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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COUNCIL.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, March 13, 1900,
2 o'clock P. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley,
Vice-Chairman,
Thomas F. Foley,
Martin Engel,
Frank J. Goodwin,
Patrick J. Ryder,
Harry C. Hart,
John J. Murphy,
Eugene A. Wise,

Stewart M. Brice,
Herman Sulzer,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,
Francis F. Williams,
Conrad H. Hester,
Henry French,

Charles H. Ebbets,
John J. McGarry,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly,
David L. Van Nostrand,
Joseph Cassidy,
Joseph F. O'Grady,
Benjamin J. Bodine,
George H. Mundorf.

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

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

Nos. 311, 312, 313, 314, 316.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
March 13, 1900.

To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, the following resolutions providing for the erection and keeping of signs and sign-posts on the sidewalks near the curb, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all adopted by you on February 20, 1900.

1. Giving permission to Carnick & Tice to keep a sign and post on the sidewalk in front of Nos. 296 and 298 Putnam avenue.
2. Giving permission to Edward Bull to keep a sign and post and a sign in the shape of an inverted letter V in front of No. 253 Flatbush avenue.
3. Giving permission to Edward Bull to keep a sign and post and a sign in the shape of an inverted letter V in front of No. 1090 Flatbush avenue.
4. Giving permission to A. Finster to keep a sign and post in front of No. 1173 Bedford avenue.
5. Giving permission to the Church of Christ's Disciples to keep a sign and post on the Canarsie road, near Flatbush avenue.

My objections to these ordinances and to each of them are that signs and sign-posts advertising private business are unnecessary encumbrances which prevent a full and free use of the streets by the public, and which may render the City liable in actions for damages for injuries resulting therefrom.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Carnick & Tice to erect, keep and maintain a sign and post on the sidewalk near the curb in front of their premises, Nos. 296 and 298 Putnam avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of said sign and post shall not exceed those prescribed by the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Finster to erect, keep and maintain a sign and post on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 1173 Bedford avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of said sign and post shall not exceed those prescribed by the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Church of Christ's Disciples to erect, keep and maintain a sign and post on the sidewalk near the curb in front of their premises, on the north side Canarsie road, one hundred and seven feet east of Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of said sign and post shall not exceed those prescribed by the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Bull to erect, keep and maintain a sign and post, also a V-shaped sign, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 253 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of said signs and post shall not exceed those prescribed by the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Bull to erect, keep and maintain a sign and post, also a V-shaped sign, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 1090 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of said signs and post shall not exceed those prescribed by the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

COMMUNICATIONS.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Tuesday, March 6, 1900, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 99, 276, 284, 393 A and B, 394 A and B, 396, 411, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 415, 416, 417, 418, 420, 421, 422, 424, 425, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 435, 436.

Respectfully yours,

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

Which was ordered on file.

The communications were as follows:

No. 391.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred, on January 23, 1900 (Minutes, page 83), the annexed resolution of the Council in favor of employing Charles J. Tobin to furnish legislative bills, etc., affecting public interests in The City of New York introduced in the Legislature of this State, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they offer the annexed resolution as a substitute, and recommend that it be adopted:

Resolved, That Charles J. Tobin be and he is hereby employed to furnish for the use of the members of the Municipal Assembly copies of all bills, documents and printed matter introduced in the Legislature of this State particularly affecting public interests in The City of New York, the compensation to be paid for such services not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100).

(Substitute Resolution.)

Resolved, That Charles J. Tobin be and he is hereby employed to furnish for the use of the members of the Municipal Assembly copies of all bills, documents and printed matter introduced in the Legislature of this State particularly affecting public interests in The City of New York; each of said matters to be furnished in duplicate, one set to be forwarded to and be on file in the rooms set apart for the members of the Municipal Assembly in the Borough Hall, Brooklyn; the compensation to be paid for such services not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100).

JOHN T. McCALL, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Legislation.

Which was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

No. 392.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on February 13, 1900 (Minutes, page 179), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioners of Parks for the Borough of Brooklyn to contract for Museum Building, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Municipal Assembly and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment have heretofore authorized the issuing of bonds for Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of erecting an addition to the Museum Building of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences;

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a contract or contracts for the further construction of the Museum Building, on the Eastern parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, now occupied and used by the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, the sum of such contracts not to exceed three hundred thousand dollars.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 393.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on February 13, 1900 (Minutes, page 181), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$187,000, additions to buildings of Department of Public Charities, Brooklyn and Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Charities for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in his Departmental Estimate for 1900, requested that a large appropriation be made for much-needed additions and alterations to buildings under his control; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment did not comply with said request, on the ground that all such permanent improvements should be paid for out of the issue of bonds; and

Whereas, It appears that the following improvements should be undertaken promptly:

	Estimated Cost.
A. Nurses' Home.....	\$28,000 00
B. Idiot Pavilion.....	7,000 00
C. Toilet rooms, Hospital.....	50,000 00
D. Infants' Hospital.....	14,000 00
E. Consumptive Hospital.....	16,000 00
F. Heating Plant.....	25,000 00
G. Bakery.....	5,000 00
H. Crematory for Garbage.....	5,000 00
I. Water Plant.....	5,000 00
J. Plumbing, Male and Female Almshouse.....	10,000 00
K. New Roof, Main Hospital.....	5,000 00
	\$170,000 00

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means therefor, including architects' fees and incidental expenses, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and eighty-seven thousand dollars (\$187,000), said Corporate Stock to be issued in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 16, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide for additions and alterations to buildings of the Department of Public Charities in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

Section 1. The Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and eighty-seven thousand dollars (\$187,000), to provide means for defraying the necessary expenses in making alterations and additions to buildings of the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens; said expenditure having been authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted January 16, 1900, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, in which resolution the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, JACOB J. VELTEN, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 394.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF CITY MAGISTRATES, SECOND DIVISION,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, March 1, 1900.

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

SIRS—At a regular meeting of the Board of City Magistrates in and for the Second Division of The City of New York, held at the First District City Magistrates' Court Building, No. 318 Adams street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on Wednesday, February 28, 1900, the following resolution was offered by Magistrate Smith, of Queens Borough, and unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York be and is hereby requested to designate and set apart for use a suitable court-room for the First District City Magistrates' Court, in the Borough of Queens, the present court-room being unfit for occupancy, it having been condemned by the Grand Jury of the County of Queens."

It is the earnest wish of this Board that the matter of this court-room receive your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

CHAS. E. TEALE, President.

Resolved, That the rooms known as Nos. 5 and 6 in the County Court-house in the Borough of Queens be designated as and for the holding of the City Magistrates' Court, First District, Borough of Queens, City of New York, from and after the date of the passage of this resolution.

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

No. 395.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby respectfully requested to notify the officers of the Third Avenue Railroad Company to at once complete the work of filling in Amsterdam avenue, north of West One Hundred and Seventieth street to West One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned property-owners and storekeepers on Amsterdam avenue, north of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, earnestly petition your Honorable Body to instruct the Commissioner of Highways to notify the Third Avenue Railroad Company that the work on said avenue must be completed at once or said avenue filled in and permit for opening said avenue revoked, the condition of said avenue being a menace to health and a severe loss to the business and residential community of that section of the city.

The section in question being north of West One Hundred and Seventieth street to West One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street.

Henry Knaust, 2506 Amsterdam avenue.

Charles F. Gottschalk, 2506 Amsterdam avenue.

James S. Kaulback, 2506 Amsterdam avenue.

George Gillie, 517 One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.

Bernard Brennan, 2508 Amsterdam avenue.

Joseph Bollweber, 2508 Amsterdam avenue.

Fred. Reaender, 2510 Amsterdam avenue.

Thomas Barrett, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

John Quinn, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

James E. Begley, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

Y. Vaseline, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

Nils Nelson, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

John A. Begley, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

Louis H. Eckhardt, One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Amsterdam avenue.

Alexander Powell, One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.

Cornelius J. Duggan, 509 West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.

Hugo Neack, 504 West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.

John Duggan, One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue.

Hugo Linke, 186 Wadsworth avenue.

Frank Geis, 2512 Amsterdam avenue.

Mrs. F. Reaender, 2510 Amsterdam avenue.

Damench Costelle, 2500 Amsterdam avenue.

Giovanni Markianne, One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Amsterdam avenue.

Scarci Marino, 2500 Amsterdam avenue.

Giovanni Sautino, 2496 Amsterdam avenue.

Pietro Renia, 2496 Amsterdam avenue.

Hop Lee, 2494 Amsterdam avenue.

C. Wiebling, Jr., West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Amsterdam avenue.

John Lorello, 2474 Amsterdam avenue.

Charles A. Volgenau, 2402 Amsterdam avenue.

Fritz Kuhnle, One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and Audubon avenue.

E. F. Smith, 2404 Amsterdam avenue.

S. B. Smith, 2402 Amsterdam avenue.

W. B. Smith, 2404 Amsterdam avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 396.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to cause the National, State and City flags to be displayed on all the public buildings under his charge on St. Patrick's Day, Saturday, March 17, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 397.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblackening purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Alt—

Newspaper Stand—George A. Taylor, No. 324 Rockaway avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Byrne—

Fruit Stand—Harry Krah, No. 699 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Delano—

Bootblack Stand—Paul Garono, 609½ Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Marks—

Soda-water Stand—Simon Selzer, No. 230 Monroe street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

Newspaper Stand—William Gallagher, No. 188 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McMahon—

Bootblack Stand—Herman Harvers, northwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McMahon—

Fruit Stand—Pasquale Capotosto, No. 155 Avenue B, Manhattan.

By Alderman Neufeld—

Soda-water Stand—Nathan Breit, No. 113 Ridge street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Parsons—

Fruit Stand—John Hurley, No. 166 West Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wentz—

Bootblack Stand—Cesare Di Ambrosia, Nos. 145 and 147 Ralph avenue, Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 398.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Knickerbocker Association to place transparencies on the following lamp-post in the Borough of Manhattan, southeast corner of Nineteenth street and Tenth avenue, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until March 24, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 399.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander Beggs to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner of Christopher and Greenwich streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 400.

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that Lefferts place, from St. James place to Grand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt on concrete foundation.

Which was adopted.

No. 401.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sam Epstein to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner of Franklin and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said stand shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direc-

tion of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 402.

Resolved, That upon the annexed petition it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of Varick street, Carmine street and Sixth avenue to Thirteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement upon the present foundation.

Which was adopted.

No. 403.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul B. Pugh to erect and keep an iron awning in front of his premises, No. 105 East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 404.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Harlem Catholic Club to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

Corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Seventh avenue;

Corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Lexington avenue;

Corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Lexington avenue;

Corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Lexington avenue;

Corner of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and Pleasant avenue; and

Corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Madison avenue;

—the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until April 1, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 405.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Luhs to erect and maintain an awning in front of his premises, Nos. 2410, 2412 and 2414 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 406.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. A. Walsh to move frame building, size 13 by 16 feet, from the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Eighty-sixth street to the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Eighty-sixth street, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 407.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Lennon to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 1004 Fourth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 408.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Annie Socol to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner of Franklin street and West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 409.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Long Island Railroad Company to place, erect and maintain an iron awning or shelter, as per attached plan, in and over Main street, Flushing, in the Borough of Queens, covering the sidewalk between the railroad station and the curb, with the necessary posts supporting the same, for the protection of the public traveling from the station to the trolley cars and carriages, the work to be done and the material supplied at the expense of the said railroad company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 410.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby respectfully requested to renumber the premises now known as No. 313 Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, so that the same hereafter shall be known and designated as No. 312½ Riverside drive.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 411.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that Manhattan avenue, from Grand street to Meeker avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with granite-block pavement.

Which was adopted.

No. 412.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that Frost street, from Kingsland avenue to Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with granite-block pavement.

Which was adopted.

No. 413.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to have a clock placed in the Library in the City Hall.

Which was adopted.

No. 414.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Elizabeth D. Kenneson and Mary D. Dennison, to erect, place and keep a bay-window, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, upon the front of the second story of the building now being erected on the north side of East Seventeenth street, between Broadway and Fifth avenue, known as No. 13 East Seventeenth street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 415.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Walter B. Horn, owner, and Eugene M. Earle and William P. Earle, lessees, composing the firm of E. M. Earle & Son, to erect, maintain and keep an iron and glass awning, as shown by the accompanying diagram, in front of their premises, known as the Hotel Earlington, Nos. 49, 51, 53 and 55 West Twenty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 416.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. Bayerdorfer to erect, maintain and keep an ornamental clock on the sidewalk near the curbstone opposite his premises, No. 410 Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 417.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of Seventh avenue, from Thirteenth street to Twentieth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with belgian-block pavement on a concrete foundation, and that the curbstones be reset and repaired where necessary.

Which was adopted.

No. 418.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby respectfully requested to relay the pavement on Sixth street, from Gowanus Canal to Ninth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with the present belgian-block pavement, the said blocks having been torn up a number of times for street-opening purposes.

Which was adopted.

No. 419.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of Sixth avenue, from Fourteenth street to Twentieth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, and that the curbstones be repaired and reset where necessary.

Which was adopted.

No. 420.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish Welsbach burners for the lamps on Macon street, between Lewis and Stuyvesant avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 421.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Clinton & Russell to lay two pipes, one six inches in diameter and the other four inches in diameter, across the carriageway of Cliff street, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the said six-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conducting steam and the said four-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conducting electricity from the premises on the northeast to the northwest corner of John and Cliff streets, provided said Clinton & Russell pay to The City of New York as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and provided further that the said Clinton & Russell shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Highways to save The City of New York harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipes, the work to be done and materials supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 422.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Sonn to parade with two advertising wagons through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for thirty days from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 423.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. Blank to have six men parade with signs through the streets and avenues of the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for six months from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 424.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. Blank to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for six months from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 425.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to LeGrande K. Pettit to erect, keep and maintain bay-windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of his premises on the north side of West Ninety-second street, one hundred feet west of West End avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 426.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Seidman to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Ninety-third street and Columbus avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 427.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove the broken and decayed iron drinking-fountain situated on the northeast corner of Bridge and Sands streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and replace the same by a new iron drinking-fountain, at a cost not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars.

Which was adopted.

No. 428.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry A. Smith to move a two-story frame building from the rear of No. 251 Montrose avenue, to a point on the north side of Meserole street, about fifty feet east of Waterbury street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 429.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernst Niebegall to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 181 Graham avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 430.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Stadtmuller to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 149 Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 431.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. Harkins to erect and keep an express office within the stoop-line on the Church street side of the premises No. 346 Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the consent of the property-owner thereto having been granted, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 432.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the "Across the Pacific" Company to parade through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan during the week beginning March 19, 1900, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until March 24, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 433.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Hertz to erect, keep and maintain storm-doors in front of his premises No. 1 East Third street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 434.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Hertz to erect, keep and maintain storm-doors in front of his premises No. 347 Bowery, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that said storm-doors shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

PETITIONS.

No. 435.

THE NEW YORK AND LONG ISLAND TERMINAL RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, No. 32 LIBERTY STREET,
NEW YORK, March 7, 1900.

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

The New York and Long Island Terminal Railway Company, having heretofore made application to the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a franchise

or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, as appears by its petition dated January 2, 1900, which petition is now pending undetermined before the Municipal Assembly, respectfully begs leave to withdraw said application.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. BALDWIN, JR., President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

At this point Councilman Goodwin asked unanimous consent to depart from the regular order of business and proceed to the order of special orders.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Councilman Goodwin called up

No. 349.—(S. R. 41.)

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the expenditure of five thousand dollars by the Special Joint Committee of the Municipal Assembly appointed pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 23, 1900; by the Council, January 30, 1900, and which became a law February 13, 1900, such expenditure to be for the purpose of celebrating by appropriate public ceremonies the beginning of work on the rapid transit railroad.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Williams, Wise, and the President—25.

Councilman Goodwin called up

No. 365.—(S. R. 42.)

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby authorized and requested to supply the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen with twenty-one copies of the Greater New York Charter for distribution among and use of the newly-elected members of the Board of Aldermen, and to provide the City Clerk with a sufficient number of copies of any and all amendments to the Charter as now are or may be passed by the State Legislature, for the use of the members of the Municipal Assembly and the respective offices thereof.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

No. 381.—(S. R. 43.)

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the paving of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, which was approved by this Board on February 28.

A similar ordinance was approved in December, 1899, but final action was not taken by your Honorable Body prior to January 1, 1900.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave with asphalt block One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being nine thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

Negative—Councilman Van Nostrand—1.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

No. 436.

In the matter

of

Petition.

The New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company.

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

The petition of the New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company, respectfully shows:

I. That your petitioner is a railroad corporation, duly organized and incorporated under and in pursuance of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York entitled "The Railroad Law." That the said corporation proposes to build, construct, maintain and operate a railroad for public use in the conveyance for compensation of persons and property in cars and trains of cars, through tunnels, in The City of New York, and that, as stated in your petitioner's articles of incorporation, the termini of said railroad will be in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

That the proposed routes of said railroad tunnels pass under the surface of the following streets, private property, and of the East river, in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, City of New York, to wit:

Commencing at a point under West street, Borough of Manhattan, near Cortlandt street; thence under West and Liberty streets, Maiden Lane, the East river, private property, City Park and Cranberry street and private property to the Plaza; thence back under Middagh street, City Park, private property, the East river, Maiden Lane and Cortlandt street to the place of beginning. The tunnels will pass under the piers, docks, bulkheads and street crossings on their routes shown by the map filed herewith.

II. The railroad proposed to be built by your petitioner is intended to be operated by electricity or such other power as may now or hereafter lawfully be used. It shall be of standard gauge, with double tracks, through a single tunnel or two separate tunnels.

III. The fare, for a single journey, between any points of the railroad shall be five cents. The charge for the conveyance of property shall be that allowed by law.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays and makes application to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of the franchise and right to use the certain streets, crossings, places and waterways as above set forth, and for its consent to be granted to your petitioner, its successor or successors, lessees and assigns to construct and operate a tunnel railroad as afore described for compensation and for public use for the period of fifty years, and for a renewal of such franchise for twenty-five years after the expiration of the said fifty years on a fair revaluation of the said property of your petitioner under the said streets, crossings, places and waterways, together with room for all necessary terminals, connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turntables, cross-overs, signals, store, power and repair houses, car tracks and other facilities, stations and suitable stands under the said streets, crossings, places and waterways, as well as stations at the surface thereof for passengers and for construction and working of said railroad.

For and on behalf of the New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company,
GEORGE WILSON, President.

Dated NEW YORK, N. Y., 13th March, 1900.

City and County of New York, ss.:

George Wilson, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that the petitioner named in the foregoing petition is a domestic corporation, and that this deponent is an officer thereof, to wit, the president; that the foregoing petition is true to the knowledge of this deponent, except as to those matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

GEORGE WILSON.

Sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1900.

HENRY R. HAM, Notary Public, Kings County.

Certificate filed in New York County.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 437.

By Councilman Francisco—

Whereas, The New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application in writing for consent and for a grant of a franchise or right to build, construct, maintain and operate a railroad for public use underneath the surface of the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, together with all the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turn-tables and cross-overs for the convenient operation of its railroad; it is

Resolved, That Friday, the thirteenth day of April, 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chamber of the Council, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place, when and where the said application of the New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, for the grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, in said application mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of law in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, ROOM
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
The day of March, 1900.

The New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company having filed its application, in writing, to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the 13th day of March, 1900, for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets and highways in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, hereinafter mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with all necessary connections, sidings and cross-overs for the convenient operation of said railroad, underneath the surface of the following streets and highways in said boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, to wit:

Commencing at a point under West street, Borough of Manhattan, near Cortlandt street; thence under West and Liberty streets, Maiden lane, the East river, private property, City Park and Cranberry street and private property to the Plaza; thence back under Middagh street, City Park, private property, the East river, Maiden lane and Cortlandt street to the place of beginning. The tunnels will pass under the piers, docks, bulkheads and street crossings on their routes shown by the map filed herewith.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the resolutions and direction of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen and concurred in by the Council on the 13th day of March, 1900, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of the said City on the day of March, 1900, public notice of such application is hereby given; and that, at the Councilmanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, such application of said company will be first considered and a public hearing had thereon.

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

Which was adopted.

PETITIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 438.

CIVIC AND POLITICAL EQUALITY UNION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 210 WEST FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
March 5, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Council:

DEAR SIR—On behalf of many women representing the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens, we respectfully request you to recommend to the Council the passing of ordinances for the improvement of the conditions on the ferry-boats plying between these boroughs. We would urge that the companies controlling these ferries shall be requested to provide:

First—That on all boats both cabins shall be made equally clean and comfortable.
Second—That both cabins shall be thrown open to both men and women.
Third—That signs shall be placed in conspicuous positions prohibiting smoking, except on the decks at the rear.

Trusting that you will consider this request,

Yours sincerely,

LILLIE DEVEREUX BLAKE.

ANNIE E. MERRITT, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Docks and Ferries.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 439.

By Councilman Ryder—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. H. Higgins to erect, keep and maintain two show windows in front of his premises, No. 425 Hudson street, in the Borough of Manhattan, said show windows to extend fifteen inches from house-line, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 440.

By Councilman Cassidy—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby authorized and requested to expend in his judgment a sum not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500) for the purpose of placing the interior of building now used as a City Magistrates' Court, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in proper condition to hold court therein.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 441.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Clair, No. 98 West avenue, First Ward, Borough of Queens, to place and keep a watering-trough in front of said premises, at his own expense; said privilege to be subject to the regulations of the Water Department, and to continue during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 442.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Land and Warehouse Company, No. 85 Borden avenue, Long Island City, to parade through the streets of The City of New York with a vehicle or wagon, for the purpose of advertising the sale of property, subject to the regulations of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly, up to and including December 31, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 443.

By the same—

Resolved, That John Thompson be and he is hereby given the privilege of keeping a stand for the sale of flowers at Thompson avenue, Long Island City, in front of the premises now occupied by him on said Thompson avenue.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 444.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
March 5, 1900.

Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on March 1, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York that the name of Vernon avenue be changed to Tilden avenue, in the Eighth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn."

Inclosed is copy of petition and copy of communication from Edwin Hayward.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

The undersigned residents of Vernon avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully petition your Honorable Body to change the name of said avenue to that of Tilden avenue.

(Signed)

Edwin Hayward.
F. E. Schultze, D. V. S.
M. W. Smith, M. D.
William A. Brush.
G. W. Van Ness.
T. H. Brush.
Henry Hulse.
John J. Belten.
William Hulse.
Thomas A. Belton.
William A. Haywood.

John C. Lubcke.
Walter H. Parker.
Mrs. A. Petterson.
Herbert R. Hall.
Eibe Miller.
Charles F. Roth.
Emilie M. Wightman.
John Moore.
Julius Brandan.
George Fulling.
George H. Tankensee.

H. F. Schaer.
William Pearson.
E. H. Mowleus.
F. J. Sweeney.
E. Castle.
Charles Salter.
Thomas Walker.
John T. Fogarty.
Mary A. Kelly.
Hackett Bros.
F. K. Campbell.

(Copy.)

EDWIN HAYWARD,
PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING, NO. 150 FLATBUSH AVENUE,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., December 12, 1899.

James H. McInnes, Esq., Alderman Eighth District:

MY DEAR SIR—I send you petition for change of name of present Vernon avenue, Twenty-ninth Ward.

The petitioners are in the main heads of households. Several are business people of the four corner stores of the street. I believe that the petitioners are a majority by quite a number of all the heads of households of the street. I found only one person that objected to the change, nearly all expressing satisfaction in the step taken by me.

The object of the change is to avoid a continuation of the trouble due to mail matter being delayed in its delivery to us, and to packages being sent to Vernon avenue, Eastern District, when they should come direct to us. We want to prevent the distress which follows the very frequent mistakes made by strangers coming to Vernon avenue, Flatbush, to find friends, when they should have gone to Vernon avenue elsewhere to be found. This trouble is the more frequent due to the street cars, many of them which run to Flatbush having signs upon them "Vernon avenue only." Strangers are often told to take that car, conductors and many other people not knowing of another street so named. Often we learn of poor people being in difficulty by that circumstance, and having to ask some one to give them car fare to take them back from where they came or to the Vernon avenue they wished to go to.

If you will kindly act in this matter to obtain the desired change we will all rise up and call you blessed.

Truly yours,

(Signed) EDWIN HAYWARD.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

No. 445.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 7th of March, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Edgecombe avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan, and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 7th day of March, 1900:

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 14th day of February, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Edgecombe avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 7th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 7th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out, who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Edgecombe avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street, as follows:

Beginning in the western line of Edgecombe avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches, southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street;

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Edgecombe avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right, for 155 feet and $\frac{1}{4}$ inch, to the eastern line of St. Nicholas avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of St. Nicholas avenue for 60 feet $10\frac{1}{4}$ inches;

4th. Thence easterly for 165 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Fortieth street is to be 60 feet wide.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

AN ORDINANCE to lay out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out West One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Edgecombe avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of

New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning in the western line of Edgecombe avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street;

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Edgecombe avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right, for 155 feet and $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, to the eastern line of St. Nicholas avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of St. Nicholas avenue for 60 feet $10\frac{1}{4}$ inches;

4th. Thence easterly for 165 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Fortieth street is to be 60 feet wide.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 446.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 7th of March, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in Jerome avenue, and in East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the request of the Commissioner of Highways, and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 7th day of March, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 14th day of February, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Jerome avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninetieth street to East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, and in East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P.M., at which meeting such proposed change of grades would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grades would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 7th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 7th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Jerome avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninetieth street to East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, and in East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid streets, as follows:

A—Jerome Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, the elevation to be 123.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 116.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Jerome avenue and Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence to the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 136.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

B—East One Hundred and Ninety-first Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 119.6 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the centre of the curb, between Morris and Jerome avenues, the elevation to be 121 feet above mean high-water datum.

C—East One Hundred and Ninety-second Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 117.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

1st. Thence westerly distant 100 feet from the northwest curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 117.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

D—Kingsbridge Road.

Beginning at the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly distant 100 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

E—East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 147.0 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Park View terrace, the elevation to be 137.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

AN ORDINANCE to change grades in Jerome avenue, East One Hundred and Ninety-first and One Hundred and Ninety-second streets, Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Jerome avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninetieth street to East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, and in East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid streets, as follows:

A—Jerome Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, the elevation to be 123.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 116.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Jerome avenue and Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence to the intersection of Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 136.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

B—East One Hundred and Ninety-first Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 119.6 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the centre of the curb, between Morris and Jerome avenues, the elevation to be 121 feet above mean high-water datum.

C—East One Hundred and Ninety-second Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 117.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence westerly distant 100 feet from the northwest curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 117.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

D—Kingsbridge Road.

Beginning at the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly distant 100 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

E—East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 147.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Park View terrace, the elevation to be 137.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 447.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 7th instant providing for the regulating and grading of Ritter place, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

A resolution for this improvement was adopted on July 26, 1899, and was forwarded to your Honorable Body under date of July 31, but no final action was taken prior to January 1, 1900. The papers in this matter are now in your possession.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., Ritter place, from Union to Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Ritter place, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet in width, laying of crosswalks where required, building of fences where necessary, planting of trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with macadam, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being five thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is fifty-four thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

No. 448.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith find, for the action of your Honorable Board, a form of Ordinance adopted by this Board, at a meeting held on the 7th inst., providing for the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

This ordinance is to take place of one approved by this Board on November 29, 1899, and forwarded to your Honorable Body under date of December 7, 1899, which was not finally acted upon prior to January 1, 1900.

Papers in this matter are now in your possession.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space of four (4) feet wide, the laying of crosswalks, and erecting of fences, where necessary, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being one thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-six thousand one hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 449.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 7th instant providing for the paving of Stebbins avenue, from Boston road to Westchester avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

A similar resolution was adopted by this Board on October 11, 1899, and was sent forward to you with a copy of the resolution of the Local Board under date of October 16. No final action was taken, however, prior to January 1, 1900, and the inclosed resolution is now transmitted to take the place of the one adopted in October last.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave with granite block the roadway of Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite blocks of the roadway of Stebbins avenue, from Boston road to Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being forty thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is six hundred and thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

No. 450.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 7th instant, providing for the grading of Berry street and Nassau avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose herewith, copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the grading, paving, etc., of Berry street and Nassau avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Berry street, between North Thirteenth and North Fourteenth streets, and Nassau avenue, between North Fourteenth street and Lorimer street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, setting or resetting of curb, flagging or reflagging of sidewalks where not already done, and the paving of the carriageway with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being thirteen thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and twenty-three thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, September 27, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on September 25, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 25th day of September, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave with asphalt pavement Berry street, between North Thirteenth and North Fourteenth streets, and Nassau avenue, between North Fourteenth street and Lorimer street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said streets where not already done."

Attached:

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

The unopened portion of Berry street to which reference is made in the report of the Department of Highways has been ceded to the City since the report of the Department of Highways was made. The deed, Hilton to The City of New York, was recorded in the Register's Office, Kings County, on September 25, 1899.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 451.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1899.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board at a meeting held on the 7th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Terrace View avenue, in Jansen street and in Kingsbridge avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

The Commissioner of Water Supply reports that these mains are necessary in order to connect dead ends in the present system to provide proper circulation of water and supply eighteen houses, which now have no connection with the water supply. The estimated cost is \$4,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Terrace View avenue, in Jansen street and in Kingsbridge avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, 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 sections 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Terrace View avenue, between Broadway and Tunneson place; in Jansen street, between Terrace View avenue and Wicker place; in Kingsbridge avenue, between Terrace View avenue and Van Corlear place, and in Terrace View avenue, between Kingsbridge avenue and Jansen place, in the Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract by the Commissioner of Water Supply for the same, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 452.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith find, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board, at a meeting held on the 7th instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in Broadway, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, and in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that these mains are necessary in order to supply water to the new building of the Teachers' College.

The estimated cost is \$16,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Broadway, and in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Broadway, east side, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, and in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 453.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith find, for the action of your Honorable Board, a form of

ordinance adopted by this Board at a meeting held on the 7th instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in Ninth avenue and Two Hundred and Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

These mains are necessary in order to supply about 2,000,000 gallons of water daily to the new power station of the Third Avenue Railroad system.

The estimated cost of these mains is \$9,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Ninth avenue and in Two Hundred and Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Ninth avenue, between Two Hundred and Ninth and Two Hundred and Eighteenth streets, and in Two Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Ninth avenue and Kingsbridge road, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 454.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by this Board on the 7th instant, requesting your Honorable Body to release the contractors and sureties on contracts for repaving streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, which were entered into prior to consolidation with the former City of Brooklyn.

A similar resolution to this was adopted on December 20, and sent forward to you, but was not acted upon prior to January 1, 1900.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Whereas, There were a number of contracts for repaving certain streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, entered into prior to consolidation, between the former City of Brooklyn and the Eastern Bermudez Asphalt Paving Company, the Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company, the Fruin-Bambrick Construction Company, Cranford & Co., Thomas McCann, A. E. Donovan, Norton & Gorman, M. F. Hickey, E. J. McKeever & Brother.

Whereas, In accordance with the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, said contracts (fifty-seven in number) never became valid and binding legal obligations against that city, as the Comptroller had not certified or indorsed on such contracts or agreements that the means required to make the payments thereunder were provided and applicable thereto, as was necessary to make said contracts valid; and

Whereas, Said contracts, not being valid or binding against the former City of Brooklyn, cannot be binding or legal contracts against The City of New York; and

Whereas, The contractors and sureties on said contracts desire to be released from said seeming obligations; now be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements request the Municipal Assembly to take such action as will cancel from record the contracts entered into with the aforementioned contractors and release them and their sureties from any seeming obligation on their part to The City of New York; and that authority be given to the Board of Public Improvements to take such initiatory measures as may be necessary for the authorizing of new contracts for said work.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Public Improvements, at a meeting of the said Board held on the 7th day of March, 1900.

Dated MARCH 12, 1900.

[SEAL.]

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

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

No. 455.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk, Municipal Assembly:

SIR—I am in receipt of a resolution adopted by the Council on February 6, and by the Board of Aldermen on February 13, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel of Greater New York is hereby respectfully requested to inform this Municipal Assembly, ten days after the passage of this resolution, if, in his judgment, the Municipal Assembly has the right, under the Charter of Greater New York, to appropriate money for the purpose of purchasing coal, provisions, etc., for the worthy and destitute poor of the city."

In answering this communication I have to say that, as regards the purchase of provisions, there has been at no time any power either in the Municipal Assembly or in the Board of Aldermen of the older city which could authorize the action suggested by the resolution in question.

As regards the purchase of coal, that, too, I fear, is beyond the power of the Assembly.

Under the Consolidation Act it was held by my predecessor, Hon. E. Henry Lacombe, that the Commissioner of Charities and Correction of the then city had the power to order such distribution.

And up to the time of consolidation of the cities that power was exercised.

However, section 662 of the Greater New York Charter contains the following provision:

"No Commissioner shall have power to dispense any out-door relief except as expressly provided in this chapter."

Under this section I advised Hon. John W. Keller, President of the Board of Public Charities, under date of January 24, 1898, that the power to make a free distribution of coal had ceased with the inauguration of the new system provided for by the present Charter.

There would be no method of administering charitable relief under the present Charter, except through the Department of Public Charities, and as regards this special form of relief, it is not embraced within the powers of the Department of Public Charities, and therefore cannot be exercised.

And I do not find any power in the Municipal Assembly under any of the provisions of section 49 of the Charter which would justify an appropriation of moneys for the purposes in question.

Yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 383.—(S. R. 44.)

The Committee on Water Supply to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing a scale of water rents for The City of New York (page 424, Minutes, March 6, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a scale of water rents for The City of New York.

(In pursuance of section 473 of the Greater New York Charter.)

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

That the minimum annual rents and the special charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply shall be as follows, to wit:

FRONT WIDTH.	ONE STORY.	TWO STORIES.	THREE STORIES.	FOUR STORIES.	FIVE STORIES.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The apportionment of the regular frontage rates upon dwelling-houses is on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family one dollar per year shall be charged.

Building purposes—10 cents per 1,000 brick. All masonry at the same rate, 500 brick being equal to one cubic yard.

Plastering—40 cents per 100 square yards, openings not included.

Baths—All baths \$3 per annum.

Water-closets and urinals of every description, \$2 per annum.

One water-closet and one bath in each house supplied free of charge.

Steam lighters and tugboats, H. P.	per year	\$90 00
Steam lighters and tugboats, L. P.	per year	45 00
Pile drivers and hoisting engines	per month	5 00
Steam yachts	per month	5 00
All others	per month	5 00
Water boats supplying shipping	per month	25 00

Meter Rates.

Water meters shall be placed, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Water Supply, for all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, office buildings, public edifices, on wharves, ferry-houses, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings; the charge for water measured by meter to be ten cents per 100 cubic feet.

All charges not herein mentioned or fixed are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Water Supply.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, HARRY C. HART, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1900.

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

SIRS—In accordance with section 473 of the Greater New York Charter, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on February 21 last, establishing a scale of water rents for the entire City of New York.

I also inclose herewith copy of a report from the Commissioner of Water Supply, as a minority of a committee appointed by this Board to draft a schedule of water rates, and also copy of the majority report.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1900.

To the Board of Public Improvements:

At your meeting on December 20th ultimo, the subject of a new and uniform scale of water rents for all the boroughs of the City was referred to a committee, consisting of the President of the Board, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Water Supply, for report.

At the meeting on the 17th instant, the President, on behalf of himself and the Comptroller, presented a new scale for your consideration and approval.

As a member of the Committee and as head of the Department which will be charged with the duty of administering the new scale of water charges and enforcing it on the people of the City, I desire to present my objections to several features in the scale presented by the other two members of the committee.

First—I am opposed to any increase in the frontage rate in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx by adopting the Brooklyn frontage rate, and adding from one to four dollars to the present old New York rate for about eighty per cent. of the houses. The Brooklyn rate would add two dollars to the present annual charge on every tenement-house in Manhattan and The Bronx, the very class of property which is least able to bear increased charges.

Instead of extending the higher Brooklyn rate to Manhattan and The Bronx, I am in favor of extending the lower old New York rate to Brooklyn and the other boroughs.

There is no ground for apprehension that this would impair the Brooklyn water revenue in its aggregate. The estimated annual loss of \$129,000 in frontage rate is offset by the estimated annual gain of \$130,000 from the meter rate of 10 cents, instead of 7½ cents, per 100 cubic feet, and the proposed charges for extra families and for water supplied to steam tugs and other shipping, leaving the total revenue unimpaired.

Second—I am opposed to the proposed increase from the present uniform charge of \$2 for all water-closets to the charge of \$5 for closets which are not provided with measuring tanks or other devices to limit the use of water. I am firmly in favor of the present uniform charge of \$2 per closet in every case.

The proposed additional charge of \$3 would again fall almost entirely on tenement houses. The modern five-story double-tenement house has two water-closets on each floor, ten in all, on nine of which the uniform rate of \$2 is now, and has for many years past been paid. The increase to \$5 would amount to an annual increase of \$27 on each of these five-story tenements. On the many five and six story tenements which have three to four families and the same number of water-closets on each floor, the additional charge would be from \$39 to \$60 per house.

The obvious object of this \$5 rate is to check waste of water by forcing the adoption and expense of the devices for limiting the use of water in all closets. I believe that so harsh a measure is unnecessary and uncalled for. It does not follow that water is wasted in every closet which is without these devices or checks. While I am in favor of any reasonable measure to stop wanton and useless waste of water where there is evidence of its existence, I am also in favor of its liberal use for flushing and cleansing closets and urinals, and I am emphatically opposed to the indiscriminate application of the exorbitant five-dollar rate per closet, regardless of the absence of positive evidence of waste. Where there is positive evidence of waste there is opportunity to check it by other sufficient and more equitable measures of prevention.

Third—Concerning the use of water meters. Section 475 of the City Charter authorizes the placing of water meters only in houses where water is used for business consumption, and at the discretion of the Commissioner of Water Supply.

The scale presented in the report of two members of the Committee proposes to extend the compulsory use of meters to dwellings in the following paragraphs:

"Where the whole or part of a building is occupied for business purposes, the whole supply shall be metered."

"Where water is obtained by pumping from wells or by purchase from other parties, all buildings shall be metered at the rate of 10 cents per hundred cubic feet."

"Meters will be placed on all houses where there is an extra use of water, where required to ascertain the amount used, and where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed for all the water passing through them."

The language of these paragraphs assumes to abrogate the discretionary power vested by the Charter in the Commissioner of Water Supply, and to abrogate the limitations placed by the Charter on the compulsory use of water meters.

Under the first of these paragraphs it would at once become necessary to extend the meter service and connections to the dwelling portion of nearly five thousand houses in which, under preceding administrations, the meters were placed to apply only to the business portion of the houses, generally the first floors and basements, while the frontage rate on these houses continues to be charged and paid.

I am aware that the meter charge on the lower part of a house, with frontage charge on the whole house, is apparently in conflict with the paragraph in section 473 of the Charter, which prohibits any other charge than the meter rate where there is a meter. This paragraph, however, is also in conflict with section 475, which virtually prohibits the compulsory use of meters and meter charges on the dwelling portion of houses. It presents one of the numerous cases in which different sections of the Charter conflict with each other, but the remedy for this by amendments rests solely with the Legislature and not with the Board of Public Improvements or the Municipal Assembly.

Under the second paragraph, meters would have to be placed in every house in the First and Third Wards of the Borough of Queens (Long Island City, College Point, Flushing and Whitestone), where the entire water supply furnished by the City is obtained by pumping from wells and by purchase from the Citizens' Water Supply Company. This is also in conflict with section 475 of the City Charter, because it would enforce the compulsory use of meters in dwellings.

The same objection applies to the third paragraph.

I am firmly of the opinion that no scale of water rents which your Board and the Municipal Assembly may adopt can break down or extend the limitations placed by the Charter on the compulsory use of water-meters and the exaction of meter charges, as proposed in the scale reported to you by two members of the committee; neither can it abrogate the discretionary power vested by the Charter in the Commissioner of Water Supply.

In accordance with the foregoing views, I present herewith, for the consideration and approval of the Board, a new and uniform scale of water-rents, as a substitute for the one now before the Board, embracing only such charges as are now in force in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

To any objections or arguments against this scale, which may be advanced on the ground that the higher charges provided in the scale presented by the other two members of the committee are necessary as a measure of municipal finance, to reduce or make good a deficit in the debit and credit account of the City's water service, I have to say that I do not believe that there is a deficit or that there will be one under the scale which I recommend. There is substantial ground for the

assertion that the water systems and service of the City, as a whole, are self-sustaining, both as to cost of maintenance and interest charges on the outstanding water debt, with a sufficient surplus for the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the Debt.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a scale of water rents for the City of New York.

(In pursuance of Section 473 of the Greater New York Charter.)

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

That the minimum annual rents and the special charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply shall be as follows, to wit:

FRONT WIDTH.	ONE STORY.	TWO STORIES.	THREE STORIES.	FOUR STORIES.	FIVE STORIES.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The apportionment of the regular frontage rates upon dwelling-houses is on the basis but that one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family one dollar per year shall be charged.

Building Purposes—10 cents per 1,000 brick. All masonry at the same rate, 500 brick being equal to one cubic yard.

Plastering—40 cents per 100 square yards, openings not included.

Baths—All baths, \$3 per annum.

Water-closets and urinals of every description \$2 per annum.

One water-closet and one bath in each house supplied free of charge.

Steam lighters and tug-boats, H. P.	Per Month.	\$8 00
Steam lighters and tug-boats, L. P.		4 00
Pile drivers and hoisting engines		5 00
Steam yachts		5 00
All others		5 00
Water boats supplying shipping		50 00

Meter Rates.

Water meters shall be placed, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Water Supply, for all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, office buildings, public edifices, on wharves, ferry-houses, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings; the charge for water measured by meter to be ten cents per 100 cubic feet.

All charges not herein mentioned or fixed are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Water Supply.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

The President of the Board, as chairman of a sub-committee, consisting of the Comptroller and Commissioner of Water Supply, appointed to prepare a new schedule of water rates to apply to the entire City of New York, submitted the following:

AN ORDINANCE establishing a scale of water rents for The City of New York.

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

That the minimum annual rents and charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply shall be as follows, to wit:

FRONT WIDTH.	ONE STORY.	TWO STORIES.	THREE STORIES.	FOUR STORIES.	FIVE STORIES.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet	5 00	6 00	8 00	9 00	11 00
18 to 20 feet	6 00	8 00	9 00	11 00	12 00
20 to 22½ feet	8 00	9 00	11 00	12 00	13 00
22½ to 25 feet	9 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
25 to 30 feet	11 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
30 to 37½ feet	13 00	15 00	17 00	19 00	20 00
37½ to 50 feet	17 00	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00

The appropriation of the regular frontage rates upon dwelling houses is on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family one dollar per year shall be charged.

Building Purposes—10 cents per 1,000 brick. All masonry at same rate, 500 bricks being equal to one cubic yard.

Plastering—40 cents per 100 square yards, openings not included.

Baths—All baths, \$3 per annum.

Water closets and urinals of every description that are supplied with water from a measuring tank or system from which only a limited quantity can be drawn, viz.: about three gallons at each pull, \$2. When supplied with water from a tank, other than a measuring tank, from which an unlimited quantity can be drawn by holding or fastening the valve open or when the supply is received direct from the water supply, \$5.

One water-closet and one bath in each house supplied free of charge.

Steam lighters and tug-boats, H. P.	Per Month.	\$8 00
Steam lighters and tug-boats, L. P.		4 00
Pile drivers and hoisting engines		5 00
Steam yachts		5 00
All others		5 00
Water boats supplying shipping		50 00

Meter Rates.

For all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, office buildings, public edifices, on wharves, ferry-houses, stables and places not enumerated, the rate shall be 10 cents per 100 cubic feet.

Where the whole or part of a building is occupied for business purposes, the whole supply shall be metered.

Where water is obtained by pumping from wells, or by purchase from other parties, all buildings shall be metered at a rate of 10 cents per 100 cubic feet.

Meters will be placed on all houses where there is an extra use of water, where required to ascertain the amount used, and where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed for all the water passing through them.

All charges not herein mentioned or fixed are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Water Supply.

The President explained that the principal object of this revision was to comply with an urgent demand of the residents of the several boroughs for uniformity of water charges. He further explained that in the preparation of the schedule the sub-committee were confronted with this situation: If uniformity was established by reducing all the rates under each head to that which prevails as the lowest in any particular borough, the aggregate existing deficit in annual receipts would be greater by over \$300,000 than it was last year. On the other hand, by adopting the higher prevailing rates the annual deficit would be reduced \$178,500. The unanimous disposition of the Committee was in favor of reducing rather than increasing rates, but at the same time they felt that in providing uniformity of charges, which after all was the main object, it would not be wise at this time to reduce the revenues to so great an extent. Therefore this revision was considered the most intelligent and equitable that could be devised. While the aggregate net increase proposed would reduce the annual deficit, the change of rates does not very materially add to the tax burden of any individual property-owner.

At present the water meter rate in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx is 10 cents per 100 cubic feet, 7½ cents in the Borough of Brooklyn, and ranges from 15 to 20 cents in the Borough of Queens. The proposed revision makes a uniform rate of 10 cents.

For the purpose of ready comparison, a table of the present frontage rates in all the boroughs is herewith submitted. For the purpose of uniformity, the rate prevailing in Brooklyn is adopted in the new classification.

Water Rents for Buildings.

	ONE STORY.	TWO STORIES.	THREE STORIES.	FOUR STORIES.	FIVE STORIES.
<i>16 feet and under.</i>					
Long Island City.....	\$2 70	\$3 70	\$5 70	\$7 70	\$8 70
Brooklyn.....	4 00	5 00	6 00	8 00	9 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	4 00	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00
<i>16 to 18 feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	3 30	5 30	7 30	8 30	10 30
Brooklyn.....	5 00	6 00	8 00	9 00	11 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
<i>18 to 20 feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	5 10	7 10	8 10	10 10	11 10
Brooklyn.....	6 00	8 00	9 00	11 00	12 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
<i>20 to 22½ feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	6 28	7 88	9 88	10 88	11 88
Brooklyn.....	8 00	9 00	11 00	12 00	13 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
<i>22½ to 25 feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	7 64	9 64	10 64	11 64	12 64
Brooklyn.....	9 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
<i>25 to 30 feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	9 25	11 25	12 25	13 25	14 25
Brooklyn.....	11 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
<i>30 to 37½ feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	10 63	12 63	14 63	16 63	17 63
Brooklyn.....	13 00	15 00	17 00	19 00	20 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
<i>37½ to 50 feet.</i>					
Long Island City.....	13 63	14 63	15 63	16 63	17 63
Brooklyn.....	17 00	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00
Manhattan and The Bronx.....	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

In the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx it has been customary to charge one dollar extra for each family more than one in dwelling-houses. The new schedule provides that this rate shall be extended to the other boroughs.

The rate at present charged in Manhattan and The Bronx for building purposes—that is, brick, plastering, etc.—is made the uniform rate throughout.

In the charge for extra baths there is no change from the rates now prevailing in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

For water-closets no change is made in the rates as they now exist in the three boroughs above named, except that this condition which has been in vogue in the old City of New York since 1890, is made the rule throughout all the boroughs.

"Water-closets and urinals of every description that are supplied with water from a measuring tank or system from which only a limited quantity can be drawn, viz.: about three gallons at each pull, \$2. When supplied with water from a tank, other than a measuring tank, from which an unlimited quantity can be drawn by holding or fastening the valve open, or when the supply is received from the water supply, \$5."

The rates for water to shipping in the new schedule are made uniform by adopting the rates at present prevailing in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. They are slightly in excess of the rates collected in the old City of Brooklyn.

If this new schedule is adopted by the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly, it will affect the boroughs as follows:

Increase in Manhattan and The Bronx.

On frontage rates..... \$175,000 00
Decrease in rates in Twenty-fourth Ward..... \$3,500 00

Increases in Brooklyn.

On metered water..... \$87,000 00
On extra families..... 30,000 00
On tugboats, etc..... 13,000 00

Decrease in Queens..... \$23,000 00

Increase..... \$305,000 00
Decrease..... 26,500 00

Total increase..... \$278,500 00

Councilman Foley asked for immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The President then put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 2.—(S. R. 45.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of restricting the use of Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, to pleasure vehicles, etc. (page 4, Minutes, January 2, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, a public hearing having been held, which was largely attended, and from which it appeared that public sentiment was in favor of the proposed reservation of the avenue.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements be and it is hereby respectfully requested to prepare and recommend to the Municipal Assembly for immediate adoption an ordinance to prevent the driving of trucks, express and delivery wagons upon Fifth avenue, between Twenty-fifth street and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, during the hours from 2 o'clock P. M. to 7 o'clock P. M., and upon Fifth avenue, from Fifty-ninth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at all times.

HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Law Department—

No. 116.—(S. R. 46.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to amend section 62 of the General License Ordinance (page 116, Minutes of January 23, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed amendment to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted:

AN ORDINANCE to amend "A general ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, and the regulation in The City of New York," approved by the Mayor, May 22, 1899.

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

Section 1. The provisions of section 62 of "A general ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, and the regulation thereof in The City of New York," adopted by the Council April 18, 1899; adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 9, 1899; approved by the Mayor, May 22, 1899, are hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following provisions, to wit: "Any person engaging in or carrying on any business herein regulated without a license therefor, or any person violating any of the regulations of this ordinance, or of any existing ordinances not inconsistent or conflicting herewith, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any magistrate, either upon confession of the party or competent testimony, may be fined not less than two (2) dollars, or more than ten (10) dollars for each offense, and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days."

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts thereof inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, Committee on Law Department.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 131.—(S. R. 47.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen permitting Joseph Massenimo to regulate, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-third and Lewis streets and Sherman avenue, Borough of The Bronx, at his own expense (page 128, Minutes, January 30, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission may be granted.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Massenimo to regulate and grade One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Sherman avenue and Lewis street, and Sherman avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, who may appoint a City Surveyor thereon; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Councilman Murray moved for immediate consideration.

There being no objection, it was so ordered and the resolution was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 87.—(S. R. 46.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen permitting R. H. Macy & Co. to connect their building in Fourteenth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, with "L" railroad station at said point (page 108, Minutes, January 23, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. H. Macy & Co. to connect the buildings owned and occupied by them on the southeast corner of Fourteenth street and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, with the uptown station of the Manhattan Railway Company by a bridge, in accordance with plans and specifications to be filed with the Commissioner of Highways of The City of New York, said plans and specifications to be approved by the aforesaid Commissioner, and the work of constructing said bridge to be done under the supervision of said Department.

This permission is given under the condition that R. H. Macy & Co. shall file a bond in such an amount and in such character as may be described by the said Commissioner to save harmless The City of New York, its officers and agents, from all suits or damages which may arise or result from the construction and maintenance of said structure, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 344.—(S. R. 47.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Louis Gordon to erect bay-windows at Nos. 256 and 258 East Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 366, Minutes, February 27, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Gordon to erect, place and keep bay-windows in front of each floor of his premises Nos. 256 and 258 East Tenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said bay-windows shall be erected so as to comply in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 353.—(S. R. 48.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge in the Borough of Manhattan (page 372, Minutes, February, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to lay out approach to Willis Avenue Bridge, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues, and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.0 feet to the western house-line of First avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.0 feet to the point of beginning.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, February 23, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon,

a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 21st day of February, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues, and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, on the petition of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of February, 1900.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 31st day of January, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues, and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, at 2 o'clock P.M., at which such proposed laying out of said approach would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out of said approach would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 21st day of February, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of February, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out of said approach who have appeared, and such proposed laying out of said approach was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues, and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.6 feet to the western house-line of First avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.6 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

No. 317.—(S. R. 49.)

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 27 of the Greater New York Charter, the salaries of James Owens and Bernard J. Reilly, appointed by this body to act in the capacity of Pages, be and the salaries hereby are increased from six hundred (\$600) dollars to nine hundred (\$900) dollars per annum each, the said increase to take effect on February 1, 1900.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, and Wise—18.

Negative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilman Engel, and the President—3.

Excused from voting—Councilman Francisco—1.

Councilman Cassidy moved that the vote by which the above resolution was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Cassidy then moved that this matter retain its place on the list of special orders.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 456.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That the Auditor be requested to audit and the Comptroller to pay the bill of Samuel E. Warren, amounting to sixty-five dollars for engraving and framing resolutions adopted by the Municipal Assembly and directed to be forwarded to John Philip Sousa.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

Excused from voting—Councilman Murray—1.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 376.—(S. R. 50.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of repaving East Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 418, Minutes, March 6, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE for repaving carriageway of East Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt on the present pavement of the carriageway of East Fifteenth street, from Avenue A to Avenue C, in the Borough of Manhattan, so far as the same is within the limits of the grants of land under water, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for a period of five (5) years, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being thirteen thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seven hundred and thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, MARTIN ENGEL, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, February 27, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, copy of an ordinance providing for the repaving with asphalt on the present pavement of the carriageway of East Fifteenth street, from Avenue A to Avenue C, in the Borough of Manhattan. The resolution authorizing the same was adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st instant.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

ORDER OF SECOND READING.

No. 15.—(S. R. 2.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing additional large water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn (page 30, Minutes, January 9, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for the laying of additional large water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in avenues and streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

"Forty-eight-inch mains, from the new Ridgewood pumping station, through Fountain avenue, New Lots avenue, Hegeman avenue, Avenue A, Ralph avenue, Avenue D and Avenue E, to Coney Island avenue;

"Thirty-six-inch mains from Coney Island avenue, through Franklin avenue and Eighteenth avenue to Eighty-sixth street, and on Ocean avenue, between Avenue E and Hamilton avenue;

"Twenty-inch mains on Coney Island avenue, between Avenues E and S; on East Ninety-eighth street and Rockaway parkway, between Hegeman avenue and Canarsie avenue or road; also from Avenue E, through Flatbush avenue and Avenue N, to Bergen Beach;

—and the making of a contract or contracts for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, January 5, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 3d instant, providing for the laying of additional large water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The construction of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that they are necessary in order to relieve the overtaxing of the present large distributing mains in that borough, and to improve the distribution and pressure.

The estimated cost of the proposed work is \$1,056,000, which is to be paid by the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 200.—(S. R. 16.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 161, Minutes, January 30, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 262.—(S. R. 23.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen to authorize issue of \$1,500 Corporate Stock to pay bill of costs in acquiring high school site, Borough of Manhattan (page 284, Minutes, February 13, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue of Corporate Stock to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, STEWART M. BRICE, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on January 23, 1900 (Minutes, page 94), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock, \$1,500, for payment of bill of costs in acquiring high school site, Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 412, Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted December 13, 1899, for one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500), to provide for the payment of the following-named bill of costs, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, in the matter of acquiring a site for high school purposes, located as follows:

On Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York:

E. J. Nellis, Expert Witness..... \$750 00

William W. Fogg, Expert Witness..... 750 00

\$1,500 00

—and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500).

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 21, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted December 21, 1899, subject to concurrence therewith by the Municipal Assembly, authorized the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the bill of costs as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, in the matter of acquiring a site for high school purposes, located on Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, New York, under the provisions of chapter 412, Laws of 1897;

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) for the purpose of providing means for the purposes aforesaid.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOSEPH GEISER, JACOB J. VELTEN, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :
Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

No. 199.—(S. R. 15.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Seventh avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Eighth and Audubon avenues, Borough of Manhattan (page 160, Minutes, January 30, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Seventh avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Eighth avenue and Audubon avenue, Borough of Manhattan.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :
That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Manhattan :

Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets ;

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Viaduct abutment ;
Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth streets ;

Audubon avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets ;

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :
Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 199.—(S. R. 6.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 156, Minutes, January 30, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx.
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 24th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :
Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 201.—(S. R. 17.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Sherman avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 161, Minutes, January 30, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Sherman avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx.
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 24th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz. :

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Sherman avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, HARRY C. HART, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 24th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Sherman avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx.

The laying of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that there are two houses to be supplied with water, and eight houses in course of construction. The estimated cost of the work is \$1,200.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :
Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

No. 58.—(S. R. 19.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of grading the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx (page 89, Minutes, January 16, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the grading of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx, to the established grades, and the construction of temporary roadways, sidewalks and paths, 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, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed 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 said work being one million and ninety-four thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is nine hundred and eighty-one thousand seven hundred and sixty-five dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that seventy-five per cent. of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, and twenty-five per cent. of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, January 13, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 10th instant providing for the grading to the established grades, and construction of temporary roadways, etc., of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Borough of The Bronx.

This work is recommended by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, copy of whose resolution is inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, December 7, 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 December 7, 1899, viz. :

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby requests the Board of Public Improvements to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Assessment and the Municipal Assembly the issuance of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one million dollars for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of regulating and grading the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :
Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Conly, Engel, Foley, French, Hottenroth, McGarry, Mundorf, Murray, Ryder, Sulzer, Wise, and the President—14.
Councilman Murray moved that the vote by which the above ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.
Councilman Murray then moved that the matter retain its place on the order of second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Councilman Francisco moved that the Council do now adjourn.
The President put the question whether the Council would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.
And the President declared that the Council stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 20, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, March 13, 1900,
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT :

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

ALDERMEN

John T. McCall,
Vice-President,
Charles Alt,
James J. Bridges,
George A. Burrell,
Francis J. Byrne,
Louis F. Cardani,
Jeremiah Cronin,
Charles W. Culkin,
William H. C. Delano,
John Diemer,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
Joseph A. Flinn,
James E. Gaffney,
Frank Gass,
Henry Geiger,

Joseph Geiser,
William H. Gledhill,
Elias Goodman,
Peter Holler,
David M. Holmes,
Michael Kennedy,
Francis P. Kenney,
Michael Ledwith,
Isaac Marks,
Armitage Mathews,
Lawrence W. McGrath,
James H. McInnes,
Stephen W. McKeever,
John T. McMahon,
Charles Metzger,
Robert Muh,
Owen J. Murphy,

Emil Neufeld,
Joseph Oatman,
Luke Otten,
Max J. Porges,
Henry J. Rottmann,
Bernard Schmitt,
William F. Schneider, Jr.,
Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr.,
James J. Smith,
John J. Twomey,
John J. Vaughan, Jr.,
Jacob J. Velten,
Alexander F. Wacker,
Moses J. Wafer,
William Wentz,
John Wirth,
Henry W. Wolf.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes.
Alderman Goodman moved that a further reading of the minutes be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

No. 123.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
March 13, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on January 30, 1900, authorizing and directing the Comptroller to refund to Francis Adams overcharges of water rates paid in the Borough of Brooklyn during the years 1886 to 1897.

My objection to this resolution is, that it is mandatory in form, and that the claims in question should be presented to the Finance Department for action in the regular course of business.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Whereas, The water rates upon Lots Nos. 65 and 63 in Block 127 of the Twenty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, have heretofore and for the years 1886 to 1897, inclusive, been erroneously increased beyond the proper charge thereon, for the reason that said charges were made as for a three-story building on each of said lots, whereas said buildings are actually only two-story high, respectively, said error making a difference of one dollar in each year upon each lot ;

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to refund to Francis Adams, the owner of said premises, the sum of twenty-three dollars, the same being the amount of overcharge of water rates as above set forth ; the said refund to be made upon such proof as to the said Comptroller may seem sufficient.

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

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

No. 296.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
March 13, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on February 27, 1900, changing the name of Kelly street, from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, to East One Hun-

dred and Fifty-second street; and from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue to Dennison avenue, all in the Borough of The Bronx.

My objection to this resolution is that no sufficient reason is shown for the changes proposed.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That the name of Kelly street, from Robbins avenue to Prospect avenue, be and the same is hereby changed to East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, be and the same is hereby changed to Dennison avenue, all in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

No. 355.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
March 13, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on February 27, 1900, giving permission to Hugh Dugan to erect and keep a sign in front of his premises, No. 1232 Fulton street.

My objection to this resolution is, that it is too general and indefinite, neither the size of the sign nor the location of it being specified or in any way limited.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh Dugan to erect and keep a sign in front of his premises, No. 1232 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Clerk:

No. 437.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK—CITY HALL, }
NEW YORK, March 8, 1900.

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

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith documents relative to matters which were adopted by the Council at their stated meeting on Tuesday, March 6, 1900, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 371, 375, 387, 389.

Yours, respectfully,

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The papers above referred to are as follows:

No. 438.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Mannes and Owen H. Mannes, composing the firm of Henry Mannes & Co., to erect, place and keep an awning in front of their premises, Nos. 155 and 157 West Thirty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall not extend more than fifteen feet ten inches from the house-line and be wholly within the stoop-line, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Alderman Oatman moved that the resolution be referred to the Alderman of the district.

Alderman Byrne moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Byrne.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 439.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Long Island Railroad Company to place, erect and maintain an iron awning or shelter, as per attached plan, in and over Main street, Flushing, in the Borough of Queens, covering the sidewalk between the railroad station and the curb, with the necessary posts supporting the same, for the protection of the public travelling from the station to the trolley cars and carriages, the work to be done and the material supplied at the expense of the said railroad company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 440.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK, }
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
NEW YORK, March 2, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

SIRS—On the 11th day of January, 1900, I transmitted to you copy of a resolution adopted by this Board on January 10, 1900, with a form of ordinance, as "changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue, from a point 1,033.33 feet northerly," etc. A mistake was made in the number of feet given at the time, and the resolution and form of ordinance should read 1,039.33 feet northerly, etc.

I inclose a corrected copy of both resolution and form of ordinance for your action thereon in lieu of the former transmitted to you on January 11, 1900.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 10th day of January, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 20th day of December, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue, from a point 1,039.33 feet northerly to a point 779.50 feet southerly from the centre line of West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of grade would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place, at which such proposed change of grade would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 10th day of January, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of January, 1900; and

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

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 to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue, from a point 1,039.33 feet northerly to a point 779.50 feet southerly from the centre line of West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid avenue as follows:

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

All elevations above city datum.

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

AN ORDINANCE to change grade of Edgecombe avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgecombe avenue,

from a point 1,039.33 feet northerly to a point 779.50 feet southerly from the centre line of West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid avenue, as follows:

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

All elevations above city datum.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 441.

Resolved, That the resolution permitting J. W. Foote to place and keep storm-doors in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Myrtle avenue and Adams street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen October 4, 1898, by the Council October 4, 1898, and approved by his Honor the Mayor October 8, 1898, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Byrne, referred to the Alderman of the district.

PETITION.

The President laid before the Board the following petition from owners, lessees or occupants of houses on East Fifty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan:

No. 442.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

The undersigned, being the owners, lessees or occupants of the houses located between Madison and Park avenues, in Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, do respectfully petition that the ordinance passed December 30, 1899, and which required the numbers on the said houses to be changed, be repealed for the following reasons:

1. It is generally understood that the houses in the side streets, between Fifth and Park avenues, are numbered from one to fifty between Fifth and Madison, and from fifty to one hundred between Madison and Fourth avenues, and a change of this system would lead to confusion and inconvenience.

2. A number of the houses between Madison and Park avenues were constructed over thirty years ago, and the expense that would be entailed upon the owners and occupants of such houses, not only for changing the numbers upon their doors, but upon trunks, cards and note paper and other property would be very great.

3. For a number of years there has been but one house constructed between Madison and Park avenues, and the necessity for a change of the numbering is not apparent.

Dated NEW YORK, February 1, 1900.

George H. Adams.

Charles F. Chandler.

Elizabeth A. Townsend.

John J. Carle.

Elizabeth B. Lynde.

James A. Renwick.

Charles W. Armour.

T. C. Henderson.

J. Kinsett Olyphant.

Georgia R. Haub.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

Charles S. McGay.

H. H. Chittenden.

Charles E. Miller.

Henry M. Ward.

Susan C. Herrman.

Andrew Purdy.

Clarence D. Townsend.

Harriet T. Bryce.

Charles C. Mott, Jr.

Hugh S. Thompson.

T. Foster Gaines.

James G. Cannon.

Andrew J. Fox.

Hart Lyman.

Guy Richards.

Edward A. Stern.

Howard Thyson Wilds.

Frank W. Druns.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 443.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for The City of New York:

By the President—

Frank A. Mayo, No. 7 James street, Manhattan.

Adolph H. Mayer, No. 19 Park place, Manhattan.

Thomas K. Robertson, New York Hospital, West Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

Rudolph A. Horn, No. 309 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Alt—

John J. Hillberty, No. 104 Grant avenue, Brooklyn.

H. A. Manderville, No. 104 Van Siclen avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Byrne—

John A. Thompson, No. 120 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Cardani—

Emanuel Raunheim, No. 290 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

George D. Duryea, No. 360 Hancock street, Brooklyn.

Robert Holmes, Jr., No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dowling—

T. W. Crowley, Stewart Building, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Joseph M. Williams, No. 57 Joralemon street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Flinn—

George C. Harrison, No. 111 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Geiger—

John J. Clarke, No. 157 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—

Joseph Carlisle Kadane, No. 77 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hennessy—

Samuel Johnston, No. 236 Baltic street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Keegan—

Frank A. Seaver, Eighty-first street and Eleventh avenue, Brooklyn.

William H. Stryker, Emmons avenue, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn.

Edward E. Falke, No. 168 Fifty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Keely—

James Pines, No. 861 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenney—

Francis W. Kennedy, No. 5 Willoughby street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Marks—

Alfred Beekman, No. 53 Park row, Manhattan.

Louis Ognibene, No. 126 Elizabeth street, Manhattan.

Thomas J. Bannon, Spring street, corner Bowery, Manhattan.

Minnie A. Hessel, World Building, Manhattan.

Abraham Pearlman, No. 76 Essex street, Manhattan.

Abraham H. Sarason, No. 192 East Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Felix H. Levy, No. 27 Pine street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

Max Alexander, No. 220 Broadway, Manhattan.

Samuel C. Baum, No. 106 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McEneaney—

Abraham Wieler, No. 170 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman McInnes—

Frederick W. Baldwin, No. 77 East Fifth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McKeever—

Edwin L. Snedeker, No. 109 Park place, Brooklyn.

Charles J. Spaeth, No. 661 Classon avenue, Brooklyn.

L. Harry Fisher, No. 373 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Fred. C. Williams, No. 31 Lincoln place, Brooklyn.

John S. Nichols, Jr., No. 373 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Alex. A. Forman, Jr., No. 573 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.

George N. Whelpley, No. 158 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn.

Harry E. Raitano, No. 222 Baltic street, Brooklyn.

Morris Zuckerman, No. 177 Christopher avenue, Brooklyn.

Alfred W. Todd, No. 420 Hancock street, Brooklyn.

Louis Osswald, No. 420 Kosciusko street, Brooklyn.

Joseph J. O'Connell, No. 198 Forty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McMahon—

Frank C. Reilly, No. 204 East Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Muh—
Stephen Philbin, No. 49 Chambers street, Manhattan.
Patrick H. Pickett, No. 70 Ludlow street, Manhattan.
Sol. D. Rosenthal, No. 61 Park Row, Manhattan.
John T. Langan, No. 99 Nassau street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Murphy—
Andrew T. Fitzsimmons, No. 163 North Sixth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Oatman—
Adna H. Miller, No. 227 West Fifty-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Porges—
Max Siegel, No. 170 Forsyth street, Manhattan.
M. Louis Goldman, No. 118 Division street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schmitt—
John Klein, No. 8 Noll street, Brooklyn.
John T. Lang, No. 127 Central avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Twomey—
William E. Fitzgerald, No. 39 West Sixteenth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wacker—
William A. Wilson, No. 120 Himrod street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—
John Rainey, No. 59 Park avenue, Brooklyn.
James G. Fitzgerald, No. 211 Chauncey street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wirth—
Le Grand K. Pettit, No. 556 Halsey street, Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Byrne, Culkin, Delano, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porges, Rottmann, Schmitt, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Velten, Wacker, Water, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—40.

No. 444.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Cronin—
Fruit Stand—Luiga Brambilla, No. 63 Frankfort street, Manhattan.
Bootblack Stand—Michael Molinann, No. 59 Whitehall street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Delano—
Bootblack Stand—Jacob Pitz, No. 613 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Flinn—
Newspaper Stand—Leopold Herrman, No. 366 Bowery, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kennedy—
Soda-water Stand—Giovanni B. Lobrovico, No. 64 Grand street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—
Soda-water Stand—Hyman Goldstein, No. 266 Cherry street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McGrath—
Fruit Stand—Gus Efinger, No. 521 Brook avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Neufeld—
Soda-water Stand—Adolph Fleischer, No. 245 East Fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Twomey—
Fruit Stand—M. Goodman, southwest corner of Tenth avenue and Fifty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Velten—
Soda-water Stand—Nathan Goodman, No. 17 Cook street, Brooklyn; Abraham Cohen, No. 117 McKibben street, Brooklyn; Morris Levy, No. 43 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—
Fruit Stand—John Harrison, southwest corner of Fulton street and Utica avenue, Brooklyn.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 445.

By Alderman Wirth—

Resolved, That it is respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that Welsbach burners be placed on the lamp-posts on Quincy street, between Bedford and Nostrand avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 446.

By Alderman Velten—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration, resolution now in his hands permitting George Stadtmuller to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock, in front of his premises, No. 149 Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 358.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Stadtmuller to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 149 Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and the clock shall not be used for advertising purposes, 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.

Alderman Velten moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Velten the paper was then ordered on file.

No. 447.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Stadtmuller to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 149 Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided that the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 448.

By the same—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration, resolution now in his hands permitting Ernst Niebegall to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock in front of his premises, No. 181 Graham avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 360.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernst Niebegall to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 181 Graham avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and the clock shall not be used for advertising purposes, 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.

Alderman Velten moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Velten the paper was then ordered on file.

No. 449.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernst Niebegall to place and keep a post surmounted by a clock on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 181 Graham avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 450.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry A. Smith to move a two-story frame building from the rear of No. 251 Montrose avenue to a point on the north side of Meserole street, about 50 feet east of Waterbury street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 451.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that they take under advisement and submit to the Municipal Assembly at their earliest convenience an ordinance which shall have for its object the widening of the carriageway of Meserole street, from Bushwick avenue to Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, at least ten inches on each side thereof.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 452.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Hertz to erect, keep and maintain storm-doors in front of his premises, No. 1 East Third street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 453.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Hertz to erect, keep and maintain storm-doors in front of his premises, No. 347 Bowery, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 454.

By Alderman Oatman—

Resolved, That, upon the annexed petition, it is respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of Seventh avenue, from Eleventh street to Fifty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt on the present foundation.

SEVENTH AVENUE.

Transcript of Property Owners' Petition for Asphalt on Seventh Avenue, Tabulated for Convenience by Numbers on the Avenue in Rotation, Beginning at Eleventh Street, Thence Northerly.

(Numbers with * designate property owned by the signers to the petition, hereto annexed.)

Eleventh street, west side—

*2. Rhinelander Estate.

*4. "

*6. "

*8. "

*10. "

*18. "

Eleventh street, east side—

*1. St. Vincent Hospital, John D. Crimmins (Chairman of Committee).

*3. St. Vincent Hospital, John D. Crimmins (Chairman of Committee).

*5. Unknown.

*7. St. Vincent Hospital.

*9. "

*11. "

*13. V. Hammon.

*15. Anna M. Doremus.

*17. St. Vincent Hospital.

Twelfth street, west side—

*20. Rhinelander Estate.

*22. "

*24. "

*26. "

*28. "

*30. "

*32. "

*34. "

*36. "

*38. "

*40. "

Twelfth street, east side—

*21. Devlin Estate.

*23. "

*25. "

*27. Seventh Avenue Church.

*29. "

*31. "

*33. "

*35. "

*37. In California.

*39. "

Thirteenth street, west side—

*42. Robert J. Hoguet.

*44. "

*46. "

*48. Metropolitan Temple.

*50. "

*52. "

*54. "

*56. "

*58. "

*60. "

*62. Unknown.

Thirteenth street, east side—

*41. Not seen.

*43. "

*45. Mary McKay.

*47. Unknown.

*49. Estate F. J. Holop.

*51. Estate Ellen O'Reilly.

*53. Herring Estate.

*55. "

*57. "

*59. "

Fourteenth street, west side—

*66. Ex-policeman.

*68. Maurice J. Sullivan.

*70. Estate of Jacob Cohen.

*72. Not seen.

*74. Emil Kaube.

*76. Not seen.

Fourteenth street, east side—

*64. Rhinelander Estate.

*63. "

*65. Not seen.

*67. Non-resident.

*69. Not seen.

*71. H. Jantzen.

*73. Not seen.

*75. John Hayes.

*77. Estate Thomas Jennett.

Fifteenth street, west side—

*78. Rhinelander Estate.

*80. Sisters of Charity.

*82. "

*84. "

*86. "

*88. "

*90. "

*92. Owner in Europe.

*94. "

*96. "

*98. "

Fifteenth street, east side—

*79. Not seen.

*81. "

*83. Non-resident.

*85. "

*87. "

*89. In Europe.

*91. "

*93. "

*95. "

*97. "

Sixteenth street, west side—

*100. Estate Thomas Jennett.

*102. "

*104. "

*106. S. W. Mayer.

*108. "

*110. "

*112. Non-resident.

*114. "

*116. "

Sixteenth street, east side—

*101. Amelia Schachtel.

*103. "

*105. "

*107. "

*109. M. & T. Schaefer.

*111. "

*113. Not seen.

*115. "

Seventeenth street, west side—

*118. Estate Thomas Jennett.

*120. "

*122. Not seen.

*124. "

*126. Robert B. Roosevelt.

*128. "

*130. "

*132. "

Seventeenth street, east side—

*117. Weber-Wheelock Company.

*119. "

*121. "

*123. "

*125. "

*127. Refused on account of having sprinkling contract.

*129. Refused on account of having sprinkling contract.

Seventeenth street, east side—
 131. Refused on account of having sprinkling contract.
 133. Refused on account of having sprinkling contract.
 Eighteenth street, west side—
 *134. Gustave Dessecker.
 *136. Isabell R. Clark.
 *138. William Irving Clark.
 *140. Peter Kirschot.
 *142. "
 *144. "
 *146. "
 148. "
 Eighteenth street, east side—
 141. In Europe.
 143. "
 145. "
 *149. John T. Farley.
 Nineteenth street, west side—
 *152. Sol. W. Albro.
 *154. "
 *156. Amelia Schachtel.
 *158. "
 *160. Thomas Muir.
 *164. Abby J. Van Wart.
 *166. Edith D. Stewart.
 Nineteenth street, east side—
 *151. Sarah Lewis.
 *153. "
 *155. "
 *157. "
 *159. Selma Wallach.
 *161. "
 163. Afraid taxes.
 *165. Jas. Dowd.
 *167. Jas. Berry.
 *169. Margaret Peacock.
 Twentieth street, west side—
 170. Not seen.
 172. "
 *174. Lawrence C. Hafner.
 *176. "
 *178. "
 *180. John Davidson.
 *182. Thomas Muir.
 184. Not seen.
 Twentieth street, east side—
 *171. John Brunie.
 *173. "
 *175. J. Grese.
 *177. Andrew Moll.
 *179. John Post.
 *181. "
 *183. "
 *185. "
 *187. "
 Twenty-first street, west side—
 *188. O. McCracken.
 *190. "
 *192. Hermann Klock.
 194. Unable to find address.
 196. Not opposed; refused to sign.
 198. "
 200. "
 202. "
 204. "
 206. "
 Twenty-first street, east side—
 189. Non-resident.
 191. Don't sign public papers.
 193. "
 195. "
 197. "
 199. "
 *201. Fred. Bardusch.
 *203. Max Green.
 *205. W. C. Weyland.
 *207. Nicholas A. Wernert.
 Twenty-second street, west side—
 *208. Annie Patterson.
 *210. "
 *212. "
 *214. James O. West.
 *216. "
 *218. Salsby L. Bradley.
 *220. "
 *222. "
 Twenty-second street, east side—
 *209. Henry Kroneke.
 *213. "
 *215. Widmayer Estate.
 *217. "
 *219. "
 Twenty-third street, west side—
 *224. Hubbard G. Stone.
 *226. "
 228. Not seen.
 230. Non-residents.
 232. "
 *234. Jacob Appel.
 236. Out of town.
 238. "
 Twenty-third street, east side—
 *225. Nicholas A. Wernert.
 *227. "
 *229. Charles Fleury.
 *233. Richard Graham.
 *235. Aron Walter.
 237. Non-resident.
 239. "
 243. Unable to find address.
 Twenty-fourth street, west side.
 *244. Mary E. Healy.
 *246. Charles Kaufman.
 *248. Mark L. Abraham.
 *250. Estate John P. O'Reilly.
 *252. Henry Muller.
 *254. Estate Martin Frank.
 *256. Mary A. G. McLochlin.
 *258. "
 *260. Albert J. Adams.
 Twenty-fourth street, east side—
 245. Not opposed.
 247. "
 249. "
 251. "
 253. Don't sign public papers.
 255. "
 *257. Andrew Leupold.
 259. Can't find.
 261. Address unknown.

Twenty-fifth street, west side—
 *262. John J. Talley.
 *266. Frederick Abendschein.
 *268. Abby J. Van Wart.
 *272. Estate Martin Frank.
 *276. Jacques Pacheteau.
 278. Not seen.
 Twenty-fifth street, east side—
 *263. Adelia M. Laukanan.
 *265. "
 267. Non-residents.
 *269. Euphemia Whitridge.
 271. Not seen.
 273. "
 *275. Charles W. Bock.
 *277. E. Boardman Clark.
 *281. Peter McGirr.
 Twenty-sixth street, west side—
 *282. Manley A. Raymond.
 *284. "
 288. In Europe.
 *290. William Irving Clark.
 292. Not seen.
 296. In Europe.
 Twenty-sixth street, east side—
 283. Don't sign public papers.
 285. "
 287. Not seen.
 *289. Anne E. Jenny.
 *291. Charles Bauman.
 *293. Estate Sophia M. Ellinghausen.
 *295. L. Albertina.
 *297. Mrs. Catherine Getzgar.
 *299. "
 Twenty-seventh street, west side—
 *300. Nassau Realty Company.
 *302. "
 *304. "
 *306. "
 *308. "
 *310. "
 *312. Josephine Delano.
 *314. "
 316. Not seen.
 318. "
 *320. N. A. Donnelly.
 Twenty-seventh street, east side—
 301. Out of the city.
 303. "
 305. "
 307. "
 309. "
 311. "
 313. "
 315. "
 Twenty-eighth street, west side—
 *322. Julia A. Chase Estate.
 *324. "
 326. Not seen.
 328. Afraid of Taxes.
 330. "
 332. "
 *334. New York Life and Trust Company.
 *336. "
 Twenty-eighth street, east side—
 *319. Estate George B. Whitfield.
 *321. "
 *323. "
 325. Not seen.
 *327. Gilbert F. Ackerman.
 *329. John H. Butt.
 331. Not seen.
 *333. Adler S. Eckert.
 *335. Hellen S. Eckel.
 Twenty-ninth street, west side—
 *342. Albert J. Adams.
 *344. "
 *348. M. Levy.
 *350. John Herdtfelder.
 352. In the country.
 354. "
 *358. Dorothea Regensburger.
 360. Not seen.
 Twenty-ninth street, east side—
 341. Not seen.
 *343. Peter C. Reutzel.
 *345. Oscar Krause.
 347. Too many heirs to bother with.
 *349. Henry Stock.
 *351. "
 353. Non-resident.
 355. "
 357. Not opposed; afraid of taxes.
 359. "
 Thirtieth street, west side—
 *362. Albert J. Adams.
 *364. Mark L. Abraham.
 366. Not seen.
 *368. Dora Fride.
 *370. "
 *372. "
 *374. "
 *376. "
 *378. "
 Thirtieth street, east side—
 361. Afraid of taxes.
 *365. William F. Newkirk.
 *367. "
 *369. Henry Ungrich.
 *371. Margaret Berge.
 *373. "
 *375. John D. Faust.
 *377. Margaret Berge.
 Thirty-first street, west side—
 *382. Henry Hughes.
 384. In favor; didn't care to sign.
 386. "
 388. "
 390. Not seen.
 *392. Mrs. F. Wheeler.
 394. Non-resident.
 *396. Mrs. L. Kessler.
 *398. "
 Thirty-first street, east side—
 *383. Catherine Steermen.
 *385. "
 *389. John H. Diehl.
 *391. Elizabeth Hafner.
 *393. "
 395. Not seen.
 399. In the country.

Thirty-second street, west side—
 *400. Children's Aid Society, D. Willis James, President.
 *402. Children's Aid Society, D. Willis James, President.
 *404. Children's Aid Society, D. Willis James, President.
 *406. Non-resident.
 *408. Jane McCaughan.
 *410. Estate Nicholas Miller.
 *412. "
 414. Non-resident.
 *416. Mary A. Woodhead.
 Thirty-second street, east side—
 401. Will not sign public papers, not opposed.
 403. Will not sign public papers, not opposed.
 405. Will not sign public papers, not opposed.
 407. Will not sign public papers, not opposed.
 409. Will not sign public papers, not opposed.
 *415. Louis Unrich.
 *417. "
 Thirty-third street, west side—
 *420. M. A. Donnelly.
 *422. Louis Voelker.
 424. Unable to find.
 426. "
 *428. Balthazar Schmidt.
 *430. Estate James Gridley.
 *432. "
 *434. "
 *436. Rosina H. McFarland.
 *438. "
 *440. "
 Thirty-third street, east side—
 *421. Mary Haggerty.
 *423. "
 425. Residence, London.
 *427. Samuel Booth.
 *429. Balthazar Schmidt.
 *431. Ernest Zabel.
 433. Non-resident.
 435. "
 437. "
 439. Brooklyn.
 Thirty-fourth street, west side—
 *442. Louis Lilenthal.
 *444. "
 *446. Sarah Tallack.
 *448. Conrad Scherrer.
 450. Unknown.
 452. Non-resident.
 *454. Abraham Guisky.
 456. No one can sign.
 458. Afraid of taxes.
 460. Not seen.
 Thirty-fourth street, east side—
 *441. Levi Morris.
 *443. "
 *445. Byrnes & Brady.
 *447. Estate Joseph Lilenthal.
 *449. Silas B. Brownell.
 *451. "
 *453. Estate John L. Chase.
 *455. Jacob R. Thoman.
 *457. "
 *459. "
 Twenty-fifth street, west side—
 *462. Estate Thomas Laughran.
 *464. "
 *466. "
 *468. "
 *470. G. V. N. Baldwin.
 *472. "
 *474. Joseph Byrnes.
 *476. "
 *478. Auguste Kalisky.
 *480. Walter J. Hilton.
 Thirty-fifth street, east side—
 461. New York State Arsenal.
 463. "
 465. "
 467. "
 *469. Phebe Lehnert.
 *471. Katherine C. Boyer.
 *473. "
 *475. Theresa Soloman.
 *477. "
 *479. "
 Thirty-sixth street, west side—
 482. Brooklyn.
 484. "
 486. "
 488. "
 490. "
 492. "
 494. Afraid of taxes, otherwise favorable.
 496. "
 498. "
 Thirty-sixth street, east side—
 *481. Estate James H. Snyder.
 *483. "
 *485. "
 *487. "
 *489. "
 *491. Robert Alexander.
 493. Out of city.
 *495. Carrie Leacock.
 *497. George W. Ellis.
 *499. "
 Thirty-seventh street, west side—
 *500. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *502. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *504. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *506. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *508. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *510. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *512. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *514. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).

Thirty-seventh street, west side—
 *516. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *518. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 *520. Eliza W. White Estate, Hoffman Brothers (New Hotel).
 Thirty-seventh street, east side—
 501. Favorable, but don't sign public documents.
 503. Favorable, but don't sign public documents.
 505. Favorable, but don't sign public documents.
 507. Favorable, but don't sign public documents.
 509. Residence, London.
 511. "
 513. "
 515. "
 517. "
 Thirty-eighth street, west side—
 522. Can't be seen.
 524. "
 526. "
 *528. Sarah E. Holland.
 *530. "
 532. Afraid of taxes; not opposed.
 534. "
 536. "
 Thirty-eighth street, east side—
 519. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 521. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 523. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 525. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 527. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 529. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 531. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 533. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 Thirty-ninth street, west side—
 540. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 542. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 544. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 546. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 548. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 550. Trinity Corporation. Favorable; don't sign public documents.
 *552. Annie E. Allen.
 *554. "
 556. Afraid of taxes.
 558. Not seen.
 Thirty-ninth street, east side—
 *535. Metropolitan Opera R. E. Co.
 *537. "
 *539. "
 *541. "
 *543. "
 *545. "
 *547. "
 *549. "
 *551. "
 *553. "
 *555. "
 *557. "
 Fortieth street, west side—
 *562. Simon Strasberg.
 564. Unknown.
 *566. Thomas Barrett.
 *568. "
 570. Opposed.
 572. "
 574. "
 576. "
 Fortieth street, east side—
 *561. John Long.
 567. Not seen.
 569. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 571. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 573. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 575. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 577. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 579. Residence, Paris; no one has authority to sign.
 Forty-first street, west side—
 582. Not seen.
 584. "
 586. Too many interested to bother with.
 *588. James Thomas.
 590. Non-resident.
 *592. Thomas P. Fitzsimons.
 594. Not seen.
 596. "
 598. "
 Forty-first street, east side—
 *583. Estate Elizabeth F. Floyd.
 *585. "
 587. Not seen.
 *589. Estate of Reuben Ross.
 *591. "
 *593. "
 *595. "
 *597. Estate of William F. Coe.
 *599. "
 Forty-seventh street, west side—
 *702. Thomas F. Murtha.
 *704. "
 *706. "
 *708. "
 *710. Moritz B. Phillips.
 *712. "
 *714. "
 *716. "
 *718. "
 *720. "

Forty-seventh street, east side—
 701. Opposed to all improvements on account of taxes.
 703. Opposed to all improvements on account of taxes.
 705. Opposed to all improvements on account of taxes.
 707. In Europe.
 709. "
 *711. Mechanics' Library Association, Charles A. Cowen, president.
 *713. Mechanics' Library Association, Charles A. Cowen, president.
 *715. Mechanics' Library Association, Charles A. Cowen, president.
 717. Not seen.
 719. "
 Forty-eighth street, west side—
 *722. A. D. Juillard.
 *724. "
 *726. "
 *728. "
 *730. "
 732. Don't care.
 *734. James Devlin.
 *736. "
 *738. "
 740. Brooklyn.
 Forty-eighth street, east side—
 721. Opposed (Butcher).
 723. "
 725. Not seen.
 *727. Thomas Mallinson.
 729. Non-resident.
 731. "
 733. "
 735. "
 737. "
 Forty-ninth street, west side—
 *742. Daniel McElroy.
 *744. Cyrus Clark.
 *746. "
 *748. "
 *750. "
 *752. "
 *754. Morris B. Baer.
 *756. Morris H. Bonner.
 758. Unknown.
 760. "
 Forty-ninth street, east side—
 745. Ex-Policeman.
 747. "
 749. "
 751. Opposed.
 *753. Joseph Grafton.
 *755. "
 *757. "
 *759. "
 Fiftieth street, west side—
 *762. American Horse Exchange, S. V. S.
 *764. "
 *766. "
 *768. "
 *770. "
 *772. "
 *774. "
 776. Afraid of taxes.
 778. "
 780. "
 Fiftieth street, east side—
 Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Stables.
 Fifty-first street, west side—
 *792. George R. Fearing.
 *794. "
 *796. "
 798. Eno estate, being divided.
 Fifty-first street, east side—
 *781. Mrs. Charles A. Olcott.
 *783. "
 *785. "
 *787. "
 *789. Estate Thomas Loughran.
 *791. "
 *793. "
 *795. "
 *797. "
 *799. "
 Fifty-second street, west side—
 *800. Louis Ettlinger.
 *802. "
 *804. "
 *806. "
 *808. "
 810. Eno Estate in process of being sold.
 812. "
 814. "
 816. "
 *818. Henry Hartmann, Bertha Oppenheimer.
 *820. Henry Hartmann, Bertha Oppenheimer.
 *822. Henry Hartmann, Bertha Oppenheimer.
 Fifty-second street, east side—
 799. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 801. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 803. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 805. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 807. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 809. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 811. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 813. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 815. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 817. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.
 819. Difference of opinion among directors prevents signing.

Fifty-third street, west side—
 *824. P. J. Connell.
 826. Not seen.
 828. Don't sign papers.
 830. "
 *832. Samuel McMillan.
 *834. "
 *836. "
 *838. Lindo Brothers.
 Fifty-third street, east side—
 *821. Christopher T. Bode.
 823. Not seen.
 *825. Estate Jacob Cohen.
 *829. Mills Estate, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. James R. Norris; Benjamin P. Mills, attorney.
 *831. Mills Estate, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. James R. Norris; Benjamin P. Mills, attorney.
 *833. Mills Estate, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. James R. Norris; Benjamin P. Mills, attorney.
 *835. Mills Estate, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. James R. Norris; Benjamin P. Mills, attorney.
 *837. Mills Estate, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. James R. Norris; Benjamin P. Mills, attorney.
 Fifty-fourth street, west side—
 *842. F. N. Lawrence.
 *844. Sarah Lewis.
 *846. Caledonian Club, Andrew Wallace, President.
 *848. Patrick Burke.
 850. In Paris.
 852. "
 *856. Clark estate.
 Fifty-fourth street, east side—
 839. Favorable; unable to hold directors' meeting in time to get authorization to sign.
 841. Favorable; unable to hold directors' meeting in time to get authorization to sign.
 843. Favorable; unable to hold directors' meeting in time to get authorization to sign.
 845. Favorable; unable to hold directors' meeting in time to get authorization to sign.
 847. Favorable; unable to hold directors' meeting in time to get authorization to sign.
 *849. Estate, Anna Botsford.
 *851. "
 *853. "
 *855. Clark Estate.
 *857. "
 *859. "
 Fifty-fifth street, west side—
 *858. Clark Estate.
 *860. "
 *862. "
 *864. "
 *866. "
 *868. "
 *870. "
 *872. "
 *874. "
 *876. "
 Fifty-fifth street, east side—
 *861. Gustave L. Boehm.
 *863. "
 *865. C. S. Barney.
 *867. "
 *869. "
 *871. "
 *873. "
 875. Afraid of taxes.
 877. "
 879. "
 Fifty-sixth street, west side—
 *878. "Grenoble," J. Hall Browning.
 *880. "
 *882. "
 *884. "
 *886. "
 *888. "
 *890. "
 *892. "
 *894. "
 *896. "
 Fifty-sixth street, east side—
 *881. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *883. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *885. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *887. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *889. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *891. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *893. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *895. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *897. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 *899. Music Hall of New York, Limited (Carnegie Hall).
 Fifty-seventh street, west side—
 *898. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *900. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *902. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *904. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *906. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *908. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 *910. "Osborn," Estate John Taylor et al.
 912. Don't sign any papers.
 914. "
 916. "
 918. "
 920. "

Fifty-seventh street, east side—
 *901. Estate George W. Helme, George A. Helme, trustee.
 *903. Estate George W. Helme, George A. Helme, trustee.
 *907. Estate George W. Helme, George A. Helme, trustee.
 *909. Estate George W. Helme, George A. Helme, trustee.
 *911. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *913. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *915. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *917. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 Fifty-eighth street, west side—
 *926. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *928. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *930. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *932. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *934. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 *936. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.

Fifty-eighth street, west side—
 *938. Estate L. Appleby, Charles E. Appleby, trustee.
 Fifty-eighth street, east side—
 *919. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *921. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *923. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *925. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *927. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
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 *933. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *935. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *937. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *939. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.
 *941. Central Park Apartment Houses, J. J. McComb.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GREETING—The undersigned citizens, property owners and taxpayers of the Borough of Manhattan respectfully petition your Honorable Body for an asphalt pavement on Seventh avenue from Greenwich avenue, thence northerly to Forty-second street, and from Forty-seventh street northerly to Fifty-eighth street, thus giving a continuous asphalt pavement from Greenwich avenue to the Central Park.

Respectfully submitted.

NAME.	PROPERTY OWNED.	RESIDENCE.
Joseph Grafton	753, 755, 757 and 759 Seventh avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, east side.	307 Fifth avenue.
George R. Fearing	Seventh avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets.	
R. B. Roosevelt	Southwest corner Seventh (126 128, 130 and 132) avenue and Eighteenth street.	57 Fifth avenue.
H. G. Stone	Northwest corner Seventh avenue and Twenty-third street.	41 West Ninety-sixth street.
James C. Thomas	493 Seventh avenue.	493 Seventh avenue.
Mrs. E. P. Nelson, per Benj. P. Mills, Attorney.	829, 831, 833, 835 and 837 Seventh avenue.	Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.
Mrs. Jas. A. Norris, per Benj. P. Mills, Attorney.	829, 831, 833, 835 and 837 Seventh avenue.	Glen Cove, Long Island, N. Y.
Miss Frances P. Mills, per Benj. P. Mills, Attorney.	829, 831, 833, 835 and 837 Seventh avenue.	South Bound Brook, N. J.
Benj. P. Mills	829, 831, 833, 835 and 837 Seventh avenue.	"
The Schaefer Co.	109 and 111 Seventh avenue.	114 East Fifty-first street.
G. L. Bradley Estate, H. E. Zettel, Agent.	218, 220 and 222 Seventh avenue	1026 Third avenue.
St. Vincent Hospital, Seventh Avenue, Eleventh and Twelfth streets, per John D. Crimmins, Chairman of Committee.	1, 3, 7, 9 and 17 Seventh avenue	
Daniel S. McElroy	Northwest corner Seventh avenue and Forty-ninth street.	105 East Thirty-seventh street.
Estate of Geo. W. Helme, deceased; George A. Helme, trustee.	Northeast corner Fifty-seventh street and Seventh avenue.	Helmetta, N. J.
George W. Ellis	497 and 499 Seventh avenue.	173 Fifth avenue.
Geo. V. N. Baldwin	470 and 472 Seventh avenue.	32 Nassau street.
Auguste Kalisky	478 Seventh avenue.	478 Seventh avenue.
Louis Voelker	472 Seventh avenue.	435 Seventh avenue.
Ernest Zabel	431 Seventh avenue.	431 Seventh avenue.
Abraham Gursky	454 Seventh avenue.	454 Seventh avenue.
Estate of Joseph H. Snyder, by John C. R. Emerson, executor.	481 to 489 Seventh avenue.	168 West Eighty-eighth street.
Bertha Oppenheimer	818 to 822 Seventh avenue.	333 East Eighty-second street.
Thos. P. Fitzsimons	592 Seventh avenue.	26 West Forty-fifth street.
Sarah Jallack	446 Seventh avenue.	446 Seventh avenue.
Music Hall Company of New York, Limited; Howard Russell Butler, President.	Carnegie Hall, 881 to 899 Seventh avenue.	
Mrs. Charles A. Olcott	781, 783, 785 and 787 Seventh avenue.	
Edward V. Loew, Atty., etc.	849, 851 and 853 Seventh avenue	
John Post	179, 181, 183, 185 and 187 Seventh avenue.	162 West Twenty-first street.
J. M. Brunie	171 and 173 Seventh avenue.	
I. Grese	175 Seventh avenue.	
H. Jantzers	71 Seventh avenue.	
Annie Patterson	210 and 212 Seventh avenue.	207 West Eighteenth street.
John T. Davidson	180 Seventh avenue.	238 West Twenty-first street.
Estate of Wm. C. Rhineland, deceased; Wm. G. Rhineland, receiver.	18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 78, 61, 63 Seventh avenue.	Office, 155 West Fourteenth street.
Estate of Jacob Cohn; Isaac K. Cohn, executor.	70 Seventh avenue.	1479 Broadway.
Emil Kaubor	74 Seventh avenue.	Seventh avenue.
Robert I. Hegroby	42, 44 and 46 Seventh avenue.	11 Mercer street.
M. B. Philipp	710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720 Seventh avenue.	691 Madison avenue.
Clark Estate, by Frank H. Presby, agent.	856, 855, 857, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876 Seventh avenue.	Office, 25 West Twenty-third street.
Louis Ettlinger	800, 802, 804, 806, 808 Seventh avenue.	52 East Nineteenth street.
Heirs of John Taylor; R. G. Sellman, trustee.	898, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910 Seventh avenue.	205 West Fifty-seventh street.
C. T. Barney	865, 867, 869, 871, 873 Seventh avenue.	Knickerbocker Trust Company.
Estate of Thomas Loughran; Daniel Daly, attorney.	462, 464, 466, 468, 789, 791, 793, 795, 797 and 799 Seventh avenue.	149 Broadway.
Thomas F. Murtha	704, 706 and 708 Seventh avenue	11 Pine street.
Samuel McMillan	832 and 836 Seventh avenue.	Morris Heights.
Mary A. Chisolm; George E. Chisolm, attorney.	890, 892, 894 and 896 Seventh avenue, southwest corner Fifty-seventh street.	Office, 19 Liberty street.
J. Hull Browning	878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888 Seventh avenue, corner Fifty-sixth street.	199 Chambers street.

NAME.	PROPERTY OWNED.	RESIDENCE.	NAME.	PROPERTY OWNED.	RESIDENCE.
James Devlin.....	734, 736 and 738 Seventh avenue		Elijah W. White, J. W. }	500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510,	
Sheldon & Barry.....	Lessee Carnegie Hall, Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets and Seventh avenue..		L. Hoffman, attorney. }	512, 514, 516, 518 and 520	
Guest & Co.....	744 to 752 Seventh avenue (leased).....	744 Seventh avenue.	Louis Ungrich.....	Seventh avenue.....	473 West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.
Cyrus Work.....	Four lots, Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.....		Henry Ungrich.....	415 and 417 Seventh avenue....	473 West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.
American Horse Exchange (limited), by F. H. Ware, Treasurer.....	1634 to 1642 Broadway.....		Samuel Booth.....	369 Seventh avenue.....	340 West Thirty-third street.
John H. McKee, executor and trustee estate of E. McKee.....	585-593 Seventh avenue.....	105 West Seventy-sixth street.	Simon Strasberg.....	427 Seventh avenue.....	562 Seventh avenue.
J. J. McComb.....	J. J. McComb.....	Block from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth streets.	Charles Fleury.....	229-231 Seventh avenue.....	229 Seventh avenue.
Frederick W. Harrison.....	Livery stable.....	850-852 Seventh avenue.	Richard Graham.....	233 Seventh avenue.....	233 Seventh avenue.
Waldorf Stable Co.....	Boarding stable.....	828-830 Seventh avenue.	Jacob Appell.....	234 Seventh avenue.....	272 West Twenty-third street.
Central Park Riding Academy.....	Riding Academy.....	934 Seventh avenue.	A. Walter.....	235 Seventh avenue.....	Store, 225 Seventh avenue.
Caledonian Club.....	Andrew Wallace.....	846 Seventh avenue.	John J. Talley.....	262 Seventh avenue.....	
Morris B. Baer.....	754-756 Seventh avenue.....	754-756 Seventh avenue.	Estate of Elizabeth F. Floyd, by Wm. Cruikshank's Sons, agents.....	583-585 Seventh avenue.....	57 Liberty street.
Gustave S. Boehmer.....	861-863 Seventh avenue, north-east corner Fifty-fifth street.	35 Nassau street.	Mary E. Healey.....	244 Seventh avenue.....	244 Seventh avenue.
Lindo Bros.....	838 Seventh avenue.....	1205 Broadway.	Charles Kaufmann.....	246 Seventh avenue.....	246 Seventh avenue.
H. J. Connell.....	824 Seventh avenue.....	265 West Thirty-second street.	Albert J. Adams.....	260, 342, 344, 362 Seventh avenue	
Estate of Jacob Cohn, Israel K. Cohn, executor.....	825 Seventh avenue.....	1479 Broadway.	Henry Hartmann.....	81, 87, 820, 822 Seventh avenue	53 West Thirty-first street.
Charles E. Appleby, Trustee Estate of L. Appleby }	911, 915 and 917 and 926 to 938 Seventh avenue.....	Office, 55 Liberty street.	Henry Muller.....	252 Seventh avenue.....	62 Charles street.
A. D. Juilliard.....	722 to 730 Seventh avenue.....		Mark L. Abrahams.....	248-364 Seventh avenue.....	152 East Eightieth street.
F. N. Lawrence.....	842 Seventh avenue.....		Andrew Leupold.....	257 Seventh avenue.....	257 Seventh avenue.
Siegfried W. Mayer, per Henry J. Mayer, attorney	106, 108 and 110 Seventh avenue.		J. C. Lankenau.....	263-265 Seventh avenue.....	
E. B. Stanley.....	139 Seventh avenue.....	109 Greenwich avenue.	Charles W. Bock.....	275 Seventh avenue.....	275 Seventh avenue.
Max Green.....	203 Seventh avenue.....		H. G. Sprein.....	275 Seventh avenue.....	
Weber-Wheelock Co., by Charles B. Lawson, Vice-President.....	117 to 125 Seventh avenue.....	10 Charles street.	Kirschbaum Brothers.....	301 Seventh avenue.....	295 Seventh avenue.
V. Hermann.....	13 Seventh avenue.....	28 Charles street.	Louis Albertini.....	295 Seventh avenue.....	210 East Fifty-seventh street.
A. M. Doumus.....	15 Seventh avenue.....		John Ling.....	561 Seventh avenue.....	967 Park avenue.
Seventh Avenue United Presbyterian Church, Robert T. Knipe, Chairman of Trustees.....	27 to 35 Seventh avenue.....	16 Leroy street.	Estate of M. Frank.....	254 and 272 Seventh avenue....	
F. Muir.....	160 and 182 Fourth avenue....	129 West Ninety-second street.	Euphemia Whittridge, by Leland & Whiting, agents.....	269 Seventh avenue.....	Summit, N. J.
A. Schachtel.....	101, 103 and 105 Seventh avenue	153 West Sixteenth street.	Nassau Realty Co., Charles H. Klugg, Treasurer.....	300, 302, 304, 306, 308 and 310 Seventh avenue.....	13 Bowery.
Maurice J. Sullivan.....	156 and 158 Seventh avenue.....	68 Seventh avenue.	Balthar Schmidt.....	429-428 Seventh avenue.....	428 Seventh avenue.
S. W. Atbro.....	68 Seventh avenue.....		Mrs. Nicholas Miller.....	410-412 Seventh avenue.....	410 Seventh avenue.
Sarah Lewis.....	152 and 154 Seventh avenue....		Fred Abendschein.....	266 Seventh avenue.....	206 East Twenty-first street.
Selma Wallach.....	153, 155, 157 and 844 Seventh avenue.....	349 West Fifty-first street.	Charles Baumann.....	291 Seventh avenue.....	291 Seventh avenue.
Devlin Estate, D. J. Ronne, agent.....	159 and 161 Seventh avenue....	100 West Eighty-eighth street.	G. H. Ackerman, The New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, trustee.....	327 Seventh avenue.....	331 West Eighty-second street.
W. C. Wieland, executor.....	2123 and 2125 Seventh avenue....	11 West Thirty-fourth street.	Henry Parish, president.....	322-324 and 334-336 Seventh avenue.....	52 Wall street.
Lawrence C. Hafner.....	205 Seventh avenue.....	212 West Thirtieth street.	Peter McGirr.....	281 Seventh avenue.....	281 Seventh avenue.
J. M. Cornell, treasurer.....	174, 176, 178 Seventh avenue....	214 West Twenty-first street.	John Herdtfelder.....	350 Seventh avenue.....	350 Seventh avenue.
Charles A. Cowen, president.	Metropolitan Temple, 52 to 60 Seventh avenue and Fourteenth street.....	29 East Thirty-seventh street.	Dorothea Regensburger.....	358 Seventh avenue.....	358 Seventh avenue.
Peter Kirchhof.....	7, 11, 13, 15 Seventh avenue....	1123 Broadway.	John D. Faust.....	375 Seventh avenue.....	375 Seventh avenue.
Estate of F. J. Holop, per L. H. Riley, attorney.....	140, 142, 144, 146 Seventh avenue.....	595 Bergen avenue.	William F. Newkirk.....	365-367 Seventh avenue.....	333 West Twenty-eighth street.
Owen McCracken.....	49 Seventh avenue.....	Larchmont, N. Y.	Elizabeth Hafner.....	391-393 Seventh avenue.....	393 Seventh avenue.
Herman Klocks.....	188 and 190 Seventh avenue....	188 Seventh avenue.	John H. Diehl.....	389 Seventh avenue.....	343 Seventh avenue.
H. M. Monger, one-fifth owner, Widmayer Estate	192 Seventh avenue.....	192 Seventh avenue.	M. E. Burke Co.....	441 and 443 Seventh avenue....	102 West Seventy-seventh street.
James Thomas, per Quin A. McComb, agent.....	215, 217, 219 Seventh avenue....	215, 217, 219 Seventh avenue.	L. Morris.....	319, 321 and 323 Seventh avenue	37 and 39 Pine street.
Frederick Bardusch.....	588 Seventh avenue.....	1471 Broadway.	Estate of Geo. Butterfield, by Geo. R. Brandon, agt.....	100 and 102 Seventh avenue....	106 and 108 Reade street.
Adolph Kroencke.....	201 Seventh avenue.....	201 Seventh avenue.	Estate of Thomas Junnett, John Burke, executor.....	118 and 120 Seventh avenue....	
Mary McKay.....	209 and 213 Seventh avenue....	213 Seventh avenue.	Dora Friede.....	378 and 203, 368, 370, 372, 374 and 376 Seventh avenue.....	205 West Thirtieth street.
Nicholas Wernert.....	45 Seventh avenue and 260 West Sixteenth street.....	260 West Sixteenth street.	Oscar Viraule.....	345 Seventh avenue.....	349 Seventh avenue.
Estate of Ellen O'Reilly, Cornelius O'Reilly, executor	227, 225 and 227 Seventh avenue.	8 West Eighty-fourth street.	Anna E. Jenny.....	289 Seventh avenue.....	225 West Thirty-seventh street.
James Berry.....	51 Seventh avenue.....	34 East Forty-fifth street.	M. Levey.....	348 Seventh avenue.....	348 Seventh avenue.
James Dowd.....	167 Seventh avenue.....	354 Eighth avenue.	J. O. West.....	214 and 216 Seventh avenue....	147 West Twenty-seventh street.
Thomas H. Baromdy, one-quarter owner.....	165 Seventh avenue.....	169 West Eighteenth street.	Est. H. M. Rothmann, by J. Rothmann, executor.....	293 Seventh avenue.....	510 West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.
Mavery A. Raymond.....	53, 55, 57 and 59 Seventh avenue.	113 West Thirty-fourth street.	Louis H. Ellinghausen, by J. Rothmann, attorney.....	333 and 335 Seventh avenue....	429 West One Hundred and Sixty-second street.
Edward Bros.....	284 Seventh avenue.....	Cornwell, N. Y.	Helena S. Eckel.....	329 Seventh avenue.....	200 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.
Edith D. Stewart.....	282 Seventh avenue.....	282 Seventh avenue.	John H. Butt.....	276 Seventh avenue.....	308 Canal.
Thomas Mallinson.....	166 Seventh avenue.....	202 West Twentieth street.	V. Pacheterine.....	371, 373, 377 Seventh avenue....	212 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
G. Dessecker.....	727 Seventh avenue.....	152 Elizabeth street.	M. Berg.....	392 Seventh avenue.....	392 Seventh avenue.
P. Burke.....	134 Seventh avenue.....	848 Seventh avenue.	Mrs. F. Wieler.....	471 and 473 Seventh avenue....	27 West Thirty-fourth street.
Christopher F. Bode.....	821 Seventh avenue.....	403 Fourth avenue.	Kate C. Bayer.....	349 and 351 Seventh avenue....	502 East Eighty-seventh street.
Andrew Moll.....	177 Seventh avenue.....	341 West Twenty-fourth street.	Otto Louis Hess for Estate of Henry Stock.....	421 and 423 Seventh avenue....	
John T. Farley.....	149 Seventh avenue.....	Mamaroneck, N. Y.	Mrs. Mary Hagerty.....	138 and 290 Seventh avenue....	
Henry E. Coe, executor.....	Forty-second street and Seventh avenue, 593 and 599 Seventh avenue.....		Isabel K. Clark.....	136 Seventh avenue.....	
Carrie Leacock, by Charles Brown, Agent.....	497 Seventh avenue.....	{ Care Horace Townsend, 32 Liberty street.	P. W. Irving Clark.....	277 Seventh avenue.....	
Joseph Byrnes.....	474 and 476 Seventh avenue....	141 West Thirty-sixth street.	E. Boardman Clark.....	164 Seventh avenue.....	Sands Point, L. I.
Byrnes Brady.....	445 Seventh avenue.....	445 Seventh avenue.	P. W. Irving Clark.....	268 Seventh avenue.....	Sands Point, L. I.
Conrad Scherer.....	448 Seventh avenue.....	448 Seventh avenue.	Abbey I. VanWart, by W. Irving VanWart.....	Northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Thirty-first street.	
Jacob R. Thoman.....	455, 457 and 459 Seventh avenue	312 West Eighty-seventh street.	Henry Hughes.....	256 and 258 Seventh avenue....	108 West Sixty-ninth street.
Margaret Peacock.....	169 Seventh avenue.....	903 Caldwell avenue.	Mary A. G. McLochlin.....	312 Seventh avenue.....	157 West Twenty-first street.
G. Gustave Rush.....	Seventh avenue, between Thirtieth and Fortieth streets....		Josephine Delano, Trustee.....	383 and 385 Seventh avenue....	314 West Twenty-ninth street.
Metropolitan Railroad Company.....	535, 537, 539, 541, 543, 545, 547, 549, 551, 553, 555 and 557 Seventh avenue.....	Fortieth street and Seventh avenue.	Catherine Steemen.....	299 Seventh avenue.....	328 West Thirtieth street.
Mary Woodhead.....	416 Seventh avenue.....	231 West Forty-ninth street.	Catherine Getzger.....	528 and 530 Seventh avenue....	328 West Thirtieth street.
Theresa Salomon, by L. J. Salomon, attorney.....	475, 477 and 479 Seventh avenue	1064 Lexington avenue.	Sarah E. Holland.....	396 and 398 Seventh avenue....	20 West Sixty-eighth street.
L. B. Bunnell.....	449 and 451 Seventh avenue....	322 West Fifty-sixth street.	M. Louisa Kessler.....	420 Seventh avenue.....	238 West Forty-ninth street.
Thomas Barrett.....	566 and 568 Seventh avenue....	10 West Ninetieth street.	M. A. Donnelly.....	320 Seventh avenue.....	215 West Thirty-third street.
John Naylor.....	75 Seventh avenue.....	57 West Twenty-eighth street.	M. A. Donnelly.....	753, 755, 757 and 759 Seventh avenue.....	215 West Thirty-third street.
Robert Alexander.....	491 Seventh avenue.....	119 West Twenty-fourth street.	George R. Fearing.....	792, 794 and 796 Seventh avenue	
Elizabeth M. Coughan.....	408 Seventh avenue.....	Shrewsbury, Mass.	Phebe Lehnert.....	469 Seventh avenue.....	297 West Second street.
Estate of James Gridley, executor of Edward Gridley.....	430, 432 and 434 Seventh avenue	240 West Twenty-seventh street.	Annie E. Allin.....	552 and 554 Seventh avenue....	214 West Fifty-ninth street.
Walter J. Hilton.....	480 Seventh avenue.....	147 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.	Rosina H. McFarland, by Duff & Conger, agents.....	436, 438 and 440 Seventh avenue	1474 Third avenue.
Children's Aid Society, G. D. Willis James, President.	400, 402 and 404 Seventh avenue				
Louis Lillianthal, Estate Jno. Lillianthal.....	442 and 444 Seventh avenue....	110 East Seventy-sixth street.			
Louis Lillianthal, executor.	447 Seventh avenue.....				
Estate John L. Chase, Chas. E. Herrick, executor.....	453 Seventh avenue.....	175 Fourth avenue, East Orange, N. J.			

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 455.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and forty-seven thousand and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-four cents (\$147,078.84), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards, interest and costs as taxed and confirmed in the proceeding to acquire title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, March 6, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 6, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred

and forty-seven thousand and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-four cents (\$147,078.84), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards, interest and costs as taxed and confirmed in the proceeding to acquire title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897."

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and forty-seven thousand and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-four cents, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the expenses aforesaid.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 456.

By Alderman McMahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the "Across the Pacific" Company to parade through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan during the week beginning March 19, 1900, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until March 24, 1900.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 457.

By Alderman McGrath—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Kinsella to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 143 Willis avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 458.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Harlem Four Hundred Social Club to place a transparency, advertising their cake-walk and ball, on the lamp-post on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Willis avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until April 21, 1900.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 459.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. Harkins to erect and keep an express office within the stoop-line on the Church street side of the premises, No. 346 Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the consent of the property-owners thereto having been granted, 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 460.

By Alderman Holler—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of South First street, from Kent avenue to Marcy avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, and that the curbstones along the lines of said street be repaired and reset where necessary.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 461.

By Alderman Downing—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that Joralemon street, from Hicks street to the East river, be repaved with granite blocks; that Third avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Bergen street, be repaved with granite blocks; that State street, from Henry street to Furman street, be repaved with asphalt on a concrete foundation, and that Hoyt street, from Bond street to Bergen street, be repaved with asphalt on a concrete foundation, all the above in the Borough of Brooklyn; also that the curbs along the lines of said streets be reset and repaired where necessary.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 462.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that Bergen street, from Smith street to Fourth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, be recurbed and repaved with granite-block pavement.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 463.

By Alderman Cardani—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. L. Crow & Taylor to erect and maintain a marquee of iron and glass as shown upon the accompanying diagram in front of their premises on the south side of West Fifty-fifth street, one hundred feet west of Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 464.

By Alderman Byrne—

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that the carriageway of Bolivar street, from Canton to Fleet street, Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with granite blocks.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 465.

By Alderman Bridges—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove the broken and decayed iron drinking-fountain situated on the northeast corner of Bridge and Sand streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and replace the same by a new iron drinking-fountain at a cost not to exceed \$250.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 466.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That upon the annexed petition it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that the junction of Wall, Pearl and Beaver streets, Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with granite blocks.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned business men, merchants, bankers, truckmen, etc., all doing business in this neighborhood of Wall, Pearl and Beaver streets, desire most respectfully to call your most valuable attention to the very dangerous condition of the street at the junction of these streets, owing entirely to Wall street being asphalted at this crossing, which makes the approach from lower Wall street by loaded teams extremely difficult and dangerous.

Hoping that your Honorable Body may elect to notify your Honorable Commissioner of Highways of the very great necessity of replacing the asphalt at that junction by granite blocks, thereby relieving the almost constant sufferings of the poor dumb beasts as well as relieving the business people of that locality of almost constant annoyance during business hours, and that in the interest of justice towards all concerned, and of humanity to the poor dumb beasts, this matter may receive your valuable and early attention, we have the honor, gentlemen, to remain

Most respectfully yours,

C. Altemaryel, 140 and 142 Pearl street.
Frederick L. Carter, 106 Water street.
Frederick F. Edwards, 142 Pearl street.
R. L. Carpenter, 108 Water street.
Scott & Coleman, 95 Wall street.
John A. Patterson, 109 Wall street.
Hogins & Lee, 130 Pearl street.
Pyle & Reynolds, 134 Pearl street.
William C. Sturges, 74 and 76 Wall street.
Daniel Barnes, 74 and 76 Wall street.
G. M. Halpey, Wall street, corner Pearl.
G. L. Montgomery, 74 and 76 Wall street.

George Hamilton, 74 and 76 Wall street.
G. Frank Campbell, 74 Wall street.
F. Hanford, 74 Wall street.
W. L. Slunn, 74 Wall street.
E. T. Seward, 74 Wall street.
Joseph Walker, 74 Wall street.
Daniel R. Van Winkle, 74 Wall street.
F. Joseph Bader, 140 Pearl street.
C. E. Morris & Son, 80 Wall street.
James A. Derley, 71 Pine street.
Thomas A. Anderson, 106 Water street.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Vice-President moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 20, 1900, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
March 9, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I herewith transmit, for publication in the CITY RECORD, a statement of the transactions of the Department of Sewers for the week ending March 3, 1900.

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

	NUMBER OF.	AMOUNT.	AMOUNTS.	
			Appropriations.	Funds.
<i>Moneys Received.</i>				
For sewer permits.....	.....	\$541 44	.....	.....
Number of permits issued	74	.....	.....	.....
For new sewer connections.....	52	.....	.....	.....
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	22	.....	.....	.....
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller (1899) .....	.....	.....	\$252 07	.....
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.....	14	\$14,379 46	\$9,026 73	\$5,352 73
Linear feet of sewer built.....	816	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins built.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer cleaned	10,478	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins cleaned.	325	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer examined.....	18,379	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins examined.....	428	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of sewer repaired	20	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole heads and covers set.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole heads and covers reset.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Square yards of pavement relaid.....	18	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin hoods put in.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin covers put on.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet culverts, drains and ditches repaired and cleaned.	9,595	.....	.....	.....
Number of basins relieved	15	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes built.....	8	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole covers put on	14	.....	.....	.....
Linear feet of box and pipe drains laid.....	144	.....	.....	.....
Cubic feet of brickwork built.....	88	.....	.....	.....
Number of basin grates put in.....	6	.....	.....	.....
Cart-loads of dirt removed	682	.....	.....	.....
Cubic feet of earth excavated and refilled.....	5,155	.....	.....	.....
Number of manholes examined	9	.....	.....	.....
Number of manhole catch pans cleaned.....	280	.....	.....	.....

Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.....	9	Assistant Foremen.....	27
Inspector of Pipe Laying.....	1	Firemen.....	11
Inspectors of Construction.....	65	Mechanics.....	16
Inspectors of Sewer Connections.....	26	Laborers.....	385
Foremen.....	41	Horses and Carts.....	93

APPOINTMENTS.

Borough of Richmond.

James Clancy, Stapleton, S. I., Cleaner, \$2.25 per day.

TRANSFERRED.

Borough of Richmond.

William Fanning, Cleaner, to Borough of Brooklyn.
William Murphy, Cleaner, to Borough of Brooklyn.

DECEASED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Thomas Mohan, No. 230 West Sixteenth street, Laborer.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
March 2, 1900.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending February 24, 1900:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

During the week 2 new lamps were erected and 2 lighted; 3 lamps were relighted and 82 discontinued; 3 lamp-posts were removed, 3 reset and 14 straightened; 22 columns were releaded and 1 refitted; 1 stand and 4 service pipes were refitted.

ELECTRICAL WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

253 certificates were issued for interior wiring; 183 permits were issued for outside electrical work, 1,109 inspections were made and 150 feet of overhead wires were removed.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week is \$51,798.74.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending January 27, 1900.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury	\$972,772 94
Sinking Funds	1,859,394 00
Total	\$2,832,166 94

Bonds and Stock Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds	\$71,356 55
Three per cent. Stock	65,000 00
Three and one-half per cent. Stock	25,000 00
Total	\$161,356 55

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$1,484,461 26
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" Warrants	1,212,057 09
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants	4,141 93
Total	\$2,700,660 28

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	William G. Leeson...	\$480 00	Summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$480 balance due under contract for excavating and building sewer in Audubon avenue, New York.	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
" ..	" ..	500 00	Summons and complaint. To recover \$500 balance due under contract for regulating and grading St. Nicholas terrace.	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
Supreme, Queens..	.....	.....	Writ of mandamus. Directing the refund of the taxes illegally levied on the property of the following-named persons:	F. H. Van Vechten.
	Albert Hohanstein...	28 00		
	Andrew Kammerer...	7 13		
	Hector A. Denton...	37 68		
	Estate of Francis Lott...	86 00		
	Phillip F. Woecker...	18 25		
	Marx Miller...	27 50		
	Gustave Pfalzer...	35 00		
	Nicholas W. Francis...	19 50		
	Annie Shea...	4 40		
	Charles E. Husson...	28 50		
	John C. Hendrickson...	25 85		
	Estate of Caroline E. Livingston...	12 00		
	Jacob Heiser...	17 50		
	Julius Schulz...	8 50		
	Richard Homeyer...	13 50		
	Wyckoff and John R. Van Siclen...	65 00		
	John Shea...	10 25		
	Peter Van Siclen...	117 00		
	George W. Kinsey...	4 00		
	Albert Stoothoff...	31 20		
	Addie C. Heineman...	28 05		
Supreme, Kings..	James W. McMahon as administrator of the estate of James McMahon vs. The City of New York.	10,000 00	(Summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$10,000 for the loss of life of James McMahon.)	Pearsall, Kopper & Pearsall.
Supreme..	Michael J. Mahony and another.	6,290 00	(Summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$6,290, being the balance due for the paving, etc., of Jerome avenue and for breach of contract.)	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
" ..	In the matter of the application of Mary J. McKay, for the payment of an award for Parcel No. 6, on Damage Map of the Commissioners of Estimate, etc., in proceedings to open East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.	409 14	(Order confirming referee's report and awarding to Mary J. McKay, \$409.14, less the amount of assessment against said parcel of land.)	
Supreme..	The People of the State of New York on relation of John C. Rodgers vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	4,531 32	(Affidavit and order to show cause why writ of mandamus should not issue directing the Comptroller to pay to John C. Rodgers \$4,531.32, amount of judgment in above proceeding.)	
Supreme, Kings..	Thomas B. Sech-botham, Jr.	2,842 68	(Summons and complaint. To recover \$2,842.68, amount due under contract with the City of Brooklyn for printing, etc.)	Alfred E. Mudge.
Supreme..	In matter of the application and petition of William Brookfield, as Commissioner of Public Works, on behalf of The Mayor, etc., relative to acquiring "real estate" for the sanitary protection of the sources of water supply of The City of New York.	.....	Filing of Second Separate Report in Muscote River Proceeding.	
Supreme, Kings..	William O. Miles vs. Lizzie Reed.	30 00	(Order directing Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller, to pay to William Walton, as Sheriff of Kings County, \$30, amount of execution in above proceeding.)	
Supreme..	In the matter of the application of Anthony H. Creagh for payment of the award for Damage Parcel No. 114, in the Report of the Commissioners for the opening of part of Tremont avenue.	1,008 16	(Order directing the Comptroller to pay into Court \$1,008.16, amount awarded for Damage Parcel No. 114.)	
" ..	Fanny Kahn vs. The City of New York.	.....	Summons only served.	
" ..	Cole Coal Company vs. The City of New York, John B. Devlin, John J. Reynolds and the Sicilian Asphalt Company.	.....	(Summons and complaint. For the foreclosure of mechanic's lien due under contract between John B. Devlin and the Municipal Corporation, and that The City of New York pay out of the funds due under said contract the amount adjudged to be due plaintiff.)	
" ..	John Leahy.	15,000 00	(Summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$15,000 damages for personal injuries.)	Louis Steckler.
" ..	John F. McCourt.	.....	Summons only served.	Louis H. D. Clarkson.
" ..	Philip A. Stuber vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller, William J. Lynch, as Municipal Court Judge, and John W. Carpenter.	.....	(Order to show cause, January 31, 1900, why the injunction herein granted should not be continued until the final judgment in this action and for such other relief as may seem just and proper.)	

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	John Murphy vs. John Scannell, as Fire Commissioner.	.....	Certified copy order that a peremptory writ of mandamus issue directing said John Scannell to assign said John Murphy to the rank of Battalion Chief in the Fire Department of The City of New York, and that the motion herein be granted with costs.	
" ..	Mary L. Parsons vs. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor, et al.	.....	Copy order to show cause, February 5, 1900, why the injunction demanded should not be made permanent, and for such other relief as plaintiff may require. Summons and complaint and bond also served.	Young, Ver Planck & Prince.
" ..	Elizabeth S. Clark.	.....	Copy order to show cause, February 5, 1900, why the injunction granted should not be made permanent, and for such other relief as plaintiff demands. Summons and complaint also served.	Young, Ver Planck & Prince.
" ..	The Jamaica Water Supply Company.	\$13,019 00	Summons and complaint to recover the sum of \$13,019, due under contract between the plaintiff and the former Village of Jamaica for hydrant rentals.	F. H. Van Vechten.
" ..	The People ex rel. James D. Cove-ney vs. Henry S. Kearney, as Commissioner of Public Buildings.	107 15	Certified copy judgment on remittitur directing that the relator-respondent recover the judgment heretofore entered upon the order of the Appellate Division and the sum of \$107.15 costs.	James M. Hunt.
" ..	In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, relative to acquiring lands on the northerly side of Sixty-seventh street, between First avenue and Avenue A, for a school site.	.....	Notice that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate in above-entitled proceeding will be presented at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part 3, on February 15, 1900.	John Whalen, Corporation Counsel.
Supreme, N.	.....	.....	Copy of judgment directing that the defendant refrain from diverting the water from Freeport Brook to the injury of the plaintiff unless defendant pay to plaintiff \$2,000 for damages and \$77.37 costs of this suit, as follows:	
	Daniel R. Southard.	2,077 37		Wallace & Smith.
	William H. Patterson.	2, 77 37		"
Supreme..	William E. Barber et al.	50 00	Summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$50 for services rendered by their steam tug in saving a scow and derrick from going adrift.	Peter S. Carter.
" ..	.....	.....	Claims for interest due on awards made in re Muscote Proceeding, as follows:	
	Augustus N. Dean.	180 60		Robertson & Barrett
	" ..	113 40		"
	Theron B. Dean.	147 00		"
	Augustus N. Dean.	58 80		"
	Alice Cornell.	94 50		"
	Barney Mellin.	31 00		"
	Rebecca L. Davis.	50 40		"
	Lewis E. Travis.	117 93		"
	Theron B. Dean.	367 50		"
	Rosalinda Nelson.	95 33		"
	M. E. Frost.	19 95		"
	Ira B. Kennard and others.	81 47		"
Supreme, Richmond	William De Wolf.	19 53	Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	James Burke, Jr.
" ..	Michael Krauss.	45 69		"
Supreme, Kings..	Andrew B. Smith.	464 85		George C. Chase.
Supreme, Richmond	John W. Lisk.	30 55		M. L. Ryan.
" ..	Alexander McDonald.	55 15		"
" ..	Theodore Walser.	965 90		"
" ..	Oscar Decker.	82 91		"
" ..	George Sheridan, Jr.	65 36		"
" ..	William H. Dodd.	70 01		Wilfred N. O'Neil.
" ..	John Lawrence.	86 64		(Langbein Bros. & Langbein.
" ..	O'Hara.	249 93		(Langbein Bros. & Langbein.
" ..	George Hilliard.	1,026 23		Sage & Eckley.
" ..	Tallman P. Hyde.	250 70		J. W. Bartram.
" ..	Fruin, Bambrick Construction Company.	388 24		Foley & Powell.
Supreme, Kings..	John J. McDermott.	535 20		McKenzie & Beebe.
Supreme, Richmond	Ida A. Jones.	30 43		W. T. Croak.
" ..	Charles E. Griffith.	87 65		"
" ..	John S. Warde.	267 06		"
Supreme..	John Auer.	213 12		Washburn & Sickels.
" ..	Charles Phelps.	68 47		Wilfrid N. O'Neil.
" ..	Mans R. Vedder.	68 47		"
" ..	James Milliken and David Milliken, executors.	176 06		Truman H. Baldwin.
" ..	Peter Moebus, administrator, etc.	321 73		"
" ..	Charles F. Miers and another.	2,585 87		(Kellogg, Rose & Smith.
Supreme, Richmond	Edward Mersereau.	46 70		William T. Croak.
Supreme, Queens..	Ezra W. Conklin et al.	446 90		Lenahan & Dowley.
" ..	" ..	133 38		"
" ..	" ..	913 01		"
" ..	Ezra W. Conklin.	271 74		"
Supreme..	Lucy W. Drexel, trustee.	93,700 42		Arnold & Greene.
Supreme, Queens..	Luther White.	124 02		Harry T. Weeks.
Supreme, N.	William H. Patterson.	2,077 37		Wallace & Smith.
" ..	Daniel R. Southard.	2,077 37		"

Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEYS.
1900.				
Jan. 22	Edward W. Lerner.	\$225 00	For unpaid balance of rent of the "Lerner Building," in the Borough of Queens, leased to The City of New York.	Manley & Wadley.
" 22	James J. Hart.	20 10	For refund of taxes erroneously paid.	Wager & Acker.
" 22	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	
	Patrick B. Murphy.	120 00		W. J. Walsh.
	Joseph Casey.	120 00		"
	William Ellis.	120 00		"
	Patrick Rafferty.	120 00		"
	Eugene M. Gearty.	220 00		"
	Joseph Mulvaney.	120 00		"
	Patrick Walsh.	120 00		"
	Patrick McArdle.	120 00		"
	William West.	120 00		"
	Christopher Keller.	120 00		"
	Charles F. Milliman.	120 00		"
	Patrick A. Doyle.	120 00		"
	Patrick Sullivan.	120 00		"
	Daniel Downey.	120 00		"
	William Hanrahan.	120 00		"
	Bartholomew Doyle.	120 00		"
	William Whitehead.	140 00		"
	Bernard O'Toole.	135 00		"
	John Corrigan.	217 50		John R. Farrar.
	Edward McGuire.	27 76		"
	William J. Hodger.	20 63		"
	Wesley W. W. Halsey.	22 00		"
	John W. Shelly.	17 25		"
	Christopher Kelly.	25 94		"
	Edward LeMasson.	11 38		"

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1900. Jan. 22	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	John R. Farrar.	1900. Jan. 23	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	Alden & Carpenter.
	Meyer Boyer.....	\$21 88	.....	"		Thomas Byrnes.....	\$77 50	.....	"
	Lucas E. D. Storm.....	17 38	.....	"		Fred. H. Jarvis.....	2,920 00	.....	"
	Frank Farrell.....	23 63	.....	"		William J. Smith.....	110 00	.....	"
	Louis Deitz.....	23 25	.....	"		Ellen Dinnigan, as- signee.....	300 00	.....	"
	Hugh O'Rourke.....	21 57	.....	"		Joseph Murray.....	37 50	.....	"
	John J. Sweetman.....	3 63	.....	"		Richard Reagan.....	125 00	.....	"
" 22	Rosanna F. Anable..	130 00	Balance due for rent of premises Nos. 26 and 28 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, leased to the Long Island City Public Library.....	Carl L. Schurz.		Jacob J. Wiehan.....	40 80	.....	"
" 22	Adolph Schweitzer..	30 00	For damages to personal property.....	Bert Reis.		Patrick Clancy.....	350 00	.....	"
" 22	Samuel H. Merrill..	100 00	Damages for personal injuries.....	Kellogg, Rose & Smith.		Charles E. White.....	2,550 00	.....	"
" 22	J. S. Rogers.....	15,111 00	For constructing a sewer in Aqueduct avenue, in Andrews avenue and in Loring place, and for breach of contract.....	Holt & Duross.		William Crawford.....	56 25	.....	"
" 22	Alexander R. Rhodes.	5,000 00	Damages caused by the diversion of a stream of water running through claimant's property.....	John R. Farrar.		James Orr.....	60 00	.....	"
" 22	Sarah Pfifer.....	5,000 00	Amended notice of claim of Sarah Pfifer for \$5,000 instead of \$500 for personal injuries.	"		Joseph Whelan.....	30 00	.....	"
" 22	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	"		Andrew Guldbrand- son.....	370 00	.....	"
	George Felix.....	27 45	.....	"		Peter McGinn.....	48 00	.....	"
	H. Say.....	22 44	.....	"		Charles McLean.....	3,036 00	.....	"
	Charles T. Nesbitt.....	21 25	.....	"		Frank McGowan.....	60 00	.....	"
	Robert Busby.....	20 94	.....	"		Henry Seel.....	387 50	.....	"
	Frank McCowie.....	24 63	.....	"		Antonia Lagnetta.....	400 00	.....	"
	Frank Bath.....	21 04	.....	"		Meyer Boyer.....	24 38	.....	"
	Michael Finn.....	20 60	.....	"		Hugh O'Rourke.....	24 32	.....	"
	John Walters.....	24 13	.....	"		William J. Hodges.....	32 05	.....	"
	Thomas F. Mulhean.....	16 88	.....	"		Sucor E. D. Storm.....	20 07	.....	"
	Archibald Moore.....	22 00	.....	"		Warren H. Doolittle, Jr.....	20 88	.....	"
	William A. Walters.....	21 50	.....	"		John S. Donolly.....	47 75	.....	"
	Michael Derwin.....	216 00	.....	"		Charles Schmidt.....	20 31	.....	"
	Patrick Cain.....	2,166 66	.....	"		Charles D. Sprake.....	31 25	.....	"
	James Purcell.....	620 00	.....	"		Alexander White.....	.....	.....	"
	Thomas Berne.....	450 00	.....	"		Patrick Healy.....	.....	.....	"
	John Quinn.....	515 00	.....	"		James H. Hunt.....	.....	.....	"
	Daniel F. Shanahan.....	333 33	.....	"		Samuel V. Horne.....	.....	.....	"
	Raphael O'Brien.....	346 66	.....	"		Sarsfield J. Cox.....	.....	.....	"
	Patrick Walsh.....	488 00	.....	"		Henry Hahn.....	.....	.....	"
	James A. Bunn.....	2,166 66	.....	"		William F. Abbott.....	.....	.....	"
	Daniel Curry.....	900 00	.....	"		William Cruthers.....	.....	.....	"
	Daniel Donohue.....	240 00	.....	"		William J. Shaw.....	.....	.....	"
	Otto Miller.....	600 00	.....	"		William Cullen.....	.....	.....	"
	Adolph Gross.....	615 00	.....	"		Frank H. Redstone..	1,925 20	For damages done to claimant's canal-boat by the fire-boat "Zophar Mills".....	"
	Nathan Shew.....	624 00	.....	"	" 23	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	Henry U. Hart.
	John E. Ronan.....	693 33	.....	"		John Murphy.....	1,848 00	.....	"
	James Tobin.....	700 00	.....	"		Daniel J. Murphy.....	178 50	.....	"
	Stephen Fitzsimons.....	1,250 00	.....	"		John Hogge.....	79 20	.....	"
	John Farrell.....	500 00	.....	"		Charles E. McLean.....	67 00	.....	"
	John Roche.....	2,666 66	.....	"		William H. Lucas.....	32 00	.....	"
	William J. Scofield.....	480 00	.....	"		John J. O'Connell.....	7 63	.....	"
	Stephen O'Connor.....	43 00	.....	"		James Warrins.....	23 57	.....	"
	Charles Reynolds.....	200 00	.....	"		John Senn.....	20 13	.....	"
	William F. Jamison.....	400 00	.....	"		William Berryman.....	28 38	.....	"
	David Finn.....	624 00	.....	"		Peter Darcey.....	306 72	.....	"
	Louis Fabin.....	1,500 00	.....	"		Edward Tobin.....	1,245 74	.....	"
	John H. Ames.....	416 00	.....	"		Joseph D. Smith.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	William L. Hutton.....	200 00	.....	"		Geo. A. Beckelhaupt.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	William McGuinnis.....	1,250 00	.....	"		John B. Fox.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	Michael Egan.....	1,250 00	.....	"		Louis Coban.....	1,501 50	.....	"
	John F. McGarry.....	303 33	.....	"		James Cahill.....	453 72	.....	"
	John Dooling.....	620 00	.....	"		William McMahon.....	1,545 25	.....	"
	Thomas Cooney.....	1,092 00	.....	"		James Lamb.....	2,047 50	.....	"
	Peter Farrell.....	342 22	.....	"		John Hupper.....	423 12	.....	"
	Patrick Davin.....	2,166 66	.....	"		Emile F. Engelhard.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	George Vigor.....	746 66	.....	"		James Newton.....	130 80	.....	"
	George Hollenstein.....	30 50	.....	"		William O. Wilson.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	Hugh Finn.....	225 00	.....	"		Michael C. Ryan.....	1,365 00	.....	"
	Eugene Reilly.....	80 00	.....	"		Thomas Keegan.....	205 92	.....	"
	John E. Hyatt.....	346 66	.....	"		Thomas Scanlon.....	168 72	.....	"
	William Bennett.....	2,666 66	.....	"		William Flemming.....	168 72	.....	"
	Andrew J. McMahon.....	733 33	.....	"		Ambrose T. Shea.....	773 50	.....	"
	Michael F. O'Neil.....	733 33	.....	"		William Becker.....	350 50	.....	"
	Michael Behan.....	733 33	.....	"		Christian Lohmann.....	168 00	.....	"
	James Brady.....	1,200 00	.....	"	" 24	.....	.....	For payment of interest on awards of property-owners within the lines of Eastern parkway and Buffalo avenue, City of Brooklyn, viz.:	Kugelman & Cohn.
	Patrick Stafford.....	2,166 66	.....	"		Hannah Hill.....	.....	.....	"
	Patrick Whalen.....	416 66	.....	"		Estate of Edward Rogers.....	.....	.....	"
	Bernard Scallan.....	1,250 00	.....	"		Martha Rogers.....	.....	.....	"
	Dennis Callahan.....	650 00	.....	"		Christopher F. Boetzel and Adeline Boetzel.....	.....	.....	"
	John R. Ryan.....	750 00	.....	"		James N. Grant.....	.....	.....	"
	Peter D. Donnelly.....	250 00	.....	"		Katherine Rember.....	.....	.....	"
	Dennis Mahoney.....	550 00	.....	"		Caroline Schork.....	.....	.....	"
	James O'Donnell.....	500 00	.....	"		Maria Ann Friedel, individually and as guardian of Franz Joseph Friedel and Joseph H. Friedel.....	.....	.....	"
	Daniel McCarthy.....	1,250 00	.....	"		Frank G. Holt.....	.....	.....	"
	Morris O'Connell.....	1,500 00	.....	"		George L. Von Deylin.....	.....	.....	"
	Julius Gerson.....	693 33	.....	"		John W. Ruhl, Margaret Ruhl and Lizzie Weickel.....	.....	.....	"
Jan. 23	John J. Fetherston..	1,034 25	Said amount, through a clerical error, was paid to The City of New York, by said Fetherston as Treasurer of the Village of New Brighton.....	M. L. Ryan.		Gottlieb Crozman.....	.....	.....	"
" 23	George W. Russell..	235 00	Balance due for salary as Painter in the Department of Street Cleaning, New York.....	Edward J. Martin.		Maria Ann Friedel.....	.....	.....	"
" 23	.....	.....	Matter of claim of Henry C. Von Dreele et al., for damages caused by the diversion of certain streams of water, as follows:	Pearsall, Kopper & Pearsall.		John W. Ruhl, Annie Ruhl, Lizzie Ruhl Weickel.....	.....	.....	"
	Henry C. Von Dreele.....	12,000 00	.....	"		Henrietta S. Mason.....	.....	.....	"
	Dietrich Osing.....	7,000 00	.....	"		Henry Affel and Mr. Dreckleman, lessee.....	.....	.....	"
	John H. Torborg and Henry W. Torborg.....	14,000 00	.....	"		Mary Barden.....	.....	.....	"
	John H. W. Kaiser.....	6,000 00	.....	"		James Eagen.....	.....	.....	"
	Lawrence Kauper.....	150 00	.....	"		Joseph Landers.....	.....	.....	"
" 23	Daniel Lake.....	150 00	For damage done to claimant's horse.....	Calvin D. Van Name.		John C. Abele.....	.....	.....	"
" 23	Henry Toone.....	239 20	For work performed on Sundays during the years 1894 and 1895.....	Hunt & Ingle.		Erik H. Soder.....	.....	.....	"
" 23	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	Alden & Carpenter.		Amelia Phillips.....	.....	.....	"
	Margaret Jones.....	100 00	.....	"		Charles E. Hogstram.....	.....	.....	"
	Anthony Shaffer.....	30 00	.....	"		John Jenkins.....	.....	.....	"
	Leonard Farrell.....	77 50	.....	"		Mary O'Reilly.....	.....	.....	"
	Dilwin P. Lezatt.....	60 00	.....	"		Pauline Heitmer.....	.....	.....	"
	Richard Slavin.....	48 00	.....	"		Annie M. Meehan.....	.....	.....	"
	Charles Ackerman.....	900 00	.....	"		John Morrow.....	.....	.....	"
	Dennis Daly.....	700 00	.....	"		Philip F. Lenhardt.....	.....	.....	"
	Abraham Longdon.....	600 00	.....	"		Annie Dignan.....	.....	.....	"
	Martin Krause.....	1,980 00	.....	"		John Franck, lessee.....	.....	.....	"
	George O'Dell.....	1,500 00	.....	"		Herman F. Koepke.....	.....	.....	"
	Charles Ghes.....	2,350 00	.....	"	" 24	The Mount Morris Real Estate Association.....	5,409 62	For the repayment of the assessment for grading, etc., of Prospect avenue.....	Truman H. Baldwin.
	Patrick Carey.....	75 00	.....	"		.....	.....	Damages for the diversion of a stream of water, resulting in a loss to claimant's personal property, as follows:	"
	James McMahon.....	5,380 00	.....	"		Raynor R. Smith, Jr.....	15,000 00	.....	"
	Michael McGovern.....	180 00	.....	"		Seaman E. Bedell.....	10,000 00	.....	"
	James Dillon.....	6,355 00	.....	"	" 25	Mount Morris Bank.....	23,085 29	Amount assigned by William E. Dean, Jr., under contract with The Mayor, etc., for regulating and grading part of Emerson street.....	Mooney & Shipman.
	Michael Farrell.....	270 00	.....	"		J. H. Bertine.....	40 51	For certain goods, etc., furnished to Long Island City.....	Foster & Foster.
	Frank C. Clark.....	380 00	.....	"	" 25	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	John R. Farrar.
	John McClosky.....	440 00	.....	"		John Keane.....	27 57	.....	"
	Charles Carlisle.....	1,235 00	.....	"		George Leonhard.....	28 32	.....	"
	Louis Meitzler.....	285 00	.....	"		Charles Wienstedt.....	19 13	.....	"
	Charles H. Barton.....	317 50	.....	"		James C. Albertson.....	15 88	.....	"
	John Lyons.....	950 00	.....	"		Thomas Patterson.....	26 07	.....	"
	William Flood.....	1,190 00	.....	"		John Dolan.....	22 38	.....	"
	John C. Smith.....	43 75	.....	"		Charles Van Nort.....	22 32	.....	"
	John E. Bremer.....	110 50	.....	"		Patrick Cogan.....	20 57	.....	"
	Ferdinand Christen.....	2,012 50	.....	"		George S. Jehle.....	28 00	.....	"
	Thomas Rogers.....	810 00	.....	"	" 25	Charles Grossman.....	18 19	.....	"
	Michael Casey.....	24 00	.....	"		In the matter of the opening of Concord avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street.....	.....	Notice of protest by Margaret Meade, denying the right of the Most Reverend Michael A. Corrigan to the award made by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessments, for the taking of property known as Damage No. 35 on the map....	"
	Joseph H. Rice.....	720 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	John Denny.....	175 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	George W. Johnson.....	60 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	George Ziegler.....	495 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	Thomas Roche.....	213 50	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	Henry Frank.....	115 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	William Fagan.....	100 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	John H. Winchell.....	85 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"
	John McDonald.....	450 00	.....	"		.....	.....	.....	"

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1900. Jan. 25	Harris Weinstein....	\$90 00	Balance due for rent of premises leased to the City of Brooklyn for a Police station-house.....		1900. Jan. 26	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	
" 25	George H. Rowland..	1,764 93	Amount of an award made by the Commissioners of Estimate, for the taking of Damage No. 15, in the matter of opening part of Clifton avenue.....	Truman H. Baldwin.	" 26	Edward J. Flynn....	\$1,466 66	.....	James E. Smith.
" 25	.....	.....	For payment of awards made by the Commissioners of Estimate, in the matter of opening part of Boone street, as follows:		" 26	Daniel Callahan....	130 66	.....	"
" 25	Ministers, Elders and Deacons of First Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of West Farms....	2,782 32	.....	Truman H. Baldwin.	" 26	Daniel A. Flinn....	98 40	.....	"
" 25	Lyman Tiffany, executor.....	2,709 74	.....	Truman H. Baldwin.	" 26	John Connor....	416 50	.....	"
" 25	.....	.....	For payment of awards made by the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of opening part of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, as follows:		" 26	John Green....	416 50	.....	"
" 25	Michael Lenihan....	252 45	.....	Truman H. Baldwin.	" 26	Frederick Fifer....	135 00	.....	"
" 25	Joseph Dillon....	552 45	.....	"	" 26	John H. Brennan....	1,600 00	.....	"
" 25	Rose McGlome....	1,252 45	.....	"	" 26	James T. Carroll....	900 00	.....	"
" 25	Patrick McGlome....	1,252 45	.....	"	" 26	Michael Cavanaugh....	248 00	.....	"
" 25	Joseph E. McQuade..	75 00	.....	"	" 26	August Goldner....	416 00	.....	"
" 26	Antonio Romanda...	90 00	For personal injuries caused by falling into an excavation on the sidewalk between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.....	Thomas E. Rush.	" 26	Thomas Flynn....	450 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	Withdrawal of claim for services rendered as Court Interpreter, as follows:	Kenneson, Crain & Alling.	" 26	George Sparks....	375 00	.....	"
" 26	Michael Tandlich....	75 00	.....		" 26	William Whalen....	624 00	.....	"
" 26	Joseph Pascoe'lo....	50 00	.....	George H. Alexander.	" 26	Paul Mardello....	1,500 00	.....	"
" 26	James P. Sinnott....	3,000 00	For personal injuries by being thrown from a wagon caused by claimant's horse coming in contact with a water hydrant.....	Alden & Carpenter.	" 26	Michael Doyle....	2,250 00	.....	"
" 26	Bartley Hart.....	10,000 00	For personal injuries.....		" 26	Michael Harrington..	96 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:		" 26	John F. McGarry....	277 33	.....	"
" 26	William J. Simpson..	42 44	.....		" 26	William P. French....	1,500 00	.....	"
" 26	Isaac Skidmore....	405 12	.....		" 26	Daniel Campbell....	2,500 00	.....	"
" 26	James McCann....	24 44	.....		" 26	John E. McCadden....	1,250 00	.....	"
" 26	James Murray....	301 00	.....		" 26	Andrew D. Van Wart.	1,250 00	.....	"
" 26	William R. Hillyer..	322 87	.....		" 26	John Smith....	2,266 66	.....	"
" 26	William B. Goodwin..	145 63	.....	Wilmot L. Morehouse.	" 26	Thomas F. Madden..	624 00	.....	"
" 26	William B. Conklin..	128 00	.....		" 26	Michael A. Nash....	300 00	.....	"
" 26	Wm. Carberry....	179 81	.....		" 26	Henry Levy....	300 00	.....	"
" 26	C. T. Newland....	113 69	.....		" 26	George Carroll....	1,250 00	.....	"
" 26	Edward Thinnis....	300 00	.....		" 26	Thomas McElroy....	2,166 66	.....	"
" 26	Andrew Dollin....	2,250 00	.....	James E. Smith.	" 26	Francis J. Rush....	400 00	.....	"
" 26	Dominick Lagrutta..	1,200 00	.....	"	" 26	Patrick Flanagan....	1,250 00	.....	"
" 26	P. McParton....	2,250 00	.....	"	" 26	Jeremiah Collins....	2,166 66	.....	"
" 26	Antonia Lagrutta....	600 00	.....	"	" 26	Michael O'Keefe....	2,166 66	.....	"
" 26	Patrick McNulty....	2,166 66	.....	"	" 26	Peter Sweder....	48 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	842 00	.....	"	" 26	Patrick Murphy....	1,680 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Patrick Clarke....	190 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Patrick English....	72 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	John McElroy....	39 00	.....	Alden & Carpenter.
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	John McElroy....	1,200 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Benjamin P. West....	247 68	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Thomas B. Reilly....	39 00	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Patrick Shanahan....	2,625 00	.....	Jacob S. Strahl.
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Edward L. Wigley....	82 69	.....	John R. Farrar.
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Frederick Schleifer..	19 63	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Robert Rehman....	14 88	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	George L. Sutz....	27 88	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Milton Holmes....	24 19	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Julius Crump....	76 00	.....	Walter H. Crittenden.
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Elijah Raynor....	15,000 00	For damages to personal property caused by the diversion of a fresh water stream.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	.....	.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	John F. Curley....	240 00	.....	Jacob S. Strahl.
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	William Carlin....	865 50	.....	"
" 26	.....	.....	.....	"	" 26	Charles Meyers....	7,500 00	For personal injuries caused by being thrown from a wagon which came in contact with an unguarded obstruction on Rockaway avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.....	"

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 27, 1900.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
1819	Jan. 17, 1900	Public Charities....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	American Ice Company..	Oren Dennett..... H. F. Morse.....	\$8,500 00	For furnishing and delivering ice to the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....Total	\$16,950 00
1820	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Thomas W. Powers.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	3,000 00	For furnishing and delivering tea to the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 23,000 pounds common black "Oolong" tea, 1,000 pounds fine black "Formosa Oolong" tea, 1,700 pounds fine green "Young Hyson" tea.....Total	6,060 90
1821	" 10, "	Docks and Ferries...	Manhattan.....	Henry Du Bois Sons' Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..	14,000 00	For dredging on the North river, between the Battery and West Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan.....Estimate	19,900 00
1822	" 10, "	"	Bronx.....	John Gillies Company (Incorporated).....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	800 00	For preparing for and building a platform at the foot of Railroad avenue, Harlem river, in the Borough of The Bronx.....Estimate	2,018 00
1823	" 17, "	Fire.....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	J. F. Schmadeke.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For furnishing and delivering 800 tons of egg size and 200 tons broken size "Lackawanna coal," for the Fire Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....Estimate	3,950 00
1824	" 16, "	Public Charities....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	P. K. Lantry.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	20,000 00	For materials and labor to be furnished in the erection of an addition to the present "Pavilion F," on Randall's Island, New York City.....Total	40,346 00
1825	" 18, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens.....	William H. Callanan....	Edward Joyce..... F. McDermott.....	5,000 00	For furnishing and delivering milk and cream for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, viz.: 70,000 quarts milk, 600 quarts cream, 18,500 quarts condensed milk..Total	6,000 00
1826	" 9, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens.....	John J. O'Rourke.....	Charles K. Sherwood..... Zachary T. Piercy.....	4,300 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, viz.: 4 barrels cut loaf sugar, 50 pounds Scotch snuff, 3,000 pounds plug tobacco, 1,000 barrels Baker's spring wheat flour, 1,000 barrels Baker's winter wheat flour, 70 barrels best family flour.....Total	8,633 50
1827	" 18, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens.....	Lewis Wallace.....	Charles K. Sherwood..... William H. Woodward....	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering canned goods for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, viz.: 125 dozen canned corn, 130 dozen canned peaches, 130 dozen canned Bartlett pears, 220 dozen canned peas, 60 dozen canned salmon, 30 dozen canned lobster, 220 dozen canned tomatoes, 75 dozen canned sardines, 62 dozen canned lima beans, 5 dozen canned pumpkin, 55 dozen canned plums, 35 dozen canned pineapple, 60 dozen canned apricots, 70 dozen canned cherries, 29 dozen canned asparagus, 20 dozen canned chicken soup, 34 dozen canned ox tail soup..Total	1,916 50
1828	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Lewis De Groff & Son....	American Surety Company of New York..... The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City.....	1,800 00	For furnishing and delivering canned goods, fancy groceries, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 50 dozen canned apricots, 50 dozen canned asparagus, 120 dozen canned lima beans, 65 dozen canned string beans, 75 dozen canned cherries, 170 dozen canned corn, 170 dozen canned peaches, 120 dozen canned pears, 100 dozen canned peas, 120 dozen canned salmon, 400 dozen canned tomatoes, 25 cases sardines, 5 dozen capers, 40 dozen pints C. & B. chow-chow, 10 dozen French mustard, 30 dozen pints C. & B. gherkins, 65 dozen queen olives, 10 dozen quarts olive oil, 30 dozen pints C. & B. pickled onions, 30 dozen pints C. & B. pickles, 130 dozen tomato catsup, 115 dozen pints L. & P. Worcestershire sauce, 60 dozen currant jelly (10 ounces), 50 dozen assorted jams, 100 dozen assorted marmalade.....Total	3,705 15
1829	" 22, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Sayles, Zahn & Co.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The Union Surety and Guaranty Company.....	50,000 00	For furnishing of all the meats required for the use of the institutions under the charge and control of the Commissioner of Public Charities for the year 1900, for boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 1,500,000 pounds chunks of beef, 40,300 pounds extra beef, 290,000 pounds chunks of mutton, 140,500 pounds roasting beef, 90,700 pounds sirloin, 54,500 pounds corned beef, 170,400 pounds mutton, hindquarters, 18,200 pounds pork, 48,200 pounds veal..Total	172,717 10
1830	" 18, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	W. H. Thomas.....	Edward G. Byrnes..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	10,000 00	For furnishing fresh fish, etc., for the use of the institutions under the charge and control of the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx of The City of New York during 1900.....Total	17,100 00
1831	" 18, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Wynn Bros. (William S. Wynn and James C. Wynn, composing above firm).....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	1,300 00	For furnishing and delivering at Randall's Island, as required, 600 tons gas coal, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....Total	2,640 00

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1832	Jan. 17, 1900	Correction	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Louis De Groff & Son....	American Security Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	\$2,100 00	For furnishing and delivering groceries, etc., for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 10 dozen canned peas, 20 dozen canned peaches, 20,000 pounds oatmeal, 5,000 pounds rice, 40 boxes raisins, 25,000 pounds brown sugar, 27,000 pounds granulated sugar, 1,000 pounds cut loaf sugar, 6,500 gallons (130 barrels) syrup, 60 dozen ivory soap, 25 dozen toilet soap. Total	\$4,210 30
1833	" 12, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Horace Ingersoll.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering forage, for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 135,000 pounds hay, 20,000 pounds straw, 4,000 bushels oats, 5,334 pounds coarse meal. Total	2,718 17
1834	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	American Ice Company..	H. F. Morse..... Oren Dennett.....	3,500 00	For furnishing ice for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 1,600 tons to Blackwell's Island, Hart's Island and Riker's Island, and 250 tons for Central Office, City Prison, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Seventh District Prison. Total	6,440 00
1835	" 19, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	The Manhattan Supply Company.....	James S. Barron..... William H. Barron.....	700 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 50 pounds No. 30 black line thread, 6 dozen scythe stones, 5 dozen spades, 60 coils 9-in. Manila, 15 coils 15-in. Manila, 3 coils 2 1/2-in. Manila, 3 coils 3-in. Manila, 3 coils 3 1/2-in. Manila, 3 coils 4-in. Manila, 2 coils 4 1/2-in. Manila, 400 pounds sail twine, 12 boxes 14-in. by 20-in. tin. Total	1,668 86
1836	" 12, "	"	Manhattan	Pettit & Reed (incorporated)	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	1,600 00	For furnishing and delivering 14,000 pounds fine butter for the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan..... Total	3,220 00
1837	" 18, "	"	"	William H. Callanan.....	F. McDermott..... Edward Joyce.....	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering (24,000 quarts) condensed cows' milk for the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1900..... Total	3,840 00
1838	" 17, "	"	"	William S. Wynn and James C. Wynn, composing the firm of Wynn Bros.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For furnishing and delivering (1,000 tons) white ash coal for the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1900..... Total	4,240 00
1839	" 12, "	"	"	Joseph E. Ennis.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	10,000 00	For furnishing and delivering 10,000 tons white ash coal at Blackwell's, Riker's and Hart's Island, under the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1900..... Total	33,900 00
1840	" 13, "	"	Brooklyn.....	John Rogers.....	James Purcell..... Michael K. Neville.....	500 00	For furnishing and delivering 260 tons (more or less), prime quality ice for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn..... Total	975 00
1841	" 18, "	"	"	William H. Callanan.....	F. McDermott..... Edward Joyce.....	800 00	For furnishing and delivering 6,000 quarts of fresh and 9,000 quarts of condensed cows' milk, to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1900..... Total	1,710 00
1842	" 17, "	"	"	James Fee and John F. Scheffer, composing the firm of Fee & Scheffer.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, viz.: 40 barrels apples, 27,000 pounds onions, 5,000 bushels white potatoes, 25 bushels sweet potatoes, 15,000 pounds turnips (white and Russia). Total	3,163 25
1843	" 10, "	Docks and Ferries...	"	The Asphalt Construction Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	7,000 00	Preparing for and paving with granite or Staten Island syenite, the filled-in land in the rear of the bulkhead wall, on the easterly side of the Wallabout basin, in the Borough of Brooklyn..... Total	11,125 00
1844	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Manhattan	The Mount Morris Electric Light Company...	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	50,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For single arc lamps, per night.....\$0 40 and \$0 45 For incandescent lamps, per year, per lamp..... 22 50 For each additional single arc lamp, per night..... 40 For each additional incandescent lamp, per year..... 22 50 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 92,700 00	
1845	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	Manhattan Electric Light Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	75,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For single arc lamps, per night.....\$0 40 and \$0 50 For additional lighting per single arc lamp..... 40 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 105,600 00	
1846	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The United Electric Light and Power Company..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	5,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For first and second hours average daily use of total installation of each building, per kilowatt hour.. \$0 15 For third and fourth hours average daily use, per kilowatt hour..... 10 For excess above four hours average daily use, per kilowatt hour..... 05 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 2,600 00	
1847	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The Brush Electric Illuminating Company of New York.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	75,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For single arc lamp, per night.....\$0 40 and \$0 45 For two arc lamps, per post, per night..... 50 For additional lighting, per single arc lamps, per night..... 40 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 130,000 00	
1848	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York.....	United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	36,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For single arc lamps, per night.....\$0 40 For post of two arc lamps, per night, per post..... 50 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 82,800 00	
1849	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The Harlem Lighting Company.....	United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	6,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, viz.: For single arc lamps, per night.....\$0 40 and \$0 50 For additional single arc lamps, per night..... 40 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 14,100 00	
1850	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The Standard Gas-light Company of The City of New York.....	United States Guarantee Company..... National Surety Company..	12,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps (and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required); also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year.....\$13 04 1/2 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column releaded..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 50 For each service-pipe refitted..... 5 50 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 50 For each lamp-post removed..... 4 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 10 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 10 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings, per each 1,000 feet..... 92 1/2 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 25,700 00	
1851	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	Consolidated Gas Company of New York....	John P. Huggins..... Sam. Sloan.....	125,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required; also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the term of one year commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year.....\$17 50 For each incandescent lamp, single burner, per year 29 00 For each incandescent lamp, double burner, per year 47 00 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column releaded..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 50 For each service-pipe refitted..... 5 50 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 50 For each lamp-post removed..... 3 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 8 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 8 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings, for each 1,000 cubic feet..... 92 1/2 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 332,200 00	

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1852	Jan. 2, 1900	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Manhattan....	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	\$6,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the term of one year commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$30 00 For each incandescent lamp, with single burner, per year..... 30 00 For each incandescent lamp, with double burner, per year..... 47 00 For furnishing, maintaining and placing each lamp, single burner..... 18 00 For furnishing, maintaining and placing each lamp, double burner..... 25 00 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 13,230 00	
1853	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited...	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	6,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$22 00 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 6,138 00	
1854	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	The New Amsterdam Gas Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	36,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$12 00 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column released..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 50 For each service-pipe refitted..... 4 00 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 4 00 For each lamp-post removed..... 3 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 10 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 10 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings, for each 1,000 feet..... 92 1/2 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 63,000 00	
1855	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	The Bronx....	The Central Union Gas Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	24,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$24 00 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column released..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 00 For each service-pipe refitted..... 3 50 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 00 For each lamp-post removed..... 3 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 8 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 8 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings, per 1,000 cubic feet..... 92 1/2 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 45,460 00	
1856	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	5,600 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$30 00 For each incandescent lamp with single burner, per year..... 30 00 For each incandescent lamp with double burner, per year..... 47 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp with single burner, per year..... 18 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp with double burner, per year..... 25 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 1 00	
1857	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	The Northern Union Gas Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	36,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp per year..... \$28 00 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column released..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 00 For each service-pipe refitted..... 3 50 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 00 For each lamp-post removed..... 3 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 8 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 8 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings per each 1,000 cubic feet..... 92 1/2 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 85,800 00	
1858	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company (Limited).....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	12,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$22 00 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 28,680 00	
1859	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	The Yonkers Gaslight Company.....	American Surety Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	12,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of The Bronx, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$28 00 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 00 For each column released..... 1 00 For each column refitted..... 1 00 For each service-pipe refitted..... 3 50 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 00 For each lamp-post removed..... 1 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 8 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 8 00 For furnishing illuminating gas to buildings, per 1,000 cubic feet..... 1 35 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate, for 1900..... 21,000 00	
1860	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"....	Pelham Electric Light and Power Company..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	6,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, viz.: For each 2,000 candle-power lamp, per night..... \$0 40 For each 16 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 16 00 For each 20 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 18 00 For each 25 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 20 00 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 15 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 12,500 00	

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1861	Jan. 2, 1900	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	The Bronx	North River Electric Light and Power Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	\$75,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, viz.: For each lamp or lamps on each lamp-post, per night..... \$0 45 For each 25 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 25 00 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 21 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 160,965 00	
1862	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Brooklyn.....	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	5,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$30 00 For each 60 candle-power incandescent lamp, single burner, per year..... 30 00 For each 60 candle-power incandescent lamp, double burner, per year..... 47 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp with single burner..... 18 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp with double burner..... 25 00 Estimated cost, as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 1 00	
1863	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas Light Company, Limited....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	5,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$22 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 8,000 00	
1864	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..	150,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, viz.: For each 1,200 candle-power light (4,000 or more), per night..... \$0 34 For each 600 candle-power light (4,000 or more), per night..... 17 For each 1,200 candle-power light (less than 4,000), per night..... 35 For each 600 candle-power light (less than 4,000), per night..... 18 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts per hour..... 16 1/2 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 425,000 00	
1865	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Queens.....	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	5,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for, and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of approved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$30 00 For each 60 candle-power incandescent lamp (single burner), per year..... 30 00 For each 60 candle-power incandescent lamp (double burner), per year..... 47 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp (single burner)..... 18 00 For furnishing and placing each lamp (double burner)..... 25 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 8,000 00	
1866	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas Light Co. (Limited).....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	6,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$22 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 12,000 00	
1867	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	Electric Illuminating and Power Company of Long Island City.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..	75,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, viz.: For each lamp in First Ward, per night..... \$0 35 1/2 For each lamp in Second Ward, per night..... 0 31 1/2 For each lamp in Third Ward, per night..... 0 32 1/2 For each lamp in Fourth Ward, per night..... 0 27 1/2 For each lamp in Fifth Ward, per night..... 0 30 1/2 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 0 15 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 100,000 00	
1868	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	10,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For not less than 75 nor more than 500 lights per year, each..... \$25 00 For not less than 75 nor more than 500 incandescent lamps per year, each..... 31 50 For each lamp-post straightened..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 1 50 For each column refitted..... 3 50 For each service-pipe refitted..... 5 00 For each stand-pipe refitted..... 2 50 For each lamp-post removed..... 3 50 For each lamp-post reset..... 8 00 For each new lamp fitted up..... 8 00 For furnishing 20 candle-power illuminating gas to buildings, per 1,000 cubic feet..... 1 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 5,000 00	
1869	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	35,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, viz.: For each 1,200 candle-power lamp, per night..... \$0 30 1/2 For each 25 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 25 00 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 15 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 5,000 00	
1870	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	10,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, viz.: For each lamp, per night..... \$0 34 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 20 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 5,000 00	
1871	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Richmond.....	The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company (Limited)...	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	5,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps, and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$22 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 1 00	

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1872	Jan. 2, 1900	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	Richmond.....	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America..	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	\$5,000 00	For furnishing the gas or other illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing and maintaining the public lamps and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps when required, also furnishing burners and appliances of improved system of lighting on the streets, public buildings, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, viz.: For each lamp, per year..... \$30 00 For each incandescent lamp with single burner, per year..... 30 00 For each incandescent lamp with double burner, per year..... 47 00 For furnishing and placing incandescent lamp, single burner..... 18 00 For furnishing and placing incandescent lamp, double burner..... 25 00 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 1 00	
1873	" 2, "	Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	"	New York and Staten Island Electric Company.....	Samuel Thomas..... Thomas F. Ryan.....	75,000 00	For furnishing, operating and maintaining electric-lamps for the term of one year, commencing January 1, 1900, for lighting the streets, public buildings and parks of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, viz.: For single lamps on each lamp-post, per night..... \$0 30 For each 22 candle-power incandescent lamp, per year..... 22 00 For each 16 candle-power incandescent lamp per year..... 17 50 For removing lamps from one pole to another..... 5 00 For furnishing electric current to buildings, per 1,000 watts..... 15 Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate for 1900..... 5,000 00	
1874	" 1, "	Public Charities.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	New York Telephone Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	3,500 00	For furnishing telephone service to the Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the period of one year, from January 1, 1900..... 6,519 00	
1875	15, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens.....	John J. Conroy and Thomas J. Gannon, composing the firm of Conroy & Gannon....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	3,400 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies, to the storehouse at Flatbush, under the direction of Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, viz.: 7,000 pounds beans, 3,500 pounds soda crackers, 150 gallons cider vinegar, 110 barrels pork, 500 pounds smoked tongues, 25,000 pounds granulated white sugar, 1,000 pounds powdered white sugar, 100 gallons N.O. molasses, 11,000 pounds Maracaibo coffee, 5,000 pounds black Formosa tea, 150 pounds buckwheat, 1,200 pounds Hecker's farina, 600 pounds pearl hominy, 10,000 pounds rolled oats, 8,000 pounds pearl barley, 700 pounds wheat starch, 300 pounds corn starch, 1,150 pounds Kingsford's or Duryea's starch, 300 pounds tapioca, 225 pounds Italian macaroni, 5,500 pounds rice, 10 pounds allspice, 10 pounds cloves, 15 pounds No. 1 nutmegs, 450 pounds black pepper, 5 pounds indigo, 145 pounds Colman's Durham English mustard, 15 pounds ground ginger, 12 dozen Cooper's gelatine, 16 dozen olives, Hazard's selected, 25 dozen Shrewsbury Chili sauce, 10 dozen Durkee's salad dressing, 44 dozen L. & P. Worcestershire sauce, 40 dozen Heinz chow-chow, 40 dozen Heinz gherkins, 14 dozen C. V. olive oil, 10 dozen shredded wheat biscuit, 2 dozen curry powder, 10 dozen pineapple cheese, 5 gross S. C. & B. matches (parlor), 10 gross colonial parlor matches, 50 gross No. 2 Beecher matches, 20 gross vulcan safety matches, 400 pounds dried apples, 150 pounds dried currants, 150 pounds evaporated peaches, 1,500 pounds French or California prunes, 400 dozen lemons, 24 boxes raisins, 250 pounds baking powder, 100 pounds Baker's No. 1 chocolate, 20 pounds coach candles..... Total	\$6,779 07
1876	" 23, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Francis A. Williams, doing business under firm name and style of Blake & Williams....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..	8,000 00	For material and labor required for installing main steam and rising lines, return lines, etc., including new radiators throughout the Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	14,531 00
1877	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	The Manhattan Supply Company.....	James S. Barron..... William H. Barron.....	6,300 00	For furnishing and delivering dry goods, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 8,000 pounds "Manhattan" cotton batting, 7,200 yards crinoline, 14,000 yards bleached muslin, 180,000 yards unbleached muslin, 3,000 yards oil muslin, 180 great gross Lindsay's safety pins, 400 gross toilet pins..... Total	12,426 80
1878	" 23, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	W. S. Wynn and James C. Wynn, composing the firm of Wynn Bros....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	600 00	For furnishing and delivering 400 tons coal, for Lodging-house for Homeless Men, under the direction of the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... Total	1,152 00
1879	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Schieffelin & Co.....	American Surety Company of New York..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..	6,000 00	For furnishing and delivering drugs and druggists' supplies for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 15 barrels (30 gallons each) cod-liver oil, 600 ounces quinine sulphate, 100 ounces aristol, 50 pounds calcium carbonate (prepared chalk), 4 ounces celloidin, 40 pounds creosote carbonate, 2 ounces elaterin, 150 pounds ether, 15 grams holocaine hydrochlorate, 7,000 pounds hydrogen dioxide solution, not below "10 volumes," 150 pounds hydrogen dioxide solution of 15 volumes, 8 dozen hydrozone, 5 pounds mercury oleate, 20 per cent., 800 ounces phenacetine, 8 ounces pyroxylin, 120 ounces salophene, 400 ounces sulfonal, 200 ounces trional, 5 bottles antitoxin streptococcus, 4 ounces streptococcus antitoxin, 5 bottles tetanus antitoxin (Pasteur), 5 bottles tetanus antitoxin (P. D. & Co.), 3 dozen extract beef, 10 pounds extract licorice, 10 pounds Cooper's gelatin, 20 pounds Cooper's A extra glue, 200 leeches, 30 pounds lycopodium, 150 pounds lead plaster, 1,000 pounds petrolatum in 5-pound packages (petrolina), 1,000 pounds petrolatum in 25-pound packages (petrolina), 1,000 pounds petrolatum in 50-pound packages (petrolina), 25 pounds resin, 12,000 pounds green soap, 500 pounds talcum powder, 5 cases 60 per cent. acetic acid, 1 kilogram glacial acetic acid, 4-500 grams 6 1/2 per cent. sulphuric acid, 40-2 kilograms absolute alcohol, 30-500 grams boroglyceride, 300-500 grams chloroform of anesthesia, 10,000-100 grams ether of anesthesia, 8-25 grams extract ergot, 20-25 grams extract Indian hemp, 15-500 grams extract nux vomica (500-gram bottles), 15-25 grams extract nux vomica (25-gram vials), 2 gallons fluid extract coca, 3 gallons fluid extract colchicum, 4 gallons fluid extract ergot, 2 gallons fluid extract hydrastis, 2 gallons fluid extract ipecac, 5 gallons fluid extract rhubarb, 20 gallons fluid extract sarsaparilla, 40 gallons fluid extract squills, 150-25 grams silver nitrate cones with 5 per cent. chloride; 10-2 kilos tincture strophantus, 4 gross sliding paper boxes, 100 gross each No. 20, No. 30, No. 31, No. 31 Ex, Plumly's paper pill boxes, 30 gross each 32, 52, 72 (Randolph P. B. Co.) paper pill boxes, 50 gross each (E. N. Rowell Co. "Calico") paper pill boxes No. 21, No. 25; 3 dozen each 10 pound per dozen, 25 pound per dozen round tin boxes; 5 gross each 1-ounce, 2-ounce, 4-ounce, 8-ounce, 16-ounce, 32-ounce Gill's seamless deep round tin boxes; 3 dozen each 18 ounces per dozen, 36 ounces per dozen, 96 ounces per dozen, Gill's square lacquered tin boxes; 100 gross each 1-ounce, 2-ounce, 3-ounce Estes turned wood boxes; 10 gross W. T. & Co.'s bottle brushes, 1 dozen each 10-gallon, 5-gallon, 3-gallon, 2-gallon, 1-gallon Garrison's jacketed cans; 2 dozen each 1/2-gallon, 1-gallon, 2-gallon, 3-gallon, 5-gallon Banker's boxed demijohns; 3 dozen each 5-gallon, 3-gallon, 2-gallon, 1-gallon, 1/2-gallon wicker-covered demijohns; 3 gross medicine droppers, 20 gross graduated medicine glasses, 2 barrels gravel, 4 dozen each 4-pound, 2-pound, 1-pound, 1/2-pound, 1/4-pound white flat-top earthen jars; 20 packages Dennison's No. 201 labels, 200 packages druggists' labels, 2 dozen boxwood seidlitz measures, 6 each Nos. 0, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 12 wedgewood mortars and pestles; 50 gross hair pencils, 2 scales (counter), ebony box, marble top, nickel-plated pans; 2 prescription scales, Troemner's No. 64; 1 dozen each 3-inch, 4-inch, 5-inch, 6-inch, 7-inch, 8-inch Lawrence's plated spatulas; 1 dozen each 10-inch, 12-inch, 13-inch bent trimmers shears; 2 gross wooden mustard spoons, 1,000 each No. 4 P, No. 8 P, No. 4 P C (red), Dennison's tags; 50 pounds tow, 50 pounds assorted linen twine, 10 sets brass coin prescription weights (drachms and scruples); 10 sets aluminum prescription weights (grains), 2 dozen each 2-quarts, 3-quarts "Alpha" hot-water bags; 24 dozen 5-quart "Alpha" hot-water bags, 4 bags Politzer's w. valve, 6-ounce; 12 Esmarch's heavy white bandages, 12 11 inches diameter abdominal coils, 4 head coils for adults, 10 dozen (P. S. & S.'s) 16-inch invalid cushions, 4 sets Barnes' dilators, 3 gross finger protectors, 1 dozen 4-ounce hard rubber funnels, 6 dozen special heavy surgeons' gloves, sizes 7 to 10; 3 dozen special Brewer's surgeons' gloves (Goodyear), size 7 to 9; 2 dozen lined surgeons' or nurses' gloves, size 7 to 10; 20 pounds non-adhesive gutta percha tissue, 3 dozen No. 4 ice bags, 1 dozen spinal ice bags, 6 dozen No. 4 ice caps, 2 dozen ice helmets, 12 gross black nipples, 3 dozen black Shield's nipples, 10 each No. 171, No. 172 square (K. D. & Co.'s make) pads; 20 pounds (pure Para bandage gum) rubber sheeting; 1 dozen 1/4-ounce H. R. ear syringes, 1 dozen each No. 2, No. 3, No. 4 "Alpha" fountain syringes; 12 dozen No. 5 "Alpha" fountain syringes; 4 each 1-ounce, 2-ounce, 4-ounce H. R. rectal syringes; 18 H. R. Ulzmann's (Butler) 5-ounce syringes, 24 dozen "Union No. 5" bulb syringes, 2 dozen (separate) bulb syringes, 2 dozen stomach tubes, with bulb and funnel; 20 pounds 1/4 to 3/4 pure Para black tubing, 120 pounds 1/4 to 3/4 maroon or black tubing, 50 pounds assorted size pure rubber marbled tubing, 200 each flat, round laparotomy surgical sponges; 300 pounds natural reef surgical sponge..... Total	11,843 69

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1880	Jan. 20, 1900	Public Charities	Manhattan and The Bronx.	F. J. Dessoir	The Union Surety and Guaranty Company.... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	\$3,500 00	Furnishing and delivering groceries, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 11,000 pounds dried apples, 2,700 pounds dried apricots, 1,200 pounds dried currants, 14,000 pounds dried prunes, 125 boxes L. L. raisins, 18,000 pounds No. 3 barley, 5,500 pounds corn starch, 1,000 pounds farina, 600 pounds buckwheat flour, 800 pounds graham flour, 27,000 pounds hominy, 1,700 pounds macaroni, 6,500 pounds fine meal, 30,000 pounds oatmeal, 3,400 pounds pearl tapioca, 40,000 pounds rice, 100 pounds sago, 6,800 pounds wheaten grits, 650 pounds "Baker's Premium" chocolate, 50 barrels pickles, 90 gallons (½-gallon cans) maple syrup.....Total	\$6,851 64
1881	" 22, "	Correction	Manhattan.....	Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	20,000 00	For the furnishing of all the meats required for the use of the institutions under the charge of the Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1900, viz.: 750,000 pounds beef, 150,000 pounds mutton, 4,000 pounds veal.....Total	64,775 00
1882	" 17, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	James Fee and John F. Scheffer, composing the firm of Fee & Scheffer	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	3,800 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, viz.: 56 boxes lemons, 3,600 barrels white potatoes, 800 barrels (white and Russia) turnips, 25,000 heads of cabbage.....Total	7,198 30
1883	" 15, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx..	Fred Figge.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	600 00	For furnishing and delivering 1,400 pounds prime quality bacon and 10,500 pounds prime quality hams for the Department of Correction, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....Total	1,138 38
1884	" 22, "	"	Brooklyn.....	Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	7,000 00	For furnishing of all the meats required for the use of the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1900, viz.: 150,000 pounds beef, 30,000 pounds mutton.....Total	12,891 00
1885	" 1, "	Fire.....	Manhattan and The Bronx..	New York Telephone Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	1,250 00	For furnishing telephone service for the Fire Department, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, during the year 1900.....Estimate	3,180 00
1886	" 18, "	Water Supply.....	Brooklyn.....	John W. Gasteiger and John A. Schaefer, composing the firm of Gasteiger & Schaeffer.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia....	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering forage to the Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, viz.: 78,400 pounds No. 1 timothy hay, 19,400 pounds No. 1 rye straw, 93,000 pounds No. 1 "A" white oats, 2,800 pounds fine feed, 300 pounds oil meal, 2,800 pounds corn meal.....Total	1,823 60
1887	" 22, "	Sewers	The Bronx.....	The New York Sewer Construction Company	John A. McCarthy..... Charles L. Adams.....	7,000 00	For rebuilding and repairing the sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street (Bungay street), from Austin place to former Wetmore avenue, Borough of The Bronx.....Estimate	12,699 20

Opening of Proposals.

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

1900.

- January 22. For furnishing coal—For Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
- January 22. For furnishing hospital supplies and for erection of elevator in Metropolitan Hospital, and for alterations to the City Hospital Building—For Department of Public Charities.
- January 22. For furnishing stationery, etc.—For Police Department.
- January 23. For regulating and grading West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Boulevard, Borough of Manhattan—For Department of Highways.
- January 23. For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building fences, and constructing approaches in Mount Hope place, from Anthory to Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx—For Department of Highways.
- January 23. For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in Fordham road, from Kingsbridge road to the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx—For Department of Highways.
- January 23. For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park, Borough of The Bronx—For Department of Highways.
- January 23. For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Robbins to Beach avenue, Borough of The Bronx—For Department of Highways.
- January 23. For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Third to Park avenue, Borough of The Bronx—For Department of Highways.
- January 24. For erecting a building on northwest corner Prospect avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street (Bronx)—For Fire Department.
- January 24. For building a pavilion at Kingston Avenue Hospital (Brooklyn)—For Department of Health.
- January 24. For sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, between the Southern Boulevard and Adams place, and in Prospect avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to Grote street, Borough of the Bronx—For Department of Sewers.
- January 24. For rebuilding and improving of the outlet of the Broadway sewer, from Vernon avenue to the East river, Borough of Queens—For Department of Sewers.
- January 24. For furnishing and delivering a supply of water to thirteen flush tanks in the First Ward, and twenty-two flush tanks in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond—For Department of Sewers.
- January 25. For furnishing miscellaneous articles for Kings County Penitentiary (Brooklyn)—For Department of Correction.
- January 26. For furnishing granite stones for bulkhead—For Department of Docks and Ferries.
- January 26. For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary to completely erect and completely finish, ready for use, the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Monument, in Riverside Park—For Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Arch.

Approval of Sureties.

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

1900.

- January 22. For furnishing groceries—For Department of Public Charities.
Charles S. Pray, No. 110 Water street, Principal.
C. F. Naething, No. 267 West Seventy-second street, } Sureties.
John Wilde, No. 13 Dutch street, }
- January 22. For furnishing drugs and medicines—For Department of Public Charities.
George C. McKesson, No. 91 Fulton street, Principal.
William E. Jennings, No. 91 Fulton street, } Sureties.
August Sachs, No. 155 Harrison avenue, }
- January 22. For furnishing coal—For Fire Department.
Curtis & Blaisdell, No. 444 East Fifty-seventh street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- January 23. For furnishing groceries, etc., Brooklyn—For Department of Public Charities.
Joseph Bernel, Middle Village, Queens, N. Y., Principal.
Joseph Meyerrose, Woodward avenue, Queens, } Sureties.
John J. Young, Grand street, Maspeth, }
- January 23. For furnishing drugs, Brooklyn—For Department of Public Charities.
Schieffelin & Co., No. 170 Williams street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }

1900.

- January 23. For furnishing manure, Manhattan—For Department of Parks.
Edward B. Dunne, No. 50 West Thirtieth street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 23. For erecting pipe fences—For Department of Parks.
Anchor Post Company, No. 15 Cortlandt street, Principal.
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, } Sureties.
No. 253 Broadway, New York City, }
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, New York. }
- January 24. For furnishing eggs—For Department of Correction.
Conron Bros., No. 11 Bloomfield street, Principal.
Samuel Fleck, No. 348 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, } Sureties.
John Glass, No. 426 West Thirty-third street, }
- January 24. For printing books, etc.—For Police Department.
The Martin B. Brown Company, No. 49 Park place, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 24. For erecting building, Prospect avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street, Bronx—For Fire Department.
Fountain & Choate, No. 114 East Twenty-third street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, }
- January 24. For lithographed or stamped forms—For Board of City Record.
William P. Mitchell, No. 221 West One Hundred and Twelfth street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 24. For lithographed or stamped forms—For Board of City Record.
The J. W. Pratt Company, No. 52 Duane street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 24. For lithographed or stamped forms—For Board of City Record.
The Martin B. Brown Company, No. 49 Park place, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 25. For furnishing plumbers' material, (Brooklyn)—For Department of Parks.
F. N. DuBois, No. 245 Ninth avenue, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, }
- January 25. For furnishing electric current, etc., Bellevue Hospital—For Department of Public Charities.
The United Electric Light and Power Company, No. 43 East Twenty-third street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }
- January 27. For regulating and grading Fordham road, Bronx—For Department of Highways.
Bartholomew McDonald, Fordham, New York City, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.
Broadway, }
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, }

Official Designation.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, January 22, to Saturday, January 27, 1900, both dates inclusive.
Edgar J. Levey, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 23 and 24, 1900.

Appointed.

Thomas B. Reilly, No. 1137 Tinton avenue, New York, Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, at the rate of \$1,020 per annum.
Joseph A. Alexander, No. 132 West One Hundred and Eleventh street, New York, Computer in the Department of Finance, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., MARCH 3, 1900.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION JULY 1, 1900.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.	MAR- RIAGES.	STILL- BIRTHS.	DEATH-RATE.	
		1899.	1900.				1899.	1900.
Manhattan.....	2,007,241	759	1,013	1,057	481	62	20.27	26.33
*The Bronx.....	174,370	63	106	78	29	9	20.10	31.72
Brooklyn.....	1,267,158	409	604	459	201	32	17.33	24.87
Queens.....	136,559	39	47	87	13	4	15.17	17.96
Richmond.....	69,266	21	31	30	6	..	16.29	23.35
City of New York.	3,654,594	1,291	1,801	1,711	730	107	18.97	25.71

* Many large institutions raise the death-rate.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	WEEK ENDING—													Mar. 3.
	Dec. 2.	Dec. 9.	Dec. 16.	Dec. 23.	Dec. 30.	Jan. 6.	Jan. 13.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 27.	Feb. 3.	Feb. 10.	Feb. 17.	Feb. 24.	
Phthisis.....	199	144	171	98	105	80	125	205	223	237	186	183	207	193
Diphtheria.....	260	255	273	274	257	232	276	287	285	322	286	310	285	262
Croup.....	7	15	9	14	10	11	15	10	28	13	23	29	17	21
Measles.....	275	337	482	484	450	552	757	777	824	817	859	891	896	818
Scarlet Fever....	149	138	167	176	154	180	226	245	228	220	257	212	195	160
Small-pox.....	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	1	3	2	..	1	2	..
Typhoid Fever....	53	66	*91	41	33	30	47	24	28	20	14	19	25	7
Typhus Fever....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	945	955	1,195	1,088	1,009	1,105	1,447	1,544	1,619	1,631	1,625	1,645	1,627	1,461

* Including 50 cases treated in Roosevelt Hospital since July 1, not previously reported.

Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

BOROUGH.	Infectious Dis- eases detailed elsewhere.	Malarial Diseases.	Whooping Cough.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Diarrhoeal Dis- eases Under 5 Years.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis.	Pneumonia.	Congenital Debility.	Suicides.	Homicides.	Accidents.	Under 1 Year.	Under 5 Years.	5-65 Years.	65 Years and over.
Manhattan.....	62	2	12	7	5	88	62	234	53	6	3	33	201	358	486	169
The Bronx.....	15	..	..	..	..	18	4	27	6	..	..	..	20	39	48	19
Brooklyn.....	44	..	14	4	3	54	34	141	25	1	..	18	100	189	295	120
Queens.....	3	1	1	2	..	8	2	11	2	1	..	2	8	14	22	11
Richmond.....	2	..	..	..	..	3	1	7	..	..	..	1	2	4	13	14
Total.....	126	3	27	13	8	171	103	420	86	8	3	54	331	604	864	333

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total Deaths.	Deaths in Corre- sponding Week of 1899.	Males.		Females.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and Under 2.	2 and Under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and Over.
Total, all causes.....	1,801	1,291	915	886	331	132	141	604	62	99	346	357	333	
Diphtheria.....	54	27	23	31	6	9	29	44	5	..	5	..	..
Croup.....	13	5	8	5	..	2	9	11	2	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	3	3	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	
Measles.....	33	31	15	18	10	12	9	31	1	..	..	1	..	
Scarlet Fever.....	23	13	11	12	..	7	9	16	6	1	..	..	..
Small-pox.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	3	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	27	11	14	13	18	4	4	26	1	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	13	11	5	8	6	1	1	8	..	..	..	1	4	
Phthisis.....	171	172	93	78	1	2	2	5	2	31	91	29	13	
Other Tuberculous Diseases	34	25	16	18	7	5	5	17	5	2	5	4	1	
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	118	95	67	51	23	9	7	39	2	1	13	32	31	
Heart Diseases.....	107	95	40	67	..	..	1	6	11	18	35	36	..	
Bronchitis.....	103	53	48	55	46	13	10	69	1	1	7	24	..	
Pneumonia.....	420	236	224	196	88	50	41	179	13	16	71	76	65	
Other Diseases of Re- spiratory Organs.....	42	21	22	20	1	2	2	5	1	1	7	14	14	
Diseases of Digestive System.....	94	77	47	23	4	2	29	2	6	15	28	14	..	
Diseases of Urinary System	154	120	89	65	2	2	6	3	7	38	53	47	..	
*Congenital Debility.....	86	80	55	31	81	5	..	86	..	..	..	..	..
Old Age.....	33	29	15	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	31	..	
Suicides.....	8	16	5	3	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	1	..	
Other violent deaths.....	57	53	38	19	2	1	4	7	3	4	29	9	5	
†All other causes.....	205	134	77	128	17	3	4	24	8	16	46	64	47	

* Including Premature Births, Preterm Births, Inanition, Marasmus, and all Congenital Defects.

† Viz.: Syphilis, 3; Cerebro-spinal Fever, 7; Cancer, 57; Rheumatism, 2; Diabetes, 7; Embolism, 5; Ovarian Diseases, 4; Alcoholism, 2; Erysipelas, 12; Influenza, 52; Diseases of Uterus, 4; Puerperal Fever, 11; Anemia, 2; Septicæmia, 5; Otitis, 5; Purpura, 3; Abscess, 1; Arthritis, 1; Miscarriage, 4; Senile Gangrene, 2; Child-birth, 2; Aneurism, 2; Puerperal Convulsions, 2; Spinal Disease, 1; Post-Partum Hemorrhage, 1; Chronic Rheumatism, 1; Endarteritis, 1; Abscess of Pericardium, 1; Pelvic Abscess, 2; Hip-joint Disease, 2; Carbuncle, 1.

Deaths by Violence in Detail:

Fractures and Contusions, 25; Burns and Scalds, 6; Railroad, 3; Poison, 7; Suffocation, 6; Drowning, Exposure, 2; Wounds, 1; Surgical Operations, 2; Homicide, 3.

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

	WEEK ENDING—													
	Dec. 9.	Dec. 16.	Dec. 23.	Dec. 30.	Jan. 6.	Jan. 13.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 27.	Feb. 3.	Feb. 10.	Feb. 17.	Feb. 24.	Mar. 3.	
Total deaths.....	1,193	1,222	1,256	1,248	1,316	1,348	1,351	1,281	1,309	1,481	1,447	1,671	1,801	
Annual death-rate	17.53	17.96	18.46	18.34	18.79	19.25	19.29	18.29	18.69	21.14	20.66	23.86	25.71	
Diphtheria	40	37	42	46	39	41	41	53	55	55	43	50	54	
Croup.....	10	3	12	7	10	12	11	8	8	12	11	14	13	
Malarial Fevers.....	5	1	1	1	5	3	2	1	2	2	3	2	3	
Measles	11	13	13	20	18	25	28	32	21	39	21	60	33	
Scarlet Fever.....	6	11	10	17	10	6	13	16	21	23	21	17	23	
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever	20	9	14	13	14	15	10	7	13	10	5	10	3	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough.....	9	7	8	12	14	13	11	9	11	17	13	16	27	
Diarrhoeal Diseases....	15	8	9	10	9	5	2	8	8	11	12	20	13	
Diarrhoeal Diseases } under 5 years.....	6	8	8	7	7	5	1	8	4	9	9	19	8	
Phthisis	138	154	157	142	148	145	180	156	144	175	166	176	171	
Bronchitis	45	45	41	53	50	52	47	46	61	51	64	77	103	
Pneumonia	234	244	213	234	239	279	233	256	251	270	304	369	420	
Other Diseases of Re- spiratory Organs.....	19	25	30	29	33	26	23	25	29	33	24	38	42	
Violent Deaths	51	78	55	50	65	71	56	59	70	70	68	60	65	
Under one year.....	221	220	227	232	202	211	254	218	243	267	279	324	331	
Under five years.....	385	367	421	414	412	429	450	422	418	495	489	608	604	
Five to sixty-five.....	616	657	638	650	706	707	710	684	683	775	731	812	864	
Sixty-five years and over	192	198	177	184	198	212	151	175	158	211	225	251	333	
In Public and Private } Institutions	268	275	287	271	280	291	300	272	314	364	330	385	398	
Inquest Cases.....	142	176	154	185	207	188	157	143	178	175	202	159	172	
Mean barometer.....	29.927	30.075	30.226	29.681	29.970	29.970	29.987	29.845	29.779	29.955	29.907	29.652	29.821	
Mean humidity.....	62.	68.	67.	60.	87.	86.	92.	90.	89.	89.	71.	69.	82.	
Inches of rain and snow	.01	.39	.37	1.05	.03	2.05	1.25	.27	.62	2.47	2.13	.58	1.13	
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	38.3°	44.1°	42.4°	28.0°	24.4°	31.8°	39.9°	32.5°	32.6°	35.7°	34.9	33.1°	25.7°	
Maximum tempera- ture (Fahrenheit).....	55.°	59.°	58.°	55.°	40.°	43.°	57.°	51.°	39.°	50.°	57.°	52.°	50.°	
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	25.°	26.°	30.°	9.°	9.°	15.°	29.°	14.°	7.°	24.°	21.°	14.°	5.°	

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.				KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL.			
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.
Remaining February 24..	33	49	82	18	58	50	4	130	14	19	16
Admitted.....	..	21	21	1	12	15	..	28	10	6	3
Discharged.....	21	13	34	6	32	11	1	50	5	4	2
Died.....	1	8	9	2	2	4	..	8	1	..	..
Remaining March 3.....	11	49	60	11	36	50	3	100	18	21	17
Total treated.....	33	70	103	19	70	65	4	158	24	25	19

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

BOROUGH.	WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.								
		Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	All Causes.
Manhattan.	First .....	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
	Second .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Third .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fourth .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	25
	Fifth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
	Sixth.	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	19
	Seventh	9	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	39
	Eighth	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	26
	Ninth.....	2	1	17	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	44
	Tenth.....	7	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
	Eleventh.....	8	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	39
	Twelfth	50	2	188	21	..	1	..	12	..	3	2	..	..	..	225
	Thirteenth.....	3	..	5	5	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	25
	Fourteenth .....	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18

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

BOROUGH.	WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.							
		Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	All Causes.
Manhattan.	Fifteenth.....	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
	Sixteenth.....	11	..	9	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
	Seventeenth.....	5	..	15	7	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	6
	Eighteenth.....	8	..	9	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	4
	Nineteenth.....	21	1	96	11	..	1	..	4	..	2	1	..	..	16
	Twentieth.....	14	..	20	4	..	..	..	1	..	2	3	..	..	..
	Twenty-first.....	7	..	12	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	4
	Twenty-second.....	11	2	47	8	..	1	..	2	1	4	1	..	..	10
	Twenty-third.....	7	2	78	9	..	..	..	6	..	4	3	..	..	7
	Twenty-fourth.....	4	..	44	13	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3
Total.....		170	9	565	98	..	4	..	33	5	22	16	..	1	1,170
Brooklyn.	First.....	..	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	Second.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Third.....	..	..	11	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
	Fourth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
	Fifth.....	2	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
	Sixth.....	..	1	9	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	39
	Seventh.....	4	..	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	24
	Eighth.....	5	..	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
	Ninth.....	3	..	42	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	21
	Tenth.....	1	1	13	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	23
	Eleventh.....	2	1	13	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	24
	Twelfth.....	1	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	18
	Thirteenth.....	5	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
	Fourteenth.....	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
	Fifteenth.....	..	1	1	6	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	18
	Sixteenth.....	4	..	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	20
	Seventeenth.....	3	1	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30
	Eighteenth.....	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	20
	Nineteenth.....	3	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
	Twentieth.....	..	..	14	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
	Twenty-first.....	6	1	5	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	36
	Twenty-second.....	2	1	36	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39
	Twenty-third.....	11	..	12	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	21
	Twenty-fourth.....	1	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
	Twenty-fifth.....	3	..	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	17
	Twenty-sixth.....	7	3	2	1	..	..	..	2	3	..	1	..	..	28
	Twenty-seventh.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	22
	Twenty-eighth.....	5	..	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	33
	Twenty-ninth.....	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	37
	Thirtieth.....	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
	Thirty-first.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	Thirty-second.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Total.....		79	11	204	55	..	2	..	17	8	11	6	..	2	604
Queens.	First.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	18
	Second.....	4	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	18
	Third.....	..	1	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	Fourth.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	Fifth.....	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total.....		9	1	8	6	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	47
Richmond.	First.....	4	..	5	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	16
	Second.....	..	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
	Third.....	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	Fourth.....	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	Fifth.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Total.....		4	..	41	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	31

General Work of the Department.

Total inspections of premises.....	26,086
" orders issued for abatement of nuisances.....	915
" inspections of milk and other foods.....	20,859
" pounds of food condemned and destroyed.....	147,029
" chemical analyses made.....	78
" bacteriological examinations made for diphtheria.....	644
" bacteriological examinations made for tuberculosis.....	123
" vaccinations performed.....	752
" children's employment certificates granted.....	204
" children's employment certificates refused.....	41
" medical inspections of schools.....	2,072

Analysis of Croton Water, March 1, 1900.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Slightly turbid.	Slightly turbid.
Color.....	Yellowish brown.	Yellowish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.133	0.228
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	0.219	0.376
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅).....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0135	0.0231
Free Ammonia.....	0.0012	0.0020
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0096	0.0165
Total Nitrogen.....	0.0223	0.0383
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	2.35	4.04
After boiling.....	2.30	3.95
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	0.991	1.70
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	3.266	5.60
Total solids (by evaporation).....	4.2	7.30

Temperature at hydrant, 34° Fahr.

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, March 1, 1900.

	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS, EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Very slightly turbid.	Very slightly turbid.
Color.....	Light yellowish brown.	Light yellowish brown.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Marshy.	Marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	1.328	2.277
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	2.194	3.761
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅).....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrites.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0693	0.1190
Free Ammonia.....	0.0033	0.0005
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0017	0.0030
Total Nitrogen.....	0.0711	0.1219
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime { Before boiling.....	2.50	4.28
After boiling.....	2.45	4.20
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.165	2.00
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	4.257	7.30
Total solids (by evaporation).....	5.423	9.30

Temperature at hydrant, 48° Fahr.

MAP OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

SHOWING BOROUGH LINES.

● BOROUGH OFFICES.
● CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITALS.

By order of the Board

CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

LOCAL BOARDS.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Pursuant to call by President Haffen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, met at 2 P. M., March 8, 1900, at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park.

Present—President Haffen, Alderman McGrath, Councilman Murray, Councilman Hottenroth and Alderman Geiger.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

HEARINGS.

Webster Avenue, Paving with Macadam, by Assessment, from Moshulu Parkway to Gun Hill Road.

Petition of Mrs. A. Brooks and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Webster avenue be paved with macadam between Moshulu parkway and Gun Hill road, Borough of The Bronx, and the cost of said work to be assessed on property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Tremont Avenue Sewer, from Belmont Avenue to Third Avenue, and in Arthur Avenue, from Tremont Avenue to Summit South of Tremont Avenue.

Petition of Frederick Schultz and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Tremont avenue, from Belmont avenue to Third avenue, and in Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to summit south of Tremont avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Bathgate Avenue Regulating, Paving with Macadam and Planting Trees on Sidewalks, from Pelham Avenue to East One Hundred and Ninety-first Street.

Petition of James J. McCluskey was read, and, on motion of Councilman McGrath, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Bathgate avenue, from Pelham avenue to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford-macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Prospect Avenue, Sewer, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, with Branch in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, from Prospect Avenue to Summit East of Prospect Avenue.

Petition of Jacob Wust and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Hottenroth, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Prospect avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, with branch in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Prospect avenue to summit east of Prospect avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Fox (One Hundred and Fiftieth) Street, Sewer, from Robbins to Wales Avenue.

Petition of Emile Bittler and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman McGrath, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Fox street (One Hundred and Fiftieth street) between Robbins avenue and Wales avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street, Regulating and Grading, between Webster Avenue and Park Avenue.

Petition of Charles Scheib and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Webster avenue and Park avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Crescent Avenue, Regulating, Grading, Paving with Macadam and Planting Trees on Sidewalks, from Arthur Avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh Street.

Petition of Moses Hess and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Crescent avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built, fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford-macadam, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Eighty-first Street, Regulating and Grading, Paving with Macadam and Planting Trees on Sidewalks, from Third Avenue to Boston Road (or Bronx Street.)

Petition of John J. O'Brien and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Eighty-first street be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built, fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks, and the roadway paved with telford-macadam, between Third avenue and Boston road, as soon as title to said street is vested in the City, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Beaumont Avenue, Sewer, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh Street to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth Street, and in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth Street, from Southern Boulevard to Belmont Avenue.

Petition of John Halliday and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Hottenroth, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Beaumont avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (title vested), and in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Southern Boulevard to Belmont avenue, as soon as title has vested in the City, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth Street, from Hoffman Street to Bathgate Avenue, and in Lorillard Place, from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth Street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth Street, Sewers and Appurtenances.

Petition of Samuel H. Crawford and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Hottenroth, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Hoffman street to Bathgate avenue, as soon as title vests in the City, to said East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, and in Lorillard place, from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (title vested), and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Arthur Avenue, Sewers and Appurtenances, from Crescent Avenue to Summit north of Crescent Avenue, with Branch in East One Hundred and Eighty-third Street, from Arthur Avenue to Adams Place.

Petition of Margaret Stonebridge and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman McGrath, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, that sewers and appurtenances be constructed in Arthur avenue, from Crescent avenue to summit north of Crescent avenue (title is vested in the City), with branch in East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Arthur avenue to Adams place, as soon as title is vested in the City, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Quarry Road, Regulating and Grading, Paving with Telford-macadam and Planting Trees on Sidewalks, from Third Avenue to Arthur Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Petition of Jacob Weil and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of

Public Improvements that Quarry road, from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks, and the roadway paved with telford-macadam, as soon as title is vested in the City, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Eighty-first Street, from Mapes Avenue to Lafontaine Avenue, and in Arthur Avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first Street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second Street, and in East One Hundred and Eighty-second Street, from Arthur Avenue to Quarry Road, Sewer, etc.

Petition of Jacob Weil and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Mapes avenue to Lafontaine avenue (as soon as title is vested in the City), with branch in Arthur avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street (title vested), and in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Quarry road (title vested), in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Arthur Avenue, Paving with Macadam, from Maintenance Fund, between Tremont Avenue and Kingsbridge Road.

Referred for report to the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx.

The Following Complaints in Reference to Reflagging and Fencing in Front of Vacant Lots were Referred to the Investigator of Complaints.

1. No. 520 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, reflagging.
2. Northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Prospect avenue, fencing.
3. No. 526 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, reflagging.
4. West side Intervale avenue, near Dawson street, fencing.
5. Northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Hewitt place, fencing.
6. No. 716 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, fencing and repairs to walk.
7. Southeast corner Clinton avenue and Crotona avenue and Crotona Park, South, fencing.

Eagle Avenue Lighting, South of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street.

Petition of Messrs. Williamson & Bryan and others was read, and the matter referred to the Deputy Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of The Bronx.

Slebbins Avenue Crosswalks, at Freeman Street.

Communication from T. E. Grace, Secretary, Property Owners' Association of Fox Estate and Vicinity, was read, and the matter referred to the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx.

Two Hundred and Thirty-first Street (Morrison Lane), between Spuyten Duyvil Parkway and Palisade Avenue.

Petition of Henry Kroger and others was read and the matter recommended to the Board of Public Improvements.

Crotona Avenue Sewer and Appurtenances, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street to Crotona Park, North.

Petition of James W. Campbell and others was read, and on motion of Councilman Hottenroth, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Crotona avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Crotona Park, North, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Thirty-third Street Sewer and Appurtenances, from Cypress Avenue to Summit East of Cypress Avenue.

Petition of Joseph Schwarzer and another was read, and on motion of Alderman McGrath, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Cypress avenue to summit east of Cypress avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Prospect Avenue, Regulating, Grading, Paving with Telford Macadam and Planting Trees on the Sidewalks from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth Street.

Petition of Emil Ginsburger and others was read, and on motion of Alderman McGrath, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Prospect avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built, fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford macadam, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Alexander Avenue Regulating and Grading, from East One Hundred and Thirty-second Street to the Bulkhead Line of the Harlem River.

The following petition and communication were read, viz:

Petition for Regulating and Grading.

JANUARY 18, 1900.

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

SIR—We, the undersigned property-owners living on and near Alexander avenue, respectfully petition the Local Board, Twenty-first District, to recommend that Alexander avenue, between East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built where necessary.

CHAS. C. BOYCE,

No. 894 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, fifty feet on Southern Boulevard.

Communication.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, }
March 8, 1900. }

To the Board of Local Improvements:

The Twenty-third Ward Property Owners' Association has instructed its executive committee to petition your Honorable Board to recommend that Alexander avenue be practically opened for public use to the Harlem river.

The association is informed that the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company holds full and uninterrupted possession of said thoroughfare, and even claims the right to permanently hold possession without interference, and has even claimed and been awarded damages from the City for being interfered with by necessary public improvements.

This association, however, disputes such claims, and is ready to maintain the rights of the Borough of The Bronx in the matter.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. H. BAXTER, Chairman, Executive Committee.

The Secretary also read a letter from John H. Mooney, Secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, enclosing copy of a report of the Chief Topographical Engineer which read as follows:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
No. 21 PARK ROW, MANHATTAN BOROUGH, }
March 2, 1900. }

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the action taken by the Board at the meeting held on the 28th of February, I enclose herewith for the action of the proper Local Board copy of a petition from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, requesting that Alexander avenue be closed between East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the Harlem river, together with a copy of a report from the Chief Topographical Engineer.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The copy communication referred to above is here appended:

Petition to Close Alexander Avenue.

To the Board of Public Improvements:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that the land now occupied by Alexander avenue, between the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the Harlem river, formerly belonging to your petitioner, the Harlem River and Portchester Railroad Company, and was leased by said company to your petitioner, the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company; that the right, title and interest of the said companies in said land was acquired in the year 1892 by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York in trust to be used for street purposes; that your petitioner, the Harlem River and Portchester Railroad Company, also owns, and your petitioner, the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, leases all of the land on both sides of said street between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the Harlem river; that said street has never been regulated or physically

opened or used as a street, but has, ever since the title thereto was acquired by the City, been exclusively occupied by the tracks of your petitioners used for railroad freight yard purposes; that your petitioners believe that the portion of the said street above described is useless for street purposes, and that it is in the public interest that it should be closed.

Your petitioners, therefore, respectfully pray that your Honorable Body initiate a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to close that portion of the street known as Alexander avenue, lying between the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the Harlem river, and to take such steps and proceedings before any other department or officer of the Municipal Government, or before any court, that said change may become effectual to close said street.

Dated New York, January 30, 1900.

NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN & HARTFORD RAILROAD CO.,

By HENRY W. TAFT, Attorney.

HARLEM RAILROAD & PORTCHESTER RAILROAD CO.,

By HENRY W. TAFT, Attorney.

Report of the Chief Topographical Engineer.

FEBRUARY 27, 1900.

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 from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, requesting a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to close that portion of Alexander avenue lying between the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx, I have to state that the City has title to Alexander avenue, from the Harlem river to Third avenue, since May 5, 1891. The avenue is graded and paved northerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and the portion from East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the Harlem river was never physically opened because the railroad company occupied the same and opposed the opening.

This matter was often the cause of discussions and complaints, and it is of the utmost importance to the people of the Borough of The Bronx. I recommend, therefore, that the railroad company be advised to present its petition to the Local Board of the Borough of The Bronx before the Board of Public Improvements takes action in the matter.

Papers are returned.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. RISSE,

Chief Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Concourse.

Alderman McGrath made a motion that the petition for regulating and grading be recommended. President Haffen said that he agreed with Alderman McGrath. He then remarked that an attempt had been made to take advantage of the Local Board by the railroad companies in seeking the intervention of the Board of Public Improvements before going to the Local Board.

Mr. Wardwell, representing the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the Harlem Railroad and Port Chester Railroad Company said that there might have been some mistake about the procedure, but no intentional affront was intended to the Local Board. He asked that the matter go over for a week or so until his clients could present a petition for closing the street between the points in question. President Haffen remarked that the proposition before the Board was one for regulating and grading and that the contemplated petition was one contrary and should not, in his judgment, receive consideration.

Councilman Murray said he recognized the fact that the people required more dockage facilities than they had in the Borough of The Bronx and that while he was anxious to see the present case disposed of, he thought the railroad companies should have a little further time, as they requested through counsel.

Councilman Hottenroth said that he originally felt in favor of regulating and grading Alexander avenue between the points mentioned, but some of the property-owners on Alexander avenue had given him to understand that they were opposed to a continuation of the street for public use to the river. He was not even opposed to the proposition now, but he thought the railroad companies were entitled to the same privileges as any property-owner for postponement.

It was his opinion that the matter should lay over one week.

Alderman Geiger also thought a week's time should be given to the railroad companies.

Mr. Charles H. Baxter of the Twenty-third Ward Property Owners' Association argued in favor of the petition, and Alderman McGrath urged the adoption of his motion.

Councilman Hottenroth again stated that a week's more time should be given to the railroad companies. President Haffen called attention to the fact that the proposition of the companies for delay was to enable them to present a petition to take the avenue off the map, whereas the present petition was for making a street, title to which was vested in the City, usable by the people.

Mr. Wright, editor of the "New York Bulletin," spoke in support of the petition.

President Haffen called attention to the fact that while the Topographical Engineer had recommended that the companies should present their petition to the Local Board, they had not done so, thus ignoring the request of the Topographical Engineer as well as the Local Board. President Haffen declared himself again in favor of the work being recommended. Eventually, on a motion to lay the matter over for a week, the following were recorded in the affirmative: Councilman Hottenroth, Councilman Murray and Alderman Geiger.

In the negative, Alderman McGrath.

East One Hundred and Eighty-third Street, Paving with Asphalt Blocks, between Third Avenue and Webster Avenue, and between Arthur Avenue and Southern Boulevard.

Petition of Jacob Weil and others was read, and the matter was referred to the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, for report.

Arthur Avenue, Asphalt-block Paving, from Tremont Avenue to Pelham Avenue.

Petition of Margaret Stonebridge and others was laid over.

Southern Boulevard, Sewer, from St. Joseph's Street to the Port Morris Branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

The following communication was read:

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS,
THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET,
February 17, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—I am officially informed that the Department of Water Supply proposes to extend the 36-inch Croton main in Southern Boulevard, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, this spring, as soon as they can get to it.

I think it would be advisable to build the sewers in Southern Boulevard, from St. Joseph's street to the Port Morris Branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in advance of laying this large water-main, on account of the great risk of disturbing it afterwards by digging the sewer trench close to it. I would therefore request the Local Board to pass a resolution providing for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Southern Boulevard, from St. Joseph's street to the Port Morris Branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

Respectfully,

H. H. FARNUM, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Councilman Murray, it was

Resolved, That, on report of the Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, dated February 17, 1900, addressed to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that sewers and appurtenances be constructed in Southern Boulevard, from St. Joseph's street to the Port Morris Branch of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in advance of the laying of a thirty-six inch water-main by the Department of Water Supply, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Necessity for a Deputy Fire Chief in the Borough of The Bronx.

Communication of J. J. Smith, of No. 561 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, was read, and the matter was referred to the Fire Commissioner for such consideration as he deem proper to give it.

Two Hundred and Thirty-first Street, Change of Lines, between Broadway and Riverdale Avenue.

The following opinion from Acting Corporation Counsel George Hill was read, and ordered to be brought up with the original communication of the property-owners at the next meeting:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1900.

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

SIR—I am in receipt of a letter dated February 1, 1900, inclosing resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, adopted at its meeting on January 25 last, in reference to the petition of J. W. Thorne & Company and others, requesting alteration of the lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Broadway and Riverdale avenue, which resolution requests me to inform the said Local Board whether the City would be liable under a proceeding to acquire title on a change of street lines as proposed in this case, to pay a greater compensation to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for the strip of land involved than the market value as usually determined in such proceedings.

It is proposed to alter the lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Broadway and Riverdale avenue, to cover the area occupied by the roadbed or property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, so as to give the said railroad company an opportunity to divert its tracks to the south, along the Harlem Ship Canal.

I assume that the railroad company has abandoned, or will abandon, its property between the points mentioned. If this be so, I have to advise you that the lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street between said points may be changed as proposed and the lands acquired by the City, and that no greater compensation can justly be claimed by the railroad company for the land to be acquired than the market value thereof, as is usual in such proceedings.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE HILL, Acting Corporation Counsel.

East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street Reregulating, Rergrading, Grading, Paving and Repaving, from Harlem River to East River.

The following was read:

THE TWENTY-THIRD WARD PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION,
COURTLANDT AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET. }

To the Local Board of Public Improvements, Twenty-first District:

GENTLEMEN—The above association has instructed its Executive Committee to petition your Honorable Board to recommend that steps be taken for the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street without unnecessary delay.

The street has been ordered widened long ago, the buildings condemned and sold, some have been moved back to the new line, others have been taken down, while others again remain out on the old line, making the street unsightly and unfit for business or residence.

The owners desire to derive some income for their property, which is impossible while it remains in its present state.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. H. BAXTER, Chairman, Executive Committee.

On motion of Councilman Hottenroth, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby respectfully urges the Board of Public Improvements to take such action as will lead to the letting of a contract immediately for re-regulating, rergrading, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Gerard avenue to Southern Boulevard, as recommended in resolution of Local Board, Twenty-first District, on May 11, 1899.

Also, That the roadway thereof be repaved with granite-block pavement, from Mott avenue to the Southern Boulevard, as recommended in the resolution referred to above.

Central Bridge, Railroad Construction.

The following preamble and resolutions, presented by Fielding L. Marshall, Chairman, Borough Club, Highbridge, were read:

Whereas, The cars of the trolley railroad on Jerome avenue are daily crowded with passengers residing along the line of the avenue, and others coming from Tremont, West Farms, Fordham, and other sections of the Borough of The Bronx.

Whereas, There are thousands of passengers constantly coming from the Borough of Manhattan as visitors to Woodlawn over this same line.

Whereas, All these passengers are compelled to leave the cars, regardless of weather, walk over the unprotected viaduct and Central Bridge, a distance of over a quarter of a mile, thereby suffering much discomfort and delay; and

Whereas, The property-owners above the bridge bear a heavy and ever-increasing taxation, and are assessed beyond endurance for improvements; and

Whereas, Relief to the residents and property-owners of this section of the Borough of The Bronx can only come by an influx of population, which is retarded and delayed by this break in the transportation facilities; therefore be it

Resolved, That we earnestly appeal for relief to the Mayor and to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York; and

Resolved, That we petition the Mayor and the Municipal Assembly to grant a franchise for an electric roadway over Central Bridge and the viaduct to any company which will agree to construct the same within four months from the granting of such franchise.

Mr. Marshall appeared with a delegation from the Borough Club of Highbridge. Mr. Marshall and others addressed the Board as to the necessity for a trolley line across the Central Bridge.

The fact was pointed out that the resolutions submitted petitioned the Municipal Assembly and the Mayor, and that consequently the Local Board, on the face of the petition, could simply express its sympathy with the object of the Borough Club, and thereupon the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Board hereby expresses its sympathy with the citizens of Highbridge in the movement to effect the continuation of the surface railway connection across Central Bridge.

It was suggested that the Club present a petition to the Local Board, with the understanding that further action would be taken when a petition would be presented.

East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street Bridge.

A communication from the Twenty-third Ward Property Owners' Association was read in reference to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street Bridge over the Harlem river, calling attention to a bill pending in the Legislature providing conditionally for its widening.

Adjournment.

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Pursuant to call by President Haffen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-second District, met at 4 P.M., March 8, 1900, at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park.

Present—President Haffen and Alderman Gass.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

HEARINGS.

Macadamizing Prospect Street East and West of Main Street, City Island.

Petition of M. J. Earley and others was read, and on motion of Alderman Gass the matter was recommended to the Commissioner of Highways.

Macadamizing Pilot Avenue, City Island, East and West of Main Street.

Petition of Pierre K. Wood and others was read, and on motion of Alderman Gass the matter was recommended to the Commissioner of Highways.

Final Maps, Mapes Estate.

Alderman Gass presented the following communication from the Mapes Estate Property Owners' Association, viz.:

FEBRUARY 24, 1900.

In mass meeting assembled on this day the 24th of February, in the year 1900: The property-owners and residents of the Mapes' estate unanimously approved the following resolutions:

Whereas, The taxes we pay are the same as for the improved property in the Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, The travel over the streets and avenues demand that they be improved; and

Whereas, The sudden growth of this estate has so closely built it up, so that the necessity for sewers is threatening the health of the people; and

Whereas, It is not possible to secure the necessary improvements until the streets have been accepted by the City; it is hereby

Resolved, That the Local Board of Improvements is hereby respectfully petitioned to have a map of the streets of the Mapes estate made and filed as a preliminary to the cession of the following streets and avenues to the City:

Rosedale avenue, south from West Farms road to Tacoma street.

Commonwealth avenue, south from West Farms road to 150 feet south of Beacon street.

St. Lawrence avenue, south from West Farms road to 166 feet south of Beacon street.

Classon avenue, south from West Farms road to Westchester avenue.

Mansion street, west from Classon avenue to Rosedale avenue.

Merrill street, west from Classon avenue to Rosedale avenue.

Tacoma street, west from Classon avenue to Rosedale avenue.

Beacon street, west from Classon avenue to 171 feet west of Commonwealth avenue.

All of the said streets and avenues now conform with the final map now being prepared by the Board of Public Improvements; it is also

Resolved, That the Local Board of Improvements be requested to have the streets and avenues mentioned above accepted by the City at the earliest possible moment.

The owner stands ready to pass the deed of said streets and avenues as soon as the City is prepared to accept the same.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN RIESENACKER, President.

W. H. PARKER, Secretary.

On motion of Alderman Gass the following preamble and resolution were adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-second District:

Whereas, On petition of the Mapes Estate Property Owners' Association it appears most desirable, in the interest of the City, for the proper development of this fast growing section east of the Bronx river, known as the Mapes Estate, to have the street lay-out receive recognition as soon as possible; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-second District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the map of that section of the Borough of The Bronx, east of the Bronx river, known as the Mapes Estate, be completed immediately and filed, so that the City may acquire title to the streets existing now in this section either by cession or otherwise.

Adjournment.

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT to provide for the improvement of that portion of Bronx park in the city of New York allotted to and set apart for the New York Zoological Society.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Saturday, March 17, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Dated, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, March 14, 1900.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT to amend the Greater New York charter, relative to the department of street cleaning.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Saturday, March 17, 1900, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

Dated, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, March 14, 1900.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,
Mayor.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 14, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—At a stated meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held yesterday, John H. Slingerland was reinstated to his former position of Superintendent of Dam Construction.

Respectfully,
HARRY W. WALKER,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 14, 1900.

To whom it may concern:

The Joint Committees on Railroads will hold a public hearing in Room 16, City Hall, on Monday, March 19, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., to consider the petition of the Terminal Railroad and Tunnel Company for the granting of franchise to construct, maintain and operate a tunnel railroad.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1900.

To whom it may concern:

The Committee on Railroads of the Council will hold a public hearing in Room 16, City Hall, on Friday, March 16, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the matter of a proposed ordinance to regulate fares and headway of railroads in Manhattan and The Bronx.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
FIRST DISTRICT,
NORTHWEST CORNER STATE AND
COURT STREETS,
March 14, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Please take notice that, pursuant to the power vested in me by section 1373 of the Charter of The City of New York, I appointed, on March 9, 1900, Matthew J. Dowd, of No. 260 Palmetto street, Borough of Brooklyn, an Attendant in the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, First District, said appointment being on probation.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN J. WALSH,
Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,
SCHOOL BOARD,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y.,
March 14, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—The School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn has made the following mentioned appointments, viz.: John H. Kelley, Office Boy, at \$25 per month, to date from February 13, 1900; John A. Schilling, as Temporary Clerk, at \$125 per month, to date

from February 20, 1900, and Augustus W. Nicholl, as Temporary Clerk, at \$125 per month, to date from February 21, 1900.

Yours respectfully,

GEO. G. BROWN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICES OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE
BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
MORRIS BUILDING, FLUSHING, N. Y.,
March 13, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—At a regular meeting of the School Board of the Borough of Queens, held on the 6th instant, a resolution was unanimously adopted to increase the salaries of the following-named janitors:

William Fairburn, Janitor, School 47, from \$600 to \$675.

William Fairburn, Janitor, School 48, from \$300 to \$360.

John Bardalams, Janitor, School 38, from \$100 to \$150.

Edward H. Rhodes, Janitor, School 37, from \$300 to \$360.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH H. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.
Number of licenses issued and amounts received
therefor in the week ending Saturday, March 10, 1900
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Mar. 5, 1900	26	\$147 75
Tuesday, " 6, "	36	86 50
Wednesday, " 7, "	32	99 00
Thursday, " 8, "	40	68 25
Friday, " 9, "	32	79 75
Saturday, " 10, "	15	27 50
Totals.....	181	\$508 75

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Monday, Mar. 5, 1900	16	\$61 50
Tuesday, " 6, "	10	43 50
Wednesday, " 7, "	11	65 00
Thursday, " 8, "	12	42 00
Friday, " 9, "	8	78 00
Saturday, " 10, "	5	34 50
Totals.....	62	\$324 50

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Monday, Mar. 5, 1900	..	.....
Tuesday, " 6, "	2	\$10 50
Wednesday, " 7, "	..	.....
Thursday, " 8, "	1	4 00
Friday, " 9, "	..	.....
Saturday, " 10, "	..	.....
Totals.....	3	\$14 50

DAVID J. ROCHE,
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,
No. 258 BROADWAY,
March 10, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I hereby notify you of the death of Ernest G. Freeman, Resident Engineer in the employ of the Commission of the New East River Bridge, on the 6th day of March, 1900.

I have the honor to remain,
Very truly yours,

JAMES D. BELL,
Commissioner and Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,
March 13, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, by direction of Commissioner Moebus, for publication

in the CITY RECORD, that John J. Dolan, Plumber, has resigned.

Respectfully yours,

MAX K. KAHN,
Private Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, March 9, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Docks held this date, the following actions in relation to employees were taken:

William Lynch was appointed Ship Caulker from the Borough of Manhattan, with compensation at the rate of 43 cents per hour while employed.

John O'Neil was appointed Stoker from the Borough of Richmond, with compensation at the rate of 43 cents per hour while employed.

The title of Daniel Keogh was changed from Assistant Foreman to Laborer, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour while employed.

The name of John H. Rogers, Inspector of Pier Building, deceased, was ordered taken from the list of employees.

The action of the Board of February 23, 1900, in discharging Patrick Conway, George Debus, Thomas P. Handline, William McNichol and James Murphy, No. 2, was rescinded, and said persons reinstated as Dock Builders in this Department.

On motion, the title of Patrick J. Conway, George Debus, Thomas P. Handline and William McNichol was changed from Dock Builder to Laborer, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour while employed.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. BURKE,
Secretary.

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Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TRALE, Magistrate.
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Borough of Richmond.

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Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.
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County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

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Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 39.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 34.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
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Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 29.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.
Appellate Term, Room No. 20.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 38.
Justices—ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, FREDERICK SMYTH, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FREEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, HENRY R. BECKMAN, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth 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.

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.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 22, 23 and 27. Court opens 10 A. M., daily, and sits until business is completed, Part I., Room No. 23, Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 22 and 27, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, JR., County Judges.
CHARLES Y. VAN DOREN, Chief Clerk.

QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.
County Court opens at 9.30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M. County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y. HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half-past 10 o'clock.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. MCMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

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.

DANIEL E. FINN, 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.

Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

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.

BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, 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.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 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 and Return days, each Court day.

JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAM, 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. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, 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 10 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.

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

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

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

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, 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 J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, 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.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORN, 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 FERGUSON, 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. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 A. M.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village

Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk. Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

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

GEORGE W. STAKE, 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.

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 Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1900,

for installing an electric-light plant at Public School 119, Borough of Manhattan.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Estimating Room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

A certified check or certificate of deposit must accompany each proposal, as required by the By-Laws of said Board, to be disposed of as the By-Laws provide, and surety must be furnished as required by said By-Laws.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 15, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, ABRAHAM STERN, WILLIAM J. COLE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, PATRICK J. WHITE, JOHN R. THOMPSON, Committee on Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE, CORNER FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 1, 1900.

THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS HAS POSTPONED the examination for licenses as Principal of Elementary Schools in The City of New York, called for March 5, to April 9, 11 and 12, 1900. The said examination will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, on the dates named above.

WILLIAM H. MAXWELL, City Superintendent of Schools.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1900,

for heating and ventilating apparatus and electric lighting plant for Public School 175; also for alterations and additions to basement of Hall of the Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Estimating Room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

A certified check or certificate of deposit must accompany each proposal, as required by the By-Laws of said Board, to be disposed of as the By-Laws provide, and surety must be furnished as required by said By-Laws.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 8, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, ABRAHAM STERN, WILLIAM J. COLE, MILES M. O'BRIEN, PATRICK J. WHITE, JOHN R. THOMPSON, Committee on Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, March 9, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1900,

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

For the following work in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

SEWER IN EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, between Fourth avenue and New York Bay; also in FIRST AVENUE, between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets, and in SECOND AVENUE, between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-sixth streets (or in so much of said street as lies within Sewer District "V"), and in BAY RIDGE PARKWAY (or Shore Drive), from Eighty-sixth street to a temporary outlet foot of Eighty-third street.

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

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

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

in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS, NEW YORK, March 6, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Thursday, March 15, 10 A. M., CLERK OF STREET OPENINGS, BOARD PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, spelling, dictation and letter-writing and a special paper. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Saturday, March 10, 1900.

Tuesday, March 20, 10 A. M., COMPUTERS OF ACCOUNTS, BUREAU OF STREET OPENINGS, LAW DEPARTMENT. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, experience and general paper. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Thursday, March 15, 1900.

Wednesday, March 21, 10 A. M., COTTAGE ATTENDANTS. Subjects of examination: Writing, reading, arithmetic, duties and experience, letter-writing. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Saturday, March 10, 1900.

Monday, April 2, 10 A. M., INSPECTOR OF OFFENSIVE TRADES. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, April 3, 10 A. M., MARINE ENGINEER. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, March 12, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1900.

CLASS NO. 1.—ELECTRIC-LIGHT SUPPLIES. Bidders to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

1. 1 dozen Main Cut-outs, 25 Amperes.

2. 3 dozen Porcelain K. W. Cut-outs for ceiling.

3. 100 feet Silk Flexible Cord, No. 14.

4. 500 feet Silk Flexible Cord, No. 16.

5. 3 dozen Carbon Batteries, complete.

6. 200 feet 3/8 Brass Armored Conduit.

7. 100 feet 1/2-inch Flexible Conduit.

8. 3 dozen Brass Armored Elbows.

9. 50 pounds Electric Wire, No. 10.

10. 50 pounds Electric Wire, No. 12.

11. 50 pounds Electric Wire, No. 14.

12. 3 dozen Edison Key Sockets.

13. 60 pounds Sal Ammoniac.

14. 10 pounds Sal Ammoniac (powdered).

15. 5 pounds Tape.

16. 6 dozen Zincs for Batteries.

CLASS NO. 2.—PIPE.

Wrought-iron Steam and Galvanized Pipe, Equal to Byers Manufacture.

Bidders to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

17. 510 feet Steam Pipe, 1/2-inch.

18. 1,950 feet Steam Pipe, 1/2-inch.

19. 2,910 feet Steam Pipe, 3/4-inch.

20. 1,340 feet Steam Pipe, 1/2-inch.

21. 1,200 feet Steam Pipe, 3/4-inch.

22. 2,950 feet Steam Pipe, 1-inch.

23. 1,200 feet Steam Pipe, 1 1/4-inch.

24. 1,575 feet Steam Pipe, 1 1/2-inch.

25. 908 feet Steam Pipe, 2-inch.

26. 754 feet Steam Pipe, 2 1/2-inch.

27. 36 feet Steam Pipe, 3-inch.

28. 100 feet Steam Pipe, 1 1/2-inch, Extra Heavy.

29. 50 feet Brass Pipe, 1 1/2-inch.

30. 200 feet Brass Pipe, 1-inch.

31. 1,230 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-inch.

32. 1,030 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1/2-inch.

33. 1,020 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-inch.

34. 1,750 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1-inch.

35. 620 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/4-inch.

36. 510 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/2-inch.

37. 300 feet Galvanized Pipe, 2-inch.

CLASS NO. 3.—PLUMBING AND GAS FITTINGS. Bidders to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

38. 1 Short Gas house Auger.

39. 1 Long Gas-house Auger.

40. 6 Cast-iron, extra heavy, 1/2-inch Bends, 4 inches.

41. 6 Cast-iron, extra heavy, 1/2-inch Bends, 2 inches.

42. 6 Cast-iron, extra heavy, 1/2-inch Bends, 4 inches.

43. 6 Cast-iron, extra heavy, 1/2-inch Bends, 2 inches.

44. 3 1/2-inch Lead Bends, 4 inches.

45. 6 Bends, 3 inches, 1/2-inch, for C. I. S. H. Soil Pipe.

46. 6 Bends, 2 inches, 1/2-inch, for C. I. S. H. Soil Pipe.

47. 6 Bends, 3 inches, 1/2-inch, for C. I. S. H. Soil Pipe.

48. 6 Bends, 4 inches, 1/2-inch, for C. I. S. H. Soil Pipe.

48a. 25 Bends, Brass, Return, close, 1-inch.

49. 1 dozen Basin Clamps.

50. 6 dozen Fuller Balls for Basins.

51. 6 dozen Ball and Ball Cocks, 1/2-inch.

52. 1 Plumber's Hatchet Bolt, 5-pound.

53. 1 dozen Wash Tray Bibbs, plain, 1/2-inch, screwed for iron pipe.

54. 2 dozen stiff, straight, 6-inch Brackets.

55. 3 dozen Double Swing Brackets, 3/4-inch.

56. 1 dozen Double Swing Gas Brackets, 3/4-inch.

57. 1 dozen Single Swing Gas Brackets, 3/4-inch.

58. 12 dozen Combination Gas Burners.

59. 4 dozen Back Plates for Gas Brackets.

59a. 23 Gas fixtures, 3 three-light, 10 two-light, 10 one light, with globes complete, as per cut shown.

60. 1 Galvanized Boiler, 6-gallon, hot-water, with stand and couplings complete.

61. 2 Bath Tubs, 4 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 5 inches, enameled iron, with Unique waste and combination faucets, as per cut shown.

62. 1 1/2 dozen Closet Bowls, Earthen, for Mott's Indora Closets, Mott's Catalogue, Plate 101 G.

63. 1 Gas-house

173.	3 dozen R. and L. Galvanized Sockets, 1 1/2-inch.	287.	392 pounds Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1/4-inch thick.	418.	3 dozen Cast-iron Ells, 1 1/2 by 1 1/2-inch.	548.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 1-inch, cast iron.
174.	2 dozen R. and L. Galvanized Sockets, 1 1/2-inch.	289.	112 pounds Rainbow Sheet Packing, 1-16-inch thick.	419.	3 dozen Cast-iron Ells, 2 by 1 1/2-inch.	549.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 1 1/4-inch, cast iron.
175.	2 dozen R. and L. Galvanized Sockets, 2-inch.	290.	25 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample.	420.	3 dozen Cast-iron Ells, 4 by 3-inch.	550.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 1 1/2-inch, cast iron.
176.	6 Shower Sprays for 3/4-inch Pipe, as per cut shown.	291.	20 pounds Ring Packing, 1 11-16-inch by 1 1/4-inch.	421.	3 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 3/4-inch, cast-iron.	551.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 1/2 by 1-inch, cast iron.
177.	3 packages Top and Bottom Screws for Compression Cocks.	292.	5 pounds Ring Packing, 3 15-16-inch by 2 13-16-inch.	422.	3 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 3/4-inch, cast-iron.	552.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 1/2 by 1 1/4-inch, cast iron.
178.	1 dozen Brass Springs, 3/4-inch.	293.	10 pounds Ring Packing, 1 1/2-inch by 2 1/4-inch.	423.	2 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 1-inch, cast-iron.	553.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2-inch, cast iron.
179.	1 Plumber's Metal Saw.	294.	5 pounds Ring Packing, 1 1/2-inch by 7/8-inch.	424.	2 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	554.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 1/2 by 1 3/4-inch, cast iron.
180.	2 dozen Rubber Washtray Stoppers, 1 1/2-inch.	295.	5 pounds Ring Packing - Stuffing Box, 1 7-16-inch; Rod, 3/4-inch.	425.	2 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 2-inch, cast-iron.	555.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 3/4 by 1/2 by 1-inch, cast-iron.
181.	3 packages Sink Bolts.	296.	10 pounds Ring Packing - Stuffing Box, 1 9-16-inch; Rod, 15-16-inch.	426.	2 dozen Black Iron, 45 degree Ells, 2-inch, cast-iron.	556.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 3/4 by 1 by 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
182.	1 box Sink Bolts and Rivets.	297.	20 pounds Ring Packing - Stuffing Box, 7-inch; Rod, 5-inch.	427.	3 dozen 45 degree Ells, 3/4-inch, cast-iron.	557.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 3/4 by 1 by 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
183.	1 dozen Sink Couplings, 2-inch, Galvanized.	298.	10 pounds Ring Packing - Stuffing Box, 2 5-16-inch; Rod, 3/4-inch.	428.	9 dozen 45 degree Ells, 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	558.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 by 1/2 by 3/4-inch, cast-iron.
184.	6 Sink Collars, 2-inch.	299.	4 dozen Washers for 3/4-inch gauges.	429.	9 dozen 45 degree Ells, 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	559.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 by 1 1/4 by 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
185.	6 Sink Strainers, 5 inches diameter.	300.	3 dozen Rubber Washers for 3/4-inch glass gauges.	430.	2 dozen 45 degree Ells, 2-inch, cast-iron.	560.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 1/4 by 1 by 2-inch, cast-iron.
186.	1 Galvanized Sink, 16 inches by 24 inches, with back and legs.	301.	3 dozen Rubber Washers for 1/2-inch glass gauges.	431.	2 dozen 45 degree Galvanized Ells, 3/4-inch, cast-iron.	561.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 1/4 by 1 1/4 by 3/4-inch, cast-iron.
187.	4 Galvanized Sinks, 30 inches by 18 inches, with brackets and legs.	302.	40 pounds Asbestos Wick.	432.	6 dozen 45 degree Galvanized Ells, 1-inch, cast-iron.	562.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 1/4 by 1 1/4 by 1, cast-iron.
188.	50 pounds Solder.	303.	40 pounds Lamp Wick (balls).	433.	6 dozen 45 degree Galvanized Ells, 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	563.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 1/4 by 1 1/4 by 1 1/2, cast-iron.
189.	100 pounds Half and Half Solder.	304.	1 bale Waste.	434.	6 dozen 45 degree Galvanized Ells, 2-inch, cast-iron.	564.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 1 1/4 by 1 1/4 by 1 3/4-inch, cast-iron.
190.	25 pounds Strap Solder.	305.	40 pounds Cotton Waste.	435.	6 dozen 45 degree Galvanized Ells, 2 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	565.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 1 1/4 by 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
191.	25 pounds Wiping Solder.	306.	50 pounds Picked Waste.	436.	9 dozen Galvanized Ells, 3/4-inch, cast-iron.	566.	3 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 1 1/2 by 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
192.	1 Plumber's Solder Pots, 5-inch.			437.	11 dozen Galvanized Ells, 1-inch, cast-iron.	567.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 2 by 2 1/2-inch, cast-iron.
193.	1 Plumber's Solder Pots, 6-inch.			438.	8 dozen Galvanized Ells, 1 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	568.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, 2 by 2 by 3-inch, cast-iron.
194.	1 Turn Pin for 2-inch Pipe.			439.	6 dozen Galvanized Ells, 2-inch, cast-iron.	569.	1 dozen Reducing Tees, cast-iron, 1 1/4 by 3/4-inch outlet.
195.	6 dozen Drop Tees, 3/4-inch.			440.	6 dozen Galvanized Ells, 2 1/2-inch, cast-iron.	570.	6 dozen Galvanized Tees, 3/4-inch.
196.	2 dozen Malleable Tees, 3/4-inch.			441.	3 dozen Galvanized Ells, 3-inch, cast-iron.	571.	8 dozen Galvanized Tees, 3/4-inch.
197.	2 dozen Malleable Tees, 1/2-inch by 1/4-inch.			442.	1 dozen Gauge Glasses, 1/2 inch by 1 1/4 inches long.	572.	6 dozen Galvanized Tees, 1/2-inch.
198.	2 dozen Malleable Tees, 2 1/2-inch by 2-inch.			443.	1 gross Washers for above.	573.	4 dozen Galvanized Tees, 1-inch.
199.	6 dozen Gas Tees, 3/4-inch.			444.	2 dozen Lock Nuts, 1/2-inch.	574.	3 dozen Galvanized Tees, 1 1/4-inch.
200.	6 dozen Gas Tees, 1-inch.			445.	2 dozen Lock Nuts, 3/4-inch.	575.	5 dozen Galvanized Tees, 1 1/2-inch.
201.	4 dozen Gas Tees, 1 1/2-inch.			446.	3 dozen Lock Nuts, 1-inch.	576.	5 dozen Galvanized Tees, 2-inch.
202.	4 dozen Gas Tees, 2-inch.			447.	3 dozen Lock Nuts, 1 1/4-inch.	577.	1 Steam Trap, No. 4, Nason's Patent, or equal.
203.	6 dozen Gas Tees, 3-inch.			448.	3 dozen Lock Nuts, 1 1/2-inch.	578.	5 dozen Unions, 3/4-inch.
204.	2 dozen Gas Tees, 3/4-inch by 1/2-inch.			449.	3 dozen Lock Nuts, 2-inch.	579.	5 dozen Unions, 1/2-inch.
205.	3 pounds Tin Straps, 3/4-inch.			450.	6 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 3/4-inch.	580.	5 dozen Unions, 1-inch.
206.	3 pounds Tin Straps, 1/2-inch.			451.	6 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1/2-inch.	581.	3 dozen Unions, 1 1/4-inch.
207.	3 pounds Tin Straps, 1/4-inch.			452.	6 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1-inch.	582.	6 dozen Unions, 1 1/2-inch.
208.	1/2 dozen 3/8 S. 8-pound Lead Traps, 2-inch.			453.	6 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1 1/4-inch.	583.	2 1/2 dozen Unions, 1 3/4-inch.
209.	1/2 dozen 2-inch full S. 8 pound Lead Traps, 2-inch.			454.	4 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1 1/2-inch.	584.	2 1/2 dozen Unions, 2-inch.
210.	1 dozen 2-inch S Lead Traps.			455.	4 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 2-inch.	585.	1 dozen Brass Unions, ground, 3/4-inch.
211.	2 dozen 2-inch 3/8 S Lead Traps.			456.	1 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 2 1/2-inch.	586.	1 dozen Brass Unions, ground, 1/2-inch.
212.	1 dozen 2-inch 1/2 S Lead Traps.			457.	1 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 3-inch.	587.	1 dozen Brass Unions, ground, 1/2-inch.
213.	1 set Taps and Dies, Standard Bolt Thread, 3/8-inch to 1 1/2-inch.			458.	1/2 dozen Short Nipples, 2-inch.	588.	3 dozen Black Iron Unions, 3/4-inch.
214.	2 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1-inch.			459.	1 dozen 3-inch Long Nipples, 3/4-inch.	589.	3 dozen Black Iron Unions, 1-inch.
215.	2 Lip Urinals, 15 by 18 inches.			460.	1 dozen 3-inch Long Nipples, 1/2-inch.	590.	3 dozen Black Iron Unions, 1 1/4-inch.
216.	1 box Fibre Washers, 3/4-inch.			461.	1 dozen 3-inch Long Nipples, 1/2-inch.	591.	2 dozen Black Iron Unions, 1 1/2-inch.
217.	1 box Fibre Washers, 1/2-inch.			462.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 1/2-inch.	592.	2 dozen Black Iron Unions, 2-inch.
218.	1 box Fibre Washers, 3/4-inch.			463.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 1/2-inch.	593.	5 dozen Galvanized Unions, 3/4-inch.
219.	3 gross Ball Washers, for Fuller Cocks, 3/4-inch.			464.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 1-inch.	594.	5 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1/2-inch.
220.	3 gross Ball Washers, for Fuller Cocks, 3/4-inch.			465.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 1 1/4-inch.	595.	5 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1-inch.
221.	2 boxes Boss Washers, 3/4-inch.			466.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 1 1/2-inch.	596.	5 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1 1/2-inch.
222.	2 boxes Boss Washers, 1/2-inch.			467.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 2-inch.	597.	3 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1-inch.
223.	1 box Boss Washers, 3/4-inch.			468.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 2 1/2-inch.	598.	3 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1 1/4-inch.
224.	2 gross Compression Washers, as per sample.			469.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 3-inch.	599.	3 dozen Galvanized Unions, 1 1/2-inch.
225.	1 gross Composition Compress Washers, 3/4-inch.			470.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 3 1/2-inch.	600.	2 dozen Galvanized Unions, 2-inch.
226.	6 Y Branches, cast-iron, extra heavy, 2-inch.			471.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 4-inch.	601.	3 dozen Flange Unions, 2-inch, as per sample.
227.	6 Y Branches, cast-iron, extra heavy, 4-inch.			472.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 4 1/2-inch.	602.	1 1/2 dozen Flange Unions, 2 1/2-inch, as per sample.
228.	6 Y Branches, cast-iron, extra heavy, 4-inch by 2-inch.			473.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 5-inch.	603.	1 dozen Ys, 2 1/2 by 2-inch, cast-iron.
229.	4 Y Branches, cast-iron, extra-heavy, 5-inch by 4-inch.			474.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 5 1/2-inch.	604.	1/2 dozen Ys, 5-inch run by 4-inch outlet, cast-iron.
230.	6 Y Branches, for cast-iron soil pipe, 4-inch.			475.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 6-inch.	605.	4 Cast-iron Crosses, 1 1/4-inch for Steam.
231.	6 Y Branches, for cast-iron soil pipe, 3-inch by 2-inch.			476.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 6 1/2-inch.	606.	4 Cast-iron Crosses, 1-inch for Steam.
232.	1 Primo, improved, with No. 2 Perfecto seat and cover (cherry, oak, ash or black walnut), No. 32, Design L; cistern with nickel-plated brass brackets; No. 2 nickel-plated brass flush-pipe; nickel-plated chain; hardwood pull and brass floor flange. One 27 inches by 27 inches marble floor slab.			477.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 7-inch.	607.	2 Radiators, 30 Sec., 38 inches high, as per cut shown.
233.	3 Porcelain lined Washtrubs, 8 feet long.			478.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 7 1/2-inch.		
234.	4 Marble Wash Basins, 16-inch, Com. overflow.			479.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 8-inch.		
235.	2 Wash Basins, patent overflow.			480.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 8 1/2-inch.		
236.	1 dozen Wash Basins, patent overflow, 18 by 15.			481.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 9-inch.		
237.	1 Water Closet Range (J. L. Mott's) and Automatic Cistern complete; 3 seats, 6 feet 9 inches over all; outlet 4 inches.			482.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 9 1/2-inch.		
CLASS No. 4—RUBBER GOODS, PACKINGS AND BELTINGS.				483.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 10-inch.		
Bidders to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.				484.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 10 1/2-inch.		
238.	70 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 1 1/2-inch, as per sample.			485.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 11-inch.		
239.	70 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 1 1/2-inch, as per sample.			486.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 11 1/2-inch.		
240.	116 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 2-inch, as per sample.			487.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 12-inch.		
241.	270 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 3-inch, as per sample.			488.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 12 1/2-inch.		
242.	32 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 5-inch, as per sample.			489.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 13-inch.		
243.	32 feet White Oak Tan Double Leather Belting, 6-inch, as per sample.			490.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 13 1/2-inch.		
244.	50 feet Copper Riveted Leather Belting, 3-inch, as per sample.			491.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 14-inch.		
245.	75 feet Copper Riveted Leather Belting, 4-inch, as per sample.			492.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 14 1/2-inch.		
246.	25 feet Single Belt, 1 1/2-inch, as per sample.			493.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 15-inch.		
247.	100 feet Single Belt, 1 1/2-inch, as per sample.			494.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 15 1/2-inch.		
248.	100 feet Single Belt, 2-inch, as per sample.			495.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 16-inch.		
249.	60 feet Single Belt, 3 1/2-inch, as per sample.			496.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 16 1/2-inch.		
250.	40 feet Single Belt, 4-inch.			497.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 17-inch.		
251.	1 gross Belt Laces, 3/4-inch.			498.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 17 1/2-inch.		
252.	1 gross Belt Laces, 1/2-inch.			499.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 18-inch.		
253.	1 gross Belt Laces, 3/4-inch.			500.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 18 1/2-inch.		
254.	800 feet Belt Lacing, 1/2-inch.			501.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 19-inch.		
255.	2 dozen Hand-hole Gaskets, 5-inch by 4 1/2-inch, as per sample.			502.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 19 1/2-inch.		
256.	3 dozen Hand-hole Gaskets, 5 1/4-inch by 3 3/4-inch, as per sample.			503.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 20-inch.		
257.	1 1/2 dozen Manhole Gaskets, 15-inch by 10 1/2-inch, as per sample.			504.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 20 1/2-inch.		
258.	1 dozen Manhole Gaskets, 15-inch by 11-inch, as per sample.			505.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 21-inch.		
259.	4 lengths Hose, with couplings, 1-inch (50 foot lengths), as per sample.			506.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 21 1/2-inch.		
260.	2 lengths Hose, with couplings, 3 1/2-inch (50 foot lengths), as per sample.			507.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 22-inch.		
261.	1 dozen Gas Hose, 4 feet long.			508.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 22 1/2-inch.		
262.	1 dozen Gas Hose, 6 feet long.			509.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 23-inch.		
263.	50 feet Steam Hose, 1-inch, as per sample.			510.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 23 1/2-inch.		
264.	100 feet Rubber Hose (3-ply), 3/4-inch.			511.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 24-inch.		
265.	50 feet Wire Wound Hose, 3/4-inch.			512.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 24 1/2-inch.		
265A.	24 feet Tubular Gasket Material, 3/4-inch.			513.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 25-inch.		
266.	20 pounds Eclipse Gasket Packing, 3/4-inch.			514.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 25 1/2-inch.		
267.	20 pounds Eclipse Gasket Packing, 3/4-inch.			515.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 26-inch.		
268.	20 pounds Spiral Packing, 3/4-inch (sample).			516.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 26 1/2-inch.		
269.	20 pounds Spiral Packing, 3/4-inch (sample).			517.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 27-inch.		
270.	20 pounds Spiral Packing, 3/4-inch (sample).			518.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 27 1/2-inch.		
271.	20 pounds Spiral Packing, 3/4-inch (sample).			519.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 28-inch.		
272.	20 pounds Spiral Packing, 3/4-inch (sample).			520.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 28 1/2-inch.		
273.	50 pounds Cotton Fabric Square Packing, 3/4-inch.			521.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 29-inch.		
274.	5 pounds Square Flax Packing, 3/4-inch.			522.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 29 1/2-inch.		
275.	10 pounds Peerless Piston Rod Packing, 3/4-inch.			523.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 30-inch.		
276.	10 pounds Peerless Piston Rod Packing, 3/4-inch.			524.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 30 1/2-inch.		
277.	1 piece 4-ply Sheet Packing, 3/4-inch thick, 3 feet wide, 6 feet long.			525.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 31-inch.		
278.	20 pounds Eureka Packing, 3/4-inch.			526.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 31 1/2-inch.		
279.	15 pounds Flax Packing, 3/4-inch.			527.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 32-inch.		
280.	10 pounds Flax Packing, 3/4-inch.			528.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 32 1/2-inch.		
281.	10 pounds Flax Packing, 3/4-inch.			529.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 33-inch.		
282.	16 feet Square Tucks Packing, 1 1/4-inch.			530.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 33 1/2-inch.		
283.	10 pounds Canvas Packing for Pumps, 5-16 inch.			531.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 34-inch.		
284.	80 pounds Canvas Packing for Pumps, 3/4-inch.			532.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 34 1/2-inch.		
285.	24 pounds 2-ply Rubber Packing.			533.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 35-inch.		
286.	1 piece 3-ply Rubber Packing, 3/4-inch thick, 30 inches by 36 inches.			534.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 35 1/2-inch.		
				535.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 36-inch.		
				536.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 36 1/2-inch.		
				537.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 37-inch.		
				538.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 37 1/2-inch.		
				539.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 38-inch.		
				540.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 38 1/2-inch.		
				541.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 39-inch.		
				542.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 39 1/2-inch.		
				543.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 40-inch.		
				544.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 40 1/2-inch.		
				545.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 41-inch.		
				546.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 41 1/2-inch.		
				547.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 42-inch.		
				548.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L. Nipples, 42 1/2-inch.		
				549.	3 dozen 3-inch Long Galvanized R. & L		

670. 3 dozen Machinist's Hammer Shafts.
 671. 2 Machinist Hand Hammers, 1½ pounds.
 672. 1 dozen Machinist's Hammer Handles.
 673. 1 dozen File Handles, with iron ferrules.
 674. 1 Hack Saw, with 12 blades, 12 inches.
 675. 1 Adjustable Hack Saw and 1 box of blades for same.
 676. 4 Jaws for 24-inch Stillson Wrench.
 677. 1 Pint Lubricator, rural sight feed.
 678. 1 Richardson's Iron Level, double plumb.
 679. 1 Alcohol Blow Lamp, 4-inch by 6-inch.
 680. 1 dozen Hand Lamps, as per sample.
 681. 1 set Nipple Chucks for Armstrong's No. 1½ Hand and Power Pipe Threading Machine.
 682. 4 Nuts for 24-inch Stillson Wrench.
 683. 1 No. 2 Oiling Set.
 684. 1 Blind Oil Cups for Pumps.
 685. 1 pair Gas-pliers, 8-inch.
 686. 1 pair Gas-pliers, 10-inch.
 687. 1 pair Gas Burner Pliers, No. 5.
 688. 1 Packing Hooks.
 689. 1 Belt Punch.
 690. 1 Reamer, ¼-inch.
 691. 1 dozen Squirrels Cans, ½ pint.
 692. 4 Spanners for Packing Glands for Blake Pump, 6 by 4 by 6.
 693. 5 dozen Springs for Blake Pump, as per sample.
 694. 2 Tube Scrapers, 3-inch.
 695. 1 King Blue Scraper, 3-inch.
 696. 1 King Blue Scraper, 4-inch.
 697. 1 set, complete, Armstrong's Stock and Dies, No. 2, R. & L.
 698. 1 Screw Plate, 1-16 to ¼-inch, and 1 set taps for same.
 699. 1 Screw driver, 10-inch.
 700. 1 Injector Tube, No. 9½, Metropolitan.
 701. 1 Tape Measure, 75 feet.
 702. 1 Top for Mason Reducing Valve, as shown.
 703. 1 set Twist Drills, from ½-inch to ¾-inch.
 704. 1 Tinsmith's Snips, 4-inch cut.
 705. 1 Pipe Tap, ½-inch.
 706. 1 set Pipe Taps, ½ to 2½-inch.
 707. 2 Hinged Pipe Vises for 2-inch pipe.
 708. 1 Hinged Pipe Vise for 3-inch pipe.
 709. 3 Cross Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 710. 3 Cross Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 711. 1 dozen Check Valves, ½-inch, as per sample.
 712. 1 dozen Check Valves, ¾-inch, as per sample.
 713. 1 dozen Check Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 714. 1 dozen Check Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 715. 1 dozen Check Valves, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 716. 1 dozen Check Valves, 2-inch, as per sample.
 717. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 718. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, with fibre discs, 1-inch, as per sample.
 719. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, with fibre discs, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 720. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, with fibre discs, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 721. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, with fibre discs, 2-inch, as per sample.
 722. 1 Swing Check Valve, screwed, 2-inch, as per sample.
 723. 1 dozen Gate Valves, ¾-inch, as per sample.
 724. ½ dozen Gate Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 725. 1 dozen Gate Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 726. 3½ dozen Gate Valves, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 727. 2 Gate Valves, 2-inch, as per sample.
 728. 1 dozen Gate Valves, 2½-inch, as per sample.
 729. 2 dozen Angle Valves, ¾-inch, as per sample.
 730. 1 dozen Angle Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 731. 1 dozen Angle Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 732. 1 dozen Angle Valves, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 733. 24 Angle Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 734. 12 Angle Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 735. 12 Angle Valves, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 736. 18 Globe Valves, ¾-inch, as per sample.
 737. 60 Globe Valves, ¾-inch, as per sample.
 738. 60 Globe Valves, 1-inch, as per sample.
 739. 40 Globe Valves, 1½-inch, as per sample.
 740. 40 Globe Valves, 1¾-inch, as per sample.
 741. 20 Globe Valves, 2-inch, as per sample.
 742. 20 Globe Valves, 2½-inch, as per sample.
 743. 20 Globe Valves, 2-inch, as per sample.
 744. 3 Globe Valves, 2½-inch, as per sample.
 745. 3 Globe Valves, 3-inch, as per sample.
 746. 3 Globe Valves, 3½-inch, as per sample.
 747. 24 Van Aken Air Valves, ¾-inch.
 748. 5 pounds ½-inch Bolt Washers.
 749. 5 pounds ¾-inch Bolt Washers.
 750. 4 Stillson Wrenches, 6-inch.
 751. 3 Stillson Wrenches, 8-inch.
 752. 5 Pipe Wrenches, 10-inch, as per sample.
 753. 13 Pipe Wrenches, 12-inch, as per sample.
 754. 5 Pipe Wrenches, 24-inch, as per sample.
 755. 2 Pipe Wrenches, 36-inch, as per sample.
 756. 3 Screw Wrenches, 6-inch, equal to Coe's.
 757. 2 Screw Wrenches, 10-inch, equal to Coe's.
 758. 2 Screw Wrenches, 12-inch, equal to Coe's.
 759. 4 Screw Wrenches, 14-inch, equal to Coe's.
 760. 2 Open End "S" wrenches for ½-inch nut.
 761. 3 Automatic Lubricators, as per sample.
 762. MISCELLANEOUS.
 763. 350 pounds Albany Grease, No. 0.
 764. 4 carboys Anhydrous Ammonia, 100 pounds each.
 765. 3 Arch Plates for 72-inch Boiler; 18 inches deep, 2 inches thick.
 766. 1,000 Arch Bricks.
 767. 4 sets Fire Brick for No. 3 D. H. & M. Range.
 768. 12 Patent Sheaves, galvanized-iron, for life-boats, 3½ by 7½-inch.
 769. 3 Patent Sheaves, galvanized-iron for ash tackle, 4-inch by 1-inch.
 769a. 1 Differential Pulley and Chain for Kitchen Use in Bellevue Hospital (Irving Mfg. Tool Co.).
 770. 6 Brass Oar Locks, as per sample.
 771. 1 Base for Hitching's Hot Water Heater No. 2.
 772. 25 pounds Bar Tin.
 772a. 2 Drums Sheet Zinc, No. 9, 7 by 3.
 773. 75 pounds Best Babbitt Metal.
 774. 3 dozen Bolts and Nuts, hex. heads, ¾ by ¾.
 775. 3 dozen Bolts and Nuts, hex. heads, ¾ by ¾.
 776. 3 dozen Bolts and Nuts, hex. heads, ¾ by ¾.
 777. 3 dozen Bolts and Nuts, hex. heads, ¾ by ¾.
 778. 100 Machine Bolts, ½-inch by 2½ inches long.
 779. 100 Machine Bolts, ¾-inch by 2 inches long.
 780. 100 Machine Bolts, ¾-inch by 3 inches long.
 781. 1 package ¼-inch Slothead Stove Bolts, 2 inches long.
 782. 2 Iron Castings for McClave's Argand Steam Blower.
 783. 1 Coal Screen for large coal, 6 feet by 2½ feet.
 784. 2 8-wheel Coal Barrows, as per cut shown.
 785. 8 Iron Wheelbarrows, as per cut shown.
 786. 6 sets Rings and Covers for D. H. & M. Range No. 3.
 787. 6 barrels Shield Cylinder Compound, Wm. P. Miller's, as per sample.
 788. 2 barrels Boiler Compound.
 789. 200 pounds Pulver's Compound, 105 0 and 2, as per sample.
 790. 6 barrels Boiler Compound, as per sample.
 791. 4 dozen Charges for Babcock Fire Extinguisher.
 792. 2 dozen Dietz Tubular Lanterns, No. 17.
 793. 2 dozen Diaphragms for Kiely's 3-inch regulating valve.
 794. 1 set Steel Figures, 3-16 inch.
 795. 70 pounds Graphite, Dixon's.
 796. 10 gallons Graphite Paint, Dixon Graphite Co.

798. 2 Grates, Circular, and Bearing Bars, for J. L. Mott's Improved 1895 Stove.
 799. 79 Grate Bars, Adam's, 3 feet long, for large coal.
 800. 1 set Circular Grate Bars, diameter 3 feet 10 inches.
 800a. 1 set Grate Bars for Richmond Heater, 15½ inches apart and extend well up on sides; 10 to be painted a coat of lead and oil.
 800b. 1 set Grate Bars and Hangers, for R. & B. Furnace, Success No. 38.
 801. 100 pounds Hair Felt.
 802. 200 yards each of Hair Felt, Paper and Canvas.
 803. 4 Light Fire Hoes, 10 feet long.
 804. 6 Bars Iron, 1-inch by ½-inch.
 805. 6 Bars Iron, 1-inch by ½-inch.
 806. 3 Bars Iron, 3-inch by ½-inch.
 807. 2 sheets C. & H. Flat Iron, ½-inch.
 808. 2 sheets C. & H. Flat Iron, 3-16 inch.
 809. 1 set Steel Letters, 3-16 inch.
 810. 2 dozen Lag Screws, ¾-inch by 4-inch.
 811. 2 dozen Lag Screws, ¾-inch by 5-inch.
 812. 1 5-inch Gong and Attachment, with Crank Post, Crank and Pull.
 813. ½ dozen Packing Needles, for R. I. A. & S.
 814. 103 feet Pipe Covering, Sectional, 2-inch Bands and Paste to go with above.
 815. 9 feet Covering, Sectional, 1½-inch Bands and Paste to go with above.
 816. 42 feet Pipe Covering, Sectional, 1-inch Bands and Paste to go with above.
 817. 4 sets Baffle Plates, for Parkhurst D. D. Boilers.
 818. 2 Palms.
 819. 2 Pulleys, 8-inch by 4-inch face bored for 1 7-16 inch shaft with ¾-inch pipe thread oil hole.
 820. 3 Wood Pulleys, to order, as per specification on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 821. 24 Fusible Plugs, 1-inch, to screw from fire side.
 822. 1 pound Copper Rivets, size F.
 823. 1 pound Copper Rivets, size G.
 824. 2 pieces Shafting, 4 feet by 1½-inch.
 825. 1 piece Shafting, 4 feet 1 inch by 1½-inch.
 826. 3 bars Steel, Hexagon Tool, ¾-inch.
 827. 2 bars ¾-inch Tool Steel, 6 feet long.
 828. 24 Iron Washers, ¾-inch.
 829. 24 Iron Washers, ¾-inch.
 830. 2 bars Refined Iron, 1½-inch.
 831. 1 bundle Round Iron, ¾-inch.
 832. 1 bundle Round Iron, ¾-inch.
 833. 6 bars Round Iron, ¾-inch.
 834. 6 bars Round Iron, ¾-inch.
 835. 6 bars Round Iron, ¾-inch.
 836. 3 bars Square Iron, 1-inch by 1-inch.
 837. 3 bars Square Iron, ¾-inch by ¾-inch.
 838. 3 bars Square Iron, ¾-inch by ¾-inch.
 839. CLASS NO. 7—LAUNDRY MACHINERY, SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.
 840. Bidders to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 841. 2 Canvas Aprons, No. 3, for American Mangle, 100 inches wide, 15 feet long, manufactured by American Laundry Machinery Company.
 842. 2 Aprons for Mangles, 24 by 96, J. W. Craw Company.
 843. 2 Aprons for Mangles, 30 by 96, J. W. Craw Company.
 844. 6 feet Sprocket Chain, M. No. 32, American Laundry Machine Company.
 845. 1 Extractor, 26 inches, Shafting Pulleys, Belting, etc., complete, as per cut shown.
 846. 1 Mangle, ironing surface to be not less than 100 inches in width, containing not less than 10,000 square inches of heating surface. Guaranteed to iron dry single thick linen once through, directly from the extractor (the extractor to be run not more than 15 minutes), at the rate of not less than 20 feet per minute, with 60 pounds of steam on the cylinder of mangle. This machine must be fitted with an automatic feed apron and attachment to lower apron away from the drum when not in operation.
 847. 6 Rubber Rings for 26-inch Extractor, Troy Laundry Machine Company.
 848. 1 set Rubber Springs for American Laundry Company Extractor.
 849. 1 set Rubbers for Socket for American Laundry Company Extractor.
 850. 2 Spindles and Pulleys for 26 inch Extractor, American Laundry Company.
 851. 1 complete set of Cast-iron Rollers for Mammoth Mangle, American Laundry Machinery Company Manufacturing; furnish and put in place, and mangle left complete and ready for operation.
 852. 2 complete sets Felt and Canvas Covering for 100 inches Hagen Mangles; applied and mangle left ready for use.
 853. Repair one 26-inch Cambridge Extractor, furnishing the following parts and the necessary labor to place the machine in first class running order: 1 Counter Shaft, complete, including hangers and lag screws; 1 set of Disk Rubbers, 1 Oil Cup, 1 Upper Box, 1 Sliding Disk, 1 Spindle Shaft, 1 Shaft Ball, 1 Shaft Ball Bushing, 1 pair of Idler Pulleys.
 854. CLASS NO. 9.
 855. 1 Metal Ceiling, to be erected in Play-room, Pavilion F, Randall's Island, in accordance with specifications on file in Supervising Engineer's office.
 856. 1 Metal Ceiling, 19 feet 2 inches by 17 feet 5 inches, Sitting-room.
 857. 1 Metal Ceiling, 18 feet 1 inch by 14 feet 5 inches, Dining room.
 858. 1 Metal Ceiling, 22 feet 6 inches by 19 feet, Parlor.
 859. 1 Metal Ceiling, 14 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 11 inches, Staircase.
 860. 1 Metal Ceiling, 11 feet 10 inches by 7 feet 10 inches, Hall—All the above in Superintendent's Cottage, Randall's Island Asylum and Schools, and as per specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 861. Renewal, complete, of Flemming Furnace and installation of same together with 4 retorts and all the special blocks, fire brick, labor and ironwork, erected, ready to make gas in gas-house at Randall's Island.
 862. Repairs Complete to 1 Worthington Duplex Pump, 7½ by 5 by 6.
 863. 1 Whitehall Row-boat, length, 18 feet; beam, 5 feet 3 inches, and about 21 inches inside planking; matched seams, ¾ inch white cedar; keel, flat, 2½ inches by 3 inches, rabbeted to receive whole length of garboard; timbers, 1 inch by ¾-inch, spaced 9 inches; floor timbers, 1 inch by 1½ inches; stern-post and deadwood and stem to be natural growth; top or wearing strake, ¾-inch; gunwale, 2 by 1 inches; 3 thwart, ¾-inch; 2 knees each end; stern sheets, ¾-inch; stern board, ¾-inch, all of white oak; knees of hackmatack; floor boards, pine, ¾ inch, all copper fastened and buried; 4 sets of galvanized iron row-locks with sockets; 4-inch wash board around

stern, from row-lock to row-lock; provide short oak stuff for light; provide heavy galvanized rings and eye-bolts for raising boats on davits; 2 pairs ash oars of suitable length. Risers and footings to be fastened with brass screws, and footings to be spaced 1½ inches apart and extend well up on sides; boat to be painted a coat of lead and oil.
 856. Furnish labor and material necessary for alteration and addition to Coal Hoisting Apparatus at Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, as per plans and specifications on file in Supervising Engineer's office.
 857. Repairs to Hot Water Tanks, as per specifications on file in Supervising Engineer's office.
 858. Repairs to Subway, as per specifications on file in Supervising Engineer's office.
 859. Furnish and set up complete and ready for operation at Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, 2 Damper Regulators, as per cuts shown, and in accordance with specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 860. 1 Water Sterilizer, with Duplex Heater and Champion Filter, equal in every respect to that shown as No. 1, Class B, Kny-Scheerer catalogue, 15-gallon capacity. This apparatus to be connected with water supply, gas and drain complete in every respect. In operating-room at Fordham Hospital.
 861. 1 Irrigator Stand, with two 3-gallon glass-stopped irrigator bottles, each separately adjustable in height, with rack between standard for holding an agate basin, with capacity of 4 quarts. The apparatus to be provided with hose and furnished complete; equal in every respect to Figure 16940, Kny-Scheerer catalogue.
 862. 1 6 by 4 by 6 Duplex Pump, equal in manufacture to Worthington, Blake or Snow, with composition rods and brass fitted, complete in all respects, ready for operation, delivered at Twenty-sixth street dock.
 863. Covering on Vertical Boiler, Tank, Steam Pipe, etc., at Laundry, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, as per specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 864. Repair and Paint the Entire Roof of City Hospital Building, Blackwell's Island, in accordance with specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 865. Repair and Paint Roof of Building at No. 66 Third avenue, as per specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 866. Furnish and Erect at Bellevue Hospital a Smoke and Ventilating Pipe Connected with Range in Doctor's Kitchen. Same to be constructed and erected as per specification on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 867. Tinning and Repairing 10 Steam Jacket Boilers, in Main Kitchen, Bellevue Hospital.
 868. Tinning and Repairing 7 Baskets, in Main Kitchen, Bellevue Hospital.
 869. Furnish Labor and Material Necessary to Erect 1 Water-closet, Complete, for Corporation Kitchen, City Hospital, in accordance with specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 870. Furnish and Set Up Ready for Use in New Kitchen of Almshouse, 7 Soup Boilers and 2 Coffee Urns. These to be the same style, quality and capacity as those already in use. Supply Gauge Glasses for the Coffee Urns at present in use. All the above as per specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 871. 1 Sprague Hot Air Apparatus (Body).
 872. 1 Sprague Hot Air Apparatus (Leg and Arm).
 873. Furnish Labor and Material Necessary to Provide Additional and Set Old Fixtures in Bath-room of Fordham Hospital, as per specifications on file in Supervising Engineer's office.
 874. Furnish New Set of Grate Bars and Necessary Labor and Material for Complete Repairs to Furnace Brickwork, etc., on steamer "Fidelity" in accordance with specifications on file in office of Supervising Engineer.
 No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors, except such as are designated in the specifications.
 The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Engineers' and Miscellaneous Supplies and Repairs," with his or their name or names and address and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.
 THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OF ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.
 No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.
 The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
 Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Commissioners.
 Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (\$50) per cent. of the bid for each article.
 Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.
 Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corpo-

ration may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.
 No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. (No deposit or bonds required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.) Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and 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 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 must state the price of each article per lot by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class.
 All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.
 Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.
 All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department and not on samples furnished by the bidder.
 Samples will be on exhibition at the office of Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, until the bids are opened.
 The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.
 JOHN W. KELLER, President,
 ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
 JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
 Department of Public Charities.
 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, 1900.
 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, 1900.
 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 and 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 of 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,
 ARTHUR C. SALMON,
 FERDINAND LEVY,
 Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.
 OFFICIAL PAPERS.
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 graph."
 Evening—"Daily News," "Commercial Advertiser."
 Weekly—"Weekly Union."
 Semi-weekly—"Harlem Local Reporter."
 German—"Morgen Journal."
 WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
 Supervisor, City Record.
 SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 6175, No. 1. Receiving basins at the southwest corner of First avenue and Fifty-fifth street; northeast and southeast corners of First avenue and Fifty-sixth street, and northeast and southeast corners of First avenue and Fifty-seventh street.

List 6178, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the northeast corner of Nostrand avenue and Linden Boulevard; northeast corner of Avenue N and Flatbush avenue; northeast and northwest corners of Clarkson avenue and Rogers avenue.

List 6198, No. 3. Flagging Decatur street at the southeast corner of Bushwick avenue.

List 6199, No. 4. Flagging north side of Fifty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; west side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets; south side of Fifty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and east side of Fourth avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets.

List 6211, No. 5. Grading and paving Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenues, with granite-block pavement.

List 6231, No. 6. Sewer in St. Nicholas avenue, between Hart street and Flushing avenue.

List 6232, No. 7. Sewer in West Ninth street, between Columbia and Hicks streets.

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. West side of First avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth streets; east side of First avenue, from Fifty-fifth street to a point distant about 100 feet south of Fifty-seventh street; both sides of Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets, from First to Second avenue and west side of Second avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to a point distant about 100 feet north of Fifty-sixth street.

No. 2. West side of Rogers avenue, from Clarkson avenue to Robinson street; north side of Clarkson avenue and south side of Robinson street, extending about 430 feet west of Rogers avenue; block bounded by Rogers avenue, Nostrand avenue, Clarkson avenue and Robinson street; east side of Nostrand avenue, from Linden Boulevard to Lenox road; north side of Linden Boulevard, extending about 378 feet east of Nostrand avenue; south side of Lenox road, extending about 275 feet east of Nostrand avenue, and block bounded by Troy avenue, Forty-fifth street, Avenue M and Avenue N.

No. 3. South side of Decatur street, extending about 100 feet east of Bushwick avenue, and east side of Bushwick avenue, extending about 110 feet south of Decatur street.

No. 4. South side of Fifty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 180, lot numbers 23 and 29 to 33 inclusive.

No. 5. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of St. Nicholas avenue, from Hart street to Flushing avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of West Ninth street, from Columbia to Hicks street.

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 10, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 10, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements will give a hearing at its office, as above, on Wednesday, March 21, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the petition of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan, for the purchase of the Jumel Mansion and grounds, by The City of New York, for a Public Park and Museum.

Dated, New York, March 9, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, 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 on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed closing and discontinuing 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 28th day of February, 1900, 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 closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

First Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Third avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 84.56 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street; 1st. Thence for 33.16 feet southerly along the western line of Third avenue.

2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes to seconds to the right for 703.34 feet to the eastern line of Second avenue.

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.

4th. Thence easterly for 703.34 feet to the point of beginning.

Second Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of second avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 8.28 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.

2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35

minutes to seconds to the right for 425.65 feet to the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

3d. Thence easterly for 339.01 feet along the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

4th. Thence easterly for 85.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Third Parcel.

Beginning at a point where the eastern line of First avenue intersects the northern line of Seventy-ninth street, as the same are laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht;

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of First avenue for 0.19 feet.

2d. Thence easterly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes to seconds to the right for 1.93 feet to the northern line of Seventy-ninth street.

3d. Thence westerly for 1.92 feet along the northern line of Seventy-ninth street to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named lane, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed closing and discontinuing of the above-named lane 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 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines 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, on the 21st day of March, 1900, 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 28th day of February, 1900, 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 not 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 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of 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 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Burnside avenue, between Valentine avenue and Ryer 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, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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

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

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Kingsbridge road, between Decatur avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, and of Fordham road, from Kingsbridge road to Valentine 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 on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, 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 grade of Kingsbridge road, between Decatur avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, and of Fordham road, from Kingsbridge road to Valentine avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A." Kingsbridge Road.

1st. Beginning at the intersection of the western curb of Decatur avenue and the northern curb of Kingsbridge road, elevation of the established grade 67.5 feet above high-water datum, as heretofore.

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the eastern curb of Marion avenue and the northern curb of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 83.5 feet above high-water datum.

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the western curb of Marion avenue and southern curb of Kingsbridge road, elevation to be 85.5 feet above high-water datum.

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the eastern curb of Bainbridge avenue and the northern curb of Kingsbridge road, elevation to be 94.5 feet above high-water datum.

5th. Thence 25 feet northerly on the eastern curb of Bainbridge avenue, the elevation to be 95.0 feet above high-water datum.

6th. Thence westerly to the intersection of western curb of Bainbridge avenue and northern curb of Kingsbridge road, elevation to be 95.5 feet above high-water datum.

7th. Thence westerly along a curve on the southern curb of Kingsbridge road to a point opposite the point of tangency of reversed house line curves, the radius of which is 361.45 feet, elevation to be 103.0 feet above high-water datum.

8th. Thence northerly to the intersection of the northern curb of Fordham road and the western curb of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 109.0 feet above high-water datum.

9th. Thence easterly to a point in the eastern curb of Kingsbridge road, distant 80 feet southerly from the tangent point opposite a house-line curve whose radius is 261.45 feet, elevation to be 107.0 feet above high-water datum.

10th. Thence northerly to the intersection of the southern curb of Briggs avenue and the eastern curb of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 115.5 feet above high-water datum.

11th. Thence northeasterly to the intersection of the northwest curbs of Briggs avenue, elevation to be 119.0 feet above high-water datum.

12th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the northern curb of Briggs avenue and the eastern curb of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 121.0 feet above high-water datum.

13th. Thence northerly to the intersection of the southern curb of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and the western curb of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 131.0 feet above high-water datum as heretofore.

"B." Fordham Road.

1st. Beginning at a point on the southern curb of Fordham road, opposite the western tangent point of house-line curve of 60 feet radius, the elevation to be 110.0 feet above high-water datum.

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the eastern curb of Tiebout avenue and the southern curb of Fordham road, the elevation to be 113.5 feet above high-water datum.

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of the western curb of Tiebout avenue and the southern curb of Fordham road, the elevation to be 113.0 feet above high-water datum.

4th. Thence westerly to angle point in the northern curb of Fordham road, elevation to be 115.0 feet above high-water datum.

5th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the eastern curb of Valentine avenue and the northern curb of Fordham road, elevation to be 128.0 feet above high-water datum as heretofore.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above named streets at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of March, 1900.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, 175 feet northerly of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, 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 on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extending will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, 175 feet northerly of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. Beginning at a point in eastern line of Brook avenue distant 175 feet northerly from the intersection of the eastern line of Brook avenue and the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

2. Thence northerly along the eastern side line of Brook avenue for 60 feet.

3. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 524.5 feet to the western side line of St. Ann's avenue.

4. Thence southerly on the western side line of St. Ann's avenue for 60.0 feet.

5. Thence westerly for 524.5 feet to the point of beginning.

6. Said street to be 60 feet wide.

Grades.

7. There is no change of grade on Brook avenue or St. Ann's avenue.

8. At the intersection of northern side line of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and the western property line of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, the elevation to be 27 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and extending of the above-named street, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out and extending 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 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Edgecombe road, between East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and the first angle northerly thereof, and the road connecting Woodlawn Station of the New York and Harlem Railroad with Webster avenue, in the Borough of The

hattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, 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 grade of Edgecombe road, between East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the centre line of Edgecombe road, elevation 109.07 feet; thence northerly and along the centre line of Edgecombe road, distance 386.34 feet, elevation 127 feet; thence still along said centre line, distance 675.56 feet to the centre line of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, elevation 137.50 feet.

All elevations above City Datum Line.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named 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 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Jacobus place, from Terrace view avenue to Van Corlear place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, 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 grade of Jacobus place, from Terrace View avenue to Van Corlear place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre line of Van Corlear place, elevation 86 feet above City Datum, thence southerly along the centre line of Jacobus place, distance 326.47 feet, to the centre line of Terrace View avenue, elevation 62 feet.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named 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 21st day of March, 1900.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending Silliman place, from Second avenue to Third avenue, 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 on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying-out and extending will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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

Beginning at a point in the western line of Third avenue distant 236.36 feet from the intersection of the western line of Third avenue with the southern line of Bay Ridge avenue as the same are laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the town of New Utrecht, filed in the office of the Register of the County, June 17, 1874.

1st. Thence westerly and deflecting 83 degrees 0 minutes 9 seconds to the right from the prolongation of the western line of Third avenue for 705.25 feet to the eastern line of Second avenue.

2d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Second avenue for 60.45 feet.

3d. Thence easterly deflecting 96 degrees 59 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 633.37 feet.

4th. Thence easterly deflecting 20 degrees 39 minutes 21 seconds to the left for 73.42 feet to the western line of Third avenue.

5th. Thence northerly for 86.52 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and extending of the above-named place, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying

Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 18th day of February, 1900, 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 grade of Webster avenue, between East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and the first angle northerly thereof and the road connecting Woodlawn Station of the New York and Harlem Railroad with Webster avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the first angle point in the western curb-line of Webster avenue northerly of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, elevation of established grade 79.0 feet above high-water datum; thence southerly along the western curb-line of Webster avenue to a point 100 feet therefrom, elevation 78.5 feet above high-water datum; thence southerly to a point on western curb-line of Webster avenue, being opposite a point in the eastern curb-line of Webster avenue which is 50 feet northerly of the centre of the house-line curve of 17.5 feet radius, elevation to be 82.75 feet above high-water datum; thence easterly to a point in the eastern curb-line of Webster avenue, 50 feet northerly of the centre of the house-line curve of 17.5 feet radius, elevation to be 82 feet above high-water datum; thence to a point in the western curb-line of the road running along the New York and Harlem Railroad property, being the tangent point of the house-line curve of 17.5 feet radius, to be 77.0 feet above high-water datum; thence southerly to intersection of the westerly and southerly curb-lines of the road running along the New York and Harlem Railroad property, to be 73.75 feet above high-water datum; thence northerly along the western property-line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the intersection of the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad property with the northerly curb-line of the road connecting lower road along the New York and Harlem Railroad property with Webster avenue, elevation to be 76 feet above high-water datum; thence along the northerly and easterly curb-line of said road to the tangent point opposite the curve, whose radius is 70.7 feet, elevation to be 73 feet above high-water datum.

All elevations to be above high-water datum as established and in use in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 12 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Webster avenue to the easterly property line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, 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, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 28th day of February, 1900, 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 grade of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Webster avenue to the easterly property line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly curb-line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street where the same is intersected by the northern prolongation of the eastern curb-line of Webster avenue, the elevation of established grade to be 91.5 feet above high-water datum as in use in the Borough of The Bronx; thence easterly along the centre line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, elevation to be 92.5 feet above high water, thence easterly to the eastern property line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, elevation to be 93 feet above high-water datum.

All elevations to be above the high-water datum as established for the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named street, at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named 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 21st day of March, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 12 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the line of Marcher avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, 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, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of line 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 28th day of February, 1900, 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 line of Marcher avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Marcher avenue distant 209.99 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Marcher avenue with the southern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Marcher avenue for 216.65 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (Birch street).

2d. Thence westerly along said northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street for 118.12 feet.

3d. Thence easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of fifty feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 44.35 feet.

4th. Thence northeasterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 239.78 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of line of the above-named street, at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of line of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of March, 1900.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
New York, March 9, 1900.

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 Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1900

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1612, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above-mentioned.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, BUILDING FENCES, AND CONSTRUCTING APPROACHES IN HUGHES AVENUE, from Tremont avenue to lands of Fordham College.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, AND BUILDING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Webster to Third avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, PLACING FENCES, AND LAYING TELFORD MACADAM PAVEMENT AND PLANTING TREES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Jerome to Tremont avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN CAMBRELL AVENUE, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to St. John's College.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, CONSTRUCTING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN ROSE STREET, FROM BERGEN TO BROOK AVENUE.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN ST. PAUL'S PLACE, FROM FULTON TO WEBSTER AVENUE.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Arthur avenue to Southern Boulevard.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, CONSTRUCTING APPROACHES, BUILDING FENCES AND PAVING GUTTERS IN TOPPING AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to the entrance of Claremont Park.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSEWALKS, BUILDING FENCES, PLANTING TREES IN AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF GUN HILL ROAD (Olin avenue), from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river.

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 bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS 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. 1636, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 23, 1900.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1900, AT 11 A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, auctioneer, buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of:
Ritter place, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue;
One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, from Bronx river to Third avenue;
One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road;
Prospect avenue, from Crotona Park, North, to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street;
One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue; and
Creston avenue, from Tremont avenue to Minerva place;
—all in the

Borough of The Bronx.

The sale will begin with Lot No. 1 on the catalogue, in Ritter place, between Union avenue and Prospect avenue.

For full particulars and descriptions of the buildings, sheds, etc., to be sold, intending purchasers are referred to the catalogue of sale, which may be obtained on application to the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx.

CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The buildings and parts of buildings, fences, etc., described in the catalogue, and now standing on lands acquired by the City, will be sold at public auction on the ground, commencing at 11 A. M. on the date mentioned.

The sale is on the condition that the buildings, fences, etc., sold shall be removed by the purchasers within thirty days from the date of sale; for a failure to do so, the purchase money may be forfeited, and the Commissioner at the expiration of that time may enter and remove the buildings and structures or cause a resale thereof. Purchasers to be liable for any or all damage of any kind whatsoever by reason of the occupancy or removal of said buildings, etc.

Purchase money must be paid in bankable funds, at the time of the sale.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, March 5, 1900.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1900,

at 11 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 gallons Fluid Extract Ipecac, S. & D's assayed (1/4 per cent. emetine) in 1 gallon original bottles.
- 100 ounces Cocaine Hydrochlorate, cryst. U. S. P. in 1/2-ounce vials.
- 100 ounces Codeine, cryst. U. S. P. in 1/2-ounce vials.
- 300 pounds Iodoform, powd., U. S. P., in 1 pound bottles.
- 100 ounces Urotropin, in 1 ounce original vials.
- 10 barrels Cod Liver Oil, pure, non-freezing, Lofodene, in original 30 gallon barrels, directly out of bond.

All quantities to be more or less.
To be delivered in installments, as required, during 1900.

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.
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 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the supplies 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 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 Dr. Charles Rice, Chemist, Bellevue Hospital, 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 3, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1900.

All goods to be delivered at once to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

- REQUISITION No. 13.
- 12 each 1/2-inch, 3/4-inch, 1-inch, 1 1/2-inch Long Nipples, length 3 inches.
 - 12 each 3/4-inch, 1-inch Long Nipples, length 3 1/2 inches.
 - 12 each 1 1/2-inch, 1 3/4-inch, 2-inch Long Nipples, length 4 inches.
 - 12 each 1 3/4-inch, 2-inch, 2 1/2-inch Long Nipples, right and left, length 3 inches.
 - 12 each 3/4-inch, 1-inch Long Nipples, right and left, length 3 1/2 inches.
 - 12 each 1 1/2-inch, 1 3/4-inch Long Nipples, right and left, length 4 inches.
 - 12 2-inch Long Nipples, right and left, length 4 1/2 inches.
 - 12 each 1/2-inch, 3/4-inch Close Nipples, length 3/4-inch.
 - 12 3/4-inch Close Nipples, length 1 inch.
 - 12 1/2-inch Close Nipples, length 1 1/2-inch.
 - 12 3/4-inch Close Nipples, length 1 3/4-inch.
 - 12 1-inch Close Nipples, length 1 1/2-inch.
 - 12 1 1/4-inch Close Nipples, length 1 3/4-inch.
 - 12 1 1/2-inch Close Nipples, length 1 3/4-inch.
 - 12 2-inch Close Nipples, length 2 inches.
 - 12 each 3/4-inch, 1-inch, 1 1/4-inch, 1 1/2-inch, 1 3/4-inch, 2-inch Short Nipples, length 2 inches.
 - 12 each 1 1/4-inch, 1 1/2-inch, 2-inch Short Nipples, length 2 1/2 inches.
- REQUISITION No. 15.
- 1 Ten Ton Platform Scale. Foundation to be furnished by the Department.
- REQUISITION No. 17.
- 2 Sinks, one each for long term and short term prison, respectively.

Specifications, etc.

Material to be of best quality slate, 1 1/2 inches thick. Length, 54 feet 13 inches wide at bottom and 15 inches wide at top, depth 6 inches and back to be 2 feet high from the line of front of tray.

To rest on 11 pairs of nickel-plated legs, the bottom at high end to be 2 feet 3 inches from floor with 3 inches pitch to outlet, as shown below. The supply pipe to be 2-inch nickel plated, to run the entire 54 feet

length and to have 15 faucets equally divided in same, the two trays to be alike in every way, right and left, as per details, and all work to be done in the very best manner and placed where shown by inspector and to the satisfaction of said inspector and without delay, as per drawings.

REQUISITION No. 19.

21. 100 Lights Window Glass, 16 by 27, double thickness.
22. 26 26-pound Sash Weights, not over 2 1/2 inches diameter.
23. 1,200 feet Solid Braided White Cotton Sash Cord No. 12.
24. 2 dozen Russell & Erwin's 2 1/2-inch Anti-Friction Axle Pulleys No. 32a.
25. 1 dozen 12-inch Flat Files for saws.

REQUISITION No. 39.

26. 200 feet best quality 2-inch Leather Belting.
27. 4 Scott & Williams' No. 3 1/2 Automatic Seamless Knitting Machines.
28. 4 Extra Cylinder Machines to have extra attachments and put up, with instructions complete.
29. 1 Hosiery Loper, Scott & Williams.
30. 5,000 Scott & Williams, 6 by 36 Needles.
31. 25 feet 1 and 1-16 Stamping, 5 Hangers, 7 Pulleys about 10 inches by 5 inches.

REQUISITION No. 42.

50. 2,000 pounds Yarn, Jaeger's Corded Peeler, size and color as per sample.
51. 3,000 X Long 24 Gauge S. & W. Needles.
52. 1,500 pounds American Hemp Twine, best quality, to test 275 pounds, No. 48, 430 feet to pound, waxed and wound tight, as sample.
53. 10,000 pounds Split Hickory, straight grain, second-year growth, size and quality to be delivered as called for.
54. 50,000 pounds African Bass, light, stiff and dry.
55. 3,000 pounds 3/4 by 3-16 Rivets.
56. 300 pounds Washers, 3-16.
57. 10,000 pounds Rattan, best quality.
58. 600 pounds Wire Nails, cement coated, 1-inch.
59. 1,000 gross 1 by 12 Round Head Blue Screws.
60. 3 barrels Lamp Black.
61. 10,000 pieces Soft Steel, 18 gauge, 23 inches long by 2 1/4 inches wide.
62. 50 dozen 18-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles, holes bored.
63. 100 dozen 16-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles, holes bored.
64. 100 dozen 14-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles, holes bored.
65. 60 dozen 12-inch Floor Broom Blocks and Handles, holes bored.
66. 5 barrels Brushmakers' Pitch.
67. 100 pounds Live Black Horse Tail Hair, 6 to 6 1/2 inches.
68. 600 Sash Tool Handles and Ferrules.
69. 50 dozen Counter Duster Blocks, holes bored, Boston pattern.
70. 25 pounds White Bristles, 3/4 Boiled Stiff.
71. 200 pounds Broom Wire, Plated.
72. 50 gross Broom Caps.
73. 50 pounds American Flax.
74. 25 gross Whisk Broom Tops, Velvet.

Repairs.

74. 1 dozen Maydolis A. E. Hammers, No. 1 1/2.
75. 1 Automatic Sight Feed Lubricator, Detroit Manufacturing Company, Improved Standard, 1 pint size, brass finish.
76. 1 Drilling Hammer, 8 pounds, Atha Tool Company.
77. 1 Combination Square, L. S. Starrett, No. 11.
78. 1 Adjustable Plumb Bob, Russell & Erwin.
79. 1 dozen Draper's Patent Oilers, No. 14, 9-inch spout.
80. 3 dozen Morse Twist Drills, 1 dozen each 1-16, 5-16, 9-16.
81. 1 each 13-16 by 15-16 Morse Twist Drills, taper shank.
82. 4 dozen 4-square 1/4 by 8-inch Files.
83. 6 feet Die Steel, 4 by 3/4.
84. 25 feet Die Steel, round 7-16.
85. 1 foot Die Steel, round 1/2.
86. 25 feet Die Steel, round 9-16.
87. 1 foot Round Brass, 1 1/2.
88. 1 set Stock and Dies, 1/4 by 1/2 by 1-16-inch, U. S. Standard.

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

Samples on exhibition only at the Kings County Penitentiary.

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

Bidders are requested to foot up their bids.

Awards will be made on the lowest items.

Goods will be received in one delivery.

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

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or estimate for Materials for the Manufacturing Bureau, for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or 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 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or John M. Gray, Deputy Commissioner, Room 22, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX,
February 27, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900.

All goods to be delivered at once on Dock foot of East Twenty-sixth street for Blackwell's Island storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

REQUISITION No. 3, MARCH, 1900.

Central Office Stable.

12. 2 cans Ruddy Harvester Carriage Oil.
17. 2 3/4-pound Butcher's Cleavers (Foster's).
18. 10 reams Butcher's Straw Paper, 15 by 20.

Blackwell's Island Stables.

21. 1 gallon Can Hoof Oil.
22. 1 gallon Can Harness Oil.

Penitentiary.

27. 2 Drawing Knives, as per diagram.
28. 1 Iron Spoke Shaves for Buckets.
29. 1 dozen Closet Locks.
30. 1/2 dozen Oil Stones.
31. 10 pounds Lump Sal Ammoniac.
32. 1 sheet Plainish Copper No. 22, 2 feet by 5 feet.
33. 2 sheets Plain Tinned Copper No. 20, 2 feet by 5 feet.
34. 10 pounds Block Tin.
35. 1 Hand Plunger (force cup).
36. 1/2 dozen each Rivet Sets, Nos. 1 and 2.
37. 1 dozen Wheels for Trumo Pipe Cutter, No. 2.
38. 5 gallons Drilling Oil.
39. 1 dozen 8-inch Taper Key Files.
40. 1 dozen 8-inch Half-Round Bastard Files.
41. 1 dozen 14-inch Round Files.
42. 4 lengths 2 1/4-inch by 3/4-inch Tire Iron.
43. 4 lengths 2-inch by 3/4-inch Tire Iron.
44. 6 lengths 2-inch by 3/4-inch Tire Iron.
45. 1 dozen 3/4-inch Flat Camel's Hair Brushes.
46. 1 dozen Camel's Hair Pencils, assorted.
47. 1 dozen Fine Camel's Hair Strippers.
48. 1/2 dozen 7 1/2-inch Compasses, with Pencil attached.
49. 6 Carpenter's Spoke Shaves, 3 1/2-inch Blade.
50. 6 gross Lamp Wick, as sample.
51. 2 boxes Glass, 16 inches by 20 inches, double thick.
52. 1 box Glass, 20 inches by 30 inches, double thick.

Workhouse.

61. 1/2 dozen Miller's Lamp Chimneys, No. 2.
62. 1 dozen pair 2-inch Lamp Flaps.
63. 100 Stove Bolts, 1 1/4-inch by 1/4-inch.
64. 1 barrel Raw Linseed Oil.
65. 3 gallons Damar Varnish.
66. 3 bundles Fine Chair Cane.
67. 1 Meat Chopper, No. 32, Enterprise Mfg. Co., Philadelphia, Pa.
68. 50 pieces 1-inch Mer. White Pine, 12-inch by 16 feet.

City Prison.

80. 1 dozen 12-inch Brackets.
81. No. 10 Ivy Stove, Mott's Patent.
82. 2 dozen 3/4-inch Gauge Glass Washers, "Gilroy."
83. 2 dozen 1/2-inch Gauge Glass Washers, "Gilroy."
84. 1 only 14-inch Stilson Wrench, with wood handle, "Gilroy."
85. 2 only Fine Safe Edge Files, "Gilroy."
86. 2 only Fine Half-Round Files, "Gilroy."
87. 1 set 3/4-inch Packing Hooks, with screws, "Gilroy."

96. 3 feet square 1/4-inch Sheet Brass, "Gilroy."
97. 1 pair Tin Shears, "Gilroy."
98. 2 Yale Padlocks, with keys, "Gilroy."
99. 2 Yale Wardrobe Locks, "Gilroy."
100. 3 pounds 1/4-inch Brass Escutcheons, "Gilroy."
101. 1 8-pound Screw Wrench, "Gilroy."
102. 100 pounds White Waste, "Gilroy."
103. 2 each, Brass Wound Unions, 1/4-inch, 3/4-inch, 1-inch, "Gilroy."
104. 6 Dietz Side or Dash Lanterns, "Gilroy."
105. 2 dozen Pinafore Lamp Chimneys, "Gilroy."
106. 2 dozen No. 6 Dietz Lamp Globes, "Gilroy."
107. 1 dozen Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves, two each, 1/2-inch, 3/4-inch, 1-inch, 1 1/4-inch, "Gilroy."
108. 2 Brass Squirt Cans, 1/2-pint, "Gilroy."
109. 4 Brass Squirt Cans, 1/4-pint, "Gilroy."
110. 1 dozen B Bulb Burners, "Strong."
111. 2 dozen B Bulb Chimneys, "Strong."
112. 1 set Vulcanite Rubber Valves for Blake Air Pump, "Strong."
115. 1 dozen 1/2-inch Bolts, 4 inches long, "Strong."
116. 1 1-quart Detroit Lubricator with Sight Feed, "Strong."
117. 1 piece Soft Brass (sheet), 12 inches by 12 inches, "Strong."
119. 100 feet 1-inch Rubber Hose, with Couplings, complete, "Strong."
120. 1 4-quart Porcelain-lined Stew Pot, "Strong."

District Prisons.

128. 2-12 dozen Door Knobs, Fourth District.

Stock.

145. 2 barrels Raw Linseed Oil.
146. 300 pounds 3/4 Iron Shoe Nails.

SPECIAL REQUISITION No. 37.

Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island.

GARDEN SEEDS.

- 4 barrels Potatoes, Early Sunrise.
- 2 pecks Beans, Extra Early Refugee.
- 2 pecks Beans, Late, 1000 to 1.
- 2 pounds Beets, Extra Early Egyptian.
- 3 pounds Carrots, Half Long, Nante's Strain.
- 2 pounds Carrots, Long Orange.
- 1 peck Corn, Early Cory.
- 1 peck Corn, Late Mammoth.
- 2 1/2 pounds Onion, Large Yellow Globe.
- 2 1/2 pounds Onion, Large Red Globe.
- 2 pounds Parsnip, Thorburn's Hollow Crown.
- 1 peck Peas, Extra Early Market.
- 1 peck Peas, American Wonder.
- 3 pounds Radish, Early French Scarlet Turnip.
- 1 pound Radish, Scarlet White Tipped.
- 5 pounds Spinach, Round Viroflay.
- 5 pounds Spinach, Prickly or Winter.
- 3 pounds Leeks, Large Carleton.
- 1/2 pound Parsley, Extra Curled.
- 5 pounds Turnip, Ruta Baga.
- 1/2 pound Lettuce Thorburn's Market Gardeners.
- 1 ounce Cauliflower Thorburn's Gilt Edge.
- 2 ounces Celery, Impt. White Pimper.
- 2 ounces Celery, Thorburn's Giant.
- 1/2 pound Cucumber, Extra Long White Spined.
- 1/2 pound Kohlrabi, Early Purple Vienna.
- 1/2 pound Cabbage, Early Jersey Wakefield.
- 1/2 pound Cabbage, Large Late Drumhead.
- 1 ounce Cabbage, Early Dwarf Savoy.
- 1/2 pound Kale, Tall Green Scotch.
- 1/2 pound Kale, Dwarf Green Scotch.
- 2 bushels Grass, Thorburn's Lawn Restoring.

Tools and Implements.

165. 1 dozen Digging Forks.
166. 1 Planet, Jr. Cultivator No. 2.
167. 300 feet Garden Line.
168. 1 dozen Excelsior Weeders.

Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island.

169. 450 Lights Glass, 8 inches by 12 inches.
170. 25 pieces Spruce, 1 1/2 inches by 12 inches by 13 feet.
171. 30 pieces Spruce, 2 inches by 12 inches by 16 feet.
172. 700 square feet 1 inch by 4 1/2 inches White Pine Ceiling, T. and G., dressed one side.
173. 600 square feet 7/8 inch by 3 1/2 inches Yellow Pine Ceiling, T. and G., dressed one side.
174. 12 pieces Spruce, 3 inches by 6 inches by 17 feet.
175. 12 pieces Spruce, 3 inches by 6 inches by 12 feet.
176. 20 pieces Joist, 2 1/2 inches by 4 inches.
177. 200 square feet, 1 by 4 1/2 inches, Good White Pine Flooring.
178. 4 bundles Slat.
179. 25 pounds No. 12 Wire Nails.
180. 1/2 dozen 3/4-inch Lever Handle Stop Cocks for Iron Pipe.

SPECIAL REQUISITION No. 42.

City Prison.

- 2,000 Tablets Quinine, 3 grains, White Color.
- 2,000 Tablets Quinine, 3 grains, Pink Color.
- 2,000 Tablets Quinine, 3 grains, Chocolate Color.
- 2,000 Tablets, Sulphate Strychnia, 1-40 grains.
- 2,000 Tablets, Strychnia, 1-60 gr.; Arsenic, 1-100 gr.; Iro, 1-1 gr.; Quinine, 1-1 gr.
- 1,000 Tablets, Wyatt's, for Gargle.
- 500 Tablets, Potass. Chlorate.
- 3,000 Pills, Aloin, Belladonna, Strychnia.
- 3,000 tablets Sulph. 1 Morphina, 1/4 gr.
- 200 Tablets, Anti Kamnia, 5 grs.
- 2 dozen boxes Tablets, Stuart's Dyspepsia.
- 2,000 Tablets, Proto-Iodidi, 1/4 gr.
- 2,000 Tablets, Calomel, 1/4 grs.
- 2,000 Tablets, Anti Rheumatis.
- 5,000 Tablets, Brown's Cough Mixture.
- 5,000 Tablets, Heorin, 1/4 gr.; Acetacelid, 1/4 grs.; Terpene Hydrate, 1/4 grs.
- 5,000 Tablets Salol 1/4 grs. Sodie Salicylate 1/4 grs.
- 1 gross Plasters, Belladonna.
- 1 gross Plasters, Capsicum.
- 1/2 gross Plasters, Kidneys.
- 5 boxes Rubber Plasters, 5 yards each.
- 1/2 dozen Standard Clinical Thermometers.
- 3 Fountain Syringes.
- 3 Davidson's Syringes.
- 6 Agate Pins Cans.
- 2 Surgical Scissors.
- 1 dozen Dressing Silk.
- 1 Rubber Bandage, 2 inches wide.

SPECIAL REQUISITION No. 44.

Penitentiary.

- 4 dozen only Bolts and Nuts, to repair 3 Beade Bush Hammers, 1/4-inch Steel, as per samples.

- 4 dozen Gibs, to repair 3 Blade Bush Hammers, 1/4-inch Steel, as per samples.

SPECIAL REQUISITION No. 45.

Workhouse.

- 4 rooms in Warden's Apartments to be furnished with Metallic Ceilings.

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 378, LAWS OF 1897.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract

awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

New York, March 12, 1900.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS (BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND) will sell at public auction at the sales stables of the Fiss, Doer & Carroll Horse Company, No. 151 East Twenty-fourth street, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900,

at 11.30 A. M.,

Six Horses.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

Purchasers will be required to remove horses purchased immediately after the sale.

By order of the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

WILLIS HOLLY,
Secretary, Park Board.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, }
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS. }

THOMAS A. KERRIGAN, AUCTIONEER, ON

behalf of the Fire Department of The City of New York, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens,

will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Hospital and Training Stables, Canton and Bolivar streets, Borough of Brooklyn, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1900,

at 12.30 P. M., the following six horses, no longer fit for service in the Department, and known as Nos. 49, 91, 150, 199, 205, 498.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES OR BIDS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE Police Department with Plumbing Supplies will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. of **FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF MARCH, 1900.**

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Plumbing Supplies," 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 must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which and of the approved form of agreement and blank form of the estimates or bids may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

The attention of bidders is called to the following provisions of the contract, awarded, it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the parties to this contract, that the said parties of the second part may, and they are hereby authorized, to increase or diminish the amounts of plumbing supplies required to be furnished herein, by an amount not to exceed 20 per cent., without compensation to the said parties of the first part, other than the price per article herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount actually furnished under this agreement.

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 supplies, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, March 2, 1900.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
Borough of Brooklyn.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry Street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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, SECTION 9. BROWN PLACE, REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Brown place, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 13, 1900, 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, 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 12, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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 12, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1900.

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:

WASHINGTON STREET SEWERS, between Courtlandt and Fulton streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Washington street, between Fulton and Courtlandt streets; east side of Washington street, between Courtlandt and Liberty streets; north side of Dey street, between Washington and Greenwich streets, and south side of Courtlandt street, between Washington and Greenwich streets.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7. ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—BASIN, on the southwest corner of Broadway. Area of assessment: Block bounded by One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, Broadway and Claremont avenue.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8. ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT STREET—SEWER, between Eleventh and Audubon avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Eleventh and Audubon avenues.

SIXTEENTH WARD, SECTION 3. NINTH AVENUE—SEWERS, between Eighteenth and Twenty-third streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninth avenue, between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets and Twenty-first and Twenty-third streets; also the east side of Ninth avenue, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, on Lots numbered 3 and 70 to 72, inclusive, of Block No. 744.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4. SIXTY-FOURTH, SIXTY-FIFTH AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREETS—BASINS, on the southwest corners of Central Park, West. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 33 to 38, inclusive, and 41 to 45, inclusive, of Block No. 1116; Lots numbered 33 to 44, inclusive, of Block No. 1117, and Lots numbered 33 to 43, inclusive, of Block No. 1118.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 13, 1900, 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 assessments, 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 12, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 14, 1900.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 31, 1900 to May 1, 1900.

The interest due May 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due May 1, 1900, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 12, 1900.

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, SECTION 11. SOUTHERN BOULEVARD—SEWERS, between Home and Jennings streets, with branch SEWER in Wilkins place, from Southern Boulevard to Jennings street. Area of Assessment: Both sides of Southern Boulevard, between Home and Jennings streets; both sides of Wilkins place, between Freeman and Jennings streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 27, 1900, 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, 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 April 28, 1900, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of the Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before April 28, 1900, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1900.

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, SECTION 6. THIRD AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered, 1 to 4, inclusive, of Block No. 1648.

ONE HUNDREDTH STREET—PAVING, between Lexington and Park avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundredth street, between Lexington and Park avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 27, 1900, 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, 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 April 28, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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 April 28, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1900.

SALE OF LEASES OF CITY PROPERTY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at public auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at his office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900,

at 12 o'clock M., leases for the term of ten years from March 15, 1900, of the following parcel of property belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, and located on the south side of Wallabout place, east of Washington avenue, in Wallabout Market, Borough of Brooklyn, Lots numbered 504 and 601, respectively on the map of said market, comprising a plot of ground 25 by 100, the upset price or yearly rental for the said parcel of two lots being appraised and fixed at the sum of \$450 upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale. The amount so paid for one quarter's rent to be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute

the lease for the said premises when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rental bid, with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly, in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease on his part.

The lease will in terms contain the following covenants: That the lessee shall erect upon the said premises substantial buildings, the same to be erected in accordance with and to conform in all respects with the plans as made by Mr. William B. Tubby, the architect for the City as per contract made with him by the City of Brooklyn, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 876, Laws of 1896, and which plans were heretofore adopted for buildings to be erected in Wallabout Market; the plans and specifications for said buildings to be submitted to and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Department of Buildings.

That the premises leased shall be used as and for market purposes only.

That the lessee will be entitled to a renewal term thereof for an additional term of ten years upon giving six months' notice prior to the expiration of the term of the original lease, of his desire to renew the same.

That the lessee further covenants that the buildings so erected upon the premises leased shall, upon the expiration or sooner termination of the lease, and if renewed upon the expiration of said renewal term, revert to and become the property of The City of New York, upon payment to the lessee or his legal representatives or assigns of the then value of the buildings built as hereinbefore provided, such value to be fixed, determined and agreed upon by and between the Comptroller of The City of New York and the said lessee, his legal representatives or assigns, not less than four months prior to the expiration of said lease or of the renewal thereof, if renewed, and in the event that no such agreement can be reached by the said Comptroller and the said lessee four months prior to and preceding the expiration of such lease or of the renewal thereof, then such value shall be ascertained by three disinterested Commissioners to be nominated and appointed by a Justice of the Supreme Court on the application of the Comptroller of The City of New York, on ten days' notice of such application to the lessee or lessees of said premises, or their legal representatives or assigns. The finding of the Commissioners appointed as aforesaid as to the value of such building or buildings shall be final and conclusive upon all parties, and the expenses of such Commissioners shall be paid and borne, one-half by the City and one-half by the lessee.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid will be accepted from 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, as provided by law.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid if deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held January 16, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 28, 1900.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE APRIL 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1900.

The interest due April 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due April 1, 1900, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1900.

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, SECTION 6. ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET—PAVING, from First avenue to the East or Harlem river. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from First avenue to the East or Harlem river; also lots numbered 48 to 50, inclusive, of Block No. 1644, and lots numbered 2 to 4, inclusive, and 23 to 25, inclusive, of Block No. 1695.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7. ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, between Seventh and Lenox avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Seventh and Lenox avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 6, 1900, 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, 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 5, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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 5, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 7, 1900.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 108 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, SECTION 9.
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND BUILDING APPROACHES, ETC., between Walton and Sheridan avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Walton and Sheridan avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Marion avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and Marion avenue, and to the extent of half the blocks on Marion and Park avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.
TWO HUNDREDTH STREET (SOUTHERN BOULEVARD)—SEWER, between Webster and Valentine avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundredth street, from Webster avenue to the Concourse; both sides of Valentine avenue; Briggs avenue and Bainbridge avenue, from Garfield street to Two Hundredth street; both sides of Marion avenue, from Oliver street to Two Hundredth street, and both sides of Garfield street, from Bainbridge avenue to Valentine avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 6, 1900, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 109 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the 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 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before May 5, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 7, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR \$4,690,000 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CORPORATE STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED, BY CHAPTER 65 OF THE LAWS OF 1899, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, THE 22D DAY OF MARCH, 1900.

at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment therefor, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON
\$1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New East River Bridge	Chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted July 13, 1899, and resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor, December 7, 1899.	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
750,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for a New Hall of Records	Chapters 59 and 793 of the Laws of 1897, sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted February 3, 1899, and resolution of the Municipal Assembly, adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 2, 1899, and by the Council, August 9, 1899	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
490,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for School-houses and Sites therefor in the Borough of Brooklyn.	Sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted February 15, 1899; and resolution of the Municipal Assembly approved by the Mayor, March 7, 1899	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
450,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for Repaving Streets and Avenues	Chapter 475 of the Laws of 1895; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted June 7, 1898, and resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor, July 26, 1898	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1
2,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Repaving of Streets	Sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted February 3, 1899; and resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor, October 11, 1899	Nov. 1, 1940	May 1 and Nov. 1

The above-described stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 9, 1898.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same.

Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.

Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, TWO PER CENT. of the par value of the stock bid for in said proposal.

No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.

All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.

If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to him or them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said city as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid to the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.

Upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law.

The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and then inclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 7, 1900

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 38, Scherhorn 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, January 1900.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SIXTEENTH AVENUE, from Flatbush line to Eighty-fourth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Sixteenth avenue, from Flatbush line to Eighty-fourth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Forty-seventh street with the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the map or plan of the Town Survey Commission for laying out streets, avenues, roads, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, and which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 17th day of June, 1874, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Forty-seventh street 80 feet to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid; thence northerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 1,011.44 feet to the line of the former Town of Flatbush; thence easterly along said line 40 feet to the center line of said Sixteenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 260.35 feet to the center line of Forty-fourth street; thence easterly along said line 40 feet to the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line 751.08 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Forty-seventh street with the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Forty-seventh street 80 feet to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 3,324.68 feet to the northerly line of Sixtieth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 3,324.68 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Sixtieth street with the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Sixtieth street 80 feet to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 4,960 feet to the northerly line of Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of said avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 4,960 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL D.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Seventy-ninth street with the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Seventy-ninth street 80 feet to the westerly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line and deflecting 90 degrees to the left 1,265.20 feet to the southerly line of Eighty-fourth street; thence easterly along said line deflecting 90 degrees 59 minutes 33 seconds to the left 80.20 feet to the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 1,259.61 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, March 12, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to TWENTIETH STREET, from Vanderbilt street to the boundary line of the Twenty-ninth and Twenty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Twentieth street, from Vanderbilt street to the boundary line of the Twenty-ninth and Twenty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Vanderbilt street with the westerly line of Twentieth street, as said streets were laid down on the map or plan of the Town Survey Commission for laying out streets, avenues, roads, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, and which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 17th day of June, 1874; and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Vanderbilt street 60 feet to the westerly line of Twentieth street aforesaid; thence northerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 675.27 feet to a point; thence northwesterly deflecting 24 degrees 29 minutes and 48 seconds to the left 56.97 feet, more or less, to the old city line of Brooklyn; thence easterly along the old city line of Brooklyn 75.55 feet to a point; thence southeasterly deflecting 52 degrees 34 minutes and 26 seconds to the right 24.08 feet, more or less, to the easterly line of Twentieth street aforesaid; and thence southerly along said line 688.29 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 12, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Third avenue to Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Seventy-first street, from Third avenue to the Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of First avenue with the southerly line of Seventy-first street, as said street and avenue were laid out on the map or plan of the town survey commission for laying out streets, avenues, piers and bulkheads in the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, and which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 17th day of June, 1874; and running thence northerly along the easterly line of First avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of Seventy-first street aforesaid; thence easterly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 1,560 feet to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 65 feet to the southerly line of Seventy-first street aforesaid, and thence westerly along said line 1,560 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of First avenue with the southerly line of Seventy-first street, as the same were laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of First avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of Seventy-first street aforesaid; thence westerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 1,212 feet more or less to the Shore road; thence southerly along the Shore road 68.58 feet to the southerly line of Seventy-first street aforesaid, and thence easterly along said line 1,245 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 12, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Sixty-first street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Seventh avenue with the southerly line of Sixty-first street, as said street and avenue were laid down on the map or plan of the town survey commission for laying out streets, avenues, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, and which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on June 17, 1874; and running thence northerly along the western line of seventh avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of Sixty-first street; thence westerly along said line and deflecting 90 degrees to the left 780 feet to the westerly line of Sixth avenue; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 60 feet to the southerly line of Sixty-first street aforesaid, and thence easterly along said line 780 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 12, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on FORTH AND FIFTH STREETS, near Vernon avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be heard in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the

Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on Fourth and Fifth streets, near Vernon avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes as provided by law, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, namely:

Beginning at a point on the northeasterly side or line of Fourth street, and which said point is distant northwesterly 100 feet from the northwesterly side or line of Vernon avenue, and running thence from the first mentioned point in a northwesterly direction 125 feet 4 1/2 inches along the northeasterly side or line of said Fourth street; thence running in a northeasterly direction 100 feet at right angles to said Fourth street; thence running in a southeasterly direction 0 feet 4 1/2 inches parallel with said Fourth street; thence running in a northeasterly direction 100 feet parallel with said Vernon avenue to the southwesterly side or line of Fifth street; thence running in a southeasterly direction 125 feet along the southwesterly side or line of said Fifth street; thence running in a southwesterly direction 200 feet and at right angles to said Fifth street and parallel with said Vernon avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1900.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated at the SOUTHWEST-ERLY CORNER OF JAMAICA AND HOPKINS AVENUES, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens, and approved by the Board of Education as provided by law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated at the southwesterly corner of Jamaica and Hopkins avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes as provided by law, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Jamaica avenue with the westerly line of Hopkins avenue, and running thence in a westerly direction 125 feet along the southerly line of said Jamaica avenue; thence running in a southwesterly direction and at right angles to said Jamaica avenue 175 feet 10 1/2 inches; thence running in a southeasterly direction and at an angle of 95 degrees 27 minutes, 11 feet 2 1/2 inches to the westerly line of said Hopkins avenue; thence running in a northeasterly direction at an angle of 88 degrees 51 minutes, 190 feet 11 1/2 inches along the westerly line of said Hopkins avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the WEST-ERLY LINE OF SEVENTH AVENUE, FOUR-TEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the westerly side of Seventh avenue, Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes as provided by law, being the following lots, pieces or parcels of land which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, namely:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Seventh avenue, where the same is intersected by the northerly line of Fourteenth street, and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Seventh avenue 200 feet to the southerly line of Fifteenth street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Fifteenth street, and at right angles to Seventh avenue 250 feet; thence southerly at right angles to Fifteenth street and parallel with Seventh avenue, 200 feet to the northerly line of Fourteenth street; thence easterly along said northerly line of Fourteenth street and parallel with Fifteenth street 250 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the SOUTHEASTERLY SIDE OF VERNON AVENUE AND THE NORTHWESTERLY SIDE OF HAMILTON STREET, near Graham avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Queens, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County

of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the southeasterly side of Vernon avenue and the northwesterly side of Hamilton street, near Graham avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes as provided by law, being the following lots, pieces or parcels of land which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly side or line of Vernon avenue, and which said point is distant southwesterly 200 feet 2 1/2 inches, measured on the southeasterly line of Vernon avenue from Graham avenue, and running thence in a southeasterly direction 200 feet 3 inches, and at an angle of 90 degrees 2 minutes and 7 seconds to the northwesterly line of Hamilton street; thence running in a southwesterly direction 150 feet 1 1/2 inches along the northwesterly line of said Hamilton street; thence running in a northwesterly direction 200 feet 3 inches, and at an angle of 89 degrees 57 minutes 53 seconds to the southeasterly side or line of said Vernon avenue; running thence in a northeasterly direction 150 feet 1 1/2 inches along the southeasterly side or line of Vernon avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF OSGOOD AVENUE, near Richmond road, at Stapleton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Richmond, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of March, 1900, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the southerly side of Osgood avenue near Richmond road at Stapleton, Staten Island, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, as provided by law, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Osgood avenue distant 115 feet from a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Richmond road with the southerly side of Osgood avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Osgood avenue 123 feet; thence southerly at right angles to Osgood avenue 125 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Osgood avenue 50 feet; thence southerly and again at right angles with Osgood avenue 60 feet 2 inches to the northerly line of Waverly place; thence westerly along the northerly line of Waverly place 65 feet, and thence northerly and parallel with the Richmond road 196 feet 9 inches to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including the 13th day of February, 1900, 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 26th day of March, 1900, at 10 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 995 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 13, 1900.

EDWARD JACOBS,
LOUIS SEILE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, from Flatbush line to Bath avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Seventeenth avenue, from Flatbush line to Bath avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Forty-seventh street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as the said street and ave-

nue were laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission for laying out streets, avenues, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, and was filed in the office of the Register of Kings County on the 17th day of June, 1874; and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Forty-seventh street 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 751.08 feet to the line of the former Town of Flatbush; thence easterly along said line 40 feet to the centre of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line 260.36 feet; thence again easterly 40 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence southerly along said line 490.72 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Forty-seventh street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Forty-seventh street 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 3,324.68 feet to the northerly line of Sixtieth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 3,324.68 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL C.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Sixtieth street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Sixtieth street 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 4,060 feet to the northerly line of Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 4,060 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL D.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Seventy-ninth street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Seventy-ninth street 112.7 feet; thence southerly and deflecting 116 degrees 5 minutes and 45 seconds to the left 72.90 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line 1,434.53 feet to the northerly line of Eighty-fifth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 1,500 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL E.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Eighty-fifth street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-fifth street 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line, deflecting 90 degrees to the left, 200 feet to the northerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 200 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL F.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as said street and avenue were laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 700 feet to the northerly line of Benson avenue; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 700 feet to the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL G.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Benson avenue with the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue, as the said avenues were laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Benson avenue 80 feet to the westerly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the left 700 feet to the northerly line of Bath avenue; thence easterly along said line 80 feet to the easterly line of Seventeenth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line 700 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 7, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 ARTHUR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 29th day of March, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of March, 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 7th day of April, 1900.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Crotona Park, North, and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Crotona Park, North, and the westerly side of Arthur avenue, and distant 200 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Arthur avenue, and distant 200 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly

along said southerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between that part of Belmont avenue and Crotona avenue, lying between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and middle line of the block and said middle line prolonged southwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Crotona Park, North, and distant 200 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, February 27, 1900.

SAMUEL H. ORDWAY, Chairman,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Fire Commissioners of The City of New York, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said city, relative to acquiring title to certain lands on the northerly side of THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Twentieth Ward of said city, duly selected by said Board as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 151 of the Laws of 1894.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS

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

First—We have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have deposited a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Fire Commissioner, the head of the Fire Department of The City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, March 9, 1900, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 2 on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 22d day of March, 1900, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court-house in The City of New York, on the 29th day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, March 8, 1900.
CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE,
WILLIAM H. HURST,
ROBERT HUNTER MCGRATH, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BUTLER STREET, from Flatbush avenue to Nostrand avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Butler street, from Flatbush avenue to Nostrand avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Nostrand avenue with the southerly line of Butler street, as the same were laid down on the map or plan of the Town Survey Commission for laying out streets, avenues, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, which said map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 17th day of June, 1874; and running thence northerly along the westerly line of said Nostrand avenue 60.02 feet to the northerly line of Butler street aforesaid; thence westerly along said line deflecting 88 degrees 35 minutes and 24 seconds to the left 2,385.94 feet to the line of the old Flatbush turnpike road; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the southerly line of Butler street and thence easterly along said line 2,387.91 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 7, 1900.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 TIEBOUT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Fordham road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and

premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on or before the 26th day of March, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1900, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1900.

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

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street with the easterly side of Valentine avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Valentine avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Fordham road, and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly and northerly by said parallel line and its prolongation northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Kingsbridge road, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly and easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Marion avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Marion avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly and easterly sides of that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street between Marion avenue and Webster avenue, and distant 100 feet northerly and easterly therefrom; thence easterly and southerly and again easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Webster avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Webster avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence westerly along said middle line to the point of place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

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

WALTER LARGE, Chairman,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
JACOB KATZ,
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, by the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, property, right, terms, easements and privileges not owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York or any right, title and interest therein, not extinguishable by public authority, embraced within the lines of the GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE and nine transverse roads, from a point on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in said city, at the intersection of said street and Mott avenue, northerly to Moshulu Parkway, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 130 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, from the 31st day of March, 1898, up to and including the 28th day of February, 1900, 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 21st day of March, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 7, 1900.

JAMES A. BLANCHARD,
JOHN H. KNOEPEL,
HUGH K. GARDEN,
Commissioners.

WILLIAM R. KEES,
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 WENDOVER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third Avenue to the western line of Crotona Park, and from Boston road to the eastern line of Crotona Park, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 1, 1900.

FRANCIS D. HOYT,
ALFRED F. SELIGSBURG,
ROBERT H. NEAMANN,
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 EIGHTIETH

STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Creston avenue to Webster 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.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1900, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the 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 24th day of April, 1900.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, West) with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; running thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to the easterly side of Valentine avenue; thence southerly to the northerly side of Burnside avenue; thence northerly along the middle line of the block between Morris avenue and Creston avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and its prolongation easterly to the westerly side of Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, West); thence southerly along the westerly side of Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, West) to the point of place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of April, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 27, 1900.

CHARLES K. LEXOW, Chairman,
EDWARD J. SCHEVICK,
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 a PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Bergen avenue and Gerard street and also to GERARD STREET although not yet named by proper authority, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Bergen avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of March, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1900.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, running thence northerly along said easterly side of Courtlandt avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Melrose avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-second street to the northwesterly side of Third avenue; thence easterly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Third avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Rose 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 easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Brook avenue and St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between St. Ann's avenue and Eagle avenue; thence southerly along said middle line and its prolongation southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and

distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Brook avenue and St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Brook avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation westwardly to the easterly side of Courtlandt avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Courtlandt avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said middle line to the point of place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 13, 1900.

HIRAM A. MERRELL, Chairman,
WILBUR LARREMORE,
ARCHIBALD R. BRASHER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

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

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, March 13, 1900, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 26th day of March, 1900, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1900.

WILLIAM S. MADDOX,
GEORGE W. BAILLOX,
GUSTAVUS DARLINGTON,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises in the Eleventh Ward of The City of New York, bounded by HOUSTON, STANION, PITT, WILLET AND SHERIFF STREETS, duly selected, located and laid out as and for a public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 193 of the Laws of 1895, and of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, March 6, 1900, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, as provided by section 4 of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 12th day of April, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 26th day of April, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, March 5, 1900.

FRANKLIN BIEN,
JAMES J. MARTIN,
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements, and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CROMWELL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jowood avenue to Macomb's Dam road, or Highland avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of March, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of March, 1900, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 6th day of April, 1900.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom with the northerly side of McClellan street; running thence westerly along said northerly side of McClellan street and its prolongation westwardly to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side of that part of Jerome avenue between Marcher avenue and Boscobel avenue; thence northerly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Boscobel avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line and its prolongation northwardly to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of J. sup place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Boscobel avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Seventieth street to the easterly side of Jessup place; thence northerly along said easterly side of Jessup place and the middle line of the block between Cromwell avenue and McClellan road on the east and Marcher avenue on the west to the southerly side of Featherbed lane; thence easterly along the southerly side of Featherbed lane to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jowood avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Marcy place and Elliott place; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point of place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, February 16, 1900.

JOSEPH KAUFMANN, Chairman,
FRED'K E. HAIGHT,
HENRY O'DONNELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT, KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to WEST STREET, from Franklin avenue to Forty-third street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of The State of New York, at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of March, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of West street, from Franklin avenue to Forty-third street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Franklin avenue, where it is intersected by the westerly line of West street; said Franklin avenue was laid down as a public street in accordance with the provisions of chapter 337 of the Laws of 1876, and West street was laid down on the map or plan of the Town Survey Commission for laying out avenues, streets, piers and bulkheads in the towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 17th day of June, 1874; and running thence northerly along the southerly line of Franklin avenue 87.29 feet to the easterly line of West street; thence northerly along said line deflecting 66 degrees 50 minutes to the left 566.00 feet to the northerly line of Forty-third street; thence northwesterly along said line deflecting 43 degrees 21 minutes and 59 seconds to the left 116.51 feet to the westerly line of said West street, and thence southerly along said line 83.32 feet, to the point of place of beginning.

Dated, New York, March 7, 1900.

JOHN WHELEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn,
New York City.