, 1-inch to 2 1/2-inch.
869. 24 Bath Tubs, agate, Lalance & Grosjean, No. 50.
870. 1 Plough, Oliver chill, No. 20 iron wheel.
871. 1 pair Grocery Scales, small Fairbanks', No. 536.
872. 1 dozen Dough Scrapers.
873. 6-12 dozen Oil Squirt Cans, 1/2-pint, brass.
874. 6-12 dozen Saw Sets, Leach, No. 0.

- 885. 6-12 dozen Carpenter's Pincers, assorted, 10-inch wrought-iron, P. S. jaw.
- 886. 1 dozen Wooden Hand Screws, 1-inch screw, 9 inches open.
- 887. 2-12 dozen Wooden Mallets, No. 3, hickory, mortised handle.
- 888. 3-12 dozen Rose Bits for Wood, 1/2-inch counter-sink.
- 889. 2-12 dozen Rose Bits for Iron, 1/2-inch counter-sink.
- 890. 6-12 dozen Monkey Wrenches, 10-inch, Coe's.
- 891. 6-12 dozen Cold Chisels, assorted.
- 892. 3-12 dozen Screw Driver Bits.
- 893. 0-12 dozen Bench Screws, iron, 1 inch by 1 1/2 inches.
- 894. 6-12 dozen Countersinks, assorted.
- 895. 1-12 dozen Side Filetters, Russel & Irwin, No. 149.
- 896. 3-12 dozen Carpenter's Gauges.
- 897. 1 set Drill Bits, 1 dozen, 2 to 13-32.
- 898. 1,000 pounds Horse Shoes, F. & H., 300 No. 3, 400 No. 4, 600 No. 5, 300 No. 6, 200 No. 7, Goodenough.
- 899. 2 dozen Nail Sets, Jennings' regular assortment.
- 900. 3 gross Hooks and Eyes, each, 3 and 4, bright wire.
- 901. 3 dozen Ceiling Hooks, No. 120, japanned.
- 902. 1 dozen pairs Loose Butts, 5-inch by 5-inch, wrought-iron.
- 903. 1 dozen Door Latches, japanned, No. 1.
- 904. 2 dozen Door Catches, 2 1/2-inch iron, No. 28, porcelain knob.
- 905. 2 dozen 4-inch Key Ward Files, bastard.
- 906. 10 papers Copper Rivets and Burrs, assorted, No. 8.
- 907. 3 Steel Griddles, round, No. 8.
- 908. 2 Copper Ice Lemon Moulds, 1 quart.
- 909. 1 Kitchen Scale Medium, Fairbank's Union, No. 500.
- 910. 2 dozen Boning Knives.
- 911. 1 gross Iron Skewers, tinned.
- 912. 1 10-gallon Boiler, heavy.
- 913. TIN, IRON, STEEL, ETC.
- 915. 35 boxes Tin, 14 by 20, X Melwyn grade.
- 916. 60 boxes Tin, 14 by 20, XX Melwyn grade.
- 917. 20 boxes Tin, 14 by 20, XXX Melwyn grade.
- 918. 10 boxes Tin, 12 by 18, XX Melwyn grade.
- 919. 5,000 pounds Galvanized Sheet Iron, No. 24, 24 by 34.
- 920. 1,800 pounds Common Sheet Iron, No. 24, 24 by 34.
- 921. 2,000 pounds R. G. Sheet Iron, Nos. 22 and 24, 24 by 34.
- 922. 700 sheets Zinc, No. 9, 36 by 84.
- 923. 36 sheets Tinned Sheet Copper, 16 ounces.
- 924. 700 pounds Black Tin.
- 925. 38 bundles Iron Wire, 63 pounds to bundle, Nos. 6-4, 14-6, 6-8, 4-10, 4-12, 4-14.
- 926. 10 stones Annealed Wire, No. 18, for stoves, 17 pounds to stone.
- 927. 8 bundles Toe Cork Steel.
- 928. 12 dozen Tinned Iron Saucepan Handles, 4 6-quart, 4 8-quart, 4 10-quart.
- GRANITE IRON WARE.
- 937. 1 dozen Stove Pots, assorted sizes, 3 each, Nos. 606, 607, 608, 609, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 938. 2 dozen Soup Stock Pots with cover and faucet, No. 117, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 939. 6-12 dozen Pudding Pans, No. 201, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 940. 1 dozen Pus Basins, No. 2, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 941. 3-12 dozen Cake Turners, No. 13, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 944. 2-12 dozen Preserve Kettles, 4-quart, No. 6, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 945. 1 dozen Kitchen spoons, large, No. 14, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 946. 2-12 dozen 1-quart Measures, No. 04, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 947. 2-12 dozen 1-pint Measures, No. 03, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 948. 2-12 dozen Egg Poachers, Silver's 6-ring.
- 949. 1 dozen Square French Pans, Favorite, 10 inches, 12 inches, 14 inches, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 950. 1 4-12 dozen Funnels, No. 54, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 957. 1 dozen Jelly Molds, No. 50, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 958. 2 dozen Pudding Pans, No. 202, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 959. 2 dozen Seamless Wash Basins, No. 34, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 960. 1 dozen Milk Pails, No. 5, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 961. 3 dozen Coffee Pots, assorted sizes, Acme, Nos. 101 1/2, 102 1/2, 104 1/2, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 962. 3 dozen Tea Pots, assorted sizes, Acme, Nos. 101, 102, 104, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 963. 7-6-12 dozen Stew Pans, Assorted sizes, from 1 quart to 4 quarts, Figs. 14, 16, 18, 22, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 964. 1 dozen Bake Pans, Figs. 101, 123, 165, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 965. 6-12 dozen Drip Pans, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 967. 2 dozen Pie Plates, No. 9, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 968. 9-12 dozen Rice Boilers, Fig. 53, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 970. 1 dozen Water Pails, 4-gallon, with spout and handle, Fig. 31, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 971. 6-12 dozen Covered Slop Pails, 4-gallon, Fig. 30, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 972. 8-12 dozen Foot Bath Tubs, Fig. 2, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 973. 1-12 dozen Tea Urns, 6-gallon, Fig. 25, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 974. 2 1/2 dozen Tea Kettles, Fig. 36, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 975. 3-12 dozen Fish Kettles, Fig. 24 1/2, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 976. 1-12 dozen Bread Raisers, large, Fig. 21, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 977. 1 1/2 dozen Long Handled Spoons, Fig. 20, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 978. 6-12 dozen Round Trays, 12-inch, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 979. 3 dozen Oblong Trays, 15-inch, Fig. 115, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 980. 2-12 dozen Tea Trays, Fig. 216, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 981. 6-12 dozen Skimmers, Fig. 9, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 982. 6-12 dozen Dippers, Fig. 9, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 984. 6-12 dozen Cullenders, Fig. 1306, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 985. 2-12 dozen 6-Gallon Pots, Fig. 24, L. & G. Catalogue.
- 986. 4-12 dozen 9-Gallon Pots, Fig. 36, L. & G. Catalogue.
- MISCELLANEOUS.
- 991. 100 Mat Maker's Needles.
- 992. 50 barrels Chloride of Lime.
- 993. 100 pounds Muric Acid.
- 994. 100 dozen Shoe Blacking, "Bixbv's No. 3."
- 995. 2 kips Chamois Skins.
- 996. 3 gross Crayon, School.
- 997. 4 gross Crayon, Tailor's, 1 each, red, white, blue and black.
- 998. 100 pounds Lamp Chalk.
- 999. 80,000 Sewing Needles, sharps "Milward's," 24-3, 24-4, 16-5, 8-6, 4-7, 4-8.
- 1000. 8 gross Sewing Machine Needles, assorted, Singer & Co.
- 1001. 8 gross Sewing Machine Needles, assorted, Wheeler & Wilson.
- 1002. 50 pounds Hair Pins.
- 1003. 150 pounds Persian Insect Powder.
- 1004. 2 dozen Razor Straps.
- 1005. 2 dozen Razor Hones.
- 1006. 2 dozen Carpenter's Oil Stones.
- 1007. 1 dozen Carpenter's Oil Slips.
- 1008. 167 dozen Fans, palm leaf.
- 1009. 150 pounds Powdered Rotten Stone.
- 1010. 200 pounds Coarse Sponge.
- 1011. 75 dozen Spectacles, No. 6 to No. 24, each dozen.

- 1012. 24 quires Emery Cloth, 5-0, 5-1/2, 5-1, 5-1 1/2, 5-2.
- 1013. 6 reams Sand Paper, 1/2-0, 1 1/2, 2-1, 1 1/2-1 1/2, 1 1/2-2, 1 1/2-3.
- 1014. 10 dozen Papier Mache Pails "Best."
- 1015. 6 dozen Papier Mache Spittoons "Best."
- 1016. 6 dozen boxes tapers.
- 1017. 1 dozen Taper Holders, Houchin "Diamond" No. 316.
- 1018. 4 dozen No. 2 Rochester Stand Lamps, complete, with 10-inch dome shades.
- 1019. 4 dozen No. 2 Miller Stand Lamps, complete, with 10-inch dome shades.
- 1020. 4 dozen Tubular Lanterns "Victor."
- 1021. 2 gross B Wick.
- 1022. 2 gross D Wick.
- 1023. 400 yards A. Wick.
- 1024. 20 pounds Ball Lamp Wick.
- 1025. 16 Dinner Bells, 6-inch.
- 1026. 7 Dinner Bells, 10-inch.
- 1027. 1 dozen Bracket Lamps.
- 1028. 10 dozen Bracket Lamps Chimneys.
- 1029. 10 dozen Lantern Globes.
- 1030. 1 Water Sterilizer, Kny, 25-gallon.
- 1031. 15,000 Hard Brick, Common, North river.
- 1032. 1 cargo Sand (about 300 cubic yards), to be delivered alongside, at Blackwell's Island.
- 1033. 129 Eight-day clocks, D. O. Time, Ansonia, Walnut or Oak.
- 1034. 12 Office Clocks, Eight-day, Regulator "A," Walnut or Oak.
- 1035. 6 dozen Gold Dust Washing Powder, 1-pound packages.
- 1036. 1 dozen Main Springs for Clocks, Ansonia Eight-day, D. O. Time.
- 1037. 200 pieces 8-foot Gas Tubing.
- 1038. 6 balls Window Cord.
- 1039. 4 barrels Chlor. Naphtholeum "West Disinfecting Company."
- 1042. 40 gallons Extra Refined Disinfectant, "West Disinfecting Company."
- 1043. 12 barrels Hydro Cresol.
- 1044. 2 dozen Wristlets, Humane Society.
- 1045. 1 dozen Belts, Humane Society.
- 1046. 3 dozen each Ruby and White Glass Plates, 5 1/2 x 4 1/2, for Ambulance Side Lamps.
- 1047. 3 Folding Bath-tubs, "Neal."
- 1048. 1 Bowl Stand, with bowl and Socket, Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17330.
- 1049. 2 Wheel Tables, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 16833.
- 1050. 1 Formaldehyde Fumigator No. 2, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue.
- 1052. 4 each Porcelain Trays, 9 1/2 by 7 and 11 by 9, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17750.
- 1054. 4 dozen Milk Sterilizer Bottles, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 16793.
- 1055. 4-12 dozen Steel Porcelain Pitchers, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17550.
- 1056. 8-12 dozen Steel Porcelain Basins, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17434.
- 1057. 1/2 dozen Dressing Basins, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17868.
- 1058. 2 Irrigators, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue.
- 1062. 2 Dressing Buckets, as per Kny & Scheerer's Catalogue, Fig. 17635.
- 1063. 2-12 dozen Potatoe Slicers.
- 1064. 3-12 dozen Wire Salad Shakers.
- 1065. 3-12 dozen Pastry Jiggers.
- 1066. 2 dozen Larding Needles.
- 1067. 10 gallons Melosine.
- 1068. 1 Platform Truck, with fifth wheel, size 2 feet 10 inches by 3 feet 10 inches, Pugsley & Chapman's Catalogue.
- 1069. 1 Extension Ladder.
- 1071. 1 Circular Saw, with pulley and spindle, 16 inches, with table, stand, shaft, pulleys and boxes complete.
- 1072. 2 Refrigerators, 6-foot, Lorillard's.
- 1073. 16 rolls Tar Felt Roofing, double thick.
- 1074. 3 pounds Tin Caps.
- 1075. 1 dozen Welsbach Burners, with globes and chimney complete.
- 1076. 500 feet Wood and Rubber Weather Strips, with cushion edge.
- 1077. 400 pounds Ammonia Water, carboys to be returned, per pound.
- 1078. 2 Typewriters, Remington No. 6.
- 1079. 1 Typewriter for Bookwork, "Fisher Book and Letter."
- 1080. 2,000 Flower Pots, 300 2 1/2, 200 4, 1,200 5, 200 6, 100 8.
- 1081. 15 gallons Indelible Ink, in gallon and half-gallon packages, as required.
- 1082. 48 rolls Resin Sized Sheathing Paper No. 1.
- 1083. 1 Underwriter Fire Extinguisher.
- 1084. 6 Baker's Peels, 14-inch iron blade, wooden handle.
- 1085. 2 pounds Prepared Glue, Cooper's.
- 1086. 36 Marble Tiles, each, white and black, 12 1/2 inches square.
- 1087. 36,000 Dennison's Tags, 5 G.
- 1088. 2 dozen Argand Burners.
- 1089. 2 Hand Trucks, large, Ames No. 4, with cast-iron bars, for barrels.
- 1090. 9 bundles Cane.
- 1091. 50 pounds Camphor.
- 1092. 20 bundles French Willow.
- 1093. 500 pounds Rattan.
- 1094. 200 pounds Reed.
- 1095. 8 bundles Cows; two 3/4 inch by 3 feet 6 inches, two 1/2 inch by 3 feet 6 inches, four 3/8 inch by 3 feet 6 inches.
- WOODENWARE, ETC.
- 1095. 100 cases best Toilet Paper, 100 rolls in case.
- 1096. 6 dozen Toilet Paper Holders.
- 1097. 200 gross Safety Matches, Three Stars or Vulcan.
- 1098. 24 dozen Chair Seats, 6 1/2, 12 1/2, 6 20-inch.
- 1099. 12 dozen Chair Backs.
- 1100. 5 gross Fly Paper, Tanglefoot.
- 1101. 22 dozen Wooden Spoons; 3 small, 4 medium 5 large.
- 1102. 8 dozen Washboards.
- 1103. 4 dozen Washtubs, cedar, galvanized-iron hoops, large.
- 1104. 12 dozen Mouse Traps.
- 1105. 6 dozen Rat Traps.
- 1106. 4-12 dozen 4-quart Measures, wooden cylindrical.
- 1107. 6 Clothes Wringers, large, "Universal" No. 12.
- 1108. 1 dozen Rolling Pins, wooden, 16 inches.
- 1109. 100 Ash Tops, 2,000 Legs, 4,000 Dowels, to make wood stools.
- SILVER PLATED WARE.
- 1112. 50 dozen Silver Plated Knives, triple plate, to be etched with Department's monogram.
- 1113. 50 dozen Silver Plated Forks, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1114. 52 dozen Silver Plated Tea Spoons, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1115. 52 dozen Silver Plated Table Spoons, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1116. 2 dozen Silver Plated Sugar Spoons, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1117. 12 dozen Silver Plated Dessert Spoons, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1118. 3 dozen Silver Plated Butter Knives, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1119. 6-12 dozen Silver Plated Soup Ladles, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1121. 6-12 dozen Silver Plated Call Bells, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1122. 1 dozen Silver Plated Pickle Forks, sectional plate, with monogram stamped.
- 1123. 16 coils 9-thread Manila Rope.
- 1124. 3 coils 15-thread Manila Rope.

- 1125. 2 coils 21-thread Manila Rope.
 - 1126. 1 coil 2-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1127. 2 coils 2 1/2-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1128. 4 coils 3-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1129. 1 coil 3 1/2-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1130. 1 coil 4-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1131. 1 coil 4 1/2 inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1132. 2 coils 5-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1133. 4 coils 6-inch best Manila Bolt Rope.
 - 1134. 2 coils 15-thread Ratline.
 - 1135. 200 pounds Signal Halliards.
- Cordage to amount of award to be delivered in one consignment. Contractor shall furnish service of a rigger to prepare for test samples of same which may have been selected for that purpose, in the following manner:
- Rope 3 inches and under is cut 50 as to be 3 feet long outside of the loop that is spliced in at each end, of size to take a 1 1/2-inch bar; rope more than 3 inches in circumference is cut 50 as to be 6 feet long outside of the loop, and the eye of the loop must take a 3-inch bar. Such samples will then be submitted to test for strength in accordance with the subjoined table by parties selected by the Commissioner of Public Charities and at the expense of the Contractor.
- | Breaking Strain of Manila Hemp Rope. | |
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| STRENGTH. | SIZES. |
| Pounds. | Inches. |
| 440 | 6-thread |
| 784 | 9-thread |
| 1,224 | 12-thread |
| 1,762 | 15-thread |
| 2,070 | 18-thread |
| 2,400 | 21-thread |
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- | STRENGTH. | |
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| Pounds. | SIZES. |
| 12,540 | 4 |
| 15,870 | 4 1/2 |
| 19,512 | 5 |
| 23,704 | 5 1/2 |
| 28,943 | 6 |
| 36,400 | 7 |
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- | STRENGTH. | |
|-----------|--------|
| Pounds. | SIZES. |
| 784 | 1 |
| 1,762 | 1 1/2 |
| 3,135 | 2 |
| 4,816 | 2 1/2 |
| 7,054 | 3 |
| 9,600 | 3 1/2 |
- To be manufactured of the best quality, strictly pure manila hemp, of long fibre, free from sisal hemp, jute, or other adulterations or inferiorities.
- It should have the qualities of smoothness, regularity of the size of yarn, and the angle of the twist of the yarn similar to that of the lay of the strands.
- The manila rope must be bagged with burlaps, and the hemp rope with tarred stuff.
- All weights are approximate.
- 1136. 2,000 pounds Coal.
 - 1137. 1 dozen Sail Palms.
 - PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.
 - 1142. 40 gallons Liquid Drier, made of pure turpentine.
 - 1143. 50 gallons White Shellac, in grain alcohol, "best."
 - 1145. 110 gallons Orange Shellac, in grain alcohol, "best."
 - 1146. 5 gallons Wood Alcohol.
 - 1147. 25 gallons Damar Varnish.
 - 1148. 30 gallons Spar Varnish.
- Spar varnish must be made from pure kauri gum, pure linseed oil, pure turpentine, and the proper driers only; must contain not less than 40 gallons of linseed oil to every 100 pounds of gum; must set to touch in from 5 to 7 hours at a temperature of 70° F.; must stand 30 days' exposure to the weather, on glass, without perceptible deterioration. Should have a specific gravity between 0.937 and 0.939 at 60° F.
- 1149. 30 gallons Rubbing Varnish, Berry Brothers, Valentine's or Pratt & Lambert's.
 - 1150. 30 gallons Finishing Varnish, Berry Brothers, Valentine's or Pratt & Lambert's.
 - 1151. 30 gallons Coach Japan Black, Berry Brothers, Valentine's or Pratt & Lambert's.
 - 1152. 30 gallons Coach Finishing Varnish, Berry Brothers, Valentine's or Pratt & Lambert's.
 - 1153. 30 gallons Rough Stuff.
 - 1154. 70 gallons Copal Varnish.
- Copal varnish must be made from pure kauri gum, pure linseed oil, pure turpentine, and the proper driers only; must contain not less than 20 gallons of linseed oil to every 100 pounds of gum; must set to touch in from 3 to 6 hours at a temperature of 70° F.; must stand 21 days' exposure to weather, on glass, without perceptible deterioration. Should have a specific gravity between 0.946 and 0.949 at 60° F.
- 1155. 70 gallons Asphaltum Varnish.
- Asphaltum varnish must be made from a pure high grade black gum, pure linseed oil, pure turpentine and the proper driers only; must not rub up; must set to touch in from 2 to 3 hours.
- 1156. 30 gallons Furniture Varnish.
- Furniture varnish must be made from pure kauri gum, pure linseed oil, pure turpentine, and the proper driers only; must contain not less than 20 gallons of linseed oil to every 100 pounds of gum; must set to touch in from 3 to 6 hours at a temperature of 70° F.; must stand 21 days' exposure to weather, on glass, without perceptible deterioration. Should have a specific gravity between 0.946 and 0.949 at 60° F.
- 1157. 60 gallons Hard Oil Finish.
- Hard oil finish varnish must be made from pure kauri gum, pure linseed oil, pure turpentine, and the proper driers only; must contain not less than 17 gallons of linseed oil to every 100 pounds of gum; must set to touch in from 3 to 5 hours at a temperature of 70 degrees F.; must dry so as to rub freely in 4 days; must stand 14 days' exposure to weather, on glass, without perceptible deterioration. Should have a specific gravity between 0.936 and 0.939 at 60 degrees F.
- 1158. 20 barrels Whiting, about 6,400 pounds, Gilder's.

- 1159. 100 pounds Black Lead, dry and perfectly pure.
 - 1160. 400 pounds Red Lead, dry, in 25-pound kegs, perfectly pure.
 - 1161. 200 pounds Coach-painter's Lamp Black, dry, in 1-pound packages.
 - 1162. 4,000 pounds Metallic Paint, dry, Prince's, in 100-pound kegs or 300-pound barrels, as required.
 - 1163. 600 pounds U. M. Blue, dry, in 28-pound boxes, perfectly pure.
 - 1164. 50 pounds U. M. Blue, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1165. 250 pounds Indian Red, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1166. 150 pounds Burnt Sienna, in oil, in 1, 2, and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1167. 150 pounds Raw Sienna, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1168. 100 pounds Burnt Umber, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1169. 200 pounds Chrome Green, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1170. 200 pounds Emerald Green, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1171. 200 pounds Chrome Yellow, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1172. 200 pounds French Ochre, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1173. 150 pounds Drop Black, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1174. 100 pounds Drop Black, in Japan, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure.
 - 1175. 200 pounds Patent Drier, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
- Paste drier must be finely ground in pure, well-settled linseed oil, and when mixed with Green Seal French zinc to the extent of 5 per cent., must not perceptibly affect its color. The solid matter must contain at least 95 per cent. of pure boryte of manganese, and be free from borax or any other adulterant.
- 1176. 300 pounds Zinc White, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1177. 75 pounds American Vermilion, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1178. 70 pounds American Vermilion, dry, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure.
 - 1179. 350 pounds China Gloss, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1181. 20 pounds Vandyke Brown, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1182. 200 pounds Philadelphia Brick Red, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1183. 20 pounds Lamp Black, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1184. 23 pounds Ivory Black, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1185. 50 gallons White Enamel, in 5-gallon packages.
 - 1186. 500 pound French Zinc, in oil, 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1187. 50 pounds Dutch Pink, in oil, 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, as required, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1188. 40 pounds Bronze Powder, light and dark.
 - 1189. 30 gallons Bronzing Liquid, in 5-gallon cans.
 - 1190. 4 packages Gold Leaf, light, medium and dark.
 - 1191. 50 pounds Maroon Lake, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1192. 25 pounds Rose Pink, in oil, in 1, 2 and 5 pound cans, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1193. 50 pounds wood Filler, in oil, in 5 and 10 pound cans, perfectly pure, Reynolds', Devoe's or Child's.
 - 1194. 100 pounds Pumice Stone, ground.
 - 1195. 500 pounds Paint Skins.
 - 1196. 40 pounds Gold Bronze Powder, deep and light.
 - 1197. 10 sets Graining Combs.
 - 1198. 6 bottles Clock Oil, Nye's.
 - 1199. 300 pounds Rock Potash for steamboats.
 - 1200. 100 pounds Beeswax, yellow lumps.
 - 1201. 15 gallons Benzine, in 5-gallon cans.
 - 1202. 30 pounds White Wax.
 - 1203. 12 gallons Wood Filler, dark.
 - 1204. 20 pounds Burnt Umber, in distemper.
 - 1205. 20 pounds Maroon Lake, in distemper.
 - 1206. 1 barrel Mixed Buff Paint, about 50 gallons.
 - 1207. 12 Plates of Glass for Operating Tables, 30 by 8 1/2 by 3/8 inches thick.
 - 1208. 8 Plates of Glass for Operating Tables, 20 by 7 1/2 by 9-16 inches thick.
 - 1209. 4 Plates of Glass for Operating Tables, 10 by 6 1/2 by 9-16 inches thick, smooth edges on one end, small corner rounded 1/2 inch in circumference.
 - 1214. 6 barrels Boiled Linseed Oil, about 50 gallons each.
 - 1215. 5 barrels Raw Linseed Oil, about 50 gallons each.
- Specifications for Raw Linseed Oil.
- Before acceptance, the oil will be inspected; samples of each lot will be taken at random, and should any of the samples be found, upon inspection, to contain any impurities or adulterations, the whole delivery of oil they represent will be rejected and is to be removed by the Contractor at his own expense.
- Must be absolutely pure, well-settled oil, of the best quality; must be perfectly clear, and not show a loss of over 2 per cent. when heated to 212° F., or show any deposit of foots after being heated to that temperature. The specific gravity must be between 0.932 and 0.937 at 60° F.
- Specifications for Cylinder Oil.
- The oil must be of the best quality and pass satisfactorily the following tests, made by the Department Chemist, the expense to be borne by the seller:
- First—Flashing point must not be below 550° Fahrenheit, and the burning point must be above 600° Fahrenheit.
- Second—Gravity. The gravity of this oil must not be below 25 1/2 nor above 27 1/2° Beaume.
- Third—Viscosity. The viscosity on a Seyboldt viscosimeter must not be below 175" nor above 185", at a temperature of 212.
- Fourth—Color. The color of this oil must be green, and not black, by reflected light.
- 1217. 8 barrels Lard Oil, about 50 gallons each, Winter pressed No. 1.
 - 1218. 5 barrels Sperm Oil, about 50 gallons each, Winter pressed No. 1.
 - 1219. 5 barrels Signal Oil, about 50 gallons each.
 - 1220. 12 barrels Engine Oil, about 50 gallons each.

Specifications for Lubricating Oil. This oil must be of the best quality and pass satisfactorily the following tests, made by the Department Chemist, the expense of the same to be borne by the seller:

- 1221. 1 barrel Japan Dryer, about 50 gallons.
1222. 2 barrels Boogher's Compound, about 50 gallons each.
1223. 4 barrels Shields' Cylinder Compound, about 50 gallons each.
1224. 1 barrel Benzine, about 50 gallons.
1225. 1 barrel Naphtha.
1226. 10 gallons Sewing Machine Oil.
1227. 10 gallons Crude Oil.
1228. 20 gallons Neatsfoot Oil, in 5-gallon cans.
1229. 20 gallons Harness Oil, in 5-gallon cans.
1230. 5 gallons Hoof Oil, in 1-gallon cans.
1231. 200 pounds Pulver's Compound, 10-pound packages, 100 No. 1, 100 No. 2.

- 1235. 8 Stoves, No. 21, Scorcher, N. S., J. L. Mott's.
1236. 6 Stoves, No. 17, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's.
1237. 2 Stoves, No. 14, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's.
1238. 1 Stove, No. 12, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's.
1239. 24 Grates, No. 21, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's.
1240. 2 Grates, No. 21, Scorcher, O. S., J. L. Mott's.
1241. 28 Grates, No. 17, Scorcher, N. S., J. L. Mott's.
1242. 12 Grates, No. 14, N. S., J. L. Mott's.
1243. 12 Grates, No. 12, Scorcher, N. S., J. L. Mott's.
1244. 12 Fire Pots, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's, No. 21, 4; No. 17, 4; No. 14, 2; No. 12, 2.
1245. 4 dozen Shakers, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's, 1 dozen each, No. 21, 17, 14 and 12.

- 1246. 12 Body Rings, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's, No. 21, 4; No. 17, 4; No. 14, 2; No. 12, 2.
1247. 6 Tops, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's, No. 21, 2; No. 12, 2; No. 14, 1; No. 17, 1.
1248. 6 Bottoms, Scorcher, J. L. Mott's, No. 21, 2; No. 17, 2; No. 14, 1; No. 12, 1.
1249. 2 sets Brick, No. 8, Defiance, J. L. Mott.
1250. 2 Grates, No. 8, Defiance, J. L. Mott.
1251. 2 sets Brick, laundry stove No. 2, 1895, J. L. Mott.
1252. 2 Grates, laundry stove No. 2, 1895, J. L. Mott.
1253. 1 Grate, laundry stove No. 1, 1880, J. L. Mott.
1254. 1 Grate, laundry stove No. 2, 1879, J. L. Mott.
1255. 2 sets Linings, laundry stove, J. L. Mott.
1256. 1 Iron Heater, J. L. Mott, No. 3, plate 305, pipe top.
1257. 3 Laundry Stoves, J. L. Mott, No. 2.
1258. 2 Stoves, Vigilant.
1259. 1 Grate and Fire Pot, Vigilant No. 4.
1260. 1 Grate and Fire Pot, Vigilant No. 5.
1261. 1 Grate and Fire Pot, York Eagle 50.
1262. 1 Grate, Charm 3.
1263. 1 Fire Pot for open fire, No. 12, S. Kaiser Stove Works.

- 1264. 3 sets Linings for open stoves.
1265. 1 Grate Furnace, Richardson, B. & Co.
1266. 1 Grate Tubular Furnace, Thatcher No. 52, 1892.
1267. 2 Grates, Art Rural, No. 70.
1268. 1 4 1/2-foot Range, with water-back and canopy top, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1269. 1 6-foot Range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1271. 52 sets Rings and Covers for ranges, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1272. 2 sets Linings, 12-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1273. 2 sets Linings, 8-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1274. 2 sets Linings, 6-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1275. 4 sets Linings, No. 2 range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1276. 8 sets Linings, No. 3 double range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1277. 2 sets Linings, No. 3 range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1278. 2 sets Linings, No. 4 range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1279. 3 sets Linings, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1280. 3 sets Grates, No. 2 double range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1281. 6 Grates, Range No. 3, 1880, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1282. 6 Revolving Grates, No. 2 range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1283. 2 sets Grates, 4 1/2-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1284. 2 sets Grates, 5-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.
1285. 2 sets Grates, 6-foot range, D. H. & Moneuse Co.

- 1286. 36 Gas Stoves, single, Vulcan No. 1, Wm. M. Crane & Co., or equivalent.
1287. 15 Gas Stoves, double, Vulcan No. 2, Wm. M. Crane & Co., or equivalent.
1288. 400 Oven Tiles, 12 by 12 by 2 inches, for bakery.
1289. 3 Stove Skillets.
1290. 3 Porcelain-lined Kettles, 5-quart.
1291. 3 Potato Fry-pans, 12-inch.
1292. 3 Potato Fry-baskets, 12-inch.
1293. 2 Yorkshire Oven Pans.
1294. 2 Coffee Boilers, 10-gallon.
1295. 2 Double Boilers, 8-gallon.
1296. 2 Porcelain-lined Iron Saucepans, 4-quart.
1297. 2 Porcelain-lined Oval Boilers, 10-gallon.
1298. 1 Pancake Griddle, small.
1299. 100 pieces Mica, 6 by 4 inches.
1300. 5 Sheet Iron Broilers.
1301. 4 Iron Saucepans, each 4 and 6 quarts.
1302. 1 Double Tea Boiler.
1303. 1 Double Coffee Boiler.
1304. 4 Soup Stock Pots, 8-gallon.
1305. 2 Soapstone Griddles, 28 by 1 inches.
1306. 24 packages Stove Bolts, 3/4-inch screw heads.
1-10, 1-8, 2-6, 2-4, 3-3, 3-2, 3-1 1/2, 3-1 1/4, 3-1, 3-3/4.

For Almshouse, Special Requisition No. 134. 1307. 750 pounds 6 1/2 Yarn. 1308. 250 pounds 10 1/2 Yarn.

For Nurse's Home, Special Requisition No. 139. 1309. 1 White's Physiological Manikin, latest edition, hardwood case.

For Bellevue Hospital. 1310. 1 Apparatus for carbonating waters of the Diamond Soda Water Company, or equivalent, consisting of one fifty-gallon carbonator for water and one each fifty-gallon carbonator for yichy and seltzers. The apparatus is to be provided with the necessary water filters, pumps, safety valves and gauges, with the necessary supply of liquefied carbonic acid gas and solutions for the mineral waters, also with a refrigerating box on one or more floors, and with an appliance for filling siphons. To be set up complete in Bellevue Hospital, and to be kept in perfect working order, all without additional charge. The apparatus is to be rented and to remain the property of the contractor, who is to remove it without charge should its use be discontinued, the right to do which on one month's notice to the owner is reserved by the Department.

For Metropolitan Hospital, Special Requisition No. 659. 1311. 4 Burettes, 50 C. C., Eimer & Amend, No. 5788 B.

- 1312. 2 Microtome Knives, Bausch & Lomb.
1313. 2 Burette Stands, Eimer & Amend, No. 8185.
1314. 2 Retort Holders.
1315. 1 set 4-ounce Reagent Bottles.
1316. 1 Copper Water-bottle.

For City Hospital, Special Requisition No. 38. 1317. 6 dozen Carbon Batteries. 1318. 3 dozen 8-inch Bluestone Crow-foot Batteries, with Bluestone.

For Bellevue Hospital, Special Requisition No. 70. 1319. 1 Laundry Stove, Mott's Flat Top for 26 iron.

For Randall's Island Asylum and Schools, Special Requisition No. 75. 1320. 6 Wire Cutters, Washburn & Moen Patent. 1321. 1 gross Carriage-bolts, 3/8 inch by 5 inches, round heads.

1322. 200 sets Screws and Sockets, 1/2-inch. 1323. 1 Stretcher for stretching wire mattresses. For Metropolitan Hospital, Special Requisition No. 84. 1324. 24 Carbon Batteries, complete. 1325. 3 8-inch Bluestone Batteries, complete.

For Bellevue Hospital, Special Requisition No. 115. 1326. 1 dozen Meat Platters, Department material and pattern, assorted sizes. 1327. 4-12 dozen Gravy Bowls, Department pattern.

1328. 1 dozen Covered Vegetable Dishes, Department pattern. 1329. 4 dozen Side Vegetable Dishes, Department pattern. 1330. 6 dozen Individual Butters, Department pattern.

1331. 2 dozen Table Knives, steel blade, celluloid handle. Clothing for Insane, Special Requisition No. 63. 1332. 383 Men's Straw Hats. 1333. 292 Women's Straw Hats. 1334. 408 pairs Suspenders.

For City Hospital, Special Requisition No. 77. 1335. 360 square feet Clear White Pine Sheathing, tongued and grooved, 1 1/2 inch, 4 1/2 inches by 16 feet long; both sides dressed and beaded.

1336. 2 Gas Ranges (Manhattan Gas Ranges, No. 344, \$52 each). 1337. 1 Ice Box, 48 inches by 27 inches by 36 inches (diagram at Central Office).

1338. 2 Gas Meat Broilers, "Electric," No. 2, made by William Crane Company. 1339. 1 Agate Kettle for Lard, L. & G., No. 2. 1340. 1 Agate Kettle for Butter, L. & G., No. 2. 1341. 6 Square Agate Cake Pans (about 10 by 4 by 3 inches).

1342. 1 Copper Tea Kettle (3 gallons). 1343. 6 Agate 4-quart Sauce Pans, with covers, L. & G., No. 266. 1344. 6 Agate 1-quart Sauce Pans, with covers, L. & G., No. 381.

1345. 6 Agate 1-quart Pudding Dishes, L. & G., 10 inches, oblong. 1346. 1 Wooden Chopping Bowl, 12 inches diameter. For Infants' Hospital, Special Requisition No. 137. 1348. 6 only Iron Wheelbarrows.

For Almshouse, Special Requisition No. 142. 1349. 1 Mott's Heater, No. 2. For City Hospital, Special Requisition No. 149. 1350. 1 Hot Water Stove, No. 3, "A. E. Hutchings," patented November 24, 1857.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1899, free of expense. No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors and none will be paid for by the Department.

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 410, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897. No bid or estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent of the bid for each article. (No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.)

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

Bidders will write on the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. Each article when delivered shall have a tag attached bearing line number.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 653.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 700 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 700 TONS OF Anthracite Coal will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1899,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day or 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 One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 700 tons. It is expected that about 600 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

Where The City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, per ton, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,240 pounds avoirdupois. The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 230 tons at such times and places, and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 15th day of July, 1899, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per ton, for furnishing and delivering coal, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimate for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract

within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to The City of New York, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to, any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member or in which he is directly or indirectly interested, or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of The City of New York or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES 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 Department, 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 Department.

Dated New York, March 10, 1899. J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of Docks

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 3, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS REQUIRED by "The Greater New York Charter," that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the 1st day of May, 1899.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Richmond Building, New Brighton.

Corporations in all the boroughs must make applications only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York, at the office of the Department of the borough where such place o

business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

THOMAS L. FEITNER, President. EDWARD C. SHEEHY, THOMAS J. PATTERSON, WILLIAM F. GRELL, ARTHUR C. SALMON, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, NEW YORK, March 15, 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:

Wednesday, March 22, 10 A. M. OIL COLLECTOR. Subjects: Handwriting, experience, general paper and arithmetic.

Thursday, March 23, 10 A. M. HOSPITAL ORDERLY. Subjects: Duties, experience, reading, writing and arithmetic.

Wednesday, March 23, 10 A. M. BURIAL PERMIT CLERK. Candidates must be Doctors of Medicine. Subjects: Technical experience, mathematics and reports.

Thursday, March 30, 10 A. M. EXECUTIVE CLERK. Subjects: Writing, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and a paper on duties.

Thursday, March 30, 10 A. M. LIBRARY CLERK. Subjects: Writing, arithmetic, spelling, dictation and letter-writing, and a special paper on duties.

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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 affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 12th day of April, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 21st day of April, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the prolongation westerly of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the middle line of the block between Lind avenue and Summit avenue; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and said middle line produced easterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Anderson avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Anderson avenue to its intersection with the prolongation easterly of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the easterly side of Woodcrest avenue; thence across Woodcrest avenue (Bremer avenue) and along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the easterly side of Ogden avenue; thence across Ogden avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block and said middle line produced westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lind avenue and Summit avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block between Lind avenue and Summit avenue 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 map 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 8th day of May, 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, March 3, 1899.

JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Chairman, MICHAEL L. BOULLON, EDWARD L. PATTERSON, 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 SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Westchester 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.

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 affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of April, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 18th day of April, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the easterly side of Mott avenue, running thence northerly along said easterly side of Mott avenue and the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line to the southerly side of the New York and Harlem Railroad; thence northerly along said southerly side of the said New York and Harlem Railroad to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Third avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between that part of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street lying easterly from Boston road; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and said middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Stebbins avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line and its prolongation northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and continuing southerly along a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Lafayette avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Longwood avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and its prolongation westerly to the easterly side of Eagle avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Eagle avenue to the easterly prolongation of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to the northwesterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence northerly along said northwesterly side to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and its prolongation westerly to the westerly side of Sheridan avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence westerly along said middle 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 map 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 15th day of May, 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, March 16, 1899.

CHARLES L. GUY, Chairman, EDWARD D. FARRELL, EDWARD B. WHITNEY, 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 SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at

the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of April, 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, March 16, 1899.

GEORGE FLINT WARREN, JR., JOSEPH KAUFMANN, ABRAHAM L. KOCH, 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 SHERIDAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 3d day of April, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements, and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the easterly side of The Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence easterly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Sheridan avenue and Carroll place; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and McClellan street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Sheridan avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence easterly along the said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the westerly side of Sherman avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Sherman avenue and said westerly side produced southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along the said easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse 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 map 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 17th day of April, 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, January 13, 1899.

QUINCY WARD BOESE, Chairman, ROBERT STURGIS, WM. B. BRISTOW, 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 HUNTS POINT ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the East River, 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 24th day of March, 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, March 8, 1899.

RIGNAL D. WOODWARD, WM. H. MCCARTHY, JAMES McCARTNEY, 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 ROGERS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Dawson street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth 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 30th day of March, 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, March 13, 1899.

A. LATHEN SMITH, Chairman, G. L. LOWENTHAL, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York as and for a public park, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of Charles L. Guy, William H. Barker and Henry H. Porter, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 8th day of February, 1899.

Notice is further given that said report includes and affects all the parcels of land set apart and appropriated by chapter 224 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 70 of the Laws of 1897, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-second street; on the east by the westerly line of Cromwell's avenue as far south as the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and south of that point by the northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek; on the south by said northwesterly line of the channel of Cromwell's creek and the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, and on the west by the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the West Side and York's Railroad or Railway Company; thence running easterly and bounded by the lands of said company to Sedgwick avenue; thence again running easterly across Sedgwick avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, or the passageway leading from Sedgwick avenue to Summit avenue; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, or said passageway to the westerly line of Summit avenue; thence running southwesterly along the westerly line of Summit avenue to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence running southeasterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the westerly line of Ogden avenue; thence again running southerly in a straight line to the southeasterly corner of Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, the point or place of beginning, including all the lands within said bounds, excepting and reserving therefrom all public streets, avenues or places now laid out across or over any part of said land and shown on the official field maps of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, as said parcels are shown on the maps and plans attached to and filed with said report.

Notice is further given that an application will be made, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the First Judicial District, at the County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of April, 1899, at Part III, thereof, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, March 1, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post-office Address, No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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 widening THIRD AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), at its eastern side, from a point 221.91 feet northerly of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Teasdale place, 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 27th day of March, 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, March 10, 1899.

EDWARD B. WHITNEY, FERDINAND LEVY, CHARLES H. BABCOCK, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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