

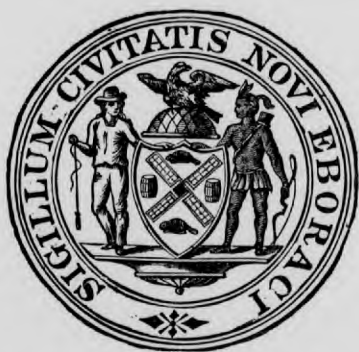
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### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks, held Friday, July 15, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M.  
Present—President Cram and Commissioner Meyer.  
Absent—Commissioner Murphy.

The minutes of the meeting held July 8, and of the two special meetings held July 11, 1898, were approved.

The communication from the Atlantic Transportation Company, in relation to its application for a lease of the Pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, was taken from the table, and together with the report of Commissioner Meyer, recommending that a lease of said pier be granted, ordered on file, and, on motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That, by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board and in pursuance of the statutes in such cases made and provided, the Pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North river, be and is hereby designated and appropriated for the special kind of commerce carried on by steam transportation.

Resolved, That, by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board and in pursuance of the statutes in such cases made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let to the Atlantic Transportation Company all and singular the wharfage and cramage which may arise, accrue or become due in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, for the use and occupation of the Pier at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, for a period of ten years from the first day of August, 1898, at an annual rental of seven thousand five hundred dollars per annum, with privilege of one renewal of ten years, the annual rental for said renewal term to be at an advance of ten per cent.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted the Atlantic Transportation Company to erect coal-pockets on the Pier foot of West Forty-fourth street, said coal-pockets to be erected under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Board of Docks, said pockets to become the property of The City of New York, free from all incumbrances whatsoever, upon the expiration or sooner termination of said lease or renewal thereof.

The above resolutions shall be of no force or effect unless the said Atlantic Transportation Company shall, within ten days from receipt hereof, accept in writing the terms and conditions of said resolutions, and agree to execute a lease, when called upon to do so, containing the usual covenants and conditions embodied in the leases of wharf property now in use by this Department.

The communication from H. C. L. Wenk, requesting information as to who has authority to collect rental for the use of the water-front at Shad creek, Broad channel, Jamaica bay, was referred to the Corporation Counsel for advice.

The communication from the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, requesting permission to construct a power station between East Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, was referred to the President and Commissioner Meyer.

The following communications were referred to Commissioner Meyer:

From the Consolidated Ice Company—Requesting an extension of its existing leases of the Pier foot of West Sixth street; bulkhead between Piers, new 24 and 25, North river; Pier foot of East Thirty-third street; Pier foot of East Ninety-first street, and Pier 2, Wallabout Basin, Borough of Brooklyn, for two additional terms of ten years each.

From the Union Ice Company—Requesting a ten-years' lease of the bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55, North river.

The following permits were granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Metropolitan Street Railway Company, to repair water-pipe at ferry foot of Chambers street, North river, all pavement that may be taken up to be relaid by the force of this Department, at the cost and expense of said company.

Welsbach Gas Lamp Company, to place Welsbach lanterns on the Recreation Pier at the foot of Barrow street, North river.

Riverside & Fort Lee Ferry Company, to repair ferry racks foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, the work to be kept within existing lines.

R. G. & J. S. Packard, to dredge in the slips between Piers 16 and 17 and between Piers 17 and 18, East river.

George Ehret, to open the street foot of Ninety-third street, East river, for the purpose of repairing water-pipe thereat.

The Brooklyn & New York Ferry Company, to dredge in the slip at the foot of Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn.

Standard Oil Company of New York, to dredge on the north side of the Pier foot of North Twelfth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

T. L. Arnold, Agent Bay Ridge Yacht Basin, to dredge at the foot of Fifty-sixth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The following permits were granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

D. Brinkman, to erect tower and machinery for handling coal on the platform recently constructed between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, East river, the work to be done in accordance with plans and specifications to be first submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief.

The American Sugar Refining Company, to construct temporary gangway across the Pier foot of South Third street, Borough of Brooklyn, in accordance with plans submitted.

The following permits were granted on the usual terms:

Lowell M. Palmer and the Brooklyn Cooperage Company, to make general repairs to water-front property between North Fourth and North Tenth streets, and between Freeman street and Newtown creek, Borough of Brooklyn, during the ensuing six months; it being understood that at least twenty-four hours' notice is to be given the Engineer-in-Chief before the commencement of any work other than surface repairs and the renewing of fender piles or chocking.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Department of Finance—

1st. Advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been affixed to Contract No. 614, for repairing and extending the Pier foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river.

2d. Requesting that requisitions be drawn in favor of the persons named in the transcript of judgment in the case of Goldsborough Banyer and others against the City, for wharfage rights appurtenant to the fifty feet of bulkhead immediately south of Morton street, North river. Chief Clerk directed to prepare necessary requisitions therefor.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1st. In relation to the completion of contracts within the time specified therein.

2d. Transmitting form of lease of the northerly half of the bulkhead between Piers, new 39 and 40, North river, to the Cunard Steamship Company, Limited. Officers of the Board authorized to execute same.

3d. Transmitting copy of notice of the application of Lillia Babbitt Hyde and others, for grants of land under water at Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Secretary directed to state that the Board is opposed to the granting of said application.

4th. Transmitting certified copy of bills of costs in proceedings for the acquisition of the wharfage rights appurtenant to the south half of the block between Bank and Bethune streets, North river, between Watts and Canal streets, North river, and at Pier, old 39, East river, and bulkhead adjoining same. Chief Clerk directed to prepare necessary requisition therefor.

From the Department of Highways—In relation to the condition of the bulkhead between Jackson and Corlears streets, East river. Secretary directed to reply.

From the Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Highways—Requesting to be advised whether this Department can compel owners of water-front property in the village of Edgewater to construct bulkheads thereat. Secretary directed to state that the Board has no authority to compel the owners to construct such bulkheads for the purpose of maintaining a street thereat.

From Lydia L. Rapelye—Accepting the terms of the resolution adopted July 1, 1898, granting permission to construct a crib-bulkhead on the easterly side of Perrot place, Astoria, Borough of Queens.

From the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted July 1, 1898, leasing to said company certain water-front property in the vicinity of Piers, old 51 and old 52, East river. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of lease.

From the Consolidated Ice Company—Accepting the terms of the preamble and resolutions adopted by the Board of Docks July 11, 1898, offering to purchase the wharfage rights, etc., appurtenant to the Pier foot of West Forty-third street. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of agreement for the purchase of said property.

From A. J. Dittenhoefer—In relation to the collection of wharfage between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, Harlem river. Secretary directed to state that no wharfage is being collected by the Dock Master thereat, except at the portion of the water-front owned by the City.

From the Knickerbocker Steamboat Company—Requesting a reduction in the rental charged for the use of the Pier foot of West Twentieth street, during the work of dredging thereat. Application denied.

From the Manhattan Steamship Company—Requesting a lease of the south side of Pier, new 1, North river. Application denied.

From H. L. Herbert & Co.—Requesting a lease of portion of the Pier foot of East Twentieth street.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let to H. L. Herbert & Co. all and singular the wharfage which may arise, accrue or become due, in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, for the use and occupation of the southerly half of the pier now in process of construction at the foot of East Twentieth street, for a period of ten years from the date said pier is ready for use, at an annual rental to be fixed by the Treasurer of this Department; provided that said H. L. Herbert & Co. shall, within five days after receipt hereof, accept in writing the terms and conditions of this resolution, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions as at present embodied in the leases of wharf property now used by this Department.

From the Chief Clerk—Recommending that the claim against James McLaughlin for top wharfage for sand stored in the vicinity of West Seventy-ninth and West Ninety-sixth streets, North river, amounting to \$55, be transmitted to the Corporation Counsel for collection. Recommendation adopted.

From the Dock Superintendent—

1st. Report for the week ending July 9, 1898.

2d. Recommending that the permit granted John H. Starin to land steamer at the Pier foot of East Eighty-sixth street, be changed to Pier at the foot of East Ninety-sixth street. Recommendation adopted.

From Dock Master Harrison—

1st. Reporting repairs required to pavement on the approach to Pier, new 7, East river. Secretary directed to request the Department of Highways to make the necessary repairs thereto.

2d. Reporting repairs required to the bulkhead on the westerly side of Pier 13, East river. Secretary directed to notify the owners to make the necessary repairs thereto, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Dock Master Shand—Reporting repairs required to spring piles at the Battery landing. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make the necessary repairs thereto.

From Dock Master Kennedy—Reporting repairs required to Pier, old 57, North river, to the bulkhead between Piers, old 57 and 58, North river, and to the Pier foot of West Seventeenth street. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make the necessary repairs thereto.

From Dock Master Woolley—In relation to the erection of a building by G. Knoche at the south side of Eighty-third street, East river. Secretary directed to notify said Knoche that the building proposed to be erected must be constructed within the line of fence established by this Department at the locality in question.

From the Treasurer—

1st. Recommending that the compensation to be charged Captain J. L. Killmer for the privilege of landing steamer "Guide" at the Battery wharf be fixed at the rate of \$5 per day, payable weekly to the Dock Master. Recommendation adopted.

2d. Recommending that the compensation to be charged the Union Boat Club for the privilege of maintaining boat-house at the foot of Lenox avenue, Harlem river, be fixed at the rate of \$5 per month, payable at the end of each month to the Dock Master. Recommendation adopted.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report for the week ending July 9, 1898.

2d. Reporting the commencement of Contract No. 633, July 8, 1898.

3d. In relation to the existing lines in front of Corlears Hook Park, East river.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare a new plan of the water-front in said vicinity, placing the marginal street inshore of the inner boundary of Corlears Hook Park.

4th. In relation to the construction of sheds on the extensions to Piers, old 25 and 27, North river.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company is the lessee of Piers, old 25 and old 27, North river, as extended; and

Whereas, Said company is engaged in the business of steam transportation, and the lessors of said premises consenting thereto;

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 844 of the new Charter, the said New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company be permitted to erect and maintain upon the extensions to said Piers, old 25 and old 27, North river, a shed or sheds for the protection of property received or discharged thereat, in accordance with the plans and specifications to be submitted and approved, and to be erected under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries; such shed or sheds, however, are to revert to and become the property of The City of New York, and are not to be considered as an element of increased value of said piers whenever the City shall seek to acquire same.

Provided, however, that this resolution shall not be binding or of any force or effect unless the said New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company shall, within ten days after receipt hereof agree, in writing, to the terms and conditions herein contained.

5th. Recommending that A. C. Chenoweth be again directed to remove the structures erected by him at Sherman's creek, Harlem river, and to dredge thereat. Recommendation adopted.

6th. Recommending that the Department of Highways be requested to remove the sidewalk on the westerly side of West street, between the northerly side of West Eleventh street, extended, and the southerly line of Gansevoort street, extended, and that the pavement be carried to said westerly side of West street. Recommendation adopted.

7th. Recommending that the Department of Sewers be requested to construct any sewers that are to be placed between West Eleventh and Gansevoort streets, North river, before the premises are paved. Recommendation adopted.

8th. Reporting the unauthorized use, by a boat-house and float, of land under water on the southerly side of the Harlem Ship Canal, between the Hudson river and Kingsbridge road. Secretary directed to notify the owner that unless permit is obtained for the maintenance of such structures they will be ordered removed.

9th. Recommending that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company be notified to make necessary repairs to Piers "D," "F" and "G," between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-eighth streets, North river. Recommendation adopted.

10th. Recommending that an order be issued authorizing necessary repairs to the recreation structures foot of East Third and East Twenty-fourth streets, from time to time as may be required, at an aggregate cost not to exceed \$300. Recommendation adopted.

11th. Recommending that a fender-pile on the northerly side of Pier, new 1, North river, be refastened. Recommendation adopted.

12th. Recommending that a fender-pile on the northwest corner of the Pier foot of East Thirty-first street be replaced. Recommendation adopted.

13th. Recommending that repairs be made to the Pier foot of West Seventy-ninth street. Recommendation adopted.



The Acting Treasurer, Commissioner Meyer, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending July 15, 1898, amounting to \$26,529.73, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.
1898.			
July 8	John A. Secor.....	1 mos. rent, frame buildings, bet. 43d and 44th sts., Brooklyn	\$35 00
" 8	Sanderson & Co., assignee...	1 qrs. rent, Pier, new 54, N. R....	6,250 00
" 8	John J. Hopper.....	1 mos. rent, bhd. south 1/2, W. 135th st.....	16 67
" 9	Bridgeport Steamboat Co.....	" landing at E. 31st st.....	60 00
" 9	N. Y. Dry Dock and Repair Co	1 qrs. rent, undivided 9th part Pier, old 42, E. R.....	62 50
" 11	Balto. and Ohio R. R. Co....	" l. u. w. pfm. E. and W. Pier 27, E. R.....	268 75
" 11	"	" l. u. w. pfm., bet. Piers 26 and 27, E. R.....	111 50
" 11	"	" float-bridge, bet. Piers, new 55 and 56, N. R....	877 94
" 11	"	" car-tracks on Marginal st., bet. Piers, new 55 and 56, N. R.....	20 44
" 12	Wm. Blumenauer.....	1 mos. rent, bhd. ft. Lincoln ave., H. R.....	25 00
" 12	John T. Welch.....	" 130 ft. no. side Pier 62, E. R.....	125 00
" 12	West Shore R. R. Co.....	1 qrs. rent, Pier, new 23, and 1/2 bhd. each side, N. R....	10,500 00
" 13	Requa & Duell.....	1 mos. rent, berth no. side Pier, old 58 1/2, N. R.....	83 34
" 13	Curtis & Blaisdell.....	1 qrs. rent, l. u. w. coal hoist no. side 56th st., E. R.....	62 50
" 14	Metropolitan Street R'way Co.	1 mos. rent, reclaimed land bet. 43d and 44th sts., N. R....	40 00
" 14	Kane & Son.....	" bhd. bet. Piers, old 41 and 42, N. R.....	29 17
" 12	Riverside and Fort Lee Ferry Co.....	1 qrs. rent, Ferry from 130th st., N. R., to Fort Lee, N. J..	750 00
" 12	West Shore R. R. Co.....	" Ferry from Jay st., N. R., to Weehawken, N. J.	875 00
" 8	Geo. W. Plunkitt.....	Filling at Barclay Street Section.....	1,000 00
" 8	John Monks & Sons.....	Blue print plans crib bhd. at 133d st.....	5 00
" 8	Consolidated Gas Co.....	Repairs to pavement ft. W. 24th st.....	38 38
" 14	Lispenard Stewart and others.	Improving water front near ft. Park place.....	713 45
" 8	Philip A. Smyth.....	Sale of old material.....	100 21
" 12	Dock Masters.....	Wharfage, June 11, 1898.....	2,064 32
" 14	Collectors.....	" March, 1898.....	9 65
" 14	"	" April, 1898.....	210 50
" 14	"	" May, 1898.....	839 65
" 14	"	" June, 1898.....	1,320 76
" 14	"	" July, 1898.....	35 00
		Date deposited, July 15, 1898.....	\$26,529 73

Respectfully submitted,  
PETER F. MEYER, Acting Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee submitted a report of twenty-eight bills or claims amounting to \$36,748.29, which had been approved and audited. The report was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Names.	Amount.	Total.
<i>Acquired Property.</i>			
17034.	John J. Prince, services and expenses as Clerk.....	\$275 00	
17035.	John A. Hennebery, services as Clerk.....	30 00	
17036.	William J. Fawcett, services as Messenger.....	100 00	
17037.	A. B. Chandler et al., rent of office.....	125 00	
			\$530 00
<i>Construction.</i>			
17038.	Car-fares and incidentals.....		301 78
<i>General Repairs.</i>			
17039.	Car-fares and incidentals.....		69 00
<i>Annual Expense.</i>			
17040.	Car-fares and incidentals.....		109 90
<i>Construction.</i>			
17041.	John Monks & Sons, Estimate No. 3, Contract No. 627.....	\$15,197 40	
17042.	Henry D. Steers, piles.....	9,555 75	
17043.	Murray & Co., small cobble-stones.....	1,940 20	
17044.	Brown & Fleming, rip-rap stones.....	1,791 24	
17045.	Edward H. Kendall, professional services, consulting architect.	2,947 41	
17046.	New York Telephone Company, telephone rentals, etc.....	268 15	
17047.	Union Excelsior Lubricating Company, alcohol and kerosene..	75 66	
17048.	J. Warren Mead, agent and Warden, corn brooms, etc.....	183 82	
17049.	Walter N. Thayer, agent, sledge handles, etc.....	60 32	
17050.	Henry P. Drew, bolts, spikes, etc.....	236 33	
17051.	John H. Patrick, stables.....	9 00	
17052.	Carroll Box and Lumber Company, North Carolina pine, etc..	347 52	
17053.	Hodgman Rubber Company, diving dresses, etc.....	180 00	
17054.	Benjamin T. Rhoads, Jr., & Co., insurance.....	60 00	
			32,852 80
<i>General Repairs.</i>			
17055.	Benjamin T. Rhoads, Jr., & Co., insurance.....	500 00	
17056.	The Brush Electric Illuminating Company, use of electric lamps, etc.....	910 92	
17057.	M. Z. Hanau, services of band, etc.....	441 00	
17058.	Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, services of band, etc....	441 00	
17059.	Neumeyer's Band, services of band, etc.....	336 00	
			2,628 92
<i>Annual Expense.</i>			
17060.	J. Warren Mead, agent and Warden, roll-top desk and chair.....	\$60 15	
<i>Construction.</i>			
17061.	Augustus Luerson, costs, interest, etc.....		195 74
			\$36,748 29

Respectfully submitted,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM, } Auditing  
PETER F. MEYER, } Committee.

The action of the Secretary in transmitting the same with requisitions for the amount to the Finance Department for payment approved.

The following requisitions were passed:

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
16529.	Portland cement.....	\$2,000 00
16530.	Wrought spikes, etc.....	720 00
16531.	Pulleys.....	45 00
16532.	Paving.....	1,200 00

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
16533.	Portland cement.....	\$3,680 00
16534.	Dead oil, etc.....	120 00
16535.	Roofing paper.....	70 00
16536.	White oak piles.....	1,120 00
16537.	Park settees, each.....	6 25
16538.	Roofing boards, etc.....	112 68
16539.	Hose, etc.....	91 80
16540.	Service of tugs, per hour.....	5 00
16541.	Sprinkling, per day.....	5 50
16542.	" ".....	5 50
16543.	Use of dry dock, etc.....	135 00
16544.	Treenails.....	525 00
16545.	Suction pumps.....	190 00
16546.	Spar varnish, etc.....	52 50
16547.	Pressure regulators.....	40 00
16548.	Burners for vapor launch.....	6 00
16549.	Manila rope, per pound.....	12
16550.	Grindstones.....	24 00
Requisition No.		
130Z.	Canceled.....	
131Z.	".....	
132Z.	Services of horse, cart and Driver.....	105 00
133Z.	".....	105 00
134Z.	".....	105 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to request the Corporation Counsel to advise whether the wharfage rights at the bulkheads extending from One Hundred and Eleventh to One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Harlem river, are vested in the City, and whether wharfage can be collected thereat by this Department.

The Secretary reported that the pay-roll for the General Repairs and Construction Force for the week ending July 8, 1898, amounting to \$11,194.16, and the pay-roll for the Wallabout Improvement Force for the week ending July 8, 1898, amounting to \$38 64, had been approved, audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance for payment.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

The Board went into executive session at 12.25 P. M.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission, submitting list of persons eligible for appointment as Laborers.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following-named persons having been certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as eligible, be and they are hereby appointed Laborers in this Department with compensation at the rate of twenty-three cents per hour while employed.

Brennan, John J., No. 113 Christopher street.

Butler, Thomas, No. 283 Bleecker street.

Collins, Alexander, No. 100 Christopher street.

Daly, James, No. 89 Christopher street.

Donohue, Daniel J., No. 383 Park avenue.

Gerken, Charles, No. 77 Sixth avenue.

Greenberg, George A., No. 30 Rivington street.

Herrlich, Christian, No. 84 East Tenth street.

Horan, John F., No. 78 East Ninth street.

Johnson, Thomas, No. 270 West Twelfth street.

Lamey, James J., No. 270 West Eleventh street.

O'Donovan, Cornelius, No. 77 Greenwich avenue.

Rafes, James, No. 113 Christopher street.

Riley, James A., No. 33 West Thirteenth street.

Stripp, John B., No. 40 Dominick street.

Waterman, Julius, No. 46 Canal street.

From August Miller, Foreman of Laborers, and William Bentham, Laborer—Tendering their resignations. Resignations accepted.

From the Dock Superintendent—Reporting the death of Thomas Blaney, Laborer. Secretary directed to take his name from the list of employees.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Recommending that Michael Hayes, Dock Builder, be discharged for incompetency. Recommendation adopted.

2d. Recommending that Michael McFenney, Laborer, be taken from the list of employees, he having failed to report for duty. Recommendation adopted.

On motion, the minutes of the meeting held January 14, 1898, were amended by inserting therein the following preamble and resolution:

"Whereas, John Fitzgerald resigned from the service of this Department June 3, 1897,

"Resolved, That John Fitzgerald be and hereby is reinstated as Laborer, with compensation at the rate of \$17.50 per week of seven days, to take effect January 15, 1898."

On motion, Michael Johnston and Peter Lawrence, Dock Builders, were changed to Laborers.

On motion, the action of the Board of May 27, 1898, discharging Lawrence Maxwell, Blacksmith, was reconsidered, and said Maxwell reappointed, to take effect immediately.

On motion, Michael Redican was reinstated as Laborer, to take effect immediately.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That Edward J. White, of No. 222 East Sixty-fifth street, having been certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as eligible for such position, be and he hereby is appointed Carpenter in this Department, with compensation at the rate of thirty-nine cents per hour while employed.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks held Friday, July 22, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Cram and Commissioner Meyer.

Absent—Commissioner Murphy.

The minutes of the meeting held July 15, 1898, were approved.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 18251, submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for completing the recreation structure on Pier foot of North Second street, Borough of Brooklyn, was tabled.

The communication from Dock Master Bolles, in relation to the sunken condition of pavement on the bulkhead foot of Dock street, Borough of Brooklyn, was tabled, pending the receipt of an opinion from the Corporation Counsel as to the ownership of the property in question.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 18207, submitting cost of repairing damage to Pile Driver No. 13, amounting to \$96.70, was referred to the Treasurer for collection from the Norwich and New York Transportation Company.

The following communications were referred to Commissioner Meyer:

From property-owners and business men in the vicinity of Seventy-ninth street, North river—Requesting that this Department pave Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets, from the bulkhead to Twelfth avenue.

From Benjamin & Loeser, attorneys, on behalf of the Harlem Market Company—Requesting that the exterior street between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, Harlem river, be opened as soon as possible.

From Owens & Company—Requesting this Department to repair the bulkhead foot of East Forty-seventh street, together with the report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 18205, in relation thereto.

The following permit was granted to continue during the pleasure of the Board:

Thomas P. Kelly, to unload derrick stone on the bulkhead foot of West Ninety-ninth street, compensation to be paid therefor at the rate of \$1 per day, in addition to the regular wharfage, payable to the Dock Master.

The following permits were granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

William Simonson, to repair water-pipe at the foot of Charles street, North river, all pavement to be relaid by the force of this Department at the cost and expense of said permittee.

John Monks & Son, to repair Pier 14, East river, the work to be kept within existing lines.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Department of Finance—

1st. Advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been affixed to Contracts Nos. 613, 619, 621, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629 and 632.

2d. In relation to substitution of sureties on Contract No. 630.



On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted for the substitution of the United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company and the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, sureties, in the place of Stanley H. Miner and Charles A. Brown, on the proposal of Spearin & Preston, contractors, for preparing for and building a crib bulkhead, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, North river, under Contract No. 630.

3d. Transmitting agreement between the Board of Docks and the New Jersey Steamboat Company in relation to the improvement of the water-front southerly of Hoboken street, North river, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund indorsed thereon.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1st. Approving form of agreement submitted by Lydia L. Rapelye, consenting to the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted July 1, 1898, granting permission for the construction of a crib bulkhead on the East river, in the Borough of Queens.

2d. Stating that the barge "Lorillard Brick Works No. 1," should be charged the regular rate of wharfage, said barge not plying exclusively on the waters of the State of New York.

3d. Transmitting offer of compromise from the New York Lighterage Company, agreeing to pay one-half the cost of repairing the Pier at the foot of East Thirty-first street, where damaged by float owned by said company. Secretary directed to state that said offer of compromise is not acceptable to the Board.

From the Department of Sewers—

1st. Requesting copy of plan showing section of sewer now being constructed by this Department under the Pier foot of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to furnish same.

2d. In relation to the construction of sewers, between West Eleventh and Gansevoort streets, North river.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make the necessary sewer outlets between the westerly side of West street and the westerly line of the exterior street, between West Eleventh and Gansevoort streets, North river.

From the Department of Health—In relation to the unsanitary condition of the pipes stored on the Pier foot of East Twenty-eighth street. Secretary directed to request the Department of Water Supply to take the necessary steps to abate the nuisance complained of.

From the Department of Public Charities—Requesting this Department to replace five clusters of piles opposite the Almshouse at Blackwell's Island. Engineer-in-Chief directed to replace same.

From the Bureau of Municipal Statistics—Requesting a set of the marginal maps of the water-front of The City of New York. Engineer-in-Chief directed to furnish same.

From the Department of Education—In relation to the setting aside of a portion of the Recreation Piers for school purposes. Secretary directed to reply.

From The Atlantic Transportation Company—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolutions adopted July 15, 1898, leasing to said company the Pier foot of West Forty-fourth street, North river. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of lease.

From the Long Island Railroad Company—Declining to accept leases of the East Thirty-fourth Street and James Slip ferries, in their present form. Secretary directed to transmit forms of leases, amended in accordance with the request of said company, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for approval.

From the Brooklyn and New York Ferry Company—In relation to repairs required to the ferry rack north of Pier, new 29, East river.

From John H. Mann, attorney—Transmitting copy of notice of William Jennings and Oliver G. Jennings, for a grant of land under water in the Borough of Queens. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to oppose the granting of said application.

From Captain J. L. Killmer—Requesting a reduction in the rental fixed July 15, 1898, for the landing of the steamer "Guide" at the Battery Wharf.

On motion, the compensation to be charged for the privilege of landing the steamer "Guide" was fixed at the rate of \$4 per day, and for the steamer "Defender" \$3 per day, payable as heretofore.

From R. P. & J. H. Staats—Requesting this Department to cut an opening for a soil-pipe near the foot of Bethune street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to cut said opening and to report the cost for collection from R. P. & J. H. Staats.

From John H. Starin—Requesting this Department to repair the Pier at the foot of South Fifth street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with shed thereon, and agreeing to pay the cost thereof.

On motion, the report of the Engineer-in-Chief in relation to repairs required to said pier and shed, was ordered on file, and the necessary repairs ordered to be done by the force of this Department, the cost to be collected from said John H. Starin.

From William T. Hookey—Requesting permission to use small abutment on the north side of the Harlem river, under the Third Avenue Bridge. Secretary directed to state that the property in question is not under the jurisdiction of this Department.

From J. B. & J. M. Cornell—Requesting permission to erect derrick and place tracks between Piers, new 56 and 57, North river.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted J. B. & J. M. Cornell to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board, derrick on the bulkhead between Piers, new 56 and 57, North river; also to change the location of the tracks on said bulkhead, upon the following conditions:

First—All structures erected and all alterations made under this permit to be under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, in accordance with plans to be first submitted to and approved by him.

Second—Messrs. Cornell to file an agreement with the Board of Docks, within five days after receipt hereof, to keep the pavement between the tracks in repair, and also agree to remove said derrick and tracks whenever ordered to do so by this Department.

From the Degnon-McLean Construction Company—Requesting permission to erect a derrick on the south side of the Pier foot of South Fifth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Degnon-McLean Construction Company to erect a derrick on the south side of the Pier foot of South Fifth street, Borough of Brooklyn, upon plans to be approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and all work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and upon the following condition:

That the said Degnon-McLean Construction Company will agree that if, during the time said derrick is erected, any accident shall occur to any person or property by or through or on account of said derrick, said company will hold the City free and harmless from any damage on account thereof; and in case of any judgment being recovered against the City by reason of such accident, then upon a written demand being made upon said company the same shall pay to the City the amount of such judgment, together with the costs and counsel fees attendant to the same.

The above resolution shall be of no force and effect unless the said Degnon-McLean Construction Company shall, within five days from receipt of a copy of same, accept in writing the terms and conditions thereof, and file a written agreement in this Department to that effect.

From the Dock Superintendent—Report for the week ending July 16, 1898.

From Dock Master Clark—Reporting repairs required to the Pier at Fifth street and Pier 62, East river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1898.

2d. Report for the week ending July 16, 1898.

3d. Reporting the illegal dumping of material along the water-front, between West Fifty-fifth and Fifty-seventh streets and Twelfth avenue. Secretary directed to request the Police Department to station an officer thereat to protect the interests of the City at the premises.

4th. In relation to repairs required to wharf property, etc., under the control of this Department.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Docks April 18, 1895, in reference to repairs to be made to wharf property, etc., be amended so as to read as follows:

"Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and is hereby directed to make repairs to wharf property under the control of this Department, and to take up and relay pavement at the cost and expense of persons desiring to repair pipes, etc., upon the approval of one Commissioner, at a cost not exceeding five hundred dollars for each piece of work."

5th. Reporting damage to the southerly side of shed on Pier, new 1, North river, by the steamship "Indralem," and recommending that repairs be made thereto, and the cost thereof collected from Funch, Edye & Co. Recommendation adopted.

6th. Recommending that repairs be made to Pier, new 6, East river. Recommendation adopted.

7th. Recommending that repairs be made to the fireboat landing at Battery Wharf, North river. Recommendation adopted.

The Acting Treasurer, Commissioner Meyer, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending July 22, 1898, amounting to \$16,483.19, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.
1898.			
July 15	Brown & Fleming.....	1 mos. rent, dump on Pier, old 42, N. R.....	\$233 34
" 15	" .....	" dump on Pier ft. 53th st., N. R.....	104 17
" 15	Simpson & Spence, Agents...	2 qrs. rent, Pier, new 56, N. R.....	7,500 00
" 18	Yellow Pine Co.....	" timber basin, S. 126th st., H. R.....	37 50
" 18	Cent. R. R. Co. of N. J.....	" Pier, ft. 15th st., N. R.....	2,750 00
" 19	Suburban Rapid Transit Co..	" l. u. w., bridge pier at 129th st. and 2d ave.....	125 00
" 19	Central Vermont R. R. Co....	" pfm., S. Pier 36, E. R.....	150 00
" 19	Henry Rothschild.....	" l. u. w., N. E. 74th st.....	149 00
" 19	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co...	" bhd. bet. 54th and 55th sts., N. R.....	687 50
" 19	Degnon & McLean Const. Co.	1 mos. rent, bhd. ft. S. 5th st., Brooklyn.....	80 00
" 20	H. A. Peck & Co.....	2 mos. rent, inner end N. side Pier 62, E. R.....	250 00
" 20	Cromwell S. S. Co.....	1 qrs. rent, l. u. w., pfm. bet. Piers 9 and 10, N. R.....	331 25
" 20	" .....	" l. u. w., pfm. bet. Piers 8 and 9, N. R.....	533 44
" 20	" .....	" l. u. w., extn. to Pier 9, N. R.....	142 13
" 20	Wm. Cruikshank, agent.....	" l. u. w., extn. to Pier 9, N. R.....	278 44
" 21	Norwich and N. Y. Propeller Co.....	1 mos. rent, berth str. "Chelsea," N. side Pier 18, E. R.....	350 00
" 15	M. C. Chamberlain.....	Cost repairing pavement ft. W. 132d st.....	2 90
" 15	Carroll Box and Lumber Co..	Cost repairing Pier ft. E. 18th st.....	16 26
" 19	Dock Master.....	Wharfage, July 18, 1898.....	1,877 48
" 21	Collector .....	" May, 1898.....	267 49
" 21	" .....	" June, 1898.....	617 29
Date deposited, July 22, 1898.....			\$16,483 19

Respectfully submitted,

PETER F. MEYER, Acting Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee submitted a report of fifteen bills or claims, amounting to \$14,150.16, which had been approved and audited. The report was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Names.	Construction—Wallabout Fund.	Amount.	Total.
17062.	Augustin Walsh, Estimate No. 4, contract.....			\$7,125 20
<i>Construction.</i>				
17063.	Henry P. Drew, wedges, bagging, sheets, etc.....		\$545 25	
17064.	Edward F. Keating, dock spikes.....		620 00	
17065.	Charles J. O'Neil, service of tugs.....		264 81	
17066.	John C. Orr & Co., spruce.....		259 88	
17067.	Seth Thomas Clock Company, tide gauge movements.....		99 00	
				1,788 94
<i>General Repairs.</i>				
17068.	John M. Sheehan, paving.....		\$893 50	
17069.	Henry P. Drew, painting.....		2,450 00	
17070.	M. Z. Hanau, service of band, etc.....		441 00	
17071.	Neumeier's Band, service of band, etc.....		336 00	
17072.	Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, service of band, etc.....		438 00	
17073.	The Brush Electric Illuminating Company.....		137 52	
17074.	James B. Cahill, service of horse cart and driver.....		105 00	
17075.	Thomas Kelly, sprinkling, etc.....		270 00	
17076.	Edward Carley, sprinkling, etc.....		165 00	
				5,236 02
				\$14,150 16

Respectfully submitted,

J. SERGEANT CRAM, Auditing  
PETER F. MEYER, Committee.

The action of the Secretary in transmitting same, with requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment, approved.

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls for the General Repairs and Construction Forces for the week ending July 15, 1898, amounting to \$11,860.60, and the pay-roll for the Wallabout Improvement Force for the week ending July 15, 1898, amounting to \$38.64, had been approved, audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance for payment.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

The Board went into executive session at 12.25 P. M.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Submitting list of persons eligible for appointment as Laborers.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following named persons, having been certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as eligible, be and they are hereby appointed Laborers in this Department, with compensation at the rate of twenty-three cents per hour while employed:

Benton, Charles A., No. 414 West Thirty-sixth street.  
Burkitt, William, No. 113 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.  
Butler, Edward, No. 2432 Eighth avenue.  
Campbell, Joseph, No. 173 East Ninety-ninth street.  
Chapman, Andrew, No. 140 West Fifty-third street.  
Collins, Stephen, No. 531 West Forty-third street.  
Connors, John W., No. 194 Mulberry street.  
Dinnin, William P., No. 28 Lewis street.  
Fink, John, No. 548 Ninth avenue.  
Gillison, George E., No. 412 Seventh avenue.  
Jackson, Thomas, No. 422 West Forty-fifth street.  
Long, James, No. 566 Eleventh avenue.  
McCarthy, John, No. 165 Chrystie street.  
Moore, Charles A., No. 173 East Ninety-ninth street.  
Sullivan, Timothy, No. 138 Elm street.  
Whiteus, George W., No. 122 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.  
Wood, Thomas P., No. 26 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Recommending that John Hatton and Merwin J. Page, Laborers, be promoted to Dock Builders. Recommendation adopted.

2d. Recommending that John Costello, Laborer, be suspended for a period of fifteen days for neglect of duty. Recommendation adopted.

From the Acting Treasurer, stating that the following resignations were accepted by him during the past week:

Crawford, Thomas, Laborer, No. 339 East Eighteenth street.  
Greenberg, George A., Laborer, No. 30 Rivington street.  
Heaney, John, Laborer, No. 335 Second avenue.  
Hogan, Thomas H., Laborer, No. 567 Hudson street.  
Johnston, Michael, Laborer, No. 195 Prince street.  
Maxwell, Lawrence, Blacksmith, One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, near Southern Boulevard.

Murphy, John, Laborer, No. 311 East Seventieth street.

Waterman, Julius, Laborer, No. 46 Canal street.

On motion, the minutes of the meeting held January 21, 1898, were amended by changing the title of Thomas S. Griffin from Rodman to Leveller.

On motion, Thomas Lamb and James Daly, Laborers, were discharged.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to request the Municipal Civil Service Commission to submit a list of persons eligible for appointment as Dock Builders from the Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.



## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
August 10, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby inform you of the following changes in the Department of Finance, viz.:

## APPOINTMENTS.

## Borough of Manhattan.

David Couse, Messenger, Paymaster's Office and Auditing Bureau, with compensation at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Gracie S. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, with compensation at the rate of \$1,800 per annum.

David Barnett, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, with compensation at the rate of \$1,300 per annum.

William H. Withey, Messenger in the Paymaster's Office and Auditing Bureau, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Andrew J. Fallon, Messenger in the Paymaster's Office and Auditing Bureau, with compensation at the rate of \$1,100 per annum.

Cyrus V. Kean, Messenger in the Paymaster's Office and Auditing Bureau, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

## Borough of Queens.

John H. Cornell, Inspector, temporarily, under Regulation 34 of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with compensation at the rate of \$1,100 per annum.

Charles A. Warren, Temporary Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Queens, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem.

## TRANSFERS.

R. Walter Creuzbaur, Assistant Engineer, from Department of Highways to Department of Finance, \$2,100 per annum.

J. B. McCarron, B. P. McCarthy, Assessment Clerks, from office of the Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, to the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.

## DESIGNATION OF COMPENSATION.

## Borough of Manhattan.

Comptroller's Office—Emma Colford, Typewriter, \$1,200 per annum.

Auditing Bureau—Jeremiah I. Bacon, Registrar of Claims, \$1,250 per annum; Thomas J. Canavan, Examiner, etc., \$1,800 per annum.

## Borough of Richmond.

Edwin S. Twyford, Deputy Auditor, \$1,800 per annum.

## RESIGNATIONS.

Louis M. King, Security Deposit Clerk, Borough of Manhattan.

## REMOVAL.

Robert Nimmo, Chief Clerk, Taxes and Assessments, Comptroller's office, Borough of Brooklyn. Position abolished.

Respectfully,

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Police of the Police Department of The City of New York, held on the 26th day of July, 1898.

Present—Commissioners York (President), Sexton, Hess and Abell.

The minutes of July 20 were read and approved.

## Leave of Absence was Granted to

Deputy Chief Moses W. Cortright, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Surgeon C. H. Terry, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Inspector John J. Harley, Sixth District, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Captain James Kenney, Forty-third Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

David V. Lawson, Forty-fourth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Edmund Brown, Forty-seventh Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Thomas L. Druhan, Fiftieth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

James Ennis, Fifty-fourth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Stephen Martin, Fifty-sixth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Stephen Martin, Fifty-sixth Precinct, ten days, half pay.

J. Addison Corwin, Fifty-ninth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

James G. Reynolds, Detective Bureau, twenty days, with pay, vacation.

Sergeant Thomas Boyle, Seventy-fifth Precinct, fifteen days, without pay.

Doorman William H. Burrell, Fortieth Precinct, thirty days, without pay.

## THE FOLLOWING REPORTS, ETC., WERE ORDERED ON FILE:

Department of Buildings—Relative to unsafe condition of Thirty-seventh Precinct Station-house.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Adam Wagner, Fifteenth Precinct.

Death of Patrolman Isaac D. Lopez, Fourth Precinct, at 5 A.M., 21st instant; Patrolman George D. Fonda, Sixty-fourth Precinct, at 7 A.M., 23d instant.

American Hard Rubber Company—Acknowledgment.

E. C. Goodrich—Acknowledgment.

William H. Thornton—Asking reinstatement of Edward A. Ansart as Patrolman.

Patrolman Wilbur F. Barker, Forty-fourth Precinct—Asking promotion.

Fifteenth Precinct—Relative to violation of concert law, Nos. 134 and 136 East Fourteenth street.

Twenty-ninth Precinct—Relative to new place of amusement at No. 333 East One Hundred and Ninth street.

## Send Copies.

Chief of Police—Report of number of horses, etc., in Department. Copy to each Commissioner.

Thirteenth Precinct—On complaint of Dr. S. Friedman, as to express wagons.

Eighteenth Precinct—On complaint of S. Auerbach, as to house No. 137 Third avenue.

Bureau of Information—On inquiry of Thomas A. Hinton, as to John Spengler. To Mayor.

Bureau of Information—On inquiry of Joseph Bare, Jr., as to his wife. To Mayor.

Bureau of Information—On inquiry of Mrs. Nathan Kraus, as to her son David. To Mayor.

## The following Communications were Referred to the Treasurer:

Comptroller—Calling for Departmental Estimate for 1899.

Copy of orders reinstating Peter Cassidy and George T. Reeves.

Bond of Inspector Walter L. Thompson. Approved.

## The following Communications were Referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies:

Sergeant Mullen, Sanitary Company—Report of accident to horse and wagon.

Fiftieth Precinct—Report of condition of patrol wagon.

## The following Communications were Referred to the Committee on Pensions:

Elizabeth G. O'Neill, guardian of children of late Patrolman John H. O'Neill. For pension.

Mary E. Fagan—For pension.

Bridget Tracey—Asking reconsideration of pension denied.

Patrolman Jacob Tooker, Fifth Precinct—Application for retirement.

Patrolman Martin Hines, Sixty-fourth Precinct—Application for retirement.

Board of Surgeons—Reports on examination of Patrolman Sylvester Rogers, Fifty-third Precinct, and Patrolman Patrick Byrnes, Seventy-third Precinct.

## The following Communications were Referred to the Chief Clerk to Answer:

Mayor—Inquiry of George F. Johnson and George F. Woods, as to payment of Election Inspectors.

Corporation Counsel—Asking for information in certain cases.

John B. Lombard—Asking license for runner.

George B. Dalrymple—Asking appointment blank.

Carrie Haywood—Asking back salary of Patrolman Henry Haywood, reported killed in battle.

## THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATIONS WERE REFERRED TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE:

Adolph Herderich—Asking removal of his photograph from Brooklyn Gallery.

Benjamin F. Auchell—Recommending Bicycle Squad for Brooklyn.

Richard Alexander—Inclosing diagram of site for station-house.

Eilblintz—Complaint of lot as dumping ground, West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Citizen—Complaint of child improperly treated, No. 18 Mott street.

Citizen—Complaint of No. 37 Ann street.

Victim—Complaint of Gem Company, No. 134 East Twenty-fifth street.

## For Report.

Mayor—Inquiry of Thomas J. Dyke as to J. Lyman & Co.

Mayor—Inquiry of Mattie A. Poland as to the "Family Physician" and "National Home-stead Company."

Ludwig Hartman—Inquiry as to his mother.

Stephen H. Mills—Relative to loss of boat.

Michael A. Burns—Asking permission to take his brother, Patrolman Andrew Burns, out of the city on sick leave.

Michael Ochytza—Complaint of his wife and Stack Kudlich.

J. J. Cottingham—Complaint of two Policemen.

James H. Booth—Complaint of Roundsman Benjamin Wolf, Thirty-eighth Precinct.

Edward J. Tilyou—Asking appointment of Fred. Steffens as Special Patrolman.

Charles Sanier—Asking appointment of Henry Schmitz as Special Patrolman.

Michele Russo—Asking appointment of John Cuzzo as Special Patrolman.

J. T. Balmer—Asking appointment of Mr. Wright as Special Patrolman.

George N. Brown—Asking appointment of George Marvin and George Baird as Special Patrolmen.

## The following Law Cases were Referred to the Corporation Counsel:

N. Y. Supreme Court—The People ex rel. James F. Mallon. Writ of certiorari.

City Court—Louis Reiser vs. Patrolman Thomas J. Quilty. Summons.

Second District Court—James Mahoney vs. Property Clerk. For recovery ten bags of wool.

Henry A. Montfort—Claiming that James J. Rooney, reinstated, should be given different grade. For opinion.

Report of Captain Smith, Forty-second Precinct, of employment of James Leavey as Assistant Engineer on steamer "Patrol," was approved.

Application of Patrolman John Dugan, Fifty-first Precinct, for new blouse and trousers to replace those torn in discharge of duty, was granted.

Application of Patrolman William H. Ennis, Sixty-fifth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was laid over.

## On report of the Auditors—

Resolved, That the following bills for election expenses be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment:

Fulton Publishing Company, stationery, etc.	\$35 00
" " " " " "	71 00
" " " " " "	242 50
American Steel House Company, placing and removing polling-houses.	290 00
Martin B. Brown Company, stationery, etc.	13 30
" " " " " "	49 52
" " " " " "	735 00
" " " " " "	495 00
" " " " " "	995 00
George Sandhusen, traveling expenses.	3 40
John Hogg, labor.	10 00
Joseph Plunkett, labor.	10 00
John H. Timmerman, pay-roll Poll Clerks.	8 00
	\$2,957 72

Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby appointed Special Patrolmen in the service of the parties named:

Henry J. McGonigal for Lang & Fitzpatrick.

Israel Russman for G. Rosenberg.

Frank Isebrandt for Cyrus B. Gale.

The following proposals were opened and read for supplying and delivering to the several boroughs, as per schedule, cards, etc., viz.:

Fulton Publishing Company	\$280 00	M. B. Brown Company	\$349 00
J. W. Pratt Company	375 00	Jordan Stationery Company	360 00
Unz & Co.	303 75	Metropolitan Job Print	360 35

## Whereupon, it was

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to communicate with the Fulton Publishing Company, asking them to deduct from the amount of their bid the amounts which they would have included for furnishing:

10,000 character report cards, green.

10,000 " " red.

5,000 " " lilac.

5,000 " " yellow.

5,000 " " salmon.

5,000 " " blue.

Resolved, That the proposal of Peters & Heins for building and furnishing two patrol wagons, as per specifications, for the sum of three hundred and sixty-nine dollars each, be and is hereby accepted, they being the lowest bidders, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to prepare form of agreement for the purpose of carrying out such contract.

Resolved, That the proposal of John Kennedy & Son for making general repairs to the rear and side walls of the Fifty-ninth Precinct Patrol Stable, situate on Clymer street and Lee avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, as per specifications, for the sum of five hundred and sixty-eight dollars, be and is hereby accepted, they being the lowest bidders, and the Chief Clerk is directed to prepare form of agreement for the purpose of carrying out such contract.

Resolved, That the proposal of Joseph W. O'Brien to furnish all materials and labor and to perform work in making water connections from Croton main in the grounds of the New York Botanical Garden to the Forty-first Precinct Police Station (Lorillard Mansion) and stable for the Police Department of The City of New York, in accordance with specifications, for the sum of nine hundred and eighty-five dollars, be and is hereby accepted, he being the lowest bidder, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to prepare form of agreement for the purpose of carrying out such contract, with bond in two sureties in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Resolved, That the Chief be requested to assign Patrolman Patrick F. Doyle, of the Seventh Precinct, to the Tenement-house Squad, in place of Patrolman John P. Kelly, hereby remanded to patrol duty.

On reading and filing report of Sergeant Washington Mullen, Sanitary Company, submitting copies of correspondence between himself and W. A. Powers, Superintendent of Steam Boilers, Borough of Brooklyn, concerning the matter of horse and wagon hire in that borough—

Resolved, That Sergeant Mullen be directed to report whether there are sufficient wagons and horses now in the Bureau to cover the territory by an assignment of horses and wagons and dispense with the services of E. Kimball.

On reading and filing communication from Timothy Hanlon, Acting Janitor, relative to accumulation of old reports—

Resolved, That the Property Clerk be directed to include the same in his next regular sale, with stipulation to be made that such reports are to be destroyed.

Resolved, That Cornell Abell be and is hereby appointed Private Secretary to Commissioner Abell, at the rate of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Resolved, That the Chief be directed to select four wagon horses in place of the horses rejected by the Board, and that he select the same at a cost not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars each.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to request bids for supplying the Police Department with six order books as per sample, and one hundred and fifty requisition books as per sample; such bids to be obtained from the Fulton Publishing Company, the Martin B. Brown Company, the J. W. Pratt Company, the Jordan Stationery Company, Unz & Co. and Metropolitan Job Print.

Resolved, That the proposals of the Martin B. Brown Company, the J. W. Pratt Company, the Jordan Stationery Company, the Fulton Publishing Company and Unz & Co., for supplying the Bureau of Elections with enrollment books, be referred to the Superintendent of Elections for information as to which of said bidders is best qualified to furnish the books in accordance with the requisition.

Resolved, That the proposals of the Deutz Lithographing Company, Robert A. Welcke, the J. W. Pratt Company and Unz & Co., for supplying election maps, be referred to the Superintendent of Elections for information as to which of said bidders is best qualified to furnish said maps in accordance with the requisition.

Resolved, That the proposal of the Martin B. Brown Company for supplying the Bureau of Elections with stationery, in accordance with schedule attached thereto, for the sum of eight hundred and forty-five dollars, be and is hereby accepted, they being the lowest bidders, and that the Superintendent of Elections prepare agreement with the M. B. Brown Company, for the purpose of carrying out such contract.

Resolved, That the following licenses be granted:

George Jaboe, Tilyou Walk, Coney Island, amusement, three months, fee \$150.

Greenwood Benevolent Athletic Association, Nos. 166 and 168 Twenty-fifth street, Brooklyn, Ent. and Ex., one year, fee \$500.

Guiseppi D'Amico, No. 196 Grand street, concert, three months, fee \$150.



Hertig, Seaman & Tuck, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 George Bechtold, Nos. 114 and 116 East Thirteenth street, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Pasquale Buonara, No. 172 Stone avenue, Brooklyn, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Patrick H. McGann, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 H. N. Henderson & Son, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Solomon Pariser, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 John I. Rowe, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Henry Connors, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Leopold Reblsheimer, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 Henry Koster, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 George Lawrence, Coney Island, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 William Nunley, South Beach, Richmond, concert, three months, fee \$150.  
 John T. Davis, No. 400 West Twenty-fourth street, runner, fee \$20, bond \$300.  
 Resolved, That the application of Anie Giese, West Farms road, for concert license, be denied.

On reading and filing order of the New York Supreme Court—  
 Resolved, That William T. Somerville be restored to duty as Patrolman, the Chief to assign.  
 Trial was had of charges preferred against members of the force before Commissioner Abell, and Commissioner Abell reported the disposition of such trials, as follows:

#### Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Michael J. O'Laughlin, Forty-eighth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.  
 " John S. Finn, Fifty-seventh Precinct, violation of rules, two days' pay.  
 " Pantaleon Candidus, Sixty-third Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.

#### Reprimand.

Patrolman Louis Cohen, Fifty-eighth Precinct, violation of rules.

#### Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman George Brennan, Forty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " Charles Howard, Forty-ninth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Patrick H. Conway, Fifty-seventh Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Henry A. Miller, Seventy-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 No. 346 BROADWAY,  
 NEW YORK, August 8, 1898.

#### To the Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with section 132, Laws of 1897, a meeting of the Municipal Statistical Commission was called for Friday, August 5, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. The members who appeared were Ernest Harvier, Thornton N. Motley and John T. Nagle. No quorum being present, the meeting adjourned.

JOHN T. NAGLE, Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics.

AUGUST 8, 1898.

I send you herewith brief abstract of transactions of this Bureau since statement of June 30. Communications received and attended to, from the following:  
 Maurice F. Holahan, President, Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, in regard to the topography and geology of the Borough of The Bronx.  
 Dr. Antonio Penafiel, Director General of Statistics, Mexico.  
 Thomas E. Crimmins, No. 50 East Fifty-ninth street.  
 Treasury Department, office of the Commissioner-General of Immigration, Washington, D. C.  
 Frank H. Larned, Acting Commissioner-General of Immigration, Washington, D. C.  
 G. L. Gomme, Statistical Officer, Statistical Department, London County Council, England.  
 Heinrich Silbergleit, Director of the Statistical Bureau of Magdeburg.  
 H. Hollerith, General Manager, the Tabulating Machine Company, Washington, D. C.  
 Professor Edmund J. James, of the University of Chicago (twice).  
 Richard Rathbun, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Exchanges, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.  
 W. K. Van Reypen, Surgeon General, U. S. N.  
 Director Trebau of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics of Altona, Germany.  
 Messrs Pitt & Scott, New York City.  
 Hon. W. H. Burke, Secretary, Department of Docks and Ferries, New York City.  
 W. B. Howell, Assistant Secretary, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.  
 Col. W. H. Kipp, Chief Clerk, Police Department, City of New York.  
 Alfred M. Downes, Secretary, Office of the Mayor.  
 Dr. Otto Meyer, Ph. D., Richmond, Va.  
 Messrs. Anthony McOwen and Thomas M. Lynch, Coroners, Borough of The Bronx.  
 Charles Schneller, Clerk, Board of Coroners, Borough of Queens.  
 Solon Berrick, Deputy Supervisor, City Record, New York City.  
 Hon. Smith E. Lane, Commissioner and Secretary, Commission of the New East River Bridge, New York City.  
 Daniel M. Kelly, Clerk, Board of Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 Patrick H. Pickett, Warden, New York County Jail.  
 Hon. T. J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
 Hon. H. W. Gray, Special Commissioner of Jurors.  
 Augustus T. Docharty, Secretary, Fire Department, New York City.  
 John H. Campbell, Deputy Chamberlain, New York City.  
 S. P. Langley, Secretary, Bureau of International Exchanges, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.  
 John H. Mooney, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements, New York City.  
 E. C. Bridgman, New York City.  
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JOHN T. NAGLE, Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
 OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,  
 NEW YORK, August 15, 1898.

#### Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter, notice is hereby given you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, of the following appointments, made temporarily, in the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn:

Joseph E. Delaney, No. 363 Ewen street, Brooklyn, Dump Inspector.  
 Cornelius Driscoll, No. 221 South First street, Brooklyn, Tug and Scow Inspector.  
 Michael D. Herzog, No. 935 Broadway, Brooklyn, Tug and Scow Inspector.  
 Patrick Callahan, No. 306 South Third street, Brooklyn, Dump Inspector.  
 John Fahn, No. 147 Central avenue, Brooklyn, Dump Inspector.  
 John J. Hoffman, No. 207 Throop avenue, Brooklyn, Tug and Scow Inspector.  
 Thos. E. Dunnigan, No. 90 State street, Brooklyn, Dump Inspector.  
 Patrick F. Dwyer, No. 387 Hicks street, Brooklyn, Time Collector.  
 The salaries of the above Inspectors is \$1,000 per year each, and that of Patrick F. Dwyer Time Collector, \$1,200. All of said appointments to take effect from August 12.

Yours respectfully,

PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn



METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Central Park, New York—Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending August 6, 1898.

## Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
JULY AND AUGUST.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 31	29.842	29.850	29.900	29.864	29.904	12 P. M.
Monday, 1	29.940	29.916	29.900	29.919	29.962	9 A. M.
Tuesday, 2	29.944	29.954	29.956	29.951	29.970	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 3	29.988	29.962	29.910	29.953	29.988	9 A. M.
Thursday, 4	29.912	29.844	29.816	29.857	29.912	7 A. M.
Friday, 5	29.814	29.922	29.980	29.905	29.988	12 P. M.
Saturday, 6	30.004	29.980	29.940	29.975	30.004	9 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.918 inches.  
Maximum " at 9 A. M., August 6th..... 30.004 "  
Minimum " at 3 A. M., August 5th..... 29.760 "  
Range "..... .244 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
JULY AND AUGUST.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 31	78	76	82	81	83.0	79.6	92
Monday, 1	77	76	79	77	77.6	75.6	81
Tuesday, 2	76	73	84	79	79.6	74.0	86
Wednesday, 3	75	72	80	74	77.0	74.3	83
Thursday, 4	77	73	90	81	77.6	77.6	92
Friday, 5	67	65	80	69	74.3	68.0	82
Saturday, 6	71	64	81	69	76.3	67.6	83

Mean for the week..... 78.8 degrees.  
Maximum " at 4 P. M., 31st..... 92 "  
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 5th..... 67 "  
Range "..... 25 "

## Wind.

DATE.	DISSECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.
JULY AND AUG.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 31....	NW	NE	NW
Monday, 1....	NE	ENE	NE
Tuesday, 2....	NNW	WNW	ESE
Wednesday, 3....	N	S	SSE
Thursday, 4....	NW	SSE	S
Friday, 5....	NNW	NW	WSW
Saturday, 6....	WNW	W	WSW

Distance traveled during the week..... 713 miles.  
Maximum force..... 6 1/4 pounds.

## Hygrometer.

## Clouds.

## Rain and Snow. Ozone.

DATE.	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, OVERCAST, TO.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.
JULY AND AUGUST.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.
Sunday, 31	.870	.997	.044	.970
Monday, 1	.883	.814	.883	.860
Tuesday, 2	.771	.746	.772	.763
Wednesday, 3	.744	.758	.900	.800
Thursday, 4	.757	.033	.873	.887
Friday, 5	.591	.561	.652	.601
Saturday, 6	.503	.547	.639	.563

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.25 inch.  
Duration for the week..... 14 hours, 20 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, July 31	Calm, close.	Calm, close.
Monday, Aug. 1	Close, sultry.	Close, sultry.
Tuesday, " 2	Warm, pleasant.	Warm, calm.
Wednesday, " 3	Close, hazy.	Close, overcast.
Thursday, " 4	Close, hazy, lightning and thunder 1 A. M.	Warm, pleasant breeze.
Friday, " 5	Mild, raining, lightning and thunder 1 A. M.	Warm, pleasant.
Saturday, " 6	Warm, pleasant.	Warm, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 330.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Michael's Protestant Episcopal Church to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

Southwest corner of Ninety-third street and Columbus avenue;  
Southwest corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Columbus avenue;  
Southeast corner of Ninety-ninth street and Amsterdam avenue; and  
Northeast corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Western Boulevard;

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for two weeks from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 14, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, August 2, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, August 9, 1898.

No. 331.

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

Southeast corner of Cherry and Roosevelt streets; and  
Northeast corner of James and Cherry streets;

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for one month from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 14, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, August 2, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, August 9, 1898.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
NEW YORK, August 15, 1898.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Saturday, August 13, 1898:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Aug. 8, 1898	32	\$721 00
Tuesday, " 9, "	22	220 50
Wednesday, " 10, "	31	263 50
Thursday, " 11, "	28	255 75
Friday, " 12, "	32	217 75
Saturday, " 13, "	9	111 00
Totals.....	154	\$1,789 50

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Aug. 8, 1898	178	\$1,023 50
Tuesday, " 9, "	143	428 50
Wednesday, " 10, "	158	456 00
Thursday, " 11, "	100	287 50
Friday, " 12, "	86	253 50
Saturday, " 13, "	55	177 50
Totals.....	720	\$2,626 50

DAVID J. ROCHE,  
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
NO. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I herewith notify you of the appointment of James McKenna as Confidential Inspector in the Department of Buildings in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, on August 8, 1898, at \$1,200 per annum.

Yours respectfully,

A. J. JOHNSON,

Secretary to the Board of Buildings.

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 2, 1898.

In pursuance of chapter 378, section 452 of the Laws of 1897, I do empower William N. Shannon, Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of Manhattan, to perform all and every duty belonging to the office of Commissioner of Highways for a period of one month from this date.

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

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 346 BROADWAY,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, August 15, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby notify you, for publication, of the following-named appointment in the Topographical Bureau of this office, viz.: James I. Jacobs, No. 171 Broome street, Manhattan, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

Respectfully,  
JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 346 BROADWAY,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, August 15, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby notify you, for publication, of the following-named appointments in the Topographical Bureau of this office, viz.:

Chairman and Rodman.

Victor H. Reichelt, No. 322 Robbins avenue, Bronx, salary \$720.

## Transitman.

John F. Torpey, No. 223 St. Ann's avenue, Bronx, salary \$1,200.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
ZEBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,  
August 15, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that, by order of the Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, the following changes have been made in the working force of this Department:

Discharged.

Thomas Ferris and Michael Colligan.

Respectfully yours,

MAX K. KAHN,

Private Secretary.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief.  
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy.

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MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

## BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12, City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of the Bronx.

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

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 1 Borough Hall; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.  
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No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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**THOMAS R. FARRELL**, Deputy for Brooklyn.  
**JAMES H. MALONEY**, Deputy for Bronx.  
**JOHN P. MADDEN**, Deputy for Queens.  
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## Department of Sewers.

[Nos. 265 and 267 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.]  
**JAMES KANE**, Commissioner of Sewers.  
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**THOMAS J. BYRNES**, Deputy for Bronx.  
**WILLIAM BRENNAN**, Deputy for Brooklyn.  
**MATTHEW J. GOLDNER**, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens.  
**HENRY P. MORRISON**, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

## Department of Bridges.

Room 177, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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**THOMAS H. VORSE**, Deputy.  
**SAMUEL R. PROBASCO**, Chief Engineer.  
**MATTHEW H. MOORE**, Deputy for Bronx.  
**HARRY BEAM**, Deputy for Brooklyn.  
**JOHN E. BACKUS**, Deputy for Queens.

## Department of Water Supply.

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

## Department of Street Cleaning.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JAMES MCCARTNEY**, Commissioner, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan.  
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**PATRICK H. QUINN**, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37 Municipal Building.  
**JOSEPH LIEBERTZ**, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.  
**JOHN P. MADDEN**, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City.  
**Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.**  
 No. 346 Broadway, Room 1142, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**HENRY S. KEARNEY**, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.  
**PETER J. DOOLING**, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.  
**WILLIAM WALTON**, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.  
**HENRY SUTPHIN**, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.  
**EDWARD I. MILLER**, Deputy Commissioner for Richmond.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

## Comptroller's Office.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**BIRD S. COLER**, Comptroller.  
**MICHAEL T. DALY**, Deputy Comptroller.  
**EDGAR J. LEVY**, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.  
**EDWARD GILON**, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
**DAVID O'BRIEN**, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets, Borough of Manhattan.  
**DAVID E. AUSTEN**, Receiver of Taxes.  
**JOHN J. McDONOUGH**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.  
**JAMES B. BOUCK**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.  
**JOHN F. COULDSBURY**, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Manhattan.  
**WILLIAM MCKINNY**, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.  
**MICHAEL O'KEEFE**, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.  
**WALTER H. HOLT**, Auditor, Borough of Richmond.  
**JOHN J. FETHERSTON**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.  
**GEORGE BRAND**, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.  
**EDWARD J. CONNELL**, Auditor, Borough of The Bronx.  
**FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.  
**FRANCIS R. CLAIR**, Auditor, Borough of Queens.

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**PATRICK KEENAN**, City Chamberlain.

## Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JOHN H. TIMMERMAN**, City Paymaster.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Corporation Counsel.

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
**JOHN WHALEN**, Corporation Counsel.  
**THEODORE CONOLLY**, W. W. LADD, JR., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.  
**ALBERT F. JENKS**, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

**Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**  
 Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

**ADRIAN T. KIERMAN**, Assistant Corporation Counsel.  
**Bureau of Street Openings.**  
 Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.  
**JOHN P. DUNN**, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

## Central Office.

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

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## Headquarters.

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**JAMES H. TULLY**, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
**AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY**, Secretary.

**HUGH BONNER**, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
**JAMES DALE**, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
**GEORGE E. MURRAY**, Inspector of Combustibles.  
**PETER SEERY**, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.  
**JOHN M. GRAY**, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
**GEORGE E. MCQUAID** (temporary), Assistant Fire Marshal, Borough of Manhattan.  
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## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**MICHAEL C. MURPHY**, President, and **WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.**, **JOHN B. COSEY, M. D.**, the President of the Police Board, ex officio, and the Health Officer of the Port, ex officio, Commissioners;  
**EMMONS CLARK**, Secretary.

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**Board of Education.**  
 No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.  
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**School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.**  
 No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.  
**CHARLES BULKLEY HUBBELL**, President; **ARTHUR McMULLIN**, Secretary.

**School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.**  
 No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn.  
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 Flushing, L. I.  
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**GEORGE V. BROWER**, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.  
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 Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.  
**J. SERGEANT CRAM**, President; **CHARLES F. MURPHY**, Treasurer; **PETER F. MEYER**, Commissioners.  
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## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Main Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.  
**THOMAS J. BRADY**, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**  
 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
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**EDWARD C. SHEEHY**, **ARTHUR C. SALMON**, **THOMAS J. PATTERSON** and **WILLIAM GRELL**, Commissioners.

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No. 346 Broadway (N. Y. Life Insurance Building), Rooms 1033 and 1034. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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 Criminal Court Building, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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 Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

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Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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 Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JOHN PURCELL**, Commissioner.

## SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM SOMMER**, County Clerk.  
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**WILLIAM A. BUTLER**, Supervisor; **SOLOMON BERRICK**, Deputy Supervisor; **THOMAS C. COWELL**, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**ASA BIRD GARDINER**, District Attorney; **WILLIAM J. MCKENNA**, Chief Clerk.

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 Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.  
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**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
**ANTHONY J. BURGER**, **GEORGE W. DELAP**.

**Borough of Queens.**  
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## SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house, Court opens at 10.30 A. M. adjourns 4 P. M.  
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 Meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 P. M.

## SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I., Room No. 12.  
 Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.  
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.  
 Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 21.  
 Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 25.  
 Special Term, Part VIII., Room No. 34.  
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 16.  
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.  
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.  
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 32.  
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 30.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 22.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.  
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## CITY COURT.

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

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

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

**APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**  
 Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT**, Presiding Justice; **GEORGE C. BARRETT**, **CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN**, **EDWARD PATTERSON**, **MORGAN J. O'BRIEN**, **GEORGE L. INGRAHAM**, **WILLIAM RIMSEY**, Justices, **ALFRED WAGSTAFF**, Clerk. **WM. LAMB, JR.**, Deputy Clerk.

## CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

## CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
**City Magistrates**—**HENRY A. BRANN**, **ROBERT C. CORNELL**, **LEROY B. CRANE**, **JOSEPH M. DEUEL**, **CHARLES A. FLAMMER**, **HERMAN C. KUDLICH**, **CLARENCE W. MEADE**, **JOHN O. MOTT**, **JOSEPH POOL**, **CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR.**, **THOMAS F. WENTWORTH**, **W. H. OLMSTED**, **EBEN DEMAREST**, Secretary.  
 First District—Criminal Court Building.  
 Second District—Jefferson Market.  
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.  
 Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

## SECOND DIVISION.

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

## Borough of Queens.

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

## Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. **JOHN CROAK**, Magistrate.  
 Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. **NATHANIEL MARSH**, Magistrate.  
 Secretary to the Board, **CHARLES B. COATES**, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

## 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. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers street (Brown Stone Building).  
**WAUHOPE LYNN**, Justice. **FRANK L. BACON**, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
**HERMANN BOLTE**, Justice. **FRANCIS MANGIN**, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WM. F. MOORE**, Justice. **DANIEL WILLIAMS**, Clerk.  
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
**GEORGE F. RORSCH**, Justice. **JOHN E. LYNCH**, Clerk.  
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
**HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE**, Justice. **JEREMIAH HAYES**, 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. **ABRAHAM BERNARD**, Clerk.  
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
**JOHN B. MCKEAN**, Justice. **PATRICK MCDAVITT**, Clerk.  
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.  
 Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays  
**JOSEPH H. STINEK**, Justice. **THOMAS COSTIGAN**, Clerk.  
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
**JOSEPH P. FALLON**, Justice. **W**



## Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.

JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD E. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk.

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

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

WILLIAM SCHNITZSPAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. CONRADY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLING-HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on West Eighth street, near Surf avenue, Coney Island (located temporarily).

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

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

Third District—JAMES F. MCLOUGHLIN.

## Borough of Richmond.

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

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

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

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield).

Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton Park, Stapleton.

ALBERT REYNAUD, Justice; PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

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

## OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH."

Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."

Weekly—"Weekly Union," "Irish American," "German," "Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,

Supervisor, City Record.

JANUARY 19, 1898

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
No. 346 BROADWAY.

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 Degraw street, between Nostrand avenue and New York 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, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 31st day of August, 1898, 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 10th day of August, 1898, 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 Degraw street, between Nostrand avenue and New York avenue, in the Borough of the Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1st. Beginning at the intersection of Nostrand avenue, the elevation to be 103 feet above mean high-water datum.

2d. Thence easterly to a point distant 200 feet from the southeast house-line intersection, the elevation to be 104 feet above mean high-water datum.

3d. Thence easterly to the intersection of New York avenue, the elevation to be 97.08 feet above mean high-water datum.

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, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 31st day of August, 1898, 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 and Corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sunday and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 31st day of August, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
No. 346 BROADWAY.

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 Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river, 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 at No. 346 Broadway, on the 17th day of August, 1898, 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 3d day of August, 1898, 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 Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the centre line of East End avenue and the centre line of East Eighty-fourth street, elevation

41 feet, 10 inches above city base; thence easterly along the centre line of East Eighty-fourth street, distance 320 feet, elevation 35 feet 9 inches.

All elevations above city datum.

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, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 17th day of August, 1898, 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, Sunday and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of August, 1898.

Dated New York, August 5, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, August 15, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 400 of the Charter of the City of New York, that petitions signed by residents of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements, as to condition of sidewalks at Nos. 20 and 22 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, have been filed in this office, and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 23d day of August, 1898, at 12 M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS,

President.

I. E. RIDER,

Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
MAIN OFFICE, NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING,  
No. 346 BROADWAY,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

CONTRACT FOR THE UNLOADING OF DECK SCOWS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT RIKER'S ISLAND.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE contract, included in sealed envelopes, and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of the said bid or estimate, will be received at the Main Office, New York Life Building, No. 346 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, of the City of New York, until 12 M., of

FRIDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1898,

at which time and place said bids or estimates will be publicly opened and read. The said contract is to be for a term of one (1) year from the date of execution thereof.

The person or persons to whom the said contract may be awarded will be required to execute the said contract within five (5) days of the receipt of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned the said contract, and as in default of the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may re-advertise and relet the contract, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state, under oath, in their bids or estimates, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the said work; that it 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, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

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

The price in the bid or estimate must be written, and must also be given in figures. This price must distinctly be so much for "small" scow loads, so much for "large" scow loads, so much for "extra large" scow loads; and it is understood that by a "small" scow load is meant a load of ashes, street sweepings and rubbish carried upon such scows as have a capacity of about 550 cubic yards of such material, and that by a "large" scow load is meant a load of ashes, street sweepings and rubbish carried by such scows as have a capacity of about 650 cubic yards, and that by an "extra large" scow load is meant a load of ashes, street sweepings and rubbish carried by such scows as have a capacity of about 825 cubic yards, all of which will be more specifically set forth in the form of contract itself.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all bids should he deem it best for the interest of the City so to do. The said Commissioner also reserves the right to select from the bids received that bid, the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, best secure the efficient performance of the work. No bid will be accepted from, nor will the contract be 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.

Each bid or estimate shall also be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of two guarantee or surety companies, duly authorized by law to act as surety, incorporated under the Laws of the City of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to a person or persons making the bid or estimate, he or they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000), and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, he or they will pay to the City of New York any difference between the sum which he or they would be entitled to on its completion, and that which the City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded, the amount 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 of the City of New York and is worth the amount of security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the bids or estimates, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law, and a like affidavit as to sufficiency shall be required of an officer of a corporation so consenting. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said city, for an amount equal to at least five per centum of the amount for which the work bid or is proposed in one year to be performed, or money

to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid, or the rejection of all the bids, the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check or money of the accepted bidder will be likewise returned to him.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract, and the requirements thereof, on file at the Department of Street Cleaning, or if not so made they will be rejected. The form of contract, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of bids or estimates may be obtained at the main office of the Department.

Dated New York, August 1, 1898.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5479, No. 1. Paving Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before September 6, 1898, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,

EDWARD CAHILL,

THOS. A. WILSON,

JOHN DELMAR,

PATRICK M. HAVERTY,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }  
August 6, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

PHILIP A. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES OF FERRIES, AS MORE particularly hereinafter described, together with the wharf property and land under water belonging to the City of New York, and to be used or which has been customarily used in connection therewith, which wharf property is shown in detail on map attached to form of lease, which may be examined on application to the Secretary of the Board of Docks, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place, will be offered for sale by the Board of Docks, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1898.

At 12 o'clock, noon.

For a Term of Ten Years from May 1, 1898.

Lot 1. To and from the foot of Thirty-fourth street, East river, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, from and to the foot of Borden avenue, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York. Upset price, \$12,000 per annum.

For a Term of Five Years from May 1, 1898.

Lot 2. To and from the foot of James slip, East river, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, from and to the foot of Borden avenue, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York. Upset price, \$3,000 per annum.

The franchises and wharf property embodied in the foregoing will be sold subject to the following terms and conditions of sale:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The leases will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the upset price as mentioned above.

Each purchaser will be required at the time of the sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, to the Department of Docks and Ferries, 25 per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which 25 per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser refuses or neglects to execute the lease with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the Board of Docks, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," North river, foot of Battery place.

Two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease, to enter into a bond or obligation jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Municipal Assembly relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessees will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term, and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Board of Docks shall be final; also conditions that the lessees shall dredge the ferry slip, etc., as required by the Board of Docks; that during the term of the lease they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order, all and singular the floats, racks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferry-boats or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition, free of cost to the City of New York; that if at any time during the term of the lease the Board of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with the water-front improvements in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises, without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the intention of said Board; that such notice shall specify by the general terms of description or by reference to the plans and specifications of the proposed work of improvement the character of the alterations and improvements to be made in regard to said water-front, affecting the property and rights hereby authorized to be demised, and upon receiving such notice the lessees may elect to terminate the lease of said ferry privileges or franchises by serving notice of such election upon the Board of Docks within

one month after receiving the notice from the Board of Docks of its intention to improve the water-front in the vicinity of the ferry landing; also, that in case only a portion of said wharf property shall be required for the purposes aforesaid, then a reasonable reduction will be made from the rent reserved by said lease; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Board of Docks when required by said Board, and that the books of accounts of the ferry shall be subject to the inspection of said Board.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Board of Docks.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Board of Docks to be for the best interests of the City.

By order of the Board of Docks, under a resolution adopted August 5, 1898.

New York, August 5, 1898.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,

CHARLES F. MURPHY,

PETER F. MEYER,

Commissioners of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 150 NASSAU STREET,  
New York, August 1, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 150 Nassau street, corner of Spruce street, in Room No. 1704, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1898.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room No. 1727, No. 150 Nassau street, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, BICYCLE STRIPS ON A FOUNDATION OF BLOCK PAVEMENT AND CONCRETE IN THE ROADWAY OF FULTON AVENUE, BOULEVARD, BROADWAY AND NEWTOWN ROAD, from the southerly side of Mills street to Jackson avenue, Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, BICYCLE STRIPS ON A FOUNDATION OF BLOCK PAVEMENT AND CONCRETE, IN THE ROADWAY OF BORDEN AVENUE, JACKSON AVENUE AND THOMSON AVENUE, from the southerly side of Front street to Woodside avenue, Borough of Queens.

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 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. 1733, No. 150 Nassau street.

JAMES P. KEATING,

Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING Laboratory Supplies, Gymnasium Apparatus, Chemicals, etc., for High School purposes, will be received by the Committee on Supplies, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 3 o'clock P. M.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1898.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and indorsed "Proposals for Laboratory Supplies, Gymnasium Apparatus, Chemicals, etc."

Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or a part of any bid, if deemed for the public interest.

Specifications and all other information necessary may be obtained upon application at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 146 Grand street.

New York, August 10, 1898.



**DAMAGE COMM.-23-24 WARDS.**

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 3 o'clock P. M., until further notice.**

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.  
DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.**

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: 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.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,**  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROP-** erty 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 Patrolman of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,**  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, August 12, 1898.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERA-** tions TO THE DISINFECTING DEPOT, FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERA-** tions to the Disinfecting Depot, foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets, until 10 o'clock A. M., on

**AUGUST 24, 1898,**

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

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for Alterations to the Disinfecting Depot, foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

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

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work hereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

in the proposals, 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Contract and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, Criminal Court Building, Centre, White, Elm and Franklin streets.

MICHAEL C. MURPHY,

President.

WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D.,

Commissioner.

JOHN T. COSBY, M. D.,

Commissioner.

BERNARD J. YORK,

President, Board of Police.

ALVAH H. DOTY,

Health Officer of the Port.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.**

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,**  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 8, 1898.

**LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 10 AND LIST OF REPAIRS No. 7 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE** below-mentioned Hospital Supplies and Repairs will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon,

**MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1898,**

at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid for Hospital Supplies (or 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, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The awards will be made to the lowest bidders. In the case of numbers 1787, 1788, 1792, 1793, 1794, 1837, 1838, 1840 and 1842, the award will be made to the lowest bidder on the combined articles under each number.

The Department reserves the right to take more or less, or none at all, of any of the articles, according as the demand therefor may be.

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 Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, from August 15 until the bids are opened.

**I.—SPECIFICATIONS OF SUPPLIES.****A.—Drugs and Chemicals.**

N.B.—No bid for any article in this list will be accepted from any person or firm not known in the drug trade as a bona-fide manufacturer, wholesale dealer or importer of the articles he bids on. Prices are to include containers.

- | Line No. | More or Less.   |
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| 1740.    | 5 lbs. (ab. 1,500 lbs.) Acid, Boric, fine powd.   |
| 1741.    | 12 carboys (ab. 115 l. each) Acid, Hydrochloric, commercial, pale, P. & W's. Price per lb. N. B.—Carboys to be returned at the option of the Department, in which case they are to be deducted from the bill. Price for carboy. |
| 1742.    | 2 pounds Acid Succinic, pure, cryst., 1 lb. b.  |
| 1743.    | 8 ounces Acid Trichloracetic, 1 oz. orig. v.  |
| 1744.    | 50 pounds Alcohol, liquid, 5 lb. bott.  |
| 1745.    | 200 ounces Antyryne, 1 oz. orig. p.   |
| 1746.    | 20 pounds Bismuth Subgallate, 1 lb. orig. c.  |
| 1747.    | 100 pounds Bismuth Subnitrate, 1 lb. orig. c.   |
| 1748.    | 16 ounces Calcium Glycerophosphate, Schering, 1 oz. orig. v.  |
| 1749.    | 50 pounds Chloral Hydrate, cryst., 1/2 lb., gl. st. b.  |
| 1750.    | 20 ounces Chrysarobin, 1 oz., orig. c.  |
| 1751.    | 30 pounds Creosote Carbonate, 1/2 lb. orig. b.  |
| 1752.    | 5 pounds Fl. Extract Lobelia, 1 lb. b.  |
| 1753.    | 1 gallon Fl. Extract Senna, 1 gall. b.  |
| 1754.    | 10 gallons Fl. Ext. Squill, Acetic (non-alcoholic), Squibb, 1 gall. demij.  |
| 1755.    | 1 gallon Fl. Ext. Rhubarb, Acetic (non-alcoholic), Squibb, 1 gall. demij.   |
| 1756.    | 2 gallons Fl. Ext. Coca, Acetic (non-alcoholic), Squibb, 1 gall. demij.   |
| 1757.    | 8 pounds Guaiacal, 1 lb. orig. b.   |
| 1758.    | 150 pounds Iodoform, powd., 1 lb. orig. b.  |
| 1759.    | 3 pounds Iron, Reduced, U. S. P., 1 lb. orig. b.  |
| 1760.    | 300 Leeches, best Swedish.  |
| 1761.    | 5 pounds Mercury, Ammoniated, U. S. P., 1 lb. orig. c.  |
| 1762.    | 50 pounds Mercury, Mild Chloride (Calomel), 1 lb. orig. c.  |
| 1763.    | 150 pounds Mercurial Ointment, U. S. P., 1 lb. tins.  |
| 1764.    | 20 pounds Mercury Oleate, 20%, 1 lb. jars.  |
| 1765.    | 50 ounces Morphine Sulphate, 1/2 oz. orig. b.   |
| 1766.    | 4 pounds Nigrosine, Blue-black, extra, V. Koelch & Co., No. 90.   |
| 1767.    | 4 bottles (24 oz. each), Oil Santal, E. I., U. S. P.  |
| 1768.    | 30-1000 Pills, quinine Sulph., 2 gr., not sugar-coated.   |
| 1769.    | 4 pounds Silver Nitrate, cryst., 1 lb. orig. b.   |
| 1770.    | 250 pounds Sodium Bromide, 1 lb. orig. b.   |
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- | Line No. | More or Less.  |
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| 1772.    | 1,000 pounds Solution of Hydrogen Dioxide, full fifteen volumes of H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> in all other respects to answer the tests of the U. S. P. In 1 lb. bottles, packed 25 in a box. |
| 1773.    | 100 pounds Syrup Iodide Iron, 7 lb. b.   |
| 1774.    | 5-1000 Tablets Iron (1 gr.), Arsenic (1-100) & Strychnine (1-60), No. 1.   |
| 1775.    | 15 pounds Terebene, opt. inactive, 1 lb. orig. b.  |
| 1776.    | 20 lbs. Tinct. Strophanthus, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.  |

**B.—Sundries.**

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| 1780. | 9 Books, viz.: 6 National Formularies, interleaved, sheep; and 3 Medical Directories of The City of New York, 1898.  |
| 1781. | 6 gross Bottles, Sterilizing, flint, pints, like sample. Price for lot: Price of Mould (which becomes property of the Department).   |
| 1782. | 8 gross Bottles, Green Prescription, n. m., 16 oz., "Boston round."  |
| 1783. | 4 gross Boxes, Paper, 3 1/2 x 2 1/2 x 1 1/2 inch, (like sample).   |
| 1784. | 30 Boxes for Slides, for 25 each, 3" x 1" (B. & L., No. 9220).   |
| 1785. | 6 Burners, "Acme," improved.   |
| 1786. | 4 Cylinders, Glass, stoppered, doubly-graduated (E. & A., 614c), 4,000 Cc.   |
| 1787. | Dry goods, as follows:<br>200 yards (about) 1/2 Twilled Toweling (like sample).<br>500 yards (about) Tape (like sample).<br>30 pieces Obstetrical Tape (like sample).<br>100 yards (about) Bleached Muslin, "Dwight Anchor" brand or equivalent, 10-4 wide.  |
| 1788. | 6 dozen each Demijohns, Wicker-covered, full capacity, wooden bottom. Sizes, 1/2 gal., 1 gal., 2 gal.  |
| 1789. | 1 dozen Electric Taps (like sample).   |
| 1790. | 3 dozen Funnels, glass, quart (E. and A. No. 6388, 8 inch), stem, 3 inches long, ground off obliquely.   |
| 1791. | 15 gross Glasses, Medicine, like sample.   |
| 1792. | 6 dozen, each, Graduates' Glass, like samples. Sizes, 4 oz., 1 oz., 1/2 oz.  |
| 1793. | 6 dozen each, Jars, white earthen, flat-top. Size, 1/2 lb.; 1 lb.  |
| 1794. | 4 dozen each, Jars, Museum, W. T. & Co's No. 2600. Size, 5 1/2 inches by 4 inches; 5 1/2 inches by 8 inches  |
| 1795. | 1 lot Hardware, as follows: 2 Nantucket Drivers; 1 doz. Iron Clamps (like sample); 3 doz. each Knives and Forks (like samples); 1 doz. Screwdrivers, best steel, in handles, 2 each 18 inch, 14 inch, 12 inch, 10 inch, 8 inch, 1 each 6 inch, 4 inch; 1 each Chisels, 1/2 inch, 3/4 inch, 1 inch, 1 1/2 inch. |

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| 1796. | 1 Mortar and Pestle, Iron, bell-shaped, 2 gallons.  |
| 1797. | 25 bales Oakum, best surgical, 50 pound bales.  |
| 1798. | 20 reams Druggists' White Paper, 18 x 24, like sample.                                      |
| 1799. | 400 yards Plaster, Adhesive, Shivers', ordinary muslin, 5 yard rolls.                       |
| 1800. | 150 yards Plaster, Adhesive, Shivers' on "Moleskin," 5-yd. rolls.                           |
| 1801. | 12 gross Plaster, Capsicum, rubber-base, S. & J. or J. & J., regular size, 2 doz. in a box. |
| 1802. | 300 yards Plaster, Mustard, 12-inch, 5-yd. rolls, on paper, S. & J. or J. & J.              |
| 1803. | 150 pounds Plaster, Lead, strictly U. S. P. 1 lb. rolls.                                    |
| 1804. | 1 set Weights, Troy, Brass, Cup, 1/4 oz. to 24 oz.  |

**C.—Surgical Supplies.**

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| 1805. | 4 dozen Atomizers, "Barclay, No. 21."   |
| 1806. | 1 dozen Atomizers, Davidson's No. 61.   |
| 1807. | 3 bottles, Graduated, for aspirator, like sample.   |
| 1808. | 2 dozen Bottles, Hot Water, "Alpha," 1 quart.   |
| 1809. | 6 Buck's Extensions (not Levis') complete.  |
| 1810. | 2 Catheters, Gouley's invaginating.   |
| 1811. | 4 dozen Catheters, silk olivary, Lee.   |
| 1812. | 12 dozen Catheters, Lisle Mercier, Lee.   |
| 1813. | 1 Cephalotribe, Lusk's, Tiemann's make.   |
| 1814. | 1 dozen Clamps, Artery, like sample.  |
| 1815. | 4 Clamps, F. Broad Ligament, Pean's, short, Tiemann's make.   |
| 1816. | 1 dozen Coils, Abdominal, Maroon rubber, 11 inches.   |
| 1817. | 2 dozen Curettes, Sims', sharp, assort., best, to be selected.  |
| 1818. | 4 dozen Cushions, Invalid, plain, P. S. & S's 16-inch.  |
| 1819. | 1 Dilator, Uterine, Palmer's.   |
| 1820. | 1 Forceps, Bullet (Tiemann No. 1365).   |
| 1821. | 2 dozen Forceps, Dissecting, best, large size.  |
| 1822. | 2 dozen Forceps, Thumb, large, best.  |
| 1823. | 2 Forceps, Trachea (Collin's Introducer).   |
| 1824. | 3 Forceps, Vulsellum, Jacob's, small, Tiemann's make.   |
| 1824. | 1 dozen Forceps, Epilating, Lailier, Tiemann's make.  |
| 1824. | 1 Forceps, Satterlee's curved bone cutting.   |
| 1825. | 4 dozen p. each Gloves, Rubber, Brewer's.   |
| 1826. | 4 dozen p. each Gloves, Rubber, like samples, sizes 7 to 9 price to be averaged.  |
| 1827. | 6 Inhalers, Allis', best, with rubber cones.  |
| 1828. | 6 Inhalers, Chloroform, Esmerch's, wire-frames only.  |
| 1829. | 6 dozen Iodoform Dusters, Tin, like sample.   |
| 1830. | 3 Irrigators, glass (Kny. 17007), 3 1/2 qts.  |
| 1831. | 1 Laryngoscope, Lamp and Condenser, Mackenzie's, complete.  |
| 1832. | 1 dozen needles, exploring, small bore, to be fitted when ordered.  |
| 1833. | 10 gross Needles, Hagedorn, true, hand-made, with eyes of same bore as the diameter of the shaft immediately below the eye. No others will be accepted. |
| 1834. | 2 Needles, Perineum, Kny. 1993.   |
| 1835. | 6 gross Nipples, Anticolic.   |
| 1836. | 1 Ophthalmoscope, Lorm's best.  |
| 1837. | 2 dozen Pads, Kelly's, circular, medium (24 by 44), large (24 by 50).   |
| 1838. | 1 dozen each Probes, silver, sizes, 10-inch, 12-inch.   |
| 1839. | 3 dozen Scalpels, all metal, Tiemann's make.  |
| 1840. | 2 dozen Scissors, bandage, like samples, 2 sizes, ordinary and heavy.   |
| 1841. | 4 Scissors, Emmett's (Reynd. 352-390).  |
| 1842. | 4 dozen Scissors, General Operating, curved or straight, sharp or blunt. Sizes, 4 1/2 inch, 5-inch, 6-inch.   |
| 1843. | 2 Scissors, F. Perineorhaphy, curv. on flat, ang., 1 right, 1 left.   |
| 1844. | 1 dozen Scissors, Sims', straight and curved, to be selected, Tiemann's make.   |
| 1845. | 36 dozen cards Silk, White, Twisted, like sample.   |
| 1846. | 3 dozen Spectacles, pale-blue glasses, f. Nurses, like sample.  |
| 1847. | 4 Specula, Eye, Noyes.  |
| 1848. | 2 Specula, Trivalve (Tiemann's, 3188).  |
| 1849. | 4 Squint Hooks, Agnew's or equivalent.  |
| 1850. | 2 dozen Stethoscopes, like sample, Tiemann's make.  |
| 1851. | 4 Supports for Ureometers, E. & A. 817a.  |
| 1852. | 8 dozen Syringes, Cone-point, Fr. jet. cap., No. 1.   |

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| 1853. | 2 dozen Syringes, H. R. Ear, Columbian, No. 807; 1/2 oz.                         |
| 1854. | 1 Tenotome, probe-pointed.   |
| 1855. | 1 Meyrowitz Selection of Test-Types, (E. B. M., No. 922).                        |
| 1856. | 1 set (3) Tonsilotomes, Mackenzie's, in case, complete.                          |
| 1857. | 1 dozen Trays, Blue and White ("Favorite" Seamless Square Pans), L. & G., 14x14. |
| 1858. | 4 dozen Tubes, Rubber, Nasal Feeding, extra long, Tiemann's make.                |
| 1859. | 6 dozen Tubes, Rubber, Rectal, Tiemann's make.                                   |
| 1860. | 2 dozen Tweezers, fine-pointed, B. & L's, No. 5800 or equivalent.                |

**II.—Specifications of Repairs.**

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| 1864. | 200 (more or less) Surgical and Clinical Instruments, to be put in perfect repair, or replaced by new ones.   |
| 1865. | 1 lot Medical Batteries.<br>N. B.—The Instruments and Batteries be examined by the bidders during office hours, at the General Drug Department, on the Friday and Saturday preceding the Monday on which the bids are opened. |
| 1866. | 1 Operating Table at Harlem Hospital.<br>Requires new plate-glass, 17 1/4 inches x 7 1/4 inches x 1/2 inch.   |

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First avenue, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

The quality of the Hospital Supplies must conform in every respect to the specifications and samples, and bidders are cautioned to examine both specifications and samples of the articles required before making their estimates.

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 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 Commissioners, or be provided for by the specifications.

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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the supplies by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 72 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of 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



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
NEW YORK, August 9, 1898.

# PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

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

**MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1898.**

1866. 5 bbls. Cylinder Oil, sample.  
1867. 4 bbls. Engine Oil, sample.  
1868. 1 bbl. Lard Oil, sample.

ALL PIPE MUST BE EQUAL TO BYERS OR DIAMOND S.

1870. 150 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1871. 420 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1872. 420 ft. 3/4-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1873. 272 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1874. 162 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1875. 400 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1876. 220 ft. 1/2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1877. 270 ft. 2-in. Black Iron Pipe.  
1878. 200 ft. 1/2-in. Galvanized Iron Pipe.  
1879. 400 ft. 1/2-in. Galvanized Iron Pipe.  
1880. 600 ft. 1/2-in. Galvanized Iron Pipe.

## PLUMBING MATERIAL.

1881. 12 lengths extra heavy Cast-iron Pipe, 4-in.  
1882. 4 lengths extra heavy Cast-iron Pipe, 4-in., Double Hub.  
1883. 4 lengths extra heavy Cast-iron Pipe, 5-in., Double Hub.  
1884. 12 lengths extra heavy Cast-iron Pipe, 5-in.  
1885. 6 ft. 4-in. Lead Waste Pipe.  
1886. 6 ft. 3-in. Lead Waste Pipe.  
1887. 20 ft. 2-in. D. Lead Pipe.  
1888. 20 ft. 1 1/2-in. D. Lead Pipe.  
1889. 21 3/4 S. Lead Traps, 2-in.  
1890. 18 3/4 S. Lead Traps, 1 1/2-in.  
1891. 1 4-in. x 4-in. x 3-in. V. Branch, extra heavy for Hub Pipe.

1892. 3 Cast-iron extra heavy S. Traps, 4-in.  
1893. 3 Cast-iron extra heavy 1/2 S. Traps, 4-in.  
1894. 3 Cast-iron extra heavy Running Traps, 4-in.  
1895. 48 Composition Compression Wash Tray Bibbs, 3/4-in.

1896. 60 1/2-in. Fuller Cock Washers.  
1897. 36 Compression Bibbs Washers, 3/4-in.  
1898. 36 Compression Bibbs Washers, 3/4-in.  
1899. 36 Compression Washers for Unique Waste Baths, sample.

1900. 36 Ball Washers, for 1/2-in. Fuller Cocks.  
1901. 36 Sink Bolts, 3 in. long.  
1902. 5 pounds Resin.  
1903. 40 pounds Plumbers' Solder.  
1904. 1 Galvanized Sink, 62 in. long, 22 in. wide, with two legs, strainer and couplings and galvanized iron back.

1905. 1 3-in. x 3-in. x 3-in. Y Branch for screwed pipe.  
1906. 2 Phoenix Porcelain Water Closet Bowls and Traps, combined with couplings for flush and back air and screws, back air on right side.

1907. 1 Porcelain Water Closet Bowl and Trap, with back air and flush couplings, Demarest Patent, Mott's catalogue.  
1908. 3 Porcelain Wash Basins, 15 in. diameter, outside.

1909. 1 Hygeia Improved Porcelain Flushing Rim Slop Sink, with fittings and fixtures complete, plate 805 R., Class A, Mott's Catalogue.  
1910. Fixtures and fittings complete, for improved Porcelain recessed pantry sink, comprising N. P. simplex standing waste counter-sink, Italian marble slab, with back and aprons, N. P. brass legs, N. P. brass standard apron holder, N. P. 1 1/2-inch brass trap with pipe to floor, N. P. supply pipes and N. P. Fuller pattern faucets and mat for sink, plate 838 R., Class A, Mott's catalogue.

1911. 5 Gal. Gasoline.  
1912. 12 Galvanized-iron open sink strainers and collars complete, strainers 5 inch diameter.

1913. 1 Back air coupling and pipe for slop sink, plate 805 R., Mott's catalogue.  
1914. 72 Washers for combination bath-tubs, cocks, McShane patent.

1915. 2 Rubber force cups cleaning sink waste.  
1916. 4 Cleaners for 4 in. trap.

## VALVES, COCKS, ETC.

1917. 24 Jenkins Automatic Air-valves, 1/2-in.  
1918. 24 Jenkins Automatic Air-valves, 1/2-in.  
1919. 24 Steam Metal Plug Cocks, 1 1/2-in.  
1920. 6 Globe Valves, 2-in., sample.  
1921. 6 Globe Valves, 1 1/2-in., sample.  
1922. 12 Globe Valves, 3/4-in., sample.  
1923. 6 Globe Valves, 1/2-in., sample.  
1924. 36 Van Auchen Air-valves, 1/2-in.  
1925. 6 1/2-in. Stop Cocks, male one end, female the other, Comp.

1926. 6 3/4-in. Stop Cocks, male one end, female the other, Comp.  
1927. 6 1 1/4-in. Stop Cocks, male one end, female the other, Comp.  
1928. 6 Plain Stop Cocks, screwed, for iron pipe 1-in., Composition.  
1929. 1 Set of Water Gauge Glass Cocks, self-cleaning wood wheel and four rods, complete.

1930. 6 Horizontal Check Valves, 3/4-in.  
1931. 6 Horizontal Check Valves, 1-in.  
1932. 6 Horizontal Check Valves, 1 1/2-in.  
1933. 12 Plain Composition Bibbs for iron pipe, 3/8-in.  
1934. 12 Discs for Jenkins' Globe Valves, 2 1/2-in.  
1935. 12 Discs for Jenkins' Globe Valves, 3-in.  
1936. 12 Discs for Jenkins' Globe Valves, 2-in.

## TOOLS.

1937. 2 Pipe Wrenches, 6-in., sample.  
1938. 2 Pipe Wrenches, 8-in., sample.  
1939. 3 Frames for 36-in. Stillson Wrench.  
1940. 3 Jaws for 24-in. Stillson Wrench.  
1941. 3 Screw Wrenches, 10-in.  
1942. 3 Screw Wrenches, 15-in.  
1943. 3 Screw Wrenches, 20-in.  
1944. 3 Pipe Wrenches, 12 in., sample.  
1945. 4 Pipe Wrenches, 16-in., sample.  
1946. 3 Pipe Wrenches, 18-in., sample.  
1947. 1 Pein Hammer, 12-oz., with handle.  
1948. 1 Pein Hammer, 16-oz., with handle.  
1949. 1 Baxter Wrench, 6-in.  
1950. 1 Baxter Wrench, 10-in.  
1951. 4 Belt Punches, 3/4-in.  
1952. 1 Gauge Glass Cutter.  
1953. 12 Hack Saw Blades, 12-in.  
1954. 1 Pair Gas Pliers, 10-in.  
1955. 1 set Armstrong Dies, from 1/8 to 3/8 inclusive, with guides for same.

1956. 1 set Twist Drills, for breast brace, as follows: 3/16, 1/4, 5/16, 3/8, 1/2, 5/8, 3/4, 7/8, 1, 1 1/8, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 1 3/4, 2, 2 1/4, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, 40, 48, 56, 64, 72, 80, 96, 112, 128, 144, 160, 176, 192, 216, 240, 272, 304, 336, 368, 400, 448, 496, 544, 592, 640, 688, 736, 784, 832, 880, 928, 976, 1024, 1072, 1120, 1168, 1216, 1264, 1312, 1360, 1408, 1456, 1504, 1552, 1600, 1648, 1696, 1744, 1792, 1840, 1888, 1936, 1984, 2032, 2080, 2128, 2176, 2224, 2272, 2320, 2368, 2416, 2464, 2512, 2560, 2608, 2656, 2704, 2752, 2800, 2848, 2896, 2944, 2992, 3040, 3088, 3136, 3184, 3232, 3280, 3328, 3376, 3424, 3472, 3520, 3568, 3616, 3664, 3712, 3760, 3808, 3856, 3904, 3952, 4000, 4048, 4096, 4144, 4192, 4240, 4288, 4336, 4384, 4432, 4480, 4528, 4576, 4624, 4672, 4720, 4768, 4816, 4864, 4912, 4960, 5008, 5056, 5104, 5152, 5200, 5248, 5296, 5344, 5392, 5440, 5488, 5536, 5584, 5632, 5680, 5728, 5776, 5824, 5872, 5920, 5968, 6016, 6064, 6112, 6160, 6208, 6256, 6304, 6352, 6400, 6448, 6496, 6544, 6592, 6640, 6688, 6736, 6784, 6832, 6880, 6928, 6976, 7024, 7072, 7120, 7168, 7216, 7264, 7312, 7360, 7408, 7456, 7504, 7552, 7600, 7648, 7696, 7744, 7792, 7840, 7888, 7936, 7984, 8032, 8080, 8128, 8176, 8224, 8272, 8320, 8368, 8416, 8464, 8512, 8560, 8608, 8656, 8704, 8752, 8800, 8848, 8896, 8944, 8992, 9040, 9088, 9136, 9184, 9232, 9280, 9328, 9376, 9424, 9472, 9520, 9568, 9616, 9664, 9712, 9760, 9808, 9856, 9904, 9952, 10000.

## MALLEABLE IRON FITTINGS.

1960. 48 Reducing Couplings, 1-in. to 1/2-in.  
1961. 48 Reducing Couplings, 3/4-in. to 1/2-in.  
1962. 24 Reducing Couplings, 1/2-in. to 3/4-in.  
1963. 36 1/2-in. Galvanized-iron Unions.  
1964. 36 3/4-in. Galvanized-iron Unions.  
1965. 18 3/8-in. Drop L's.  
1966. 18 Reducing Elbows, 1/2 to 1/4-in.  
1967. 16 T's, 1/2 x 1/4 x 1/4.  
1968. 12 2 in. Caps.  
1969. 36 Reducing Couplings, 3/4 to 1/4.  
1970. 36 Elbows, 3/4-in.

1971. 12 Bushings, 1/4 to 1/2-in.  
1972. 36 Couplings, 3/4-in.  
1973. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in.  
1974. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in.  
1975. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in.  
1976. 24 T's, 3/4-in.  
1977. 24 T's, 1/2-in.  
1978. 24 T's, 3/4-in.  
1979. 24 Couplings, 1/2-in.  
1980. 12 Bushings, 1/4 x 1-in.  
1981. 24 Bushings, 3/4 x 1/2-in.  
1982. 24 Unions, 3/4-in.  
1983. 24 Unions, 1-in.  
1984. 12 Bushings, 1 x 1 1/4-in.  
1985. 18 Unions, 1 1/2-in.  
1986. 24 Caps, 3/4-in.  
1987. 12 Plugs, 3/4-in.  
1988. 24 Bushings, 3/4 to 1/2-in.  
1989. 24 Close Nipples, 1-in.  
1990. 24 Close Nipples, 3/4-in.  
1991. 24 Close Nipples, 1/2-in.  
1992. 24 Gas L's, 3/4-in.  
1993. 24 Gas T's, 3/4-in.

## CAST-IRON FITTINGS.

1994. 6 Elbows, 3-in.  
1995. 144 Elbows, 3/4-in.  
1996. 72 Elbows, 1-in.  
1997. 12 Lock Nuts, 3/4-in.  
1998. 6 Lock Nuts, 1-in.  
1999. 6 Lock Nuts, 2-in.  
2000. 24 T's, 3/4-in.  
2001. 24 Plugs, 2-in.  
2002. 108 Elbows, 1-in.  
2003. 12 T's, 1/2-in.  
2004. 12 T's, 1-in.  
2005. 12 T's, 1 1/4-in.  
2006. 6 L's, 45°, 1-in.  
2007. 6 L's, 45°, 3/4-in.  
2008. 6 L's, 45°, 1 1/4-in.  
2009. 6 L's, 45°, 1 1/2-in.  
2010. 3 Elbows, 3-in. (Malleable Iron).  
2011. 3 Elbows, 45°, 3-in.  
2012. 1 Elbow, 5-in.  
2013. 24 Elbows, 3/2-in.  
2014. 24 Elbows, 1 1/4-in.  
2015. 6 T's, 2-in.  
2016. 12 Elbows, 2-in.  
2017. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in.  
2018. 4 Elbows, 4-in.  
2019. 4 Nipples, 4-in., 4 in. long.  
2020. 1 piece 3 ply Rubber Packing, 1/4-in. thick, 3 ft. wide, 6 ft. long.

2021. 25 ft. Double Leather Belting, 7 in. wide, sample.

2022. 50 ft. Leather Belting, 3 in. wide, sample.  
2023. 10 lbs. Eclipse Belt Dressing.  
2024. 39 lbs. Rainbow Packing, 1/2 thick.  
2025. 13 lbs. Rainbow Packing, 1/2 thick.  
2026. 12 balls Asbestos Wick Packing.  
2027. 3 lbs. Ball Lamp Wick Packing.  
2028. 10 lbs. Ring Packing, as per sample, rod 1 1/8-in. stuffing box 1 3/4-in.

2029. 10 lbs. Ring Packing, as per sample, rod 3/4-in. stuffing box 3/4-in.  
2030. 10 lbs. Ring Packing, as per sample, rod 7/8-in. stuffing box 7/8-in.

2031. 1 box Royal Casement Flax Packing, 3/4-in.  
2032. 1 Piston and Piston Rod complete, for blowing engine (Vertical), size 12 x 6 in., Makers, American Blowing Co., Detroit, Mich.

2033. 2 Toe Pans or Centre Bearings for Extractor, sample.  
2034. 4 Gauge Glasses, 7/8-in. diameter, 2 ft. 5 1/4 in. long.  
2035. 2 Gauge Glasses, 7/8-in. diameter, 4 ft. 2 in. long.

2036. 12 Scotch Gauge Glasses, 3/4-in. diameter, 15 in. long.  
2037. 48 Rubber Washers, for 3/4-in. gauge glasses.  
2038. 6 Scotch Gauge Glasses, 7/8-in. diameter, 20 in. long, with 12 rubber washers for same.

2039. 2 Pieces Octagon Tool Steel, 3/4-in. diameter, 6 ft. long.  
2040. 1 Set Grate Bars for vertical boiler 50-in. diameter, 3/4-in. opening (circular).  
2041. 1 Set of Aprons for Mangle, sample.

2042. 2 Papers 1/2-in. Copper Rivets and Burrs.  
2043. 20 pounds Babbitt Metal.  
2044. 1 Can Dixon's Graphite, 5 pounds.  
2045. 9 Galvanized Squirrels, 1 pint.  
2046. 24 Cast Iron Door Linings, sample.

2047. 2 Tube 3-in. Scrapers, sample.  
2048. 24 Brass Bushings, 3/4 x 1/8.  
2049. 36 Iron Washers, 3/4-in.  
2050. 36 Iron Washers, 1/2-in.  
2051. 36 Iron Washers, 3/4-in.  
2052. 36 Iron Washers, 1/2-in.  
2053. 35 ft. 1/2-in. Sheet Iron, 3 in. wide.  
2054. 400 ft. 1-in. Half Round Iron.  
2055. 336 ft. 3/4-in. Three-cornered Iron.  
2056. 158 ft. 4-in. x 3/4 Flat Iron.  
2057. 24 ft. 4-in. x 3/4 Flat Iron.  
2058. 60 ft. 6-in. x 3/4 Flat Iron.  
2059. 93 ft. 1 1/2-in. Angle Iron.  
2060. 4 Bars 1/2-in. Round Iron.  
2061. 4 Locks, 4-in. x 6-in., with knobs and two keys complete.

2062. 6 Spiral Door Springs, with key and fastenings complete.  
2063. 6 Galvanized Squirrels, 1/2 pint.  
2064. 1 Box round head Brass Screws, 2 in. long, No. 12.

2065. 2 Rock Shafts and Arms complete for Laidlaw, Dunn, Gordon duplex pump, 4 1/2 x 2 3/4 x 4.  
2066. 48 Springs for valves for above pump.  
2067. 3 lbs. Brass Wire, 7/8-in.  
2068. 2 Grates and two sets of Rings and Covers for D. H. & M. Range, 9 ft.

2069. 1 Package Bolts, 2 x 7/8.  
2070. GALVANIZED IRON FITTINGS.

2071. 12 Galvanized Iron Unions, 1/2-in.  
2072. 12 Galvanized Iron Unions, 3/4-in.  
2073. 12 Galvanized Iron Unions, 1-in.  
2074. 12 Galvanized Iron Unions, 1 1/4-in.  
2075. 12 Galvanized Iron T's, 1/2-in.  
2076. 12 Galvanized Iron T's, 3/4-in.  
2077. 12 Galvanized Iron T's, 1 1/4-in.  
2078. 12 Galvanized Iron Elbows, 1/2-in.  
2079. 24 Galvanized Iron Elbows, 3/4-in.  
2080. 24 Galvanized Iron Elbows, 1 1/4-in.

2081. GAS FITTINGS.  
2082. 36 Double Pendant Cocks, 3/8-in.  
2083. 36 Burner Cocks, 3/4-in.  
2084. 36 Burner L's, 3/4-in.  
2085. 144 Burner Pillars.  
2086. 144 Gas Lava Tips, 7 ft.  
2087. 144 Pillars.  
2088. 24 Lava Tips, 3 ft.

2089. PLUMBING MATERIAL.  
2090. 2 J. L. Mott Washout Water Closets, 4 ft. 9 in., painted, with flushing tank, complete "Left."

2091. 1 Half S. 4-in. Trap, cast iron, extra heavy.  
2092. 6 Lengths 4-in. Cast Iron Pipe, extra heavy.  
2093. 3 1/2 Bends, 4-in. cast iron.  
2094. 3 1/2 Bends, 4-in. cast iron.  
2095. 1 Length 4-in. Lead Soil Pipe.  
2096. 1 Length 2-in. Lead Soil Pipe.  
2097. 200 ft. 1-in. Galvanized Wrought Iron Pipe.  
2098. 100 ft. 3/4-in. Galvanized Wrought Iron Pipe.

2099. 9 T's, 1-in., Cast Iron.  
2100. 1 dozen L's, 3/4-in., Cast Iron.  
2101. 6 T's, 3/4-in., Cast Iron.  
2102. 3 Unions, 1-in., Cast Iron.  
2103. 3 Unions, 3/4-in.  
2104. 12 Lengths 6-in. Earthen Pipe.  
2105. 1 Running 6-in. Earthen Trap.  
2106. 2 1/4 Bends 6-in. Earthen.  
2107. 2 1/2 Bends 6-in. Earthen.  
2108. 90 ft. 3-in. Single Leather Belting, sample.  
2109. 60 ft. 2-in. Single Leather Belting, sample.

2110. 60 ft. 1 1/2-in. Single Leather Belting, sample.  
2111. 25 ft. 4-in. Single Leather Belting, sample.  
2112. 250 ft. 3/4-in. Belt Lacing.  
2113. 2 Sets of Gear Wheels (Pinion & Drum), for 36x43 Troy Washer.  
2114. 4 1 1/4-in. Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves.  
2115. 4 1 1/4-in. Jenkins Bros. Angle Valves.  
2116. 1 Set of Rubber Springs, for A. M. Dolph's 26 in. Extractor, sample.

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

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 470, 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 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 her 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, by their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the 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 SMIS, Jr., Commissioner,  
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,  
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 9, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, CROCKERY, Glass, Hardware, etc. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing Crockery, Glass, Oils, Woodenware, Hardware, Lime, etc., 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 M.,

**MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1898.**

- All quantities to be more or less.  
1658. 1 case Shredded Wheat Biscuit.  
1659. 1/2 gross Williams' Shaving Soap, square cakes.  
1660. 25 pounds Barley Flour.  
1661. 50 pounds Mustard Powder.  
1662. 3 dozen 5 in. Ground Glass Globes, for gas lights.  
1663. 1 box American Window Glass, 12 x 20 in., first quality, double thickness.  
1664. 1 box American Window Glass, 14 x 20 in., first quality, double thickness.  
1665. 1 box American Window Glass, 16 x 18 in., first quality, double thickness.  
1666. 1 box American Window Glass, 14 x 34 in., first quality, double thickness.  
1667. 1 box American Window Glass, 18 x 38 in., first quality, double thickness.  
1668. 1 box Ground Glass, 12 x 24 in.  
1669. 1 box Ground Glass, 30 x 40 in.  
1670. 2 dozen Gas Globes, 5-in. opening.  
1671. 3 dozen Thin Glass Tumblers, as per sample.  
1672. 1/2 dozen Dietz Stable Lanterns, complete, as per sample.  
1673. 1 Combination Set each, Dinner and Supper Crockery, ware like sample.  
1674. 1/2 dozen W. G. Butter Dishes, complete, with strainer and cover, as per sample.  
1675. 1/2 dozen Deitz "Star" Lantern Globes.  
1676. 4 dozen Tea Plates, Dept. Staff pattern.  
1677. 1 dozen each Cups and Saucers, Dept. Staff pattern.  
1678. 1 dozen Dinner Plates, Dept. Staff pattern.  
1679. 50 dozen Pieces White Staff Binding, as per sample.  
1680. 4 Only Window Shades, 2 ft. 10 3/4 in. x 5 ft. 4 in., man to measure.  
1681. 4 Only Window Shades, 2 ft. 7 3/4 in. x 5 ft. 4 in., man to measure.  
1682. 20 yards Red Table Linen, as per sample.  
1683. 2 dozen Hamilton Stripe Window Awnings, complete, man to measure and put up.  
1684. 1 dozen Spool Cotton, No. 60, "O. N. T." or equal.  
1685. 288 Window Shades, 8 ft. 6 in. x 2 ft. 9 3/4 in.  
1686. 54 Window Shades, 8 ft. 6 in. x 3 ft. 1 1/2 in.  
1687. 21 Window Shades, 10 ft. x 2 ft. 6 in.  
1688. 25 Window Shades, 7 ft. x 2 ft. 6 1/2 in.  
1689. 1 dozen boxes Wooden Toothpicks.  
1690. 1 American Flag, 12 ft.  
1691. 30 pounds Black Linen Thread, No



1788.	1/2 dozen Pendulums for Ansonia Clocks, as per sample.	2164.	15 papers Moulding Nails, 3 papers each, 1-in., 1 1/4-in., 1 1/2-in., 1 3/4-in. and 2-in.	2277.	20 pounds Mohawk Packing, Rod 5-in., Gland 7-in.
1789.	1 dozen Singer Sewing Machines, Belts and Hooks, 68 in. long, as per sample.	2165.	2 dozen 1-in. White Drawer Knobs.	2278.	20 pounds Mohawk Packing, Stem 1 1/2-16-in., Gland 2 1/2-16-in.
1793.	1 Rubber Hat, 7 1/2-in.	2166.	1 14-ft. Baker's Peel Handle.	2279.	5 pounds Mohawk Packing, Stem 1/2-in., Gland 3/4-in.
1794.	2 Ring Life Preservers, medium size.	2167.	1 dozen each Silver-plated Knives and Forks.	2280.	10 pounds Mohawk Packing, Stem 3/8-in., Gland 1 1/2-16-in.
1795.	5 pounds 3/4-in. "Peerless" Packing.	2168.	2-12 dozen Granite Wash Bowls, L. & G., No. 300.	2281.	1 bale Waste, about 100 lbs.
1796.	5 pounds 1-in. "Peerless" Packing.	2169.	2-12 dozen Granite Sauce Pans, 4-qt., No. 22.	2282.	5 pounds 1/2 Peerless Gasket Material.
1797.	10 pounds Albany Grease.	2170.	18,000 yards Cassimere, as per sample.	2283.	5 pounds 3/4-in. Tubular Gasket Material.
1798.	10 pounds Dixon's Graphite, in 1-lb. packages.	2171.	2-12 dozen Granite Kettles, 6-qt., L. & G., No. 705.	2284.	2 3-in. Flange Valves, soft seat.
1799.	3 pairs Oak Body, sides 3 x 5 in., 8 ft. long, dressed two sides.	2172.	2-12 dozen Granite Stock Pots, 5-gal., with cover, L. & G., No. 124.	2285.	1 2 1/2-in. Jenkins' Globe Valve.
1800.	3 pairs Oak Cart Booms.	2173.	1 pint Prepared Glue.	2286.	2 Male Couplings and Clamps, for 2 1/2-in. Rubber Hose.
1801.	200 Oven Tiles, 12 in. square, 2 in. thick.	2174.	4 Ambulance Whiffletree Shackels, as per sample.	2287.	2 Female Couplings and Clamps, for 2 1/2-in. Rubber Hose.
1802.	25 barrels Chloride of Lime, averaging 350 lbs. each.	2175.	2 pieces Gas tubing, 6 ft. long, calibre as per sample.	2288.	1 1 1/2-in. Jenkins' Gate Valve.
1803.	1 gallon Neatsfoot Oil.	2176.	3-12 dozen 3-in. Brass Cabinet Locks, solid box, screwed brass, back for wood, 1 1/2 in., Corbin Cabinet Lock Co.	2289.	1 3/4-in. Common Steam Metal Check Valve.
1804.	4 gallons White Enamel, "Aspinall's" or equal.	2177.	1 Oblong Japanned Tray, 18 1/2 in. by 14 1/2 in.		
1805.	1/2 dozen bottles Clock Oil, in 1/2 oz. bottles.	2178.	1 dozen Silver-plated Teaspoons.		
1806.	1 set Graming Combs.	2179.	1 dozen Silver-plated Forks.		
1807.	10 pounds Liquid Glue, Peter Cooper's or equal.	2180.	1 Union Family Scale, Fairbanks, No. 502, single beam, brass scoop.		
1808.	100 pounds White Lead, Atlantic or equal.	2181.	2 Dover Egg Beaters.		
1809.	1 Sash Brush.	2182.	50 feet Wire Netting, 3 ft. 8 in. wide.		
1810.	2 gallons Raw Oil.	2183.	1/2 dozen Tin Oil Cups for Ambulance, as per sample.		
1811.	2 gallons Turpentine.	2184.	1 Boneing Knife.		
1812.	20 pounds Putty.	2185.	1 6-inch Dinner Bell, as per sample.		
1813.	1 gallon Hoof Ointment, in bulk.	2186.	1 Gallon Liquid Glue, Peter Cooper or equal.		
1814.	4 ounces Carmine, No. 42.	2187.	1 Dozen Silver Plated Knives.		
1815.	15 pounds Raw Umber, in distemper.	2188.	1 Dozen Silver Plated Forks.		
1816.	15 pounds Burnt Sienna, in distemper.	2189.	1 Dozen Silver Plated Teaspoons.		
1817.	15 pounds Burnt Umber, in distemper.	2190.	1 Dozen Silver Plated Teaspoons.		
1818.	15 pounds Vandyke Brown, in distemper.	2191.	2 Oblong Pudding Dishes, L. & G., "Favorite," 20 x 13 1/2 x 2 1/2 in.		
1819.	2 Revolving Grates, for No. 3 single face range, D. H. & M., at Bellevue Hospital.	2192.	1 9-Gallon Agate Stock Pot, L. & G., No. 36.		
1820.	1 Set Top Plates and Rings for Kitchen Range, Bramhall, Dean & Co., "H," and man to repair and reline range, at Gouverneur Hospital.	2193.	2 Agate Sauce Pans, L. & G., No. 12.		
1821.	1 Set Bricks, for Mott's Improved No. 2 P. T. Ironing Heater, at Almshouse.	2194.	2 Agate 10 quart Mixing Bowls, L. & G., No. 3.		
1822.	1/2 dozen Gauges for D. H. & M. 100 Gallon Coffee Urns, at Almshouse.	2195.	1 2-12 Dozen Vegetable Knives.		
1823.	1 Set Burner Plates for Wolf's Gas Cooker No. 2, square, at Metropolitan Hospital.	2196.	1/2 Dozen 12 in. Butcher Knives.		
1824.	1 Grate for Laundry Stove No. 2, J. L. Mott Iron Works, for City Hospital.	2197.	1/2 Dozen 8 in. Butcher Knives.		
1825.	1 Medium Size Stationary Range and Furniture, D. H. & M.	2198.	2 Rolls Mosquito Wire.		
1826.	1 Set (2) Centre Plates, single face range, No. 3, D. H. & M.	2199.	1 2-foot x 18-inch Steel Square.		
1827.	1 Set Rings and Covers, for D. H. & M. Range, No. 2.	2200.	1 10-inch Bevel.		
1828.	4 dozen Wooden Stools.	2201.	1 Dozen Stabbing Awls.		
1829.	1/2 dozen small Lettering Brushes.	2202.	1 Dozen Pairs Tin Iron Milk Can Handles, same as used on 40 qt. can, as per sample.		
1830.	3 dozen Baby Chairs, as per sample.	2203.	3 Button Hole Machine Knives, 3/4 W. & W., D. 10.		
1831.	4 pounds Hemp Sail Twine.	2204.	1 gross Button Hole Machine Needles, No. 4, W. & W., D. 10.		
1832.	4 pounds Cotton Sail Twine.	2205.	1 package Copper Rivets and Burrs, 1 in., No. 12.		
1833.	1 large Feather Duster.	2206.	9 pair Tinsmith Snips, No. 1.		
1834.	1 large Wooden Chopping Bowl.	2207.	3 dozen Sash Fasteners, as per sample.		
1835.	15 pounds Iron Washers, 5 lbs. each, 5-16-in., 3/8-in., 1/2-in.	2208.	1/2 gross Iron Bolts, 3 by 3, as per sample.		
1836.	5 pounds 1-in. Platted Hemp Packing.	2209.	1/2 gross Iron Bolts, 4 by 5.		
1837.	5 3/4-in. Jenkins Globe Valves.	2210.	3 only Brad Awls.		
1838.	2 2-in. Jenkins Globe Valves.	2211.	1 dozen Socket Chisel Handle, assorted sizes.		
1839.	2 2-in. Check Valves.	2212.	1 pair 3 lb. Soldering Coppers.		
1840.	2 2-in. Check Valves.	2213.	3-12 dozen Pudding Knives.		
1841.	2 1/2 in. Jenkins Globe Valves.	2214.	1 side Coffee Mill, Swift No. 2.		
1842.	1 dozen Gas Burner Tips, 3 ft.	2215.	1/2 dozen each small Brass Hooks and Screw Eyes.		
1843.	24 feet 3/4 in. Eureka Sectional Gasket.	2216.	1 only Agate Mug, L. & G., No. 5.		
1844.	2 Irrigating Bottles, with rubber attachments, gal.	2217.	1 only 6-in. Stilson Wrench.		
1845.	2 Museum Jars, 18 x 10 in.	2218.	1 only Horse Clipping Machine, Brown's patent, anti-friction, "New Market."		
1846.	3 Museum Jars, 9 x 9 in.	2219.	3-12 dozen Parr's Cast Bearing Chains.		
1847.	3 Museum Jars, 6 x 4 in.	2220.	1 Steel Tape Measure, 100 ft. long, Reliable No. 205.		
1848.	1 Combination Gas and Electric Chandelier, sample, Bellevue Hospital.	2221.	1 Boxwood Yard Stick, with brass ends, Stanley No. 41.		
1849.	6 Platinum Needles, in glass.	2222.	1 Brass Stencil Plate, "Storehouse," 1/2-in. letters.		
1850.	6 Steel Forceps, 6 in.	2223.	50 3/8-in. x 3 1/2-in. Bolts, with burrs.		
1851.	24 Museum Jars, W. T. & Co., 6 each, 3 1/2 x 6 in.; 6 each, 5 1/2 x 8 in.; 6 each, 6 1/4 x 3 in.; 6 each, 7 3/8 x 8 in.	2224.	5 pounds 2-in. Wire Nails, No. 10.		
1852.	1/2 gross Melville Fruit Jars, pints.	2225.	1 paper 1/2-in. x 4 1/2-in. Carriage Bolts.		
1853.	1 Brausch & Lomb's New Automatic Microtome, No. 2590.	2226.	1 paper 3/8-in. x 4 1/2-in. Carriage Bolts.		
1854.	12 Watch Glasses, 4 in.	2227.	1,000 pounds Annealed Wire, No. 20.		
1855.	24 Preserving Jars, 750 Co., B. & L., No. 446c.	2228.	1 bundle Gal. Iron, No. 27, 24 x 8 1/2.		
1856.	1 ounce Cover Glass, No. 2, 3/4-in. round.	2229.	1 bundle Rod Iron, O. 7, 1 in.		
1857.	1 ounce Cover Glass, No. 2, 3/4-in. square.	2230.	1 bundle Gal. Iron Wire, No. 6.		
1858.	1/2 ounce Cover Glass, No. 2, 3/4 x 1 1/4-in. oblong.	2231.	6 bars 3/4 in. x 1 1/4 in. Iron.		
1859.	3 dozen Glass Stoppers, W. M. Bottles, E. & A., No. 5684, special sizes.	2232.	3 bars 3/4 in. x 1 in. Iron.		
1860.	12 each Plain Peppettes, 12-in., 8-in. and 6-in.	2233.	25 bars 3/4-in. Round Iron.		
1861.	12 Rubber Nipples for Peppettes.	2234.	5 bars 3/4-in. Round Iron.		
1862.	6 boxes Soluble Cotton, 6 ounces.	2235.	1 bar 1 1/4-in. Angle Iron.		
1863.	6 Dissecting knives, B. & L., No. 5440.	2236.	2 bars 3/4 in. x 1 1/4 in. Flat Refined Iron.		
1864.	6 Needle Holders, B. & L., No. 5975.	2237.	4 bars 1/2-in. Round Refined Iron.		
1865.	2 dozen Coffee Cups, Department pattern.	2238.	6 bars 3/4-in. Round Refined Iron.		
1866.	1 dozen individual Glass Vegetable Dishes.	2239.	1 bar 1 in. Square Refined Iron.		
1867.	1/2 dozen Sugar Bowls, Department pattern.	2240.	1 box Roofing Tin, I. C. 14 in. x 20 in.		
1868.	1/2 dozen White Porcelain Gas Lamp Shades.	2241.	1/2 dozen Cork Screws, as per sample.		
1869.	1/2 dozen Yellow Mixing Bowls, 14 in.	2242.	25 foot 1 1/2-in. 3 ply Granite Rubber Hose and couplings.		
1870.	3 dozen Small Dinner Plates, Department pattern.	2243.	2 pieces Black Enameled Leather, each 4 ft. x 3 ft. 10 in.		
1871.	1 box American Window Glass, 26 x 30 in., first quality, double thickness.	2244.	1 gross Black Enameled Buttons.		
1872.	1 box American Window Glass, 17 x 30 in., first quality, double thickness.	2245.	6 pieces 1 1/2-in. Oak, 14 in. x 16 ft. long.		
1873.	1 box American Window Glass, 20 x 30 in., first quality, double thickness.	2246.	2 pieces 1 1/4-in. Oak, 14 in. x 16 ft. long, dressed.		
1874.	2 boxes American Window Glass, 15 by 19 in., first quality, double thickness.	2247.	3 pieces 1-in. Oak, 12 in. x 16 ft. long, dressed.		
1875.	2 boxes American Window Glass, 18 by 13 in., first quality, double thickness.	2248.	3 pieces 3/4-in. Square Oak, 16 ft. long, dressed.		
1876.	2 boxes American Window Glass, 14 by 13 in., first quality, double thickness.	2249.	15 pieces 1 1/2 Spruce, 12 in. x 16 ft. long, dressed.		
1877.	1 box American Window Glass, 10 by 12 in., first quality, double thickness.	2250.	300 pieces Novelty Clapboards.		
1878.	1 box American Window Glass, 10 by 8 in., first quality, double thickness.	2251.	1,000 square feet G. Pine, 3 x 1 1/2 in., M. & C. b., dressed one side.		
1879.	1 box American Window Glass, 18 by 10 in., first quality, double thickness.	2252.	350 square feet Hemlock Roofing, 3/4-in.		
1880.	1 box American Window Glass, 14 by 13 in., first quality, double thickness.	2253.	2 Pieces Spruce, 2 x 6 in. x 13 ft.		
1881.	1 box American Window Glass, 10 by 12 in., first quality, double thickness.	2254.	6 Pieces Spruce, 3 x 6 in. x 20 ft.		
1882.	1 box American Window Glass, 10 by 8 in., first quality, double thickness.	2255.	1/2 dozen Humane Wristlets, 10 x 10 1/2 in.		
1883.	1 box American Window Glass, 10 by 8 in., first quality, double thickness.	2256.	1/2 dozen Belts for Humane Wristlets.		
1884.	1 box American Window Glass, 18 by 10 in., first quality, double thickness.	2257.	Engrossing, 7 Diplomas, Doctor's name and term of service.		
1885.	1 box American Window Glass, 9 by 14 in., first quality, double thickness.	2258.	2 Diplomas, 1 Harlem and 1 Gouverneur Hospital form.		
1886.	1 Dinner Set, Department pattern.	2259.	4 Cork Life Rings, with 50 ft. line attached to each.		
1887.	1 Tea Set, Department pattern.	2260.	20 Grate Bars, as per sample.		
1888.	1 dozen Tumblers.	2261.	3 Ring Life Preservers, 1 ft. inside 2 ft. outside, lettered "Dep't of P. C. East 26th St. Dock."		
1889.	1 dozen 12-in. Bracket Lamp Burners, as per sample.	2262.	1 Canvas Apron, 25 ft. long, 10 in. wide, and 4 laces for Mammoth Mangle, American Machine Co., patent Nov. 2, 1896, Cincinnati, Ohio, office No. 39 Cortlandt Street, New York.		
1890.	1 Only Glass Globe to fit, sample fixture.	2263.	2 Felt for 2 rollers for Mammoth Mangle, American Machine Co., patent Nov. 2, 1896, Cincinnati, Ohio, office No. 39 Cortlandt Street, New York.		
1891.	1/2 dozen Globes for Dietz Lamps, No. 25.	2264.	5 barrels Cylinder Oil, 50 gals. each, oil like sample.		
1892.	1/2 dozen Dessert Dishes, Dept. pattern.	2265.	5 barrels Lard Oil, 50 gals. each, oil like sample.		
1893.	1/2 dozen Salt Sitters.	2266.	5 barrels Astral Oil, 50 gals. each, oil like sample.		
1894.	1/2 dozen Sugar Bowls, Dept. pattern.	2267.	1 Revolving Grate, for D. H. & M. Range, No. 2 at Harlem Hospital.		
1895.	1/2 dozen Syrup Pitchers, Dept. pattern.	2268.	1 Fire Pot for Mott's Crucible, No. 5 at Almshouse.		
1896.	1/2 dozen Pinafore Lamp Chimneys.	2269.	2 Grates for J. L. Mott's Laundry Stove, No. 2, P. T. Improved 1879, at R. I. Hospital.		
1897.	1/2 dozen Pinafore Lamp Burners.	2270.	6 Top Door Slides for Mott's Scorchers, No. 12, 2; No. 14, 2; No. 17, 2.		
1898.	1/2 dozen Dietz Lantern Globes.	2271.	6 Ash Door Slides for Mott's Scorchers, No. 12, 2; No. 14, 2; No. 17, 2.		
1899.	1/2 dozen Dietz Lantern Burners.	2272.	3 packages Flat Head Stove Bolts, 1/2-in. each, 1-in., 1 1/2-in. and 3-in., at R. I. Hospital.		
1900.	1/2 dozen Glass Goblets.	2273.	1 set Rings, covers and linings, for D. H. & M. Range 5's, at R. I. Hospital.		
1901.	2 dozen Napkins.	2274.	1 set Rings, covers and linings, for D. H. & M. Water Back, No. 3, at R. I. Hospital.		
1902.	1 piece Bleached Pillow Case Muslin, 45 in. wide, "Dwight Anchor."	2275.	1 set Rings, covers and linings, for Jane & Kirland, Water Back, No. 2 drum, at R. I. Hospital.		
1903.	2 dozen Fringed Huckaback Towels, as per sample.	2276.			
1904.	1 piece Unelastic Web, 1-in.				
1905.	4-12 dozen Red and White Table Covers.				
1906.	6 yards White Bunting, 6-in. wide.				
1907.	4 yards Blue Bunting, 6-in. wide.				
1908.	2 dozen Hudson's Food, in 1-lb. packages.				
1909.	35 pounds Alum.				
1910.	2 dozen Potash, in 1-lb. cans, as per sample.				
1911.	2 dozen Spindle Screws.				
1912.	1 set Tang Chisel Handles, 16 to the set, running from 1/2-in. to 2-in.				
1913.	22-inch Spoke Shaves.				
1914.	26 gross Screws, 2 gross each, 2-in., Nos. 8, 9, 10; 1 1/4-in., Nos. 7, 8, 9; 1 1/2-in., Nos. 7, 8, 9; 1-in., Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9.				
1915.	12 gross Screws, 1 gross each, 3/4-in., Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8; 1/2-in., Nos. 4, 5, 6; 1/2-in., Nos. 4 and 5; 3/8-in., Nos. 4 and 5.				

## DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 265 AND 267 BROADWAY,  
August 10, 1898.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1898,

at 12 o'clock M., when they will be publicly opened and read, for

REPAIRS TO WOODEN BOX SEWER AT FOOT OF FORTY-SECOND STREET, NORTH 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 every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety, in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimate, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 265 and 267 Broadway.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
August 5, 1898.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1898.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN STONE OF TRAP-ROCK AND TRAP-ROCK SCREENINGS WHERE REQUIRED IN PELHAM BAY PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, AS FOLLOWS:

100 cubic yards of one and one-half inches broken stone of trap-rock for roads and drives.  
800 cubic yards of trap-rock screenings for roads and drives.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty consecutive working days.

The penalty for non-completion within the specified time is fixed at Four Dollars per day.

The amount of the security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon bids.

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.

Each article when delivered shall have a tag attached bearing line number.

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



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

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

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

The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received, but the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals for the several contracts and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the office of the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of Bronx, Zborowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 346 BROADWAY,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, AUGUST 11, 1898.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 346 Broadway, Room 1142, until one (1) o'clock P. M. on

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1898.**

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1142, No. 346 Broadway, at the hour above-mentioned.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING LABOR AND MATERIAL IN ERECTING TWO (2) OTIS HYDRAULIC PASSENGER ELEVATORS IN THE BROWNSTONE BUILDING, CITY HALL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING LABOR AND MATERIAL FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND ERECTION OF WROUGHT-IRON BALCONY, WITH STAIRS LEADING TO SAME, AND FOR NEW BOOK CASES IN THE ROOM KNOWN AS THE LIBRARY OF THE SUPREME COURT, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE IN CITY HALL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

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

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, also plans for iron balcony and bookcases, can be obtained in Room No. 1139.

HENRY S. KEARNY,  
Commissioner of Public Buildings,  
Lighting and Supplies.

## SUPREME COURT.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FORDHAM ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Harlem river to Jerome 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 and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands 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, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of August, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting on the 16th day of September, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on said 16th day of September, 1898, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits and proofs 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, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of September, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and running thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and its prolongation easterly to the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue; thence northeasterly along said westerly side of Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the curve forming the southerly side of Kingsbridge road between Sedgwick avenue and Aqueduct avenue; thence easterly along said prolongation of and southerly side of Kingsbridge road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line to the middle line of the blocks between Creston avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along said line to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line to a line drawn parallel to Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and its prolongation westerly to its intersection with the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of The Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house in The City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1898, 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, May 25, 1898.

JOHN E. EUSTIS,  
Chairman,  
GEO. W. THYM,  
GEORGE KARSCH,

Commissioners.

### 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-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Third 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 and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands 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, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of August, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting on the 7th day of September, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on said 7th day of September, 1898, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits and proofs 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, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 6th day of September, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and Tremont avenue or Morris street and said middle line produced from its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Carter avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue, also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and said line produced and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street or Fitch street and Mott street and said middle line produced from its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Carter avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue, also by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and said line produced and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the east by the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue from its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and Tremont avenue or Morris street to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to its intersection with the prolongation easterly of a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof, also by the middle line of the block between Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Washington avenue from its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Third avenue and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street or Fitch street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street; and on the west by a line drawn parallel to Carter avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof from its intersection with the prolongation easterly of a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof, also by the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street or Fitch street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street or Mott street; and as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of The Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1898, 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, July 27, 1898.  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
JOHN LERCH,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands 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, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of August, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting on the 7th day of September, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on said 7th day of September, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits and proofs 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, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 6th day of September, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof from the easterly side of Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue, also by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and said southerly side produced from the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue to its intersection, with a line drawn parallel to Fulton avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the easterly side of Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, to the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue, also by the northerly side of Wendover avenue and said northerly side produced from the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue

to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Fulton avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; on the east by a line drawn parallel to Fulton avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from its intersection with the prolongation easterly of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to its intersection with the prolongation easterly of the northerly side of Wendover avenue; and on the west by the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof, also by the easterly side of Park avenue or Vanderbilt avenue, East, from its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof, also by the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue from its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to the northerly side of Wendover avenue; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1898, 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, July 25, 1898.  
FIELDING L. MARSHALL,  
Chairman,  
ALVIN SUMMERS,  
Commissioners.

### 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 SUMMIT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands 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, ninth floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of August, 1898, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting on the 3d day of October, 1898, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on said 3d day of October, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits and proofs 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, Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of October, 1898.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Lind avenue with the southerly side of Union place; thence easterly along the southerly side of Union place to the westerly side of Ogden avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Ogden avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue to its intersection with the northeasterly side of Sedgwick avenue; thence northwesterly and northerly along the northerly side of Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the easterly side of Lind avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Lind avenue to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the New York County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of October, 1898, 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, June 23, 1898.  
JAMES S. ALLEN,  
Chairman,  
CHAS. HILTON BROWN,  
Commissioners.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to NINETY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from First avenue to Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SUPPLEMENTAL** and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of August, 1898, 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 law.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, July 25, 1898.  
EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO,  
RIGUAL T. WOODWARD,  
JOHN K. GREEN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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